



**ETUC PROJECT ON “THE EUROPEAN EMPLOYMENT STRATEGY  
WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE INTEGRATED GUIDELINES FOR  
GROWTH AND JOBS”<sup>1</sup>**

**FINAL CONFERENCE**

**Brussels, 23 & 24 October 2006**

**PROGRAMME**

**MONDAY 23 OCTOBER 2006**

- 13.30 – 14.00 : Registration
- 14.00 – 15.30 : Presentation of the objectives of the Conference.  
John MONKS, General Secretary, ETUC
- The European Employment Strategy : a priority for the trade union organisations.  
Evaluation of the implementation of the EES within the framework of the Integrated Guidelines for Growth and Jobs”  
Presentation of the results of the survey by Oriol HOMS, Director, CIREM Foundation
- 15.30 – 16.00 : Coffee break
- 16.00 – 17.30 : Debate.
- 17.30 End of the first day’s work.

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## TUESDAY 24 OCTOBER 2006

09.00 – 10.30 : **1<sup>st</sup> PANEL : “AFTER THE REFORM, WHAT ABOUT EMPLOYMENT?”**

Chair : Ronald JANSSEN, advisor, ETUC  
Facilitator : Céline LAFOUCRIERE, researcher, CIREM Foundation  
Panellists :  
Jean PISANI-FERRY, Director, Bruegel Institute  
Antonia RAMOS, UGT-E  
Heiko GLAWE, DGB  
Robert STRAUSS, Head of Unit, DG Employment and Social Affairs, EC

10.30 – 11.00 : Coffee break

11.00 – 12.30 : **2<sup>nd</sup> PANEL : “AFTER THE REFORM, WHAT ABOUT THE STRATEGY ? “**

Chair : Henri LOURDELLE, advisor, ETUC  
Facilitator : Wilfried KRUSE, researcher, Landesinstitut Sozialforschungsstelle Dortmund  
Panellists :  
Maria Joao RODRIGUEZ, Professor, University of Lisbon  
Ake ZETTERMARK, SACO/SE  
Laszlo KOZAK, LIGA/HU  
James ALLEN, DG Employment and Social Affairs, EC

12.30 – 14.00 : Lunch

14.00 – 16.00 : **3<sup>rd</sup> PANEL : “AFTER THE REFORM, WHAT ABOUT THE OWNERSHIP OF THE SOCIAL PARTNERS ?”**

Chair: Claude DENAGTERGAL, advisor, ETUC  
Facilitator : Pierre TILLY, researcher, Institute of European Studies of the “Université Catholique de Louvain”  
Panellists :  
Jackie MORIN, Head of Unit, DG Employment and Social Affairs, EC  
Steven D’HAESELEER, Advisor, UNICE  
Gerhard HUEMER, Director, economic and fiscal policy, UEAPME  
Valeria RONZITTI, Legal Advisor for Social Affairs, CEEP  
Joël DECAILLON, Confederal Secretary, ETUC

16.00 – 16.30 : Closure of the Conference  
Reiner HOFFMANN, Deputy General Secretary, ETUC