

# breakback

*Break up to get back together*

The impact of unionisation through innovative service provision on union membership and industrial relations  
VS/2019/0079

## FINAL CONFERENCE

18th - 19th November 2021

CISL Studies Centre  
Firenze  
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- 13.30 Arrivals and Registrations
- 14.00 Welcome by **Francesco Scrima** (Director of Cisl Studies Centre)
- 14.10 BreakBack Project presentation video and welcome by **Luigi Sbarra**, Cisl General Secretary
- 14.25 Aims and activities of the BreakBack Project, **Francesco Lauria** (Cisl, Project Coordinator)
- 14.40 Project methodology and research activities , **Alberto Gherardini** (University of Turin – Project Management Group)
- 15.00 Union servicing for platform workers: the cases of Belgium, Denmark, and Spain, Chair: **Nicoletta Merlo**, (Cisl, EESC, Etuc Youth Committee), **Karolien Lenaerts** (Diesis/HIVA), **Sebastiann Kennes** (United Freelancers), **Trine Pernille Larsen** (FAOS-University of Copenhagen), **Oscar Molina Romo** (Quit-Autonomous University of Barcelona)
- 16.00 Strengthening union membership: which strategies at the European level? Suggestions from the BreakBack project and Etuc perspectives, **Luca Visentini** (ETUC General Secretary)
- 16.30 Debate
- 16.50 Coffee Break
- 17.00 Union servicing, unemployment, and precariousness: the cases of Italy and Spain, **Marco Betti** (Ezio Tarantelli Foundation), **Fabio Franchi** (CISL Firenze-Prato), **Alejandro Godino** (Quit- Autonomous University of Barcelona), **Carlos Del Barrio** (CCOO Catalunya)
- 17.45 Trade Union Renewal between "servicing" and "organising", comments by **Mimmo Carrieri** (La Sapienza University of Rome) and **Nicola Countouris** (ETUI-European Trade Union Institute)
- 18.30 The research commitment to the Union future and renewal, Conclusive remarks by **Giuseppe Gallo** (President of Ezio Tarantelli Foundation)
- 18.45 End of the first session

- 09.00 Recap of the previous day
- 09.10 Union servicing and self-employed workers: the cases of Denmark, Italy, and Lithuania, **Anna Ilsøe** (FAOS-University of Copenhagen), **Silvia Degl'innocenti** (vIVAce!), **Ilaria Lani** (Nidil-CGIL Firenze) **Inga Blaziene** (Lithuanian Social Research Centre)
- 10.00 Comments by **Roberto Pedersini** (University of Milan), **Maarten Keune\*** (University of Amsterdam)
- 10.35 Debate
- 10.45 Coffee Break
- 11.00 "Collectivizing" services: a new paradigma? From practices to strategies for trade union renewal, **Andrea Bellini** (La Sapienza University of Rome, Project Management Group) **Mattia Pirulli** (Felsa Cisl General Secretary) **Thorkild Holmboe-Hay**, (3F Dk)
- 12.10 Comments by **Paolo Feltrin** (University of Trieste), **Luigi Burroni** (University of Florence)
- 12.45 Debate
- 13.00 Next steps in BreakBack project research, **Francesco Lauria** (Cisl, Project Coordinator)
- 13.15 From innovative experiences to confederal strategies for trade union renewal: lessons learned and future prospects, **Giulio Romani**, (Cisl Confederal Secretary)
- 13.45 End of the conference and lunch

