

# 5<sup>th</sup> UNI Europa Finance Conference

## *Strong Unions Today and Tomorrow*

Torremolinos, Spain, 22 October 2019

### Draft Programme

Interpretation : English, French, German, Italian, Spanish (passive Portuguese)

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**Registration (8:00-9:00)**

**Morning session (9:00-12:30)**

- 1 Opening of the 5<sup>th</sup> UNI Europa Finance Conference  
*Michael Budolfson, President – UNI Europa Finance  
& Maureen Hick, Director – UNI Europa Finance*
- 2 Welcome Address by Spanish Affiliates  
*Pilar Rato Rodriguez, Secretary for International Trade Union Action – CCOO Servicios  
Maricarmen Donate, Federal Secretary for International Affairs – FeS-UGT*
- 3 UNI Europa Finance affiliates' activities 2016-2019 (short video)
- 4 Approval of the Agenda

- 5 Election of the Credentials Committee and Ratification of the Resolutions Committee

**Coffee break**

**6 Theme 1 – Trade Unions Breaking Through**

UNI Europa Finance Breaking Through

*Christy Hoffman, General Secretary – UNI Global Union*

Best practice: Romanian banking sector collective agreement

*Paraschiv Constantin, President – FSAB*

**7 Theme 2 – Unions for a Sustainable Economy**

Human Rights Due Diligence and its relevance for Trade Unions

*Claudia Saller, Coordinator – European Coalition for Corporate Justice*

Responsible Sales & the Italian Social Partners Agreement

*Giovanni Sabatini, Chairman – European Banking Federation Executive Committee*

**Lunch break**

**Afternoon session (13:50-17:30)**

- 8 Report from the Credentials Committee

**9 Theme 3 – A Changing World for Workers**

The future of the finance sector in the framework of digitalisation

*José Maria (Chema) Martínez, General Secretary – Servicios CCOO*

Trade Unions in the Digital Age

*Maria Luz Rodríguez Fernández, Lawyer and Political Activist – University of Castilla-La Mancha*

**10 Theme 4 – Democracy and Human Rights in Europe**

Using investor leverage to drive workforce disclosure promoting respect for Human Rights

*Martin Buttle, Head of Good Work – ShareAction*

The impact of Brexit on Europe's finance sector

*Ben Norman, Research Officer – Unite the Union*

**Coffee break**

11 Adoption of Conference Motion: Strategic Planning Framework for UNI Europa Finance

12 Elections of the UNI Europa Finance Steering Group and Presidium

13 Speech from the President of UNI Europa Finance

14 Conference Conclusions and Close

*Angelo Di Cristo, Head of Department – UNI Finance*