



Safe Work. Strong Economy.

Occupational safety and health between simplification and responsibility

From 12:00 **Registration and lunch**

12:30 – 12:40 **Welcome and opening of the event**

Rainer Steffens
Director, Representation of North Rhine-Westphalia to the EU

Ilka Wölfle
Director, German Social Insurance European Representation (DSV)

12:40 – 12:50 **Keynote**

Dennis Radtke (EPP, DE)
Member of the European Parliament

12:50 – 13:00 **Dialogue on occupational safety and health**

Dr Stephan Fasshauer
Director-General, German Social Accident Insurance (DGUV)

Ilka Wölfle
Director, German Social Insurance European Representation (DSV)

13:00 – 14:00 **Simplification and occupational safety and health – Together for a more competitive EU**

Setting the scene
EU business perspectives

Panel discussion

Maria Luisa Cabral
Director, GD EMPL C, European Commission

Dr Edlyn Höller
Deputy Director-General, DGUV; Member of the Executive Board, DSV

Eleonora Isopo
Director-General, European Chemical Employers Group (ECEG)

Dennis Radtke (EPP, DE)
Member of the European Parliament

Peer-Oliver Villwock
Head of the Subdivision for Occupational Safety and Health, Federal Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs (BMAS)

14:00 – 15:00 **Artificial intelligence in social insurance – Harnessing new technologies effectively**

Panel discussion

Jörg Botti
Director-General, German Social Accident Insurance Institution, BG ETEM

Katharina Fraune
Head of Office Brussels, Evonik

Nayla Glaise
President, Eurocadres

Michaela Jungwirth
Senior Manager, Applied Intelligence, Accenture

From 15:00 **Networking over coffee and cake**

 Tuesday, 3 March 2026 | 12:00 to 16:00
 Representation of the State of North Rhine-Westphalia to the EU | Rue Montoyer 47, 1000 Brussels
 The event will be hosted by Ilka Wölfle, Director DSV.

Content of the event

The event places occupational safety and health at the heart of discussions as a strategic success factor for a strong and competitive Europe. Representatives from the German Social Accident Insurance, politics and business will discuss how a high level of occupational safety and health contributes to long-term economic stability and sustainable business development, and how existing regulatory frameworks can be further developed to remain fit for the future. In addition, practical case examples will illustrate how AI-enabled processes can efficiently support and further enhance the implementation and monitoring of occupational safety and health standards.



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