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Webinar
**Climate change mitigation and adaptation:
challenges and opportunities**
Programme

Date: 13 and 14 September 2021

Simultaneous interpretation: English, Italian, French, Spanish, and German

Venue: the workshop will be an online event

13 September 2021

09:30 Online registrations

10:00 Welcome and opening

Philippe Pochet, General Director, ETUI

10:10 Current and future changes in climate and weather extremes

Prof. J.P. van Ypersele, Climatologist, Former IPCC (Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change) Vice-Chair

10:30 Questions & Answers

Moderated by Franklin Kimbimbi, Education Officer, ETUI

10:50 *Coffee break*

11:05 Environmental, social and economic impacts of climate change in Europe

Dr. Hans-Martin Füssel, Expert - Climate change vulnerability and adaptation, European Environment Agency

11:25 Questions & Answers

Moderated by Franklin Kimbimbi, Education Officer, ETUI

11:45 Closing of the first day

Philippe Pochet, General Director, ETUI

11:50 End of the first day



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10:00 “ETUC recommendations for a worker’s friendly adaptation strategy”

Félix Maillieux, Advisor, ETUC

10:10 EU policies and measures to adapt to climate change or mitigate its impacts

Willem Jan Goossen, Policy Officer DG Climate Action, Adaptation Unit, EU Commission

10:30 Questions & Answers

Moderated by Franklin Kimbimbi, Education Officer, ETUI

10:50 Coffee break

**11:05 Consequences of climate change and/or climate policies on selected sectors:
energy, transport, industry and agriculture – Panel discussion**

Béla Galgóczi, Senior Researcher at the ETUI

Arnd Spahn, Agricultural Secretary, EFFAT (European Federation of Food, Agriculture, and Tourism Trade Unions)

11:50 Closing remarks

Philippe Pochet, General Director, ETUI

12:00 End of the workshop



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