

## **NORWAY GRANTS 2009-2014**

### **FUND FOR DECENT WORK AND TRIPARTITE DIALOGUE**

#### **INVITATION FOR A BILATERAL AND EXPERIENCE SHARING WORKSHOP**

**2-3 MARCH, WARSAW**

Dear Project Promoter/National Focal Point,

Innovation Norway (IN) in its capacity as Programme Operator of the Global Fund for Decent Work and Tripartite Dialogue hereby has the pleasure to invite you to an experience sharing workshop in Warsaw on 2 and 3 March 2016. The event will take place at Radisson Blu Warszawa Centrum Hotel, Warszawa, Poland (<https://www.radissonblu.com/en/hotel-warsaw>).

A review, initiated by the EEA and Norway Grants (FMO) and conducted by the Nordic Consulting Group (NCG), took place in 2015, covering all 13 beneficiary countries. The review has in particular sought to assess to what extent the global fund for decent work and tripartite dialogue has contributed to:

- Improved social dialogue and tripartite structures and practices;
- Enhanced understanding of the importance of decent work;
- Strengthened bilateral relations through the 29 projects with Norwegian partners.

As part of the review, the NCG has been in contact with many of the Project Promoters and other relevant stakeholders, and will at the experience sharing workshop present the main findings of the review. The review will be sent you as soon as it is ready for publication.

#### **Outline of agenda.**

Day 1: The workshop will start at 14:00 and will be inaugurated by H.E. Mr Karsten Klepshvik, Norwegian Ambassador to Poland and eventually other official representatives to be decided. The International Labour Organization (ILO) has been invited to make an update on the status of decent work/tripartite dialogue-issues in Europe. The Nordic Consulting Group will then present their findings and all participants will be invited to share their view on the findings/their experiences. The day will be rounded off by a reception/dinner.

Day 2 (09.00 – 12.00): Promoting achievements - Workshop chaired by the FMO/NCG

The workshop will be divided into three sessions:

- Result Based Management concepts
- Project achievements to be included in the final programme report
- Stakeholder experience and examples

Detailed programme will be sent you after close of registration.

#### **Participants.**

All Project Promoters (one representative per organization) and partners (national partners and bilateral partners) are invited to participate at the workshop. The Project Promoters are asked to forward the invitation to national and bilateral partners. The National Focal Points in all 13 countries are also invited.

At this time we can only allow 1 representative per organisation since the facility is limited to 100 seats. If seats become available we will revert.

#### **Refund of costs.**

The accommodation for 2 overnights (from 1 March to 3 March) and all meals at the hotel from 2 - 3 March will be covered. A travel grant as a lump sum of 600 Euro per organization is available for non-local travelers (Maximum one person per entity for all non-Polish Project Promoters and partners). Representatives from the NFP are not eligible for the travel grant and accommodation. The lump sum of 600 Euro will be reimbursed after the workshop has taken place, based upon the provision of electronic documentation of their means of travel.

**Deadline for registration is Monday 15 February 2016.**

Your registration for the event must be received on the e-mail [decentwork@innovationnorway.no](mailto:decentwork@innovationnorway.no). The registration should include the relevant project number, your name and position within your organisation. Any questions should also be posted on this address.

Looking forward to seeing you all in Warsaw



Kind regards

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