

BUILDING BRIDGES

How social dialogue benefits people and business

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SOCIAL DIALOGUE

Mondiaal FNV



**Invitation
Mondiaal FNV
conference**

Mondiaal FNV would like to invite you to the conference “Building Bridges: How social dialogue benefits people and business”, which will take place on 8 October 2019 in Amersfoort.

Stable industrial relations, bargaining and dialogue are fundamental to obtaining decent work for all. There are, however, challenges and obstacles that we need to face if we are to establish genuine bargaining and dialogue.

The conference will focus on why social dialogue is important for development and how to implement social dialogue in practice at all levels, from companies to countries. In what way can Dutch and multinational companies, international corporate social responsibility (ICSR) covenants, certification organisations, NGOs and other stakeholders promote social dialogue in their operations and supply chains?

FIVE REASONS FOR YOU TO BE THERE

- To hear from local people in developing countries about what they think is needed
- To learn more about promoting good bargaining practices at companies in your supply chain
- You are looking for practical information and support
- You are looking for partners and people to work with
- You are looking for inspiration from good practices

May we look forward to meeting you at the conference on 8 October?

PROGRAMME



WHO WILL BE THERE?

- Trade unions from producer countries
- Government and employers' organisation representatives from Uganda, Peru, Nepal, Indonesia and Ghana's labour minister
- Non-governmental organisations, including Shift, a centre of expertise on the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights
- Companies
- Dutch Employers' Cooperation Programme (DECP)
- Certification organisations

BREAK-OUT SESSIONS

There will be two rounds of break-out sessions, offering you a choice from many inspiring and noteworthy examples of social dialogue from various sectors and countries.

COUNTRIES:

Nepal, Uganda, Ghana, Peru, Indonesia, Nigeria, Bangladesh, Colombia

SECTORS:

Flowers, agriculture, fresh fruits and vegetables, palm oil, garments, shipbreaking

Language: English (with Spanish translation available)

Facilitator: Alette van Leur, Director of the Sectoral Policies Department (SECTOR) at the ILO in Geneva

Location: De Veerensmederij in Amersfoort next to Amersfoort Central Station and with easy access by car

Date: 8 October 2019, from 10.00 to 17.00

Register at: www.socialdialogueconference.com



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