14:00 Second Panel Session: Approaches

Forum 7: Industry "Going Green"

Michael Braungart, Cradle to Cradle ® Prof. for innovation and quality, Chair at Erasmus University Rotterdam, University of Twente, Leuphana University Lüneburg, EPEA, HUI, Yvette Pena Lopes, Blue Green Alliance USA, Jeanette Iren Moen, Norwegian Ministry of Trade and Industry, Siegfried Russwurm, Member of the Managing Board of Siemens AG, Reinhard Voges, Works Councillor Salzgitter Service und Technik

Forum 8: The Architecture of Energy Transition

Eberhard Brandes, WWF Germany, Claudia Kemfert, DIW Berlin, Harald Frick, Group Works Councillor Conergy Germany, Johannes Remmel, Environment Minister of North Rhine-Westphalia, Nils Schnorrenberger, Member of the Managing Board of Wind Energy Agency e.V., Detlef Wetzel, Vicepresident of IG Metall

Forum 9: Future of Mobility – Future of the Transport Industry

Klaus Beckmann, Difu Berlin, Jürgen Leohold, Head of Research, Volkswagen AG, Willi Dienstbier, Works Councillor MAN Trucks & Bus, Thomas Gelder, Chairman of the Works Council Meyer-Shipyard, Johannes Hauber, EWC Chairman Bombardier, Rüdiger Lütjen, EWC Chairman EADS, Klaus Mittermaier, Works Councillor Audi AG

Forum 10: Good Work

Lionel Fulton Labour Research Department, London, Steffen Lehndorff, University of Duisburg-Essen, Erika Mezger, Eurofound, Dublin, Andrew Watt, IMK of Hans-Böckler-Foundation

Forum 11: Life Opportunities and fair Distribution

Michael Hartmann, Technische Universität Darmstadt, Gustav Horn, IMK of the Hans-Böckler-Foundation, Jürgen Kädtler, SOFI Göttingen, Noel Whiteside, University of Warwick

Forum 12: Democratization of the Economy

Alexandra Baum-Ceisig, Works Councillor Volkswagen, Jürgen Hennemann, Chairman Works Council FTE, Richard Hyman, London School of Economics

19:00 IG Metall Party

December 7: Europe's Prospects

8:30 Road to a fairer World Luiz Inácio Lula da Silva, former President of Brazil

9:15 Dokumentary film about Europe's Youth Voices of Europe – The lost generation

9:30 What will a New Social Contract for Europe look like?

Philippe Lamberts, Green Group in the European Parliament, **Nicola Vendola**, Governor of the Apulia Region/Italy

11:15 Trade Unions' Paths towards a Social Europe

François Chérèque, Secretary-General of CFDT/France, Judith Kirton-Darling, Confederal Secretary ETUC, Manuel Fernández López, Secretary-General of UGT/Spain, Josef Středula, President of OS KOVO/Czech Republic

12:30 Approaches for Changing Course Berthold Huber, President of IG Metall

13:30 End of the congress



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International Congress of IG Metall

From December 5th to 7th 2012 in Berlin Berliner Congress Center (BCC)

Preliminary Programme



Dear Colleagues,

IG Metall invites you to an international conference in Berlin from December 5th to 7th 2012. With this conference we intend to debate how ecological restructuring of the economy can be linked with expansion of life opportunities and democratization of society.

How can a change of the political course look like that brings together good working conditions, ecological reconstruction and revitalization of democracy? How can we combine solidarity, selfdetermination and ecological responsibility, representing alternatives to financial market driven capitalism?

Implementing this change of course will require internationally coordinated activities. For this reason we are seeking the dialogue and cooperation with representatives from academia, trade unions and politics from all around the world.

You are kindly invited to attend this conference.

Berthold Huber, President of IG Metall

Programme

December 5: Changing Course for a Good Life

- 14:00 Introduction

 Detlef Wetzel, Vicepresident of IG Metall
- 14:30 The ongoing Crisis and the Perspectives of World Economics

 Nouriel Roubini, New York University
- 15:30 Rethinking the Conditions for inclusive Labour markets

 Jill Rubery, University of Manchester
- 17:00 Changing Course for a Good Life
 Rainer Dulger, President of Gesamtmetall,
 Berthold Huber, President of IG Metall,
 Kerstin Jürgens, University of Kassel,
 Hubert Weiger, President of the BUND
- 18:30 Future Rumours. How the future will be or rather not

 Frank Schätzing, author
- 19:15 Get together

December 6: What a New Economic and Social Model Might Look Like

8:30 Beyond Candide und Cassandra: The Economics we need for an Age of Crises that isn't going to end

James Galbraith, University of
Texas at Austin

9:15 Introduction to the Panel Sessions

Martin Allespach, Head of the General Trade Union Policy Department at IG Metall

9:30 First Panel Session: Challenges

Forum 1: Growth Discourse

Ulrich Brand, University of Vienna, James Galbraith, University of Texas at Austin, Stefan Löfven, Chairman Swedish Social Democratic Workers Party, Ernst Ulrich von Weizsäcker, Co-President Club of Rome

Forum 2: Regulation of the Financial Market

Ralph Heuwing, Chief Financial Officer Dürr AG, Torsten Windels, Chief Economist NordLB, Stephan Schulmeister. Austrian Institute of Economic Research

Forum 3: Global Inequality

Goachoa He, University Guangzhou, Kemal Ozkan, IndustriAll global, Valter Sanches, CNM, Sao Paolo, Christoph Scherrer, University Kassel, Patrick Bond, University KwaZulu-Natal

Forum 4: Sustainable Restructuring of Industry

Kathryn Harrison, University of British Columbia, Kurt Hübner, University of British Columbia, Gensuo Jia, Chines Academy of Science, Fritz Reusswig, Potsdam-Institute for Climate Impact Research

Forum 5: The Future of Work-Oriented Society

Gerhard Bosch, University of Duisburg-Essen, **Frank Hoffer**, ILO, **Jill Rubery**, University of Manchester, **James Wickham**, Trinity College Dublin

Forum 6: Revitalization of Democracy

Colin Crouch, University of Warwick, Wolfgang Merkel, Social Science Research Center Berlin (WZB), Nicola Vendola, Govenor of the Apulia Region/Italy