

Promoting Gender Equality in the Workplace in Europe

Policies and Practices for Work-Life Balance

2 July 2026 | 10:00 – 11:30

Mundo-Lab

Avenue des Arts 7/8 - Brussels

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Agenda

09.30 Registration

10.00 **Opening** – Luca Merotta, Senior researcher and project manager
CHECK Project Introduction – Giulia Bonan, Project coordinator |
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10.15 **Promoting gender equality by advancing work-life balance: gaps and
transformative approaches from across the EU**

Eleonora De Stefanis, Researcher | Percorsi di Secondo Welfare (Italy)
Belén Beltrán, Research Coordinator | Fundació SURT (Spain)
Urtė Petrulytė, Researcher | Diversity Development Group (Lithuania)
Attila Bőhm, Senior Policy & Advocacy Officer | COFACE Families Europe

10.55 **Towards coherent and effective implementation of the Work-life
balance Directive: aligning policies, actors and levels of governance**

Eleonora De Stefanis, Researcher | Percorsi di Secondo Welfare (Italy)
Sara Montes, Equality Officer | Baix Llobregat County Council (Spain)
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11.20 Q&A and closing remarks

A coffee break will follow

For those who will not be able to attend in person, an online participation option is available. Please, register here [ONLINE EU Talk: Promoting Equality in the Workplace in Europe – Compila modulo](#) in order to join remotely via Teams.

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