

14 & 15 September, 2015

Economic Social and Environmental Council

Palais d'Iéna, 9 place d'Iéna, Paris, France #unions4climate

MONDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER

8.30-10.00 Registration

10.00-10.30

No Jobs on a dead planet: Opening of the Conference

Sharan Burrow, General Secretary, ITUC
Jean-Paul Delevoye, President, French
Economic, Social and Environmental Council
Fabienne Cru-Montblanc. Membre

de la Commission Exécutive Confédérale de la CGT, France

10.30-11.00

Merlyn Van Voore, UNEP Climate Change coordinator

Respondent:

Phillip Jennings, General Secretary, UNI Global Union

11.00-11.30 Break

11.30-13.00

Climate & Jobs: Tackling the employment and climate crisis

Chaired by **Laura Martin Murillo**, Director, Sustainlabour

Jonathan Neale, One Million Climate Jobs

Respondents:

Josua Mata, General Secretary, SENTRO, Philippines

Massiel Figuereo, CNUS, Dominican Republic and TUCA Sustainable Development Working Group

Per-Olof Sjöö, President, Building and Wood Workers International (BWI)

Debate

13.00-14.00 *Lunch*

14.00-15.30

Industrial transformation and **Just Transition**

(FIRST SESSION)

Chaired by **Alison Tate**, Director Economic and Social Policy, ITUC

Agreement on climate change and transport workers, **Cécile Sadoux** (UITP) & **Asbjorn Wahl**, International Transport workers' Federation (ITF)

Joint union-NGO work on forestry, **Kjersti Larsen**, Norwegian Union of Commerce and Office Employees (HK) and **Dag Hareide**,
Rainforest Foundation Norway

Respondents:

Diego Azzi, Central Unica dos Trabalhadores (CUT), Brazil

Samantha Smith, Global Climate and Energy Initiative, WWF International

Debate

15.30-16.00 Break

16.00-17.30

Industrial transformation and Just Transition

(SECOND SESSION)

Solutions to the electricity crisis, Karl Cloete, Deputy General Secretary, NUMSA, South Africa

Trade union contribution to Japanese debates on climate change, Inoue Kumie, Director of Social Policy Division, JTUC-RENGO Japan

Respondents:

Brian Kohler, Director of Sustainability, IndustriAl I

Brad Markell, Executive Director, AFL-CIO Industrial Union Council, United States David Boys, Public Services International (PSI)

Debate

17.30-18.00

Building a climate movement

Chaired by **Anabella Rosemberg**, Policy Officer, ITLIC

Exchange between **Jerry Dias** (President, UNIFOR Canada) and **Naomi Klein** (author and campaigner – "This Changes Everything") –

Hassan Yussuff, President, Canadian Labor Congress (CLC)

Kumi Naidoo, CEO Greenpeace International

18.00 End of the day

TUESDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER

10.00-11.30

A deal that works for people and the planet – Union priorities for COP21

Introduced by **Sharan Burrow**, General Secretary, ITUC

Laurent Fabius,

French Foreign Affairs Minister and Incoming President of COP21

Respondents

Bernadette Ségol, General Secretary, European Trade Union Confederation (ETUC)

Laurent Berger, General Secretary, CFDT, France

Pascal Pavageau, Confederal Secretary, Force Ouvrière, France

Debate

11.30-12.00 Break

12.00-12.45

Moving the unions' climate agenda forward to COP21 and beyond

Chaired by **Anabella Rosemberg**, Policy Officer, ITUC

Debate

12.45-13.15

Closing of the Summit

Joao Felicio, President, ITUC

13.15-13.30 Photo

13.30-14.30 *Lunch*





