

INVITATION

19.–20. March 2024, Brussels

WORKERS'-VOICE CONFERENCE: NEW LIGHT ON SUSTAINABLE CORPORATE GOVERNANCE



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Dear Madam / Dear Sir,

The Hans-Böckler-Foundation would like to invite you to its next Workers' Voice Conference: "New light on sustainable corporate governance" on the 19th and 20th of March 2024. The conference will take place at the Representation of the State of North Rhine-Westphalia to the European Union, Rue Montoyer 47, 1000 Brussels.

Workers' participation in companies is a key element of a democratic economy and a democratic world of work. However, we can observe that workers' rights are under pressure and undermined in practice. To strengthen participation in multinational companies, progress on a European level is essential.

In view of the European elections in June 2024, it is therefore particularly important to focus on this topic again, not only by putting workers' participation on the social policy agenda, but also by incorporating it into European company policy and law. Together with practitioners and trade union representatives, we want to discuss the future of workers' participation and sustainable corporate governance and provide concrete tools for drawing attention to the importance of the European election from a workers' perspective.

We would be very happy to meet you at our event. To participate, please register via the link in this invitation.

Best regards,



Dr. Claudia Bogedan
Managing Director of Hans Böckler Foundation

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Place Representation of the State of North Rhine-Westphalia
to the European Union, Rue Montoyer 47, 1000 Brussels

Tuesday, 19th March 2024, 12.00 h – 18.00 h

Program

12.00 h	Get together and lunch
13.00 h	Welcome by Dr. Claudia Bogedan, Managing Director of the Hans Böckler Foundation
13.10 h	Status quo: What have we achieved so far? Isabelle Schömann, Deputy General Secretary of the ETUC
13.30 h	Why democracy at work matters, for all of us. Stan de Spiegelaere, Director Policy and Research UNI Europe
14.30 h	Break
15.00 h	Workshops dealing with the topics: "European Works Councils", "Participation in Supervisory Boards" and "Sustainable Corporate Governance"
17.00 h	End of the first conference day
18.00 h	Dinner with intervention by Nicolas Schmit, EU Commissioner for Employment and Social Rights

Wednesday, 20th March 2024, 09.00 h – 12.00 h

Program

09.00 h	Welcome and short get together
09.15 h	Workshops dealing with the topics: "European Works Councils", "Participation in Supervisory Boards" and "Sustainable Corporate Governance"
11.00 h	Empowerment to mobilize for the European election Tanja Bergrath, Head of Liason Office Brussels at DGB
12.00 h	Closing remarks by Dr. Daniel Hay, Academic Director of the Institute for Codetermination and Corporate Governance (I.M.U.)

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About

An event of the Hans Böckler Foundation aimed at propagating best practice in corporate governance by bringing together experienced workers' representatives and experts in political institutions in Brussel.

Registration

To register please use the following link:

<https://www.boeckler.de/de/aktuelle-veranstaltungen-2718-new-light-on-sustainable-corporate-governance-v-55282.htm>

Please register until 12th of March 2024 at the latest.

A confirmation to participate will be sent before the event.

Conference fees will not be charged.

The costs for catering and overnight accommodation during the event shall be borne by the organiser.

Travelling expenses will not be covered.

Further Information

<https://www.imu-boeckler.de/en/index.htm>

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