



PRESENTATION

European Federation of Building and Woodworkers

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Who are we?

77 nat. Trade unions in 31 countries

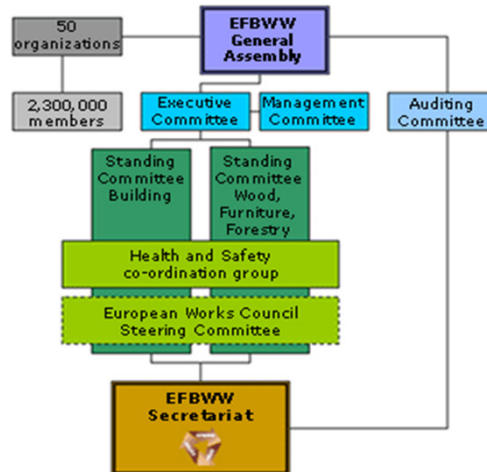
2,1 mio. workers

Created in 1958

Member of the ETUC



EFBWW structure



Sectors:

- Standing Committee Building

Trade union rep. for the construction sector:

labour market, soc. legislation, vocational training, coll. bargaining, health and safety, ...

2 x year (Luxemburg/Brussels)

- Standing Committee Wood / Forestry / Furniture

Trade union rep. for the wood sector

labour market, soc. legislation, vocational training, coll. bargaining, health and safety, ...

2 x year (Luxemburg/Brussels)

More information ...

Construction: Werner Buelen

Wood: William vanderstraeten

Horizontal activities

Health and safety co-ordination group

- Health and safety experts
- ESD
- Expert meetings
- Seminars
- Publications
- 2 / year

European Works Councils co-ordination group

- EWC experts
- 76 EWC – 30 EWC
- Information, consultation and co-ordination
- Seminars
- 2 / year

EFBWW key activities

- European lobby : Commission, EP, EESC, ETUC, EC, Perm. Rep....
- European Social Dialogue
- European Works Councils
- Health and safety
- Co-ordination collective bargaining
- Vocational training
- Capacity Building
- Youth issues
- Sustainability

For more information ...

EFBWW action
program 2012 - 2015



Collective bargaining

- Minimum wages
- Working time
- (Early) retirement
- ...



European lobby : Commission, EP, EESC, ETUC, EC, ...

- Posting of Workers Directive and it's enforcement
- Working time Directive
- Temporary Agency workers Directives
- Third country nationals Directives (ICT, seasonal, ...)
- Public procurement
- Energy efficiency
- ...



Questions