



## International Congress

**Topic: "Social Dialogue - challenges of the future"**

**Date: 11-12 October 2018**

**Venue: Dom Soyusov (Moscow, B. Dmitrovka street 1)**

### Concept of Event

Partnership is an important feature of social dialogue.

Social dialogue is a means of achieving a consensus between the parties.

In a tripartite format it enables the social partners (trade unions and employers' organizations) **to have an impact on decisions taken by government side as well as to lobby for their interests at the political level.**

One of the most global challenges of the future is a fundamental change of the employment forms. Nowadays there is no unique approach to forms of employment, standard employment is opposed by atypical employment.

In the near future the social partners will take account of non-standard forms of employment. In this regard they will have to propose new legislative initiatives.

The second challenge is the search for new models, forms and mechanisms for the development of social partnership.

The participants of the Congress - representatives of all three sides of the social partnership and international experts will discuss potential approaches to the challenges of the future.

Training and Research Center of Moscow Trade union Federation offers two potential advantages of this approach:

- **Firstly**, the democratization of the process of developing socio-economic policies
- **Secondly**, reducing social conflict

#### **Discussion points:**

«Challenges and actual goals of social partnership parties»

«Growth points and problem areas in building models for the development of social partnership»

«Forms and mechanisms for the development of social partnership for the next decade»

#### **Goal:**

To formulate development strategies of social partnership institute, taking into account relevant requests of civil society, to consolidate the efforts of all stakeholders in the framework of future challenges.

## Action plan

**11 October 2018**

- 09.00 – 10.00** Registration of participants
- 10.00 – 13.00** Plenary session: «*Social Dialogue – challenges of the future*»  
(for all participants)
- 13.00 – 14.00** Hot buffet
- 14.00 – 16.00** Parallel workshops:  
**Section 1** «*Challenges and actual goals of social partnership parties*»  
**Section 2** «*Growth points and problem areas in building models for the development of social partnership*»  
**Section 3** «*Forms and mechanisms for the development of social partnership for the next decade*»
- 16.00 – 16.30** Cold buffet
- 16.30 – 18.00** Continuation of section's work

**12 October 2018**

- 10.00 - 13.00** Plenary session «*Social Dialogue – challenges of the future*»  
(for all participants)
- 13.00 – 14.00** Cold buffet
- 14.00 – 16.00** Presentation of workshop results  
(for all participants)