



Webinar

Retail4Youth Retail Large Scale Partnership

Topics

 Opportunities the sector offers for skills development for young people.

 Concrete actions and partnerships that aim to reduce youth unemployment.

 Testimonials from young professionals in retail who will share their personal journeys and aspirations.

 A national-level example of a public-private partnership focused on engaging and upskilling young people in retail and wholesale.



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EuroCommerce and UNI Europa, the two European social partners representing employers and workers in the retail and wholesale sector, invite you to the upcoming webinar Retail4Youth, organised in the framework of the Large-Scale Skills Partnership for the Retail Ecosystem.

With over 26 million people employed across Europe, the retail and wholesale sector is one of the largest private employers in the EU. Significantly, 1 in 7 workers in the sector is a young person. Retail and wholesale are present in every region, city, and rural community – making them a key driver in advancing the EU's competitiveness, skills, and youth employment agenda.

Draft programme's outline

Welcoming remarks: Leena Whittaker Director, Competitiveness, EuroCommerce & Oliver Roethig, UNI Europa Regional Secretary Speakers:

- Ms. Nicole Bartolo, Business Development Coordinator, Junior Achievement
- Mr. Asvazadurian Hagop, Chairman of the Jewellry and Watches Retail Trade, WKOE
- Ms. Ilina Eder, Bucherer Apprentice Junior Sales Champion 2025
- Mr. Isak Hagaseth Mydske, HK Norway Youth First Deputy Leader
- Ms. Stine Pilegaard Jespersen, Deputy Director and Head of the Department for Education, Dansk Erhvery

Closing remarks: Christel Delberghe, EuroCommerce Director General & Oliver Roethig, UNI Europa Regional Secretary

