

Demonstration: in defence of workers in the 'no reglada' education sector **Saturday 15th May, 2pm,** Plaça Universitat, Barcelona

A crucial sector for the economy and society

The 'no reglada', or unregulated, education sector plays a crucial role in professional training and lifelong learning, all of which contribute to economic growth and social development of this country. This sector plays a vital role in creating potential solutions to emerge from the current economic crisis.

Use of public finance and training funds

Our society invests millions of euros each year in subsidising the professional and return-to-work training we deliver in the no reglada sector. This includes the 0,7% social security contributions paid by all employees which go towards training programmes.

Despite this... job insecurity

In spite of the importance of this sector and whilst there are companies that are committed to quality conditions, there is a widespread problem of insecurity in working conditions. For example:

- working without contracts or forced to work freelance
- fraudulent use of temporary contracts and arbitrary dismissals
- working weeks without limits, leaving little chance for work/life balance
- social security fraud
- denial of basic labour and social rights
- repression towards workers who demand recognition of their rights.

As 'no reglada' sector workers, we demand:

- ✓ **Job security and permanent contracts**
- ✓ **Quality working week and timetables permitting a real work/life balance**
- ✓ **Job creation, NOT increases in work hours**
- ✓ **Defence of our holiday entitlements**
- ✓ **Improved social rights**

We demand:

A quality collective agreement

Immediate signature of salary scales

Creation of secure & quality employment

Respect for workers' rights

Demonstrate to defend our collective agreement