



## Invitation to an ETUI Online Education course

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Dear Colleagues,

ETUI Education invites you to attend the 2nd edition of the online training activity “EWC Confidentiality”. The course will run for four weeks, from **21 February to 20 March 2022**. It will involve about 8-10 hours of work, that learners can follow at their own rhythm by accessing at any moment the online training platform. Online tutors will support participants during the training.

The idea behind this training is that confidentiality is a tool for EWC members, not an obstacle. This course aims at improve the confidentiality awareness and develops hands-on practice over EWC/SE WC confidentiality issues. It helps advancing the practical grasp of the EWC/SE WC legal framework and the proper EWC rules of confidentiality. In addition, this training strengthens the EWC/SE WC position towards the management on the grounds of confidentiality.

### Aim and objectives

Once participants have completed this course, they will:

- be able to better understand & discuss confidentiality rules present in their EWC / SE WC;
- be prepared to
  - challenge the ‘confidentiality status quo’ in their EWC;
  - to objectively assess whether the confidentiality relations are ‘workable’ or ‘slightly overused’;
  - plan the steps to improve the situation accordingly, if so.

The very practical final outcome and a part of the newly developed set of skills is finding yourself being able to improve and rewrite the confidentiality clause in your EWC agreement.

### Working languages

English. Intermediate level is required.

### Venue

Online

### Participants

Worker representatives who are considering the establishment of a European Works Council in their company, newly elected members of a Special Negotiating Body or an existing EWC and union officials supporting their members in multinational companies.

### How are enrolments processed?

A maximum of 50 participants can be accepted. The final confirmation of the participants will be done by ETUI bearing in mind the requirements for the target group, and the “first come, first served” rule.

### Participants' registration

The individual expression of interests must be done before **13 February 2022** by filling the online form available here: <https://bit.ly/3oUEVKd>

### Payment of registration

Participation is free of charge.

Yours sincerely,

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