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Recent wage and working time developments in the European Union

Nicosia, 7th May 2009, at 9.30 am, ETKA/PEO Hall

Programme

09:30-09:35	Opening by the University of Cyprus	Joseph Joseph <i>Professor, Director of the Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence of the University of Cyprus</i>
09:35-09:45	Address by INEK - PEO	Pambis Kyritsis <i>President of the Board INEK-PEO</i>
09:45-09:55	Address by Eurofound	Jorma Karppinen <i>Director Eurofound</i>
09:55-10:05	Address by the Ministry of Labour and Social Insurance	Sotiroula Charalambous <i>Minister</i>

1st Session: The European Foundation for the Improvement of Living and Working Conditions at European and International level

10:05-10:25	The work and role of Eurofound	Jorma Karppinen <i>Director - Eurofound</i>
10:25-10:45	The European Observatories EIRO, ERM and EWCO in Cyprus	Evangelia Soumeli <i>Senior Researcher INEK-PEO</i>
10:45-11:00	Questions and discussion	
11:00-11:15	Coffee break	

2nd Session: Wage and working time developments

11:15-11:45	Recent wage developments in the EU	Stavroula Demetriades <i>Head of the Industrial relations & Workplace Developments Unit – Eurofound</i>
11:45-12:15	Recent working time developments in EU	Felix Wolf <i>Researcher Industrial relations and Workplace Developments Unit – Eurofound</i>
12:15-12:45	Wage developments in Cyprus during the last five years	Elias Ioakimoglou <i>Research Associate of INEK-PEO</i>
12:45-13:00	Discussion and closing	

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