Dear colleagues,

the EU `WALQING - Work and Life Quality in New and Growing Jobs` (http://www.walqing.eu) project consortium and ETUI, would like to invite you, to attend a seminar aiming to discuss the impact of greening economy on the quality of work in Europe. The seminar `Greening the economy: what impact on the quality of work` is organized within the frame of Pillar 2 of the WALQING project - “Stakeholders policies and problems assessment”. Within the forthcoming seminar, we would like to present and discuss inputs from the WALQING study in the Construction and the Waste (as sectors previously selected to be studied in details in the project) and to further exchange with stakeholders, polices and strategies both on EU and national level aiming to improve the quality of work in services. Among the speakers in the seminar would be representatives of the European Commission and the social partners at EU level.

The main aims of the seminar would be to collaboratively discuss the quality of work problems in greening sectors such as construction and waste and the challenges of the greening of the economy towards quality of work. We would try to jointly influence current policies and practices by addressing successful solutions to these problems and transfer examples of good practices. In this regard, we would like to kindly invite you to join the WALQING project and to share your knowledge within the forthcoming seminar. Your expert opinion is extremely valuable for the ongoing research and we do hope that you can contribute to the upcoming seminar. The discussions with stakeholders and conclusions within the seminar would be of high importance for the success of the project and its contributions to the quality of work in Europe. We believe you will respond to our request to devote time and efforts to contribute to our overall goal to improve the quality of work in Europe and confirm your availability to participate at the seminar.
The seminar will take place on Thursday 29th September 2011 (10:30 am to 15:00 pm) at the International Trade Union House (ITUH), 5 Boulevard du Roi Albert II, 1210 Brussels. Please find attached the detailed agenda of the seminar.

Should you have any questions concerning the project or the organisation of the seminar, please do not hesitate to contact me or Darina Peycheva (dpeicheva@gmail.com, +359 896 039 329).

We hope to see you at the seminar,

Kind regards,
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