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Mr Guy Ryder

Director-General, International Labour Organization (ILO)

Born in Liverpool (UK) in 1956, Mr Ryder studied Social and Political Sciences at the University of Cambridge and Latin American Studies at the University of Liverpool. He started his professional career in 1981 as assistant at the International Department of the Trade Union Congress in London. From 1985, he held the position of Secretary of the Industry Trade Section of the International Federation of Commercial, Clerical, Professional and Technical Employees (FIET) in Geneva. In 1988, Guy Ryder became

Assistant Director and - from 1993 - Director of the Geneva Office of the International Confederation of Free Trade Unions (ICFTU).

Mr Ryder first joined the International Labour Organization in 1998 as Director of the Bureau for Workers' Activities and, from 1999, as Director of the Office of the Director-General. In 2002, he was appointed General Secretary of the ICFTU, leading the process of global unification of the democratic international trade union movement. He was elected as first General Secretary of the International Trade Union Confederation (ITUC) when it was created in 2006. He headed international trade union delegations to high level talks with the UN, IMF, World Bank and WTO and to the G20 Leaders' Summits.

In September 2010, Guy Ryder came back to the ILO in Geneva as Executive Director, responsible for international labour standards and fundamental principles and rights at work. He also headed several high-level ILO missions to address a range of issues related to labour standards in countries such as Bahrain, Colombia, Fiji, Georgia, Greece, Myanmar and Swaziland.

Mr Ryder was elected as ILO Director-General by the ILO's Governing Body in May 2012 and took office on 1 October 2012. He was re-elected as ILO Director-General by the ILO's Governing Body on 7 November 2016 with overwhelming support across the "ILO's tripartite constituency". His second term started on 1 October 2017.



H.E. Mr Ignatius Baffour Awuah

Minister of Employment and Labour Relations, Ghana

H.E. Mr Ignatius Baffour Awuah is currently the Minister of Employment and Labour Relations (MELR) and the Member of Parliament for Sunyani West Constituency in the Bono Region. He is a professional Accountant and a Banker. He is also a Fellow of the International Professional Management Association (IPMA) of the United Kingdom (UK).

He joined the incumbent political party (The New Patriotic Party) in 1991 and became a District Chief Executive of Sunyani District Assembly in 2001. He later became the Deputy Regional Minister for the then Brong-Ahafo Region and subsequently the substantive Regional Minister under the Kuffour administration.

In 2008, he was elected the Member of Parliament for the Sunyani West constituency and re-elected in 2012 and 2016. From 2013-2016 he served as Deputy Minority Chief Whip in the Parliament of Ghana.

Since 2016, he has been a member of the nineteen-member Cabinet of President Nana Akufo-Addo where he has been championing employment and labour matters. As the Minister of Employment and Labour Relations he has demonstrated a lot of leadership in promoting employment and decent work standards. In view of this, he is working together with the National Tripartite Constituents, the academia and technical institutions in Ghana to explore ways of harnessing opportunities in the Green Economy to create more decent Jobs for the labour force.



H. E. Mr François Rivasseau

Ambassador, Permanent Mission of France to the UNOG in Geneva

H.E. Mr Rivasseau currently serves as Permanent Representative of France to the United Nations Office in Geneva and other international organizations in Switzerland. Former administrative magistrate, he pursued his career in diplomacy. He has held several positions within the United Nations and the Press and Communication Directorate at the Ministry of Europe and Foreign Affairs of France. Ambassador Rivasseau has served in

Colombia, the United States and twice in Geneva.

Prior to his appointment in Geneva, H.E. Mr Rivasseau served as Minister Counsellor and Deputy Chief of Mission of the Delegation of the European Union in the United States and as Special Envoy on Space in Brussels.



H.E. Mr Juan Eduardo Eguiguren

Ambassador, Permanent Mission of Chile to the UNOG in Geneva

H.E. Mr Eguiguren is currently the Permanent Representative of Chile to the United Nations Office in Geneva. Prior to this position, he served as Ambassador of Chile to the Russian Federation (2010-2016); as Deputy Permanent Representative to the UN Office and the International Organizations in Geneva (2003-2007); as Counsellor at the Permanent Mission of Chile to the United Nations in New York (1996- 2000) and as Deputy Representative to the to the UN Security Council (1996-1997). He has also served

in Syria, Haiti, Bolivia and the United Kingdom.

At the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Chile, he served as National Coordinator and Director of Regional Multilateral Integration; Director of Multilateral Policy and Director of International Security and Disarmament. He has a Bachelor's degree in Anthropology from the University of Chile and is graduated from the Diplomatic Academy Andrés Bello. He holds a PhD on International Relations from the London School of Economics.



Ms Mara Brugia

Acting Director, European Centre for the Development of Vocational Training (Cedefop)

Ms Brugia is the Acting Executive Director of the European Centre for the Development of Vocational Training, Cedefop, since June 2018 and Deputy Director since September 2014. She has been involved in vocational education and training since she joined Cedefop in 1994.

As Head of Department from 2004 to 2014 she managed teams of experts working in European VET policy analysis, adult and work-based learning with specific focus on apprenticeship-type learning and the European tools for recognition and transparency of qualifications, such as the European qualifications framework.

She holds a university degree in Economics and a Master's degree in Economics, Politics and Law of the European Union.



Mr Henning Envall

Counsellor at the Permanent Mission of Sweden in Geneva

Mr Envall is Counselor at the Swedish mission to the UN and other international organizations in Geneva. He is responsible for various trade topics in WTO, including chair of the working party on domestic regulation, as well as a range of economic issues in the UN, including ILO, WIPO, ITU and Internet governance. Mr Envall has worked 20

years in the Swedish foreign ministry, including on trade policy, multilateral development cooperation, humanitarian aid policy, press and security policy. He holds a Master's degree in International Economics and a bachelor's degree in Political Science.



Mr Sangheon Lee

Director, Employment Policy Department, ILO

Mr Sangheon Lee is the Director of the Employment Policy Department (EMPLOYMENT) of the ILO which leads ILO's action for promoting full and productive employment by developing integrated employment, development and skills policies.

Before his current position, he was the Special Adviser to the Deputy Director-General for Policy on Economic and Social Issues (2014-18), providing advice on analytical work, policy development and advocacy across a range of economic, employment and social issues as well as coordinating ILO's work at multilateral fora such as G20, G7, and BRICS.

Mr. Lee has written extensively on economic, employment and labour issues. He is also one of the main authors of ILO flagship reports such as the Global Wage Report and the World Employment and Social Outlook. He co-authored *Working Time around the World* (2007 Routledge).

Mr Lee holds a PhD in Economics from Cambridge University.



Ms Olga Strietska-Ilina

Skills and Employability Branch, ILO

Olga Strietska-Ilina is a Senior Skills and Employability Specialist in the International Labour Organisation (ILO). She is a Team Leader of the work area Skills Strategies for Future Labour Markets, focusing on anticipating skills needs for the Future of Work, skills for trade and economic diversification, skills for environmental sustainability and climate action, and skills for technological change and digitalisation.

Before 2008, Olga worked on skills forecasting for the EU Centre for Development of Vocational Training (Cedefop). Earlier on, she was Head of the Czech National Observatory of Employment and Training and taught European Studies and International Relations at the Central European University (CEU).

Olga holds post-graduate degrees in Economic and Social Sciences from the University of Manchester, and Society and Politics from the CEU, and History and Ethnography from the Moscow State University (Lomonosov).



Mr Roberto Suarez Santos

Secretary General, International Organisation of Employers (IOE)

Mr Roberto Suárez Santos was appointed Secretary-General of the International Organisation of Employers

(IOE) on 26 October 2018, having held the post of Deputy Secretary-General since December 2012. Prior to joining the IOE, Roberto was ILO Programme Director for the promotion of youth employment in the Maghreb region. He previously worked at the

Spanish Confederation of Employers' Organisations (CEOE) in various areas ranging from comparative labour policies and labour relations to youth unemployment and social and employment policy. Roberto was a member of the European Social Dialogue. He also has both academic and private-sector experience in European and International Labour Law, together with an international relations background.



Ms Sharan Burrow

General Secretary, International Trade Union Confederation (ITUC)

Ms Sharan Burrow was re-elected for a third term as General Secretary of the International Trade Union Confederation at its 4th ITUC World Congress in December 2018. Previously President of the Australian Council of Trade Unions (ACTU) from 2000 - 2010, she served as inaugural President of the ITUC from its foundation in Vienna in 2006. Sharan has led union negotiations on major economic reforms and in labour rights

campaigns.

The ITUC is the world's peak labour union body and has grown to represent 207 million workers in 163 countries and territories with 331 national affiliates.



Ms Marissa G. Legaspi

Executive Director for Planning, Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA), Philippines

Ms. Marissa G. Legaspi is currently the Executive Director of Planning Office of the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA). In the course of her career, Ms Legaspi has had the chance to attend and participate in numerous local and international conferences, seminars and training programs related to her work.

She graduated from the University of the Philippines with a Bachelor of Science in Statistics degree and earned a Certificate in Development Economics from the same university. She earned her Master's degree in Development Management from the Asian Institute of Management.

She rose from the ranks and has extensive knowledge and experience on technical education and skills development planning, management, labor market information, policy research development, statistic.



Mr Bert De Wel

Climate Policy Officer, ITUC

Mr Bert De Wel is an ecological economist working on the nexus between social and environmental issues for more than 25 years. After working nearly ten years for the Belgian union ACV-CSC, he became Climate Policy Officer at the ITUC in 2018.

He is the focal point for workers at UNFCCC, the Green Climate Fund, UNEP, etc.



Mr Federico Berera

Chief Inspector, Ministry of Education, France

Mr Berera works as the Chief Inspector of the Ministry of Education of France. He has previously served as Special Advisor for the Education Department of New Caledonia. He became Inspector in Lille, France in 2010. Prior to this position, he worked as Deputy Head for Technical Training in Schools in Saint-Louis and Marseille.

He studied mechanical engineering at Paris IV University and at the Ecole Normale Supérieure of Cachan. He holds a PhD on Fluid Mechanics from the University of Adedaide, Australia.



Ms Lebogang Mulaisi

Social Development Policy Coordinator, Congress of South African Trade Unions (COSATU)

Ms Lebogang Mulaisi is the National Social Development Policy Coordinator for the Congress of South African trade unions (COSATU). The social development portfolio covers a number of key programs for the federation including climate change, health, transport, comprehensive social security as well as the future of work. COSATU's work on the climate change is interlinked with discussions on the just transition as COSATU is committed to making a just transition to a low carbon economy. This means putting the needs of working and poor people first in the social and economic changes ahead of us. This is based on the Policy Framework on Climate Change adopted by COSATU's Central Executive Committee in August 2011.



Ms Sheena Mayers – Granville

Executive Director, Barbados Employers' Confederation

On September 1, 2017, Ms Sheena Mayers-Granville joined the Barbados Employers' Confederation (BEC) as Executive Director. She is the first woman to hold this position. She also sits on the Board of the Technical Vocational and Educational Training (TVET) Council of Barbados. She is heavily involved in the management and negotiation of Collective Labour Agreements.

Ms Mayers-Granville has over 15 years of experience in human resources and industrial relations and her passion for people development is pursued through teaching in the Executive Diploma programme at the Sagicor Cave Hill School of Business. She holds a Master's degree in Labour and Employment Relations, a BSc in Management and a Level 4 Caribbean Vocational Qualification (CVQ) in Training and Assessment.



Ms Dorothea Schmidt-Klau

Head, Department Management and Coordination Unit, Employment Policy Department, ILO

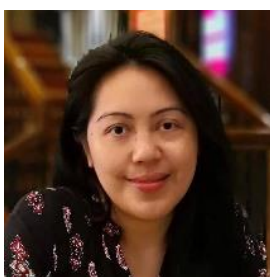
Ms Schmidt-Klau is the Head of the Department Management and Coordination Unit of the Employment Policy Department (EMPLOYMENT) of the International Labour Organisation (ILO). In her function she supports the work of the Department to promote full and productive employment by developing integrated employment, development and skills

policies.

Before her current position, she was the Senior Employment Specialist for North Africa, based in the Decent Work Country Team for North Africa in Cairo. She worked with Governments, Employers', Workers' Organizations and other key stakeholders providing advice on analytical work, policy development and advocacy on employment related issues. Ms Schmidt has published extensively in the area of family economics during her time as research assistant at the Albert-Ludwigs-University in Freiburg, Germany. She has worked on many major ILO publications, including the World Employment Report and Global Employment Trends Reports and has published numerous working papers and articles in her areas of expertise. Ms Schmidt-Klau holds a PhD in Economics from Albert-Ludwigs-University in Freiburg.

**Ms Christine Hofmann****Skills and Employability Branch, ILO**

Ms Christine Hofmann is a Skills and Employability Specialist in the ILO's Skills and Employability Branch in Geneva, with a focus on skills for social inclusion. From 2013-18, she worked as Skills Development Specialist in the ILO Decent Work Team for North Africa in Cairo, supporting ILO constituents and projects in the areas of youth employment, workplace learning and apprenticeship, active labour market programmes, TVET policies, rural skills training, skills for green jobs and skills anticipation in twelve North African countries. Before that, she co-authored the ILO book Skills for green jobs. A global view in collaboration with Cedefop, conducted research on informal apprenticeship in a number of countries, and developed a Resource guide on upgrading informal apprenticeship in Africa. Before joining the ILO, Ms Hofmann worked as a political consultant and coordinated development projects for trade unions in Africa and Asia for a German labour foundation. She holds a degree in International Business and Area Studies.

**Ms Kenneth Abraham Barrientos****Programme Officer, UNESCO-UNEVOC**

Ms Abraham Barrientos works as Programme Officer at UNESCO-UNEVOC since 2013. She is responsible for strategic plan development, programme and projects development and monitoring. She coordinates the UNEVOC Greening TVET and ESD programme as well as the UNEVOC Network for Asia-Pacific. Recently, she has been involved as part of the project team in charge of implementing the UNESCO Skills for Innovation hub (i-Hubs) project.

Prior to joining UNESCO-UNEVOC, she worked at the UNESCO Regional Office of Asia-Pacific in Bangkok, Thailand and the Colombo Plan Staff College for Technician Education. Before that, she was with the Philippine Department of Environment and Natural Resources. She has a Master's degree in Public Administration and completed her Bachelor of Arts in Development Communication.

**Ms Anastasia Fetsi****Head of Operations Department, European Training Foundation (ETF)**

Since January 2015 Ms Anastasia Fetsi is Head of the Operations Department in the European Training Foundation (ETF). She is an economist and has a long experience on skills development policies in transition economies. As staff member of ETF since 1996 she analysed labour markets and skills matching mechanisms in countries of Eastern Europe, Western Balkans, Central Asia and North Africa; advised policy makers in adapting vocational education and training (VET) systems to emerging socio-economic needs; designed EU programmes in vocational education and training and employment. In a managerial role Ms Fetsi guided the ETF work in the fields of qualifications, skills and migration, education and social inclusion; VET provision and quality assurance; entrepreneurial learning and enterprise skills.



Mr Henderson Eastmond

Executive Director, TVET Council, Barbados

Mr Henderson Eastmond has been the Executive Director of the Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) Council of Barbados since September 2011. Before joining the TVET Council, Mr Eastmond worked with the Caribbean Examinations Council (CXC) where he served for thirteen (13) years as the Assistant Registrar, Measurement and Evaluation.

Prior to CXC, Mr Eastmond built a solid track record as an experienced educator and education administrator in a number of secondary schools, as well as, lecturing at Erdiston Teacher's Training College. He holds a B.Sc. in Computer Science and Physics and a Diploma in Education from the University of the West Indies. He also holds a M.Ed. in Assessment and Evaluation from the University of Manchester, England.



Mr Mario Patuzzi

Head of the Unit, VET Policies, Confederation of Trade Unions, Germany

Mr Patuzzi works in the German Trade Union Federation since 2004. He is currently the Head of Unit for Basic Policy Issues of VET Policies at the DGB Executive Board. In this role he represents the DGB on many boards, including the NQF Advisory Group and Cedefop's Management Board.

Mr Patuzzi holds a Bachelor's degree in Social business administration and a Master's degree in Political Science, Sociology and Modern and Contemporary History.



Ms Yngve Rosenblad

Chief Analyst, National Qualification Authority, OSKA Estonia

Ms Yngve Rosenblad is working as a Chief Analyst of OSKA Programme by the Estonian Qualifications Authority. OSKA is the new coordination system for the monitoring and anticipating of the labour needs and the development of skills in Estonia, run in close cooperation with employers and educational institutions. In OSKA sectoral studies the changes in skills and labour needs are analysed and matched to educational needs and

volumes, sector by sector, accompanied with policy suggestions.

Ms Rosenblad previously worked in Statistics Estonia for more than ten years, where she was leading the Estonian Labour Force Survey team as well as analysing and monitoring labour market trends and different topics connected to working life.



Ms Bev Jack

Business Unity South Africa

Ms Bev Jack, is representing BUSA, Business Unity South Africa, the country's apex business organisation. BUSA is committed to building an enabling environment to achieve a vibrant, diverse and globally competitive economy that harnesses the full economic and human potential of South Africa.

Through BUSA, Ms Bev is the NEDLAC DWCP Business lead, as one of the country's technical specialists on the Decent Work Country programme, which is deeply involved in the ILO's Future of Work agenda. A ministerial appointee, she is the Business Executive committee member on the Employment Services Board as well as most recently having been part of the 2018 Presidential Jobs Summit deliberations and part of the negotiating team at NEDLAC on the National Skills Development Plan (NSDP).



Mr Andrew McCoshan

International Expert

Mr Andrew McCoshan has worked as a researcher and consultant in skills development and vocational education and training (VET) for over 30 years, writing and contributing to numerous reports for the UK government and the European Commission. He is currently providing the expert support to the European Union's VET Working Group on innovation and digitalisation, and is a Thematic Coordinator for the EU's adult learning platform, EPALE. He was previously an Associate Fellow at the University of Warwick Centre for Education and Industry, and a Visiting Research Fellow with the UK Commission for Employment and Skills.

Mr McCoshan is currently a Senior Research Associate at the Educational Disadvantage Centre of Dublin City University in Ireland, and on the review panel of the European Journal of Education. Andrew is an alumnus of the University of Cambridge and the London School of Economics (LSE), where he studied geography.



Ms Alice Vozza

Project Manager, ILO Green enterPRIZE Innovation, Zimbabwe

Ms Alice Vozza is currently responsible for the management and technical supervision of the Green enterPRIZE Innovation & Development Project, funded by the Government of Sweden and implemented in collaboration with the Government of Zimbabwe, the Employers' Confederation of Zimbabwe and the Zimbabwe Congress of Trade Unions.

Before moving to Harare, she has worked for the ILO's International Training Centre to build the Green Jobs Learning Cluster in collaboration with the ILO Green Jobs Programme (2012-2018). Between 2010 and 2012 she was based in Kenya to coordinate a EU-funded project

on private sector development in East Africa and Ghana.

Ms Vozza holds a Master's degree in Management of Development (University of Turin, Italy and ITC-ILO), a Master's degree in Business Management (ESCP, Paris) and a degree in Political Science (University of Turin, Italy).



Mr Aurelio Parisotto

Employment and Labour Market Policies Branch, ILO

Mr Aurelio Parisotto is Head, Country Policy Development and Coordination Unit at the Employment Policy Department of the ILO. Formerly, he was senior economist at the ILO Multilateral Cooperation Department of the ILO, coordinating ILO work on the post-2015 sustainable development agenda. Mr. Parisotto also worked at the Division of Transnational Corporations of UNCTAD and was Head of the Education Programme at the International Institute for Labour Studies in Geneva. He was a member of the technical secretariat of the

World Commission on the Social Dimension of Globalization in 2002-2004 and senior specialist in the ILO Subregional Office for South-East Asia and the Pacific from 2004-2007. Mr Parisotto contributed to major reports by the ILO, UNCTAD and the United Nations. His research work on globalization and regional integration, foreign investment and transnational production networks, employment and labour markets has been published by the ILO, OECD, UN, UNCTAD and commercial publishers. Mr. Parisotto studied economics at the University of Modena, Italy and Oxford, UK.



Ms Marieke Vandeweyer

Labour Economist, Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)

Ms Marieke Vandeweyer is a labour market economist in the Employment, Labour and Social Affairs Directorate of the OECD. Since joining the organisation in 2014, she has worked on a range of issues, including skills, activation policies and labour market reforms. She currently works on the OECD's Getting Skills Right project, analysing the match between skills demand and supply. She is actively involved in work related to the responsiveness of adult learning systems to changing skill needs, and the measurement of skills imbalances.

Ms Vandeweyer holds a MSc in Business Engineering and a MSc in European Politics and Policies, as well a PhD in Economics from the University of Leuven (Belgium).



Mr Yutong Liu

Counsellor, Permanent Mission of People's Republic of China to the UNOG

Mr Yutong Liu is Labour Counsellor at the Permanent Mission of China to the United Nations. Before his capacity as labour counselor in early 2017, he had been working as director for Technical Cooperation, department of International Cooperation, Ministry of Human Resources and Social Security for over 15 years. He is an expert on issues relating to employability.

Over the past 15 years, Mr. Liu worked along with ILO, World Bank, IMF, ADB, UNDP and European Commission, ASEAN as well as developing countries, including Cambodia and Lao PDR in promoting skills development and labour market institutions, extension of social security coverage, CSR etc.

He has also extensive experience on South South and Triangular Cooperation. In the past years, he was project manager for ILO/China SSTC project on labour market policy. He organized more than 10 China-ASEAN High-level Seminar on Employment and Labour Market Policies.



Ms Mariana Eugenio Almeida

Coordinator, National Observatory on Labour Markets, Brazil

Ms Eugenio Almeida is the Coordinator of the National Labour Market Observatory at the Labour Secretariat of the Brazilian Ministry of Economy. She has experience on labour market public policy management and policy-oriented research. She has been involved in studies on the future of work, skills anticipation demand, labour modernization, employment policies evaluation and gender related issues.

In 2018, she coordinated a committee for research on the future of work, which brought together experts and social partners to discuss relevant issues related to the transformations of the world of work. She holds a Bachelor's degree in Sociology and a Master's degree in Public Administration and data analysis.



Mr José Salas Carillo

HR Advisor for the Industrial Chamber Organization, Costa Rica

Mr Salas Carrillo is Advisor of the Human Talent Development for the Chamber of Industries in Costa Rica since 2003. In this position, he advises industrial companies in the Engineering, Human Resources and Legal areas. He participated in the Tripartite Commission, sponsored by the ILO office in Costa Rica, representing UCCAEP, studying the best practices to reduce unemployment. At the same time, he collaborated in the analysis of the Labor projects of the Legislative Assembly, consolidating the position of the Chamber of Industries.

Mr Salas Carrillo has more than 40 years of experience working in Costa Rica and Mexico for companies in the areas of Processes, Quality and Operations. He is an Industrial Engineer with a Master's degree in Industrial Administration and he is a lawyer from Universidad of Costa Rica.



Mr Kwaben Nyarko Otoo

Director of Labour Research and Policy Institute of the Trade Union Congress, Ghana

Kwabena Nyarko Otoo works with the Policy & Research Institute of Trade Union Congress (TUC), Ghana. He has been with the TUC for the past 14 years. He has been the Director of the Institute since 2008.

He had his first degree from the University of Cape Coast in 2002 where he graduated with a Bachelor of Arts in Economics. He then enrolled at the University of Ghana in 2003 to pursue a Master of Philosophy Degree also in Economics. Prior to University education, he had trained as a professional teacher.

Kwabena also has a PhD in Economics from the University of Kassel, Germany. His research interests centre on Labour/employment, Earnings and Poverty; Trade, Economic Growth and Development.



Mr Antonio de Luis

Director, State foundation for Training in employment (FUNDAE), Spain

Mr de Luis is Director of FUNDAE. Prior to this position, he has been responsible for the coordination of the training of employed between the Public State Employment Service (SEPE) and Fundae, developing functions related to the management of state subsidies of Vocational Training for Employment.

Previously, as Head of the Local Employment Service in the Public Service of State Employment, he held different positions related to the project Definition and participation of the Autonomous Communities in the Information System of Public Employment Services (SISPE-Formación), the Management and design of modifications of the corporate application for training for employment and the Responsible for the aids for requalification (PREPARA Program).

He holds a degree in Political Science and Sociology and postgraduate degree in Praxis of Consumer Sociology: Theory and Practice of Market Research from the Complutense University of Madrid.



Ms Camilla Roman
Green Jobs Programme, ILO

Ms Camilla Roman is the policy specialist of the ILO's Green Jobs programme in Geneva. She provides technical advice on measures for a Just Transition towards environmental sustainability to national counterparts, and she advances the mainstreaming of this theme across the ILO's work. Ms Roman previously led capacity building efforts on policies for better productivity and working conditions in Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs) in the ILO Enterprises department and the SCORE programme.

Before joining the ILO's HQ, Ms Roman was the Deputy Programme Manager of ILO-IFC Better Factories Cambodia (Better Work), and focused on promoting responsible labour practices in the garment and footwear supply chain. Earlier on, she coordinated Greener Business Asia, a project supporting sustainable enterprise development in Thailand and the Philippines, and the Green Jobs initiative in India. Her sectoral experiences include textiles and apparel, tourism, and agro-business.

She holds a doctorate from the University of Oxford with a thesis on learning and innovation in clusters and industrial districts.



Mr Michael Renner
Programme Officer, IRENA

Mr Michael Renner is a Programme Officer in the Knowledge Policy and Finance Centre (KPFC) of the International Renewable Energy Agency, based in Abu Dhabi. His area of work at IRENA is focused on the socio-economic impacts of renewable energy, including employment and just transition issues. Prior to joining IRENA in October 2017, he was a Senior Researcher at the Worldwatch Institute in Washington, DC, and served as a consultant on green jobs and sustainable development for many years. Renner was lead

author of the joint ILO/UNEP report, *Green Jobs: Towards Decent Work in a Sustainable, Low-Carbon World* (2008). He has contributed to a number of ILO publications including *Working Towards Sustainable Development* (2012) and *Rural Renewable Energy Investments and their Impact on Employment* (2017). He holds a Master's degree in international relations from the University of Amsterdam.



Ms Isabella Aurich
Deputy Managing Director SGNI Swiss Sustainable Building Council

Ms Aurich is architect and she has completed her studies at the Swiss Technical University ETH Zurich. She has worked several years in architectural firms. Since 2010 she is working at the Institute of Facility Management at the Zurich University of Applied Sciences ZHAW. She has a further education as a Swiss DGNB auditor of SGNI. Her activities are in teaching as well as in research and service projects with focus of sustainable real estate and facility management. One of her tasks is to integrate the sustainable development goals into the

real estate and facility management. In the programm of continuing education she is involved in the course CAS Life Cycle Management Immobilien as a lecturer and deputy of the module leader. Since the establishment of Swiss Sustainable Building Council SGNI 2010 she works with at the system adaptation and development of the DGNB system for Switzerland and since 2013 she supports as deputy managing director of SGNI all operational areas and especially the training.



Mr Vicente Posada Unay

Secretary General, Center of United and Progressive Workers, POWER-SENTRO Philippines

Mr Posada Unay is the Paralegal Officer of Sentro ng mga Nagkakaisa at Progresibong Manggagawa (SENTRO), a National Labor Center since 2013. He worked as trade union organizer and educator of the Alliance of Progressive Labor (APL), a Labor Center from 2003-2013. He was Vice Chairperson for Organizing of Pinag-isang Tinig at Lakas ng Anakpawis (PIGLAS), a Labor Federation from 1997-2002. From 1991 to 1995 he worked as Social Development NGO at Workers College, Ateneo De Manila University.

He has a Bachelor of Arts and Sciences from the Far Eastern University, Manila.



Ms Monika Hackel

Head of Department, Ministry of Education (BIBB), Germany

Dr. Monika Hackel is Head of Department 2 Structure and Regulation of Vocational Education and Training; Vocational Education and Training for People with Disabilities, at the Federal Institute for Vocational Education and Training in Germany (BIBB). Before she worked in various jobs in the BIBB. Her special focus lies on the analysis, conception and evaluation of qualification and certification concepts in VET. Another research interest lies on technological innovation and education.

Dr. Hackel is member of the German Society for Ergonomics and Work Science (GfA) and the International Society for Cultural and Activity Research (ISCAR). She has also been appointed to the Specialists Forum of Vocational Education and Training within the National Platform for Education for Sustainable Development



Ms Mallika Bose

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Ms Bose works as Senior Assistant Director with FICCI Climate Change Division. She has more than 11 years of working experience in overall management of renewable energy, thermal and energy efficiency based carbon credit projects, transaction of carbon credits, development of Emission Reduction Purchase Agreements (ERPAs), research and consultancy projects with corporate sector, multilateral organisations and business chamber. She worked on various projects on Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR), World

Commission on Dams (WCD) assessment, climate change mitigation strategies & policies, energy efficiency techniques for buildings with organizations like United States Agency for International Development (USAID), IGES-Japan, German Technology Cooperation (GTZ) and others. She has experience in financial modelling and analysis of large Hydro (EIA, EMP etc.) and Wind, assessment of Renewable Energy Certificates (RECs) pricing, Voluntary Carbon Standard and Gold standard projects.

Ms Bose is a Physics Honours Graduate and a Post Graduate in Public Systems Management (Specialization in Energy Management) from Indian Institute of Social Welfare & Business Management, Calcutta University.



Ms Belynda Petrie

OneWorldGroup, International Expert

Ms Petrie is co-founder and CEO of OneWorld Sustainable Investments and is responsible for leading the company's activities in the areas of climate change, climate finance, natural resource development and climate governance.

For more than 18 years, Ms Petrie has been working for clients across the private and public sectors in the context of global climate change diplomacy and is therefore very familiar with the development of mechanisms and instruments for promoting transformational change and cooperative governance in climate change with developing and transition countries.

Within this context, Ms Petrie has been working in Africa, Asia Europe and Latin America in promoting the green economic as an important climate change response, as well as in all aspects of planning, implementing and evaluating climate change and green economy cooperation projects.

Ms. Petrie holds a post graduate degree in law and is currently completing a PhD in cooperative governance for transboundary resource management.



Ms Stelina Chatzichristou

Cedefop

Ms Stelina Chatzichristou is an expert in research and policy analysis on skills, vocational training and labour market. Since 2015, she works in the Department for Skills and Labour Market at the European Centre for the Development of Vocational Training (CEDEFOP). Her work focuses on skills anticipation and matching, and skills and labour market developments in EU countries and sectors. She is also a member of the Cedefop team working on the Skills Panorama online platform.

Before joining Cedefop, she worked for almost a decade in the private sector as a researcher and policy analyst. Through that capacity, she has worked on and managed projects on country and EU comparative analysis on VET, skills and entrepreneurship.

An economist by training, she holds a BA and an MSc. from the University of Macedonia, Greece and an MSc. from the London School of Economics, United Kingdom.



Mr Moustapha Kamal Gueye

Coordinator, Green Jobs Programme, ILO

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Catherine Saget is a Chief of Unit with the Research department of the International Labour Office (ILO). She was the lead author of the ILO yearly flagship report [World and Employment Social Outlook 2018 Greening with Jobs](#). She has also contributed to the setting up of a unit on wages within the ILO and had worked on employment policies at times of economic crisis. She was the Senior Employment Specialist of the ILO Office in Delhi for a short while. As an Economist with the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development, she participated in the OECD thematic review on youth employment policies.

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Ms Jagannathan has extensive experience in international cooperation in education at policy and operational levels. In ADB she has worked on policy research studies such as skills for greening economies and Asia's knowledge-based economies and innovation. She helped to establish the ADB International Skills Development Forum series. She has led the design of education sector projects for ADB funding in school education, skills development and post-quake school reconstruction in Nepal and Bhutan and has supported education sector projects in Bangladesh and India. She has over a dozen publications arising from her work in ADB.

Ms Jagannathan worked with the European Union as Development Adviser where she developed and implemented projects and programs in health and education in South Asia and has been the lead task manager for programs in education, health, livelihood. Prior to that she worked with a think tank, the Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations.



Mr Cesare Onestini

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Mr Cesare Onestini took up the post of Director of the European Training Foundation in September 2017.

Mr Onestini is a graduate of Oxford University, where he achieved a doctorate in Higher Education Policy. He joined the European Commission in 1995, working for six years in education and training policy before serving in a variety of roles in energy, trade, the Secretariat General and external relations, where he was Head of Political and Security Council Affairs in the EU Delegation to the United Nations in New York.

Mr Onestini joined the European External Action Service in 2010, playing a key role in setting the service up, as advisor to the Chief Operating Officer and Head of the Corporate Board Secretariat, before his appointment as Deputy Head of the EU Delegation to India and Bhutan, where he served for three years.



Mr Jos Verbeek

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Mr Jos Verbeek, a Dutch national, is Manager and Special Representative to the UN and the WTO in Geneva. Mr Verbeek joined the World Bank in 1992 in the International Economics Department. He has since held various positions, his most recent assignment being Adviser in the Senior Vice-President's Office for the 2030 Development Agenda, United Nations Relations and Partnerships. Preceding this assignment, he worked as a country economist in the Africa and the European regions and managed the Global Monitoring Report, a joint WBG and IMF flagship measuring progress on the Millennium Development Goals.



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Hendrina is the Division Manager Education Human Capital and Employment at the African Development Bank, an educationalist, mathematician, gender expert, development practitioner, and policy advocate.

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After completing a law degree Mr Van Vuuren started his working career at the South African Department of Justice as a public prosecutor and magistrate. Thereafter he moved into the private sector as a corporate legal advisor and progressed later to executive positions in human resources for large corporates. He was later appointed as the Chief Operations Officer of the national unified business federation organisation - Business Unity South Africa, which he helped establish.

In February 2009 Mr Van Vuuren was appointed as the Director: International Labour Organization, Southern Africa. In January 2016 he was appointed as the Director Enterprises Department at the International Labour organisation Office, Geneva.

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