**Agenda - Safety Reps Connect Cymru**

Tuesday 26th November 2024, Cardiff City Stadium

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| 9 – 9.30 | Registration |
| 9.30 – 9. 40 | **Welcome and introduction to the day from TUC Cymru**  Julie Cook, National Officer TUC Cymru  Mike Jenkins, Chair of TUC Cymru H&S and Workplace Regulation Committee. |
| 9.40 – 10.30 | **Morning plenary 1: HASAWA – 50 years of protecting workers. Where does it go from here?**   * Phil Liptrot, Head of Personal Injury, Thompsons Solicitors * Professor David Walters – Professor of Work Environment & Director of Cardiff Work Environment Research Centre (CWERC),Cardiff University * Dan Shears – National Health, Safety and Environment Director GMB   Speeches followed by a Q&A with selected questions from delegates |
| 10.30 – 11.05 | **H&S union wins/success stories**   * Vicky Bassett - BFAWU health and safety rep - sexual harassment campaign * CWU Merseyside Dog Attack Partnership and roll out in Wales - Mark Williams CWU, Acting Regional Sec, Wales and the Marches * Indoor air quality Trade Union Clean Air Network campaign – Graham Petersen, TUCAN |
| 11.05 -12.35 | **Breakout sessions** (15 min tea and coffee break first) |
| 12.35 -13.35 | **Lunch and networking** |
| 13.35 – 13.40 | **TUC Cymru Health and Safety Reps’ Network – chair’s report**  Carol Revell, PCS |
| 13.40 – 14.20 | **Health and Safety campaign updates**   * Shelly Asquith, Health, Safety and Wellbeing Officer, TUC * Janet Newsham – Chair, Hazards Campaign * Luke Collins, National Health and Safety Officer, Unite   Speeches followed by Q&A with selected questions from delegates |
| 14.20 – 15.00 | In conversation:  **Building future H&S organisation in the workplace – developing the next generation of safety reps**  With an introduction from Becky Sixsmith-Hughes (Project Officer, TUC) and other panel members include: Carol Revell PCS H&S rep, Natasha Hirst NUJ lay rep and president, AJ Singh – (TUC Cymru), Chloe Rees (TUC Cymru).  Panel discussion followed by Q&A with selected questions from delegates |
| 15.00 -16.30 | **Breakout sessions** (15 min tea and coffee break first) |
| 16.30 -16.45 | **Closing session** |

**Workshops/breakout sessions:**

*Most workshops will run once, either AM or PM. There is one workshop running both AM and PM – as indicated below. Reps can attend choose to attend one workshop in the AM and one in the PM.*

1. **Enforcing safety reps’ rights (AM)**

With Darren Thelwell (TUC Cymru tutor)

1. **Women’s health and safety (AM)**

With Janet Newsham (Hazards), Linda Butler (TUC Cymru tutor) and Rhianydd Williams (TUC Cymru)

1. **Climate change related risks to workers’ health and safety - including extreme weather, heat, air quality and climate adaptation (AM)**

With Graham Petersen (TUCAN/Greener Jobs Alliance) and Jo Rees (TUC Cymru)

1. **Work related stress – from resilience to resistance (AM and PM)**

With Roy McCabe (TUC Cymru tutor) and Shelly Asquith, TUC Health, Safety and Wellbeing Officer

1. **Inspections 101 (PM)**

With Linda Butler (TUC Cymru tutor) and Luke Collins (Unite National Health and Safety Officer)

1. **Over-exposed – protecting workers from toxic chemicals (PM)**

With Janet Newsham (Hazards Campaign), Dan Shears (GMB Health, Safety and Environmental Director) and Darren Thelwell (TUC Cymru tutor)

1. **Personal injury (PM)**

With David Coulthard (Thompsons Solicitors)

***Please note agenda and workshops are provisional and may be subject to change.***