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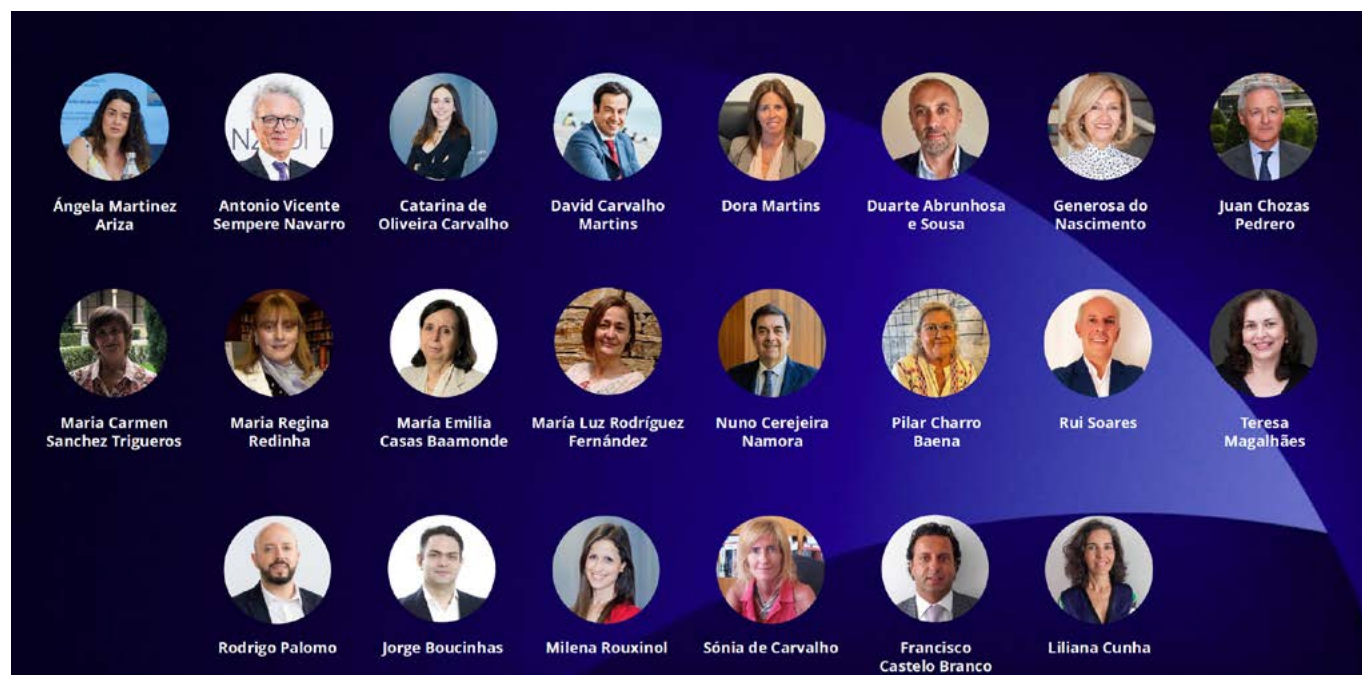
Labour2030 is already known as the largest International Congress dedicated to debating issues surrounding the future of the world of work.

In 2027, **Labour2030** celebrates a decade of existence. Ten years bringing together, at each edition, the most prominent academics and professionals from around the world to think about the future of work.

Since its first edition, in 2017, with more than 300 delegates, the Congress has not stopped growing: at its second edition, in 2019, it surpassed 500 participants, and at its third edition, in 2025, we welcomed more than 700 delegates from around the world.

On **16 and 17 September 2027**, at the **Super Bock Arena (Porto)**, we will be back to continue the debate on the future of the world of work with the best academics and professionals from around the world.

At the fourth edition of Labour2030, the Scientific Committee will include:



Law Academy, with the support of **Cerejeira Namora**, **Marinho Falcão** and **Auren**, invites all those interested in taking part in this debate to submit paper proposals on the following themes:

- 1 Work in a world in conflict: labour law under geopolitical pressure
- 2 The age of burnout: mental health, well-being, digital surveillance and the right to disconnect
- 3 Artificial intelligence and the future of work: substitution, complement or revolution?
- 4 Platforms, flexibility and new working relationships
- 5 Labour taxation and social protection: systems in crisis or in reinvention?
- 6 The global competition for talent: mobility, migration, retention and reskilling
- 7 Artificial intelligence and algorithmic management in the workplace: when the employer, the labour inspector or the colleague may be an algorithm
- 8 Inequality, diversity, inclusion and competition in labour markets
- 9 Esg, just transition and work: sustainability, regulation and corporate responsibility
- 10 Collective bargaining, labour disputes and new forms of collective mobilisation

Submission of Abstracts

1. All abstracts must be submitted by 15 January 2027:

The organisation will accept proposals from both a national and an international perspective. Approaches to the themes must be framed within the fields of Law, Economics, Human Resources, Sociology, Medicine, Industrial Relations, Technology and/or others, provided the particular interest justifies it and it fits within one of the themes mentioned above.

Proposals should correspond to papers intended to be presented in the following formats: a) dynamic plenary or parallel sessions; or b) poster presentation. Each proposer may submit up to two proposals, but a maximum of only one will be accepted by the organisation.

In the poster format, those selected will be displayed throughout the congress. Poster presentations by their authors will take place during pre-determined plenary sessions in an elevator-pitch format. Each presentation may not exceed 5 minutes in duration. Given the poster presentation format, authors will be awarded a speaker certificate.

Proposals may be submitted by more than one author, up to a limit of three authors, and all authors may present at the congress, or just one representative, depending on what is intended.

If the number of proposals warrants it, a book presentation session may also be held, as well as a session for hardware and/or software technology solutions and services related or connected to the congress themes.

All congress attendees will have the opportunity to evaluate each poster via an app created for the event. A prize will be awarded for the best poster presented.

The official languages of the congress are: Portuguese, Spanish and English. Simultaneous translation will be provided in all sessions.

Possibility of publication: After the congress, the Scientific and Organising Committees will evaluate and select the best papers for publication (online and/or in print). Papers submitted in English by non-native authors must be accompanied by a certificate attesting to the respective translation or language revision. Otherwise, the paper cannot be considered for publication purposes. If the publisher nevertheless rejects the paper on the grounds of the quality of the English, the author will be responsible for any revision costs; otherwise, the paper will be automatically rejected by the editors.

Abstract Template:

The Word template should be downloaded from the website labour2030.eu and the formatting predefined by the organisation should be followed.

Submission Guidelines:

All proposals must be submitted online through the official Labour 2030 website; abstracts sent by email will not be considered.

Authors submitting abstracts must select only one of the themes under which they wish their abstract to be evaluated.

To submit an *abstract*, registration on the *website* and use of the digital upload platform are mandatory.

Speaker Acceptance Procedure:

Notification of acceptance of speakers will be sent on 12 February 2027. Authors must register for presentation at the congress by 14 March 2027 and pay the participation fee as soon as the abstract is accepted.

Timelines:

Call for Papers Opening | 24/09/2026

Submission Deadline | 15/01/2027

Speaker Selection | 12/02/2027

Speaker Registration | 14/03/2027

Final Version Submission | 15/04/2027

Ticket Pre-Sale | 15/04/2027

Announcement of the Congress Final Programme | 01/05/2027

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