# The Right to Work – Launch of the EDF Human Rights Report on Employment

**27th April 2023**

**14:00 – 16:00**

**Moderator: Catherine Naughton – EDF Director (TBC)**

**14:00 – 14:05 : Introduction and housekeeping rules**

* Catherine Naughton

**14:05 – 14:35 : Presentation of findings from the report**

* Jane Buchannan – Consultant leading research on EDF the Human Rights Report
* Haydn Hammersley – Social Policy Coordinator at the European Disability Forum

**14:35 - 14:45 : Q&A from online participants**

**Break 14:45 – 14:55**

**14:55 – 15:05 Keynote speaker**

* Katarina Ivankovic-Knezevic - Director of DG Employment, Social Affairs & Inclusion, European Commission

**15:05 – 15:35 Panel discussion** **on** **personal experience and views on the barriers to employment – moderated by Catherine Naughton**

* Kamil Goungor – European Network on Independent Living
* Pirkko Mahlamaki - Finnish Disability Forum
* Tamara Byrne – European Disability Forum Youth Committee

**15:35 – 15:45: Q&A from online participants**

**15:45 – 16:00 Closing comments**

* Video message from MEP Dragos Pislaru
* Nadia Hadad – EDF Executive Member and Chair of the EDF Social Policy and Inclusion Committee

Link to registration: <https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZEkc-Cqpz4tG9Bs61qYi0rZOntJtF-Mqazv>