

AGENDA

Meeting:	Workshop on “Gender and age – impact on working life” ETUI International conference ‘Women’s Health and Work’
Date:	4 March 2015
Time:	14:00 – 18:00
Place:	ITUH, Boulevard du Roi Albert II, 5; 1210 Brussels

1 Introduction and moderation: Jane Pillinger (14:00 – 14:10)

Independent Researcher and Policy Advisor, Ireland

2 Safer and healthier work at any age. OSH in the context of an ageing workforce - Gender aspects by Sarah Copsey, EU-OSHA (14:10 – 14:40)

(This presentation should give an introduction to the Workshop and present main findings as well as practical examples of successful gender and age sensitive workplace policies for OSH)

3 Eurofound activities by Agnès Parent-Thirion, Eurofound (14:40 – 15:10)

(This presentation should give an insight into Eurofound activities on gender and ageing and provide an overview of findings)

4 Discussion (15:10 – 15:40)

5 Coffee break (15:40 – 16:00)

6 A sectoral approach to gender and age sensitive age management. Experiences of the NHS Working Longer Group by Nicola Lee, RCN, Royal College of Nursing, UK (16:00 – 16:30)

(This presentation should focus on the findings and recommendations as well as the activities of Working longer Group and Steering Group of NHS (info available at <http://www.nhsemployers.org/your-workforce/need-to-know/working-longer-group>)

7 PH Work, promoting healthy work for people with chronic illnesses, gender aspects on rehabilitation and work retention strategies by Nettie van der Auwera, Prevent, Belgium, and Dominique Baradat, ARACT Aquitaine, France (16:30 – 17:00)

(This presentation should focus on practical experience on rehabilitation and work retention strategies for workers affected by chronic illnesses, and contribute to the discussion of the gender aspects)

8 Gender, age and care duties – Paving the way forward for effective work-life policies
by Agnes Uherecky, Coface-EU, Confederation of Family Organisations in the EU, Belgium (17:00 – 17:30)

(this presentation should cover the age and gender differences in needs and circumstances to be considered in order to make work and care duties compatible. It should present the European Reconciliation Package, in particular the chapter on care and reconciling work.)

9 Discussion and wrap-up (Jane Pillinger and Elke Schneider, EU-OSHA) (17:30-18:00)