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Dear members of the COST Action WORCK,
dear colleagues interested in the study of labour and coercion,

before the year 2021 comes to an end, we would like to inform you about two things:

1. The new contract with Horizon Europe has now come into force. The former COST Vademecum has been replaced by the **COST Annotated Rules** and some things have changed.
 - a. Most importantly: All WORCK members will now become visible on the WORCK website with their own working group profile. For this, we ask you to check on eCOST if your working group affiliation has already been activated and is correct. If not, please follow the **application procedure on eCOST** as described in the PDF attached to this newsletter. No long explanation needed. Just note very briefly the role you have had and the contributions you have made so far.
 - b. **WORCK members from a non-COST member country** (i.e. colleagues from outside Europe) can now be invited for WORCK conferences, meetings and writers workshops and receive reimbursement from COST. Travel expenses are reimbursed on face-value, up to a maximum of 1500 EUR, cancellation insurance included, for the roundtrip.
 - c. For WORCK publications including authors from at least three different COST member countries, not only proofreading but also **translation is eligible** for reimbursement.
 - d. For all other details, please have a look at the well-structured **info brochure** about the COST Annotated Rules attached to this newsletter.

2. The **Call for Papers for our first WORCK Training School** is now online: <https://www.worck.eu/2021/12/19/call-for-papers-worck-training-school/>. The Training School, organised by Natalia Jarska, Jakub Stofanik, Christian De Vito and Teresa Petrik, will take place from 23 to 27 May 2022 in Warsaw. If you know of MA or PhD students who work on topics of labour and coercion and would like to present and discuss their master thesis or PhD project, we would be grateful if you could encourage them to apply. The deadline for paper proposals is 15 February 2022.

We wish you all a peaceful Christmas season and good health and well-being for 2022!

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