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## EU Labour Law – recent initiatives and case law

Brussels, 28-30 September 2022

**UP  
GRADE**  
YOUR LEGAL  
EXPERTISE

Employment  
and  
Social Law

### Speakers

**Esben Asmussen**, Social Attaché, Permanent Representation of Denmark to the European Union, Brussels

**Prof Catherine Barnard**, University of Cambridge

**Adela Barrero Florez**, Working conditions Unit, European Commission, DG EMPL, Brussels

**Lone Henriksen**, Employment Counsellor, Permanent Representation of Denmark to the EU, Brussels

**Prof Jean-Philippe Lhernould**, University of Poitiers

**Sophie Maes**, Partner, Claeys & Engels, Brussels

**Kajsa Normannseth**, Working conditions Unit, European Commission, DG EMPL, Brussels

**Álvaro Oliveira**, Gender Equality Unit, European Commission, DG JUST, Brussels

**Claudia Schmidt**, Lecturer at University Toulon

**MEP Marianne Vind**, European Parliament, Brussels/Strasbourg

### Key topics

- Posting of workers
- Work-life balance
- CJEU case law
- Minimum wages
- Platform workers
- Equal pay
- Working time
- Telework

Languages  
English and Danish

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## Wednesday, 28 September 2022

Arrival to Brussels

18:30 Joint Dinner: Restaurant *Aux Armes De Bruxelles* (Rue des Bouchers 13)

## Thursday, 29 September 2022

09:15 Arrival at the Danish Permanent Representation to the EU and registration of participants

09:30 **Welcome words**  
Danish Ambassador to Belgium Odd Sinding

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### I. EU LAW AND CASE LAW UPDATE – EXISTING & PROPOSED LEGISLATION

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09:35 **Posting of workers – recent developments and current challenges**  
*Sophie Maes*

10:20 Discussion

10:35 Coffee break

11:00 **The work-life balance Directive, including its national implementation**  
*Álvaro Oliveira*

11:45 Discussion

12:00 **Recent CJEU case law on labour law matters**  
*Catherine Barnard*

12:45 Discussion

13:00 Lunch

14:00 **The proposal on fair minimum wages**  
*MEP Marianne Vind*

14:45 Discussion

15:00 Coffee break

15:15 **Proposal for a new directive on pay transparency**  
*Esben Asmussen*

16:00 Discussion

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### II. VISIT TO THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT

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16:15 Walk to the European Parliament buildings and registration

16:30 **Visit of the European Parliament**

17:00 End

19:30 Dinner: Restaurant *Les Petits Oignons* (Rue de la Régence 25)

## Objective

The course will provide an overview of the latest policy developments, legislative initiatives and case law in the field of EU labour law.

## Seminar Venue

Danish Permanent Representation to the EU  
Rue d'Arlon 73  
Brussels

## Hotel Adresse

NH Collection Brussels Grand Sablon  
Rue Bodenbroek 2  
Brussels

## Friday, 30 September 2022

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### III. EU LAW AND CASE LAW UPDATE (CONT.)

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- 09:15 **Platform workers- the Commission proposal to improve the working conditions of people working through digital labour platforms**  
*Lone Henriksen*
- 10:00 Discussion
- 10:15 **Transparent and predictable working conditions and new forms of work**  
*Adela Barrero Florez and Kajsa Normannseth,*
- 11:00 Discussion
- 11:15 Coffee break
- 11:45 **Recent CJEU case law – working time**  
*Claudia Schmidt*
- 12:30 Discussion
- 12:45 Lunch
- 13:45 **Telework and the right to disconnect**  
*Jean-Philippe Lhernould*
- 14:30 Discussion
- 14:45 Closing words
- 15:00 End of the seminar

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