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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

Strengthening Social Dialogue in the Textile, Clothing and Leather Sector for a more competitive Europe

TUESDAY 18.11.2014, AT 10:00
Plaza Hotel Ljubljana
Bratislavská 8, Ljubljana

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Association of Employers of Slovenia, the co-ordinator of the project »Strong TCL: Strong partnership for an enhanced Social Dialogue in the Textile, Clothing and Leather sector in Slovenia, Croatia, Macedonia, Montenegro and Serbia«, together with partner organizations, invite you at the end of the project to international conference titled

STRENGTHENING SOCIAL DIALOGUE IN THE TEXTILE,
CLOTHING AND LEATHER SECTOR FOR A MORE
COMPETITIVE EUROPE

At the conference the opinions of experts on key challenges, which need to be addressed by social partners and textile industry in the future, will be presented. The event will be an opportunity to express your opinions and expose the dilemmas you face in daily operation and for a fruitful exchange of experience and good practice.

We look forward to your presence at the conference.

PROGRAMME

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| 10:00 – 10:05 | Welcome
Jože Smole, Association of Employers of Slovenia (ZDS) |
| 10:05 – 10:15 | A summary of key findings of the Strong TCL project
mag. Tatjana Pajnkihar Napret, Association of Employers of Slovenia (ZDS) |
| 10:15 – 10:30 | Opportunities for the Textile, Clothing and Leather Sector and the expectations of social partners in the period of new European Commission
Luc Triangle, industriAll European Trade Union |
| 10:30 – 10:45 | Strategies for securing the future of the European Leather Industry
Gustavo Gonzalez-Quijano, Confederation of National Associations of Tanners and Dressers of the European Community (COTANCE) |
| 10:45 – 11:00 | Educational and qualifications agenda for the TCLF sectors
Stephanie Le Berre, European Apparel and Textile Organisation (EURATEX) |
| 11:00 – 11:30 | Coffee break |
| 11:30 – 11:45 | Adaptation of educational system to the new needs of TCL industry
prof. dr. Majda Sfligoj Smole, University of Maribor, Faculty of Mechanical Engineering, Chair of textile materials and design |
| 11:45 – 12:15 | Implementation, pros and cons of the new collective agreement for the Textile, Clothing and Leather-processing activities in Slovenia
Marjan Trobiš, Boxmark Leather d.o.o.
Anton Rozman, Textile and Leather Processing Industries Trade Union of Slovenia (STUPIS) |
| 12:15 – 12:30 | With Strong TCL project to the new collective agreement in the field of textile industry in Montenegro
Mirza Mulešković, Montenegrin Employers' Federation (UPCG) |
| 12:30 – 12:45 | Good Industrial Relations and exclusive products in step with the new economic trends
Good practice example |
| 12:45 – 13:00 | Discussion |