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Invitation to an ETUI Education training course

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Dear Trade Union Member,

The Education Department of the European Trade Union Institute (ETUI), in partnership with LO-Sweden, and UGT (Spain), will organise the training course "**OSH, Climate Change and Green Transition**" that will be held from 21 to 23 January in Brussels, Belgium.

## Background information

In December 2023, the ETUI Annual OSH Conference titled "Incoming challenges Ahead: Climate Change and Green Transition" explored the critical issues at the intersection of occupational health and safety, climate change, and the green transition.

Following the conference, this upcoming training will aim to improve trade unionists' preparedness for the potential effects of climate change and the green transition on workers' health and safety.

Objectives of the project

- Raise awareness about the effects of climate change and the green transition on occupational safety and health (OSH) risks.
- Identify changing hazards and new or intensified occupational risks associated with climate change and the green transition.
- Analyze approaches or tools to monitor the effects of climate change and the green transition on workers' health and safety.
- Develop preventive and protective measures to reduce the risks of workplace accidents and illnesses related to climate change and the green transition.

## Target group

- OSH trade union officers and representatives at company or sectoral level.
- Trade union representatives responsible for environment, climate change, green transition and sustainability.

Working languages

English, Swedish and Spanish

Venue and accommodation

Brussels, Hotel Marivaux.

Programme

A draft programme is attached.



The ETUI is co-funded by the European Union

## How are enrolments processed?

The training course is open to 20 participants. The final confirmation of the participants will be done by ETUI and the team of trainers, considering the requirements for the target group. Priority will be given to members of LO-Sweden and UGT.

Please bear in mind the recommendations of the ETUC Action Plan for women, which call for the proportional representation of women in trade union activities.

Participants' registration

We invite interested participants to submit their registration to this link:

https://crm.etui.org/form/osh-climate-change-and-green-tra

The deadline for registration is 2 December 2024.

Please read our travel conditions carefully (see enclosed). Do not buy any tickets before we confirm your participation.

Payment

A direct monetary contribution (enrolment fees) to ETUI Education activities is required per participant. The cost is 60€ for the entire course programme. You will receive instructions on how to pay when we confirm your participation.

Arrival and departure

Participants are expected to arrive on **20 January 2025 in the afternoon** and leave on **23 January 2025 after lunch**.

We would be grateful if all participants respected the arrival and departure times.

Additional information

Should you need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact Carine Boon, <u>cboon@etui.org</u> or Franklin Kimbimbi <u>fkimbimbi@etui.org</u>

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