

## Call for Papers Comparative Labour and Social Security Law Journal 2022/2

**Deadline for paper proposals: November 1st, 2021**

### Comparative Labour and Social Security Law Journal 2022-2

#### I- Comparative Social Case Law

« **The jurisprudential protection of the whistleblower employee** »

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#### III- Bibliographic Chronicle

Analysis of legal works relating to legal sciences applied to work and social security (texts spontaneously submitted by their authors)

### I- Comparative Social Case Law: Argumentation

Whistleblowers reveal professional misconduct at great personal and professional risk. They are regularly subjected to harassment, dismissal and even physical attacks for exposing wrongdoing. These employees need strong legal protections. In several countries, legislators have passed laws to protect whistleblowers. In addition to the work of local parliaments, judges have been confronted with this issue, sometimes without a law being passed. What has been the attitude of the judge? Did they seek to protect the employee's freedom of expression or were they hostile towards the whistleblower?

The *Comparative Labour and Social Security Law Journal* (RDCTSS)<sup>1</sup>, which goal is “to contribute to the development and diffusion of analyses and discussions on comparative labour law and social security”, launches this call for papers to collect studies on case law when confronted with an employee whistleblower.

#### **Framework of the Call**

Contributions may address the following issues:

- The evolution of case law
- Burden of proof
- Scope of protection
- The purpose of whistleblowing
- Protective measures
- The reception by the national judge of international rules

<sup>1</sup> <https://comptrasec.u-bordeaux.fr/revue-de-droit-compare-du-travail-et-de-la-securite-sociale>

Contributors will be able to draw inspiration from one or more of these themes and will try to answer the general questions - or some of them - raised in the argumentation, by concentrate their developments on the case law contribution concerning this topic in their country

### **Format of expected Contributions**

The expected contributions will be in French, English or Spanish with a maximum volume of **25,000 characters** including spaces.

In addition, manuscripts must be accompanied by the following items:

- The title of the article;
- 5 keywords to identify the content;
- An abstract of 400 characters;
- The institution to which the manuscript belongs, the title, the author's research themes, the postal and electronic address of the author(s);
- Bibliographical indication of the author (two publications of your choice).

### **Calendar**

- Deadline for paper proposals (500 words abstract + title): November 1st, 2021

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- Response to authors: December 1st, 2021
- **Deadline for submission of papers: March 1st, 2022**

For more information on the work schedule to be respected when drafting contributions, and for any additional information concerning the submission of manuscripts, please contact directly A. Fiorentino ([allison.fiorentino@uca.fr](mailto:allison.fiorentino@uca.fr)) or A. Charbonneau ([alexandre.charbonneau@u-bordeaux.fr](mailto:alexandre.charbonneau@u-bordeaux.fr))

*Nota Bene:* The proposal of any author will first be submitted to the Editorial Board of the RDCTSS journal. All articles proposed for publication will be evaluated anonymously by two experts.

## **II- Bibliographic Chronicle**

The *Comparative Labour and Social Security Law Journal* occasionally publishes **bibliographical chronicles** spontaneously submitted, on legal works whose field is mainly that of legal sciences applied to work and social security.

The expected contributions will be in French, English or Spanish with a maximum volume of **15,000 characters** including spaces.

In addition, manuscripts must be accompanied by the following items:

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