

DAY 1

Thursday 28 October (from 13:30 till 17:30)

INTRODUCTORY OPENING

13:30 – 14:00 *Nicola Countouris* (Director of Research - ETUI)
Silvia Rainone (Researcher, ETUI and ELW)

THE EU DIGITAL TRANSITION: WHAT PLACE FOR WORKERS RIGHTS?

Moderated by Silvia Rainone (Researcher, ETUI and ELW)

- Digital transition in the EU recovery strategy
María Teresa Fábregas Fernandez (Director, Recovery & Resilience Task Force, European Commission)
- The EU proposal on AI regulation and its approach to workers' right
Aida Ponce Del Castillo (Senior researcher, Foresight Unit, ETUI)
- Fairness and dignity in regulating EU platform workers
Leila Chaibi (MEP, GUE/NGL)
- Taming the market power of digital businesses – The Amazon case
Nick Rudikoff (Campaigns director, UNI Global)

15:30 – 16:00 *Break 30'*

NORMATIVE APPROACHES FOR FAIRER LABOUR RELATIONSHIPS

Moderated by Aude Cefaliello (Researcher, ETUI)

- Unveiling the subordination in the platform economy
Anna Ginès Fabrellas (Professor, ESADE)
- Lessons from an anarchist perspective to the platform economy
Andrea Iossa (Senior lecturer, Kristianstad University)
- Preventing discrimination in algorithmic decision-making
Miriam Kullmann (Assistant Professor at Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam)
- Expanding the scope of collective bargaining: a paradigm shift
Silvia Rainone (Researcher, ETUI and ELW Network)

17:30 **End of Day 1**



PROGRAMME

DAY 2

Friday 29 October (from 10:00 till 13:30)

10:00

OPENING

Thomas Schmidt (Lawyer, ELW Network and ELDH)

BRINGING THE ALGORITHMS TO COURT

Moderated by Ruediger Helm (Lawyer, ELW)

10:10– 11:30

- The Yodel case and its implications for platform workers' rights
Lord John Hendy QC (Barrister, UK)
 - Defending collective rights of platform workers in courts
Carlo De Marchis (Lawyer, Italy)
 - The contribution of the GDPR to protect platform workers' rights
Anton Ekker (Lawyer, The Netherlands)
 - Socializing digital work via the courts?
Antonio Aloisi (Assistant Professor, IE Law School)
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11:30 – 12:00 Break 30'

COLLECTIVE RIGHTS IN THE DIGITAL ECONOMY

Moderated by Aline Hoffmann (Head of Unit, Europeanisation of Industrial relations, ETUI)

12:00 – 13:20

- Protecting platform workers' rights in the digital economy
Silvia Simoncini (National secretary Nidil Cgil)
 - Raising activism among platform workers
Martin Willems (United Freelancers, acv-csc)
 - Collective bargaining to address negative impact of labour market monopsony
Séverine Picard (Progressive Policies)
 - Unions' strategy to contrast the market power of digital platform
Annika Flaten (Director Commerce, UNI Europa)
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13:20

- CLOSING REMARKS

Ludovic Voet (ETUC, Confederal Secretary)

