

## The International Labour Organization as a Producer of Statistical Knowledge

### Workshop

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## Thursday, 25 February 2016

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13.00      **Arrival and Registration**

14.00      **Welcoming Address**  
**Jürgen Kocka** (Berlin)

**Introduction to the Concept of the Conference**  
**Sandrine Kott** (Geneva)/ **Theresa Wobbe** (Potsdam)

14.30      **Panel I: The ILO and the Issue of Statistics: Statistical Classification within the League of Nations and the ILO**

**Roser Cusso** (Paris)  
The ILO and the International Statistical Program

**Martin Bemmman** (Freiburg)  
The Establishment of 'World Economic Statistics' and the ILO during the 1920s Infrastructures, Networks and Classifications

**Marine Dhermy-Marail** (Grenoble)  
The Scientific Agenda of ILO: Methods and Objects in Circulation

17.00      **Panel II: Universalizing Statistical Categories**

**Léa Renard** (Potsdam-Grenoble)  
The Statistical Construction of the Category of Family Worker, 1920s-1980s

**Yann Stricker** (Luzern)  
Classification and the Regulation of Labour Migration

**Daniel Speich** (Luzern)  
Political Communication changed when World Statisticians met in Washington in 1947

## Friday, 26 February 2016

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9.00      **Panel III: Social Problems as Statistical Categories**

**Isabelle Lespinet-Moret** (Paris)

ILO's Industrial Hygiene and Safety at Work Service and Statistics

**Emmanuel Reynaud** (Geneva)

Wages and Statistics: the ILO's First Decade

10.30      **Panel IV: Classifications of Work: Practices and Representations**

**Susan Zimmermann** (Budapest)

'Native Labour' International: Terminology, Conceptuality and the Geography of the ILO Intervention

**Pauli Kettunen** (Helsinki)

Tripartism as a contested Categorization of Modern Society – Nordic Contributions to the Universalization of Government-Workers-Employers Representation.

12.00      **General Discussion**

**Sigrid Wadauer** (Wien)

**Daniel Maul** (Oslo)

14.00      **End of the Workshop**

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