

DECENT WORK FOR MIGRANT DOMESTIC WORKERS

*Side event of the 21 session of The Committee on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of Their Families**

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Opening Remarks:

Marco Ferri,

*Head of Section Health and Social Affairs, ILO,
EU Delegation to the UN and other international
organisations in Geneva*

Moderator:

Michelle Leighton,

Chief of the Labour Migration Branch, ILO

A panel discussion:

Pablo Ceriani,

UN Committee on the Rights of Migrant Workers

Marilina Armellin,

First Counsellor, Permanent Mission of Italy

Barbro Budin,

Project and Gender Equality Coordinator, IUF

Robert J. Vitillo,

*Head of Caritas Internationalis Delegation
to the UN in Geneva*

Concluding remarks:

Jyoti Sanghera,

*Human Rights and Economic and Social Issues Section
Chief at OHCHR*



*This side event, organized in the framework of the EU funded project "Global Action Programme on Migrant Domestic Workers", will provide a forum to raise awareness on the disadvantages experienced by migrant domestic workers, the challenges to ensure the design and effective implementation of protective legislation and redress mechanisms, and to improve their organizational capacities.