

Labour Unions – Current Situation and Future Perspectives

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PLACE:

1st day: Łazarski College in Warsaw, Świeradowska st. 43

2nd day: Social Partnership Center “Dialog”, Limanowskiego st. 23

DAY 1

9.30–10.00 Registration, coffee and refreshments

10.00–10.10 Conference opening. Guests welcome by Rector and Dean of Law & Administration Department of Łazarski College in Warsaw

10.10–10.20 Mr. Prime Minister Donald Tusk’s speech

10.20–10.30 Speech given by the representative of Ministry of Labour and Social Politics Władysław Kosiniak-Kamysz

I SESSION

“Structure and Legal Status of Labour Union”

– chairman dr hab. Monika Tomaszewska (prof. Gdańsk University)

10.30–10.50 Prof. Jo Carby Hall (UK) “The Status of Trade Unions under British Law”

10.50–11.10 Dr Daiva Petrylaite (Litwa) “Trade unions, as participants of collective labour relations: problem of the legal status”

11.10–11.30 Prof. J. Stelina (Gdańsk University) “Labour Union Model in Poland – de lege ferenda Comments”

11.30–11.50 Prof. Manfred Weiss (Germany) “German Trade Unions: Their Role in Collective Bargaining”

11.50–12.10 Dr hab. Marcin Zieleniecki (prof. Gdańsk University) “Labour Union as a Subject of Social Dialog on a Country and Over-works Level”

12.10–12.20 Judge Jerzy Stępień (Łazarski College) “Constitutional Place of Labour Unions in Poland”

12.20–13.00 Lunch break

II SESSION

“Labour Unions Powers”

– chairman prof. Roger Blanpain (Belgium)

13.00–13.20 Prof. Łukasz Pisarczyk (Warsaw University) “The role of Labour Unions in Creating the Employment Conditions in Poland”

13.20–13.40 Prof. W. Baran (Jagiellonian University) “Labour Unions Competence in Solving Group Labour Litigation”

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- 13.40–14.00 Dr Artur Rycak (Judge)
“Protection of the permanence
of the employment of trade union
activists in the adjective law”
- 14.00–14.20 Dr M. Gładoch (Cardinal Wyszyński
University, Polish Employers President’s
advisor) “Labour Unions and Employers
Collaboration on the Works Level”
- 14.20–15.00 Discussion
- 15.00–15.30 Coffee break
- III SESSION**
“Labour Unions Future”
– chairman prof. Grzegorz Goździewicz
(Mikołaj Kopernik University)
- 15.30–15.50 Prof. Roger Blanpain (Belgium)
“The Future of Trade Unions
in a Globalised World”
- 15.50–16.10 Prof. Patricia Conlan (Ireland)
“Ireland: the Meaning of the Right
to Trade Union Membership”
- 16.10–16.30 Prof. Fiorella Lunardon (Italy)
“Italian Recent Developments in Industrial
Relationships”
- 16.30–16.50 Dr Steffen Lehdorff (Niemcy) “Living
in different worlds? Trade unions and the
European crisis”
- 16.50–17.10 Prof. Zbigniew Hajn (Supreme Court, Łódź
University) “Subject Range of the Coaliton
Right”
- 17.10–17.30 Dr Magdalena Rycak (Łazarski College)
“Labour Union and other Employees
Representations in Polish System of
Collective Representation” de lege lata and
de lege ferenda conclusions
- 17.30–17.50 Prof. Juliusz Gardawski
(Main School of Commerce)
“Labour Unions Condition in Poland”
- 17.50–18.30 Discussion
- 18.30–18.40 Summary of the first day of the conference
- 21.00–24.00 Banquete* in Academia Restaurant, jazz
band (with participation of Judge Jerzy
Stępień, ex President of the Constitutional
Tribunal)

DAY 2

DISCUSSION PANELS

Both panel start at 10:00

End at 14.00

1st PANEL

Labour Unions and Non-Union Employees Representations

Chairman: prof. Jerzy Wratny
(Polish Academy of Science)

Participants of the panel eg:
dr hab. Monika Tomaszewska (Gdańsk University),
dr hab. Leszek Mitrus (Jagiellonian University),
dr Barbara Surdykowska
(Cardinal Wyszyński University),
representatives of Polish unions, Polish and European
employers organizations,
Massimo Ricchetti from Italian Unione Industriali,
Josef Maurer Transport Worker’s Federation Civil
Aviation and many others.

9.30–10.00 coffee

10.00–11.30 panelists pronouncements

11.30–12.00 coffee break

12.00–13.30 discussion

13.30–14.00 closing discussion

14.00–15.00 lunch

2nd PANEL

Labour Union as a Part of a Works Social Dialog

Chairman: prof. Ludwik Florek (UW)

Participants of the panel eg:
dr hab. Marcin Zieleniecki (Gdańsk University),
dr Jakub Szmit (Gdańsk University),
dr Ewa Wronikowska (Lublin Catholic University),
dr Jan Czarzasty (Main School of Commerce),
representatives of Polish unions, Polish
and European employers organizations,
Paweł Śmigielski OPZZ and many others.

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