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ITUC Congress side session

Just Transition

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A just transition: The most urgent topic for trade unions right now

Learn how to implement
a multi-level approach so
this energy transition is fair for all



- > Sunday 20th November
- > 18h00 19h30
- > Room 203

Programme

The current energy crisis and transition has made "just transition" a key topic for trade unions. They want to make sure the workers mining minerals in Latin America don't suffer for Europe's transition.

At this important event, we're going to highlight various areas vulnerable to risk during this time of transition. We'll also look at the places where measures can and should be taken to protect the workers. We are dedicated to making this transition just and successful in Latin America and around the world. But success can only be achieved by a multilevel approach!

The experts from CNV Internationaal

Jan-Pieter Daems will

- explore measures that should be taken at company and sectoral level
- share best practices from collective bargaining agreements in the Netherlands
- explain how national governments can help ensure just and fair practices
- present the Career Check Tool, a tool developed to make sure workers are ready for the future.

Anne Wehkamp will

- discuss the role of trade unions in international policymaking, in particular trade agreements and due diligence, to ensure a just transition
- share key take aways based on the Profundo research regarding labour rights risks in the Latin American mining sector
- explain the importance of working together as trade unions, for example through complaint mechanisms such as the European Commission's Single Entry Point (SEP).

Ana Catalina Herrera will

- provide insight into the profound impact the transition and current energy crisis has on workers in the Colombian mining region
- share her experience in fighting for social dialogue for mine workers in Colombia and Peru
- show how she has used the complaint mechanism SEP to address hardships workers are facing in the mines in Colombia and Peru
- discuss what trade unions and stakeholders in global supply chains need to do, to ensure a just transition.

Join the debate!

The event will end with a debate on the issues covered. Participants are welcome to share their own ideas, experiences, and best practices.

Who's who:

Jan Pieter Daems is CNV Netherlands board member.



Anne Wehkamp is Strategic Policy Advisor at CNV Internationaal, Netherlands.



Ana Catalina Herrera is National Coordinator CNV Internationaal in Colombia.



The presentations and debate will be in English.



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