



ILO/EC Project
“Monitoring and Assessing Progress on Decent Work (MAP)”

FINAL CONFERENCE

Brussels, 18-19 November 2013

Provisional Agenda

The two-day conference will be organized in three parts:

Part 1. High level development oriented general debate (Monday AM)

- This part will set the context looking at the growing recognition of the **role of employment and decent work in development** - including in the post-2015 debate - and the importance of a solid methodology to measure and monitor progress. The MAP project outputs can be useful for the current discussions on the post-2015 global development agenda;
- Interventions of ILO (DDG/FO), of the High-level Panel on the 2015-post agenda and the EC (Development Commissioner).

Part 2. Main results of MAP and global methodological + country experience (Monday PM)

- **Main results and global methodology** on monitoring and assessing progress on decent work developed under the project will be presented (ILO);
- **Best practices from selected MAP countries** will be shared.

Part 3. Knowledge sharing: regional experience and perspectives (Tuesday AM).

- **Regional initiatives** on measuring/monitoring decent work: Roundtable with experts from SADC, MERCOSUR, ASEAN, and the European experts group on measuring quality of employment;
- **Wrap up on key MAP results:** national ownership and actions for sustainability (links to DWCP, national policy frameworks, regional monitoring framework), ILO experts from field Offices and HQ.

Monday 18, November 2013

08:30-10:00 Registration (Hotel X, Room Conference Y) and Welcome coffee

10:00-10:30 Opening remarks by ILO and EC

10:30-12:00 Employment, Decent Work and Development (high level session)

Chairperson: Mr. Stephen Pursey, ILO/MULTILATERALS

Employment and Decent Work in the EC Development Strategy: EC representative (DG DEVCO)

Decent Work goals and targets in the Development Agenda (and the importance of a solid methodology to measure and monitor progress on Decent Work): Mr. Gilbert Houngbo, Deputy-Director-General for Field Operations, ILO

Employment within the Post-2015 Development Agenda: Ms. Betty Maina, High-level Panel, Kenya

Decent Work and Development from the employers and workers' perspective: ITUC and IOE

12:00 - 13:00 Plenary discussion

13:00 – 14:30 Lunch

14:30-15:30 The MAP project: Main Results and Global Methodology for Monitoring and Assessing Progress on Decent Work

Chairperson: EC DG DEVCO (tbd)

Monitoring Employment and Decent Work within development strategies and programmes: an EC perspective - Ms. Hélène Bourgade, Head of Unit DEVCO B3, Employment, Social Inclusion, Migration

Measuring and Monitoring Decent Work: why and how - Mr. Stephen Pursey, Director, ILO/MULTILATERALS and Mr. Rafael Diez de Medina, Director, ILO/STATISTICS

The MAP project: main results and global methodology - Ms. Naïma Pagès, CTA MAP- ILO

15:30-16:00 Plenary discussion

16:00-16:15 Coffee break

16:15-17:30 MAP countries' experience: best practices and way forward

Chairperson: Mr. Rafael Diez de Medina, Director, ILO/STATISTICS

Country presentations: Brazil, Zambia, Ukraine, and Indonesia

17:30-18:00 Plenary discussion

18:30 Cocktail

Tuesday 19, November 2013

08:30-9:00 **Welcome Coffee****09:00-10:00** **Regional initiatives on measuring and monitoring decent work***Chairperson: Mr. Rafael Diez de Medina, Director, ILO/STATISTICS*

Roundtable with experts from MERCOSUR, SADC, AU, ASEAN and the European Experts Group on Measuring Quality of Employment

10:00-10:30 **Plenary discussion****10:30-10:45** **Coffee break****10:45-12:00** **Key results in MAP countries and regions: national ownership and sustainability***Chairperson: DG DEVCO (tbd)*

Roundtable with ILO experts from Lusaka, Jakarta, Brasilia and Kiev Offices, and Geneva HQ

12:00-12:30 **Plenary discussion****12:30-13:00** **Wrap-up and closure of meeting (EC, ILO, ITUC and IOE)***Chairperson: tbd***13:00-14:30** **Lunch****14:30-17:00** **Bilateral dialogue ILO/EC (with representatives from geographical and thematic sectors, at the Hotel or at the EC/DG DEVCO)**