International Seminar

Corporate Restructuring in Europe: what changed with the crisis?

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Room Edifer (near the cloister), ISEG - Rua do Quelhas, 6 1200-109 Lisboa

Program

2:00 p.m. – Welcome
2:15 p.m. – Opening session
   Reinhard Naumann (director of the Friedrich Ebert Foundation-Lisbon)
   Sofia Bento (president of the SOCIUS-ISEG-Universidade de Lisboa)

Session 1 – Recent research evidence (Language: English)
   Chair: Heloísa Perista (CESIS)
2:30 p.m. – Monitoring learning and innovation in European restructuring
   Ola Bergström (Göteborgs University)
3:00 p.m. – Managing restructuring in Portugal
   Raquel Rego (SOCIUS-ISEG-UL)
3:20 p.m. – Managing restructuring in Germany
   Gernot Mühge (Helex Institut)
3:40 p.m. – Discussant
   Fernando Vasquez (Lawyer and former official of the EC)

4:00 p.m. – Coffee break

Session 2 - Round table with institutional partners (Language: Portuguese)
   Chair: Luís Villalobos (Público)
4:30 p.m. – Manuel Arsénio (IAPMEI)
4:45 p.m. – (employer representative to be announced)
5:00 p.m. – Fernando Marques (CGTP-IN)
5:15 p.m. – Debate

6:00 p.m. – Closure
Short bio of participants

**Fernando Marques**
Economist and member of the Study Office of the General Confederation of Portuguese Workers - CGTP-IN.

**Fernando Vasquez**
Lawyer, former official of the European Commission in charge of various Employee Information and Consultation Directives and Corporate Restructuring.

**Gernot Mühge**
Management director and researcher at Helex Institut (Bochum, Germany). Member of the team of the MOlière project and member of the IRENE network.

**Heloísa Perista**
Senior Researcher at CESIS (Lisbon, Portugal). Portuguese correspondent of EurWORK and European Restructuring Monitor from the Eurofound.

**Luís Villalobos**
Economics editor from the newspaper Público. He has been working in economics since 1992 in different means of printed press.

**Manuel Arsénio**
Coordinator of the Restructuring Unit and Business Revitalization from the Portuguese Competitiveness and Innovation Agency - IAPMEI.

**Ola Bergström**
Professor at the Department of Business Administration at the School of Business, Economics and Law, University of Göteborgs (Sweden). Coordinator of the team of the MOlière project and member of the IRENE network.

**Raquel Rego**
Sociologist (PhD). Researcher at SOCIUS-ISEG-Universidade de Lisboa. Member of the team of the MOlière project and member of the IRENE network.