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ELA newsletter

Latest news on labour mobility and social security coordination in the EU



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News & Activities

Targeting fraudulent transport company and ending exploitation at a waste processing plant

Multiple sectors were targeted in cross-border inspections supported by ELA during the period from November 2024 until January this year.

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ELA TECH LAB

ELA organised the first ELA TECH Lab during the 22-23 January 2025 in Lisbon, Portugal.

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Outreach events in Brussels

On January 29, ELA organised the third edition of its annual outreach event for social partners representatives in Brussels.

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Latest news from the Platform tackling undeclared work

Recap of the 17th plenary meeting of the European Platform tackling undeclared work and recent events

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Campaigns

#FairHORECAinEU

Read more about key figures and outcomes from the #FairHORECAinEU campaign.

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Social Security Coordination Campaign

Learn more about ELA's upcoming campaign on Social Security Coordination.

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**Social security coordination
campaign**

30 years of EURES

The 30th anniversary year of EURES has come to a successful close after a remarkable year filled with activities across Europe.

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Trainings, Workshops & Information sessions



ELA trains information providers on effective communication with seasonal workers

On 22-23 January 2025, ELA successfully conducted a training on 'Managing communication channels: Simplifying language and enhancing outreach to mobile workers and employers' at ELA's premises.

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Workshop on complex cases in the application and enforcement of EU labour mobility and social security law

On 12 December 2024 ELA organised a workshop gathering representatives from labour inspectorates and social security institutions.

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PROGRESS Programme – Workshop on Pension Operational Issues on Electronic Exchange of Social Security Information (EESSI) System

On 11 December, ELA organised an online workshop under the PROGRESS programme, focusing on pension operational issues.

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IMI-PROVE Programme – Dialogue sessions on the pre-defined questions on International Market Information (IMI) System

ELA organised a series of online meetings for IMI-users in the Member States.

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TRANSPORT SUPPORT Programme - Information session on the use of the European Register of Road Transport Undertakings (ERRU) System

On 24 January, ELA organised in collaboration with the European Commission an online information session under the TRANSPORT SUPPORT programme.

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Mediation info-training session

On 30 January, ELA organised an info-training session on the ELA mediation procedure in The Hague, The Netherlands.

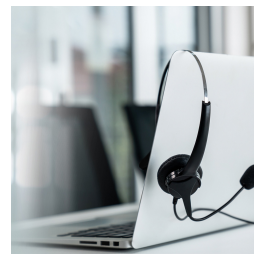
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Cooperation visit of the Ministry of Social Affairs and Employment from The Netherlands

On 18 November, ELA welcomed Young SZW, a delegation of 24 young professionals from the Dutch Ministry of Social Affairs and Employments.

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Webinar on Bogus Self-Employment

In December 2024, ELA hosted a webinar to advance discussions on tackling bogus self-employment.

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Webinar on Public procurement contracts

In January 2025, ELA hosted a webinar focused on tackling undeclared work in public procurement contracts.

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Peer Learning Dialogue on how to design and evaluate communication campaigns to prevent undeclared work

In February 2025, ELA organised a Peer Learning Dialogue (PLD) focused on “How to design and evaluate communication campaigns to prevent undeclared work.”

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Events in the Member States



National trainings for inspectors in Hungary and Romania

A three-day training session was organised by ELA in cooperation with the Hungarian Ministry for National Economy and the Romanian Labour Inspectorate.

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ELA National Event - Greece 'Challenges on cross-border mobility in the HORECA sector'

The ELA National Event 'Challenges on cross-border mobility in HORECA sector in the Hellenic Republic', was held on 10 December, in Greece.

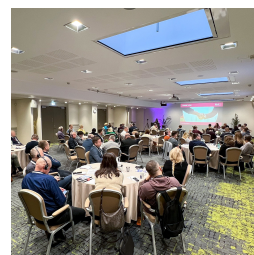
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Cooperation meeting between Spanish and French Inspectorates from the border regions and the Pilotage Committee

On 12 and 13 February, ELA supported the organisation of a cooperation meeting between the Labour and Social Security Inspectorates from France and Spain, held in Spain.

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Learning from practitioners: ELA provides road transport operators to gather first-hand information

On 28 November 2024, a local information event on road transport for operators (employers) took place in Tallinn, Estonia.

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Cooperation meeting between France, Spain, Italy and Portugal

On 26 November, ELA supported a Cooperation Seminar between France, Spain, Italy, and Portugal, co-organised by the French Social Security Contributions Agency (URSSAF).

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Latest publications

ELA publications update

Recent releases and insights.

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Call for papers

Launch of the Call for Good Practices 2025

ELA launched its 4th edition of the Call for Good practices.

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Upcoming events

- **26 February**, online, PROGRESS Programme - Thematic Workshop on horizontal processes in EESSI system
- **6-7 March**, Jūrmala, Latvia, ELA Labour Mobility Lab.
- **07 March**, online, IMI-PROVE Programme - Dialogue on the pre-defined questions on IMI System
- **12-13 March**, Rome, Italy, Thematic Review Workshop on interinstitutional cooperation to tackle undeclared work within the Member States
- **14 March**, online, IMI-PROVE Programme - Dialogue on the pre-defined questions on IMI System
- **18 March**, Paris, France, Cooperation meeting of Proximity Officers between France and Portugal
- **18 March**, Brussels, Belgium, Launch of the Social Security Coordination Fraud and Error Report
- **18-20 March**, Sofia/Montana, Bulgaria, Safe Labour Migration to Germany.
- **20 March**, hybrid, Brussels, Belgium, Event on the Posting of Third Country Nationals
- **20 March**, Patras, Greece, ELA Information session for employers in partnership with the Hellenic Labour Inspectorate (HLI): The posting of workers in the construction sector in the Hellenic Republic and Cyprus.
- **27-28 March**, ELA premises, Training for SOLVIT Centres
- **28 March**, Berlin, Germany, Labour and social rights of mobile employees from Bulgaria in Germany.
- **31 March**, online, IMI-PROVE Programme – *Verification of the authenticity of documents* under the Dialogue on the pre-defined questions on IMI System

- **31 March**, Launch of the Call for Study Visits

- **1 April**, Online information session for drivers and operators on road transport social legislation for France, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Ireland, Belgium and Luxembourg.

- **1-2 April**, hybrid, ELA premises, Forum on the Posting of Workers

- **1-3 April**, hybrid, France, ELA and CORTE Training and information sessions on road transport social legislation (focus on passenger transport)

- **1-2 April**, Belgium, National Training for Inspectors in Belgium

- **3-4 April**, ELA premises, Training for Social Partners

- **8-10 April**, Bulgaria, Ensuring safe labour migration within the EU, mutual learning and exchange on providing predeparture information to mobile workers from vulnerable communities. (date TBC)

- **16 April**, European (Online) Job Days mutual learning workshop.

- **28 April**, online, IMI-PROVE Programme – Session to check of remuneration in posting in the road transport sector (Part 1: control practices)

- **29-30 April**, Thessaloniki, Greece, ELA Labour Mobility Lab.

29-30 April, Training EURES Coordinators Working Group meeting.

- **6-7 May**, Birštonas, Lithuania, National training for inspectors in Lithuania

- **15 May**, Ad hoc Working Group meeting - EURES strategy (EURES visibility)

- **15 May**, ELA premises, EMPACT Analytical Meeting on Labour Exploitation

- **15-16 May**, Rome, Italy, Strengthening bilateral and multilateral cooperation between ES, FR, IT and PT

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