

PRAISE CONFERENCE

Preventing Road Accidents and Injuries for the Safety of Employees

Tuesday 24th October 2017, 09:30 -15:00
Thon Hotel EU, Rue de la Loi 75, Brussels

The European Transport Safety Council (ETSC) has the pleasure of welcoming you to the 7th Annual European PRAISE Conference on work-related road safety.

Many people need to use the roads as part of their working lives, but it's an ordinary activity that leads to an incredibly high level of injury and death. It is estimated that in Europe six out of ten work accidents resulting in death are road collisions, including both crashes while driving for work and commuting crashes (Eurogip). According to the European Commission, road traffic collisions account for nearly 40% of incidents at work resulting in death. The PRAISE project addresses the safety aspects of driving at work and driving to work.

The conference brings together fleet safety managers, EU institutions, government representatives, and road safety experts to discuss the latest developments and priorities in work related road safety. The winners of the ETSC PRAISE awards 2017 will also be announced.

The program includes contributions from leading occupational health and safety experts and will feature a presentation of ETSC's recent report: 'Tapping the potential for reducing work-related road deaths and injuries'.

ETSC's PRAISE project addresses the safety aspects of driving at work and driving to work. Its aim is to promote best practice in order to help employers secure high road safety standards for their employees. www.etsc.eu/praise

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AGENDA

09.00 Registration and Coffee

09:30 Welcome by Professor Herman De Croo

09:35 Introduction by Antonio Avenoso

09:45 – 11:15 Work-Related Road Safety in the EU today

- 09.45 ETSC Pin Flash on Work Related Road Safety – Deidre Sinnott McFeat, HSA Ireland
- 10.05 Revision of the Certificate of Professional Competence – Casto Lopez Benitez, DG Mobility and Transport, European Commission
- 10.25 Vesafe - Matthew Hepplestone, DG Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion, European Commission
- 10:45 Discussion and Questions

11:15 – 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 – 12.30 PRAISE Award Ceremony and presentations

Presented by: DVR, Fundacion MAPFRE, Dräger Foundation

- 11.30 PRAISE Award for best performing SME
- 11.50 PRAISE Award for highly commended large company
- 12.10 PRAISE Award for best performing large company

12:30 – 14.00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:00 Work Related Road Safety Examples from Europe and the world

- 14.00 Fernando Camarero – Fundacion MAPFRE
- 14.20 Jacqueline Lacroix – DVR

Discussion, Questions and Closing Remarks