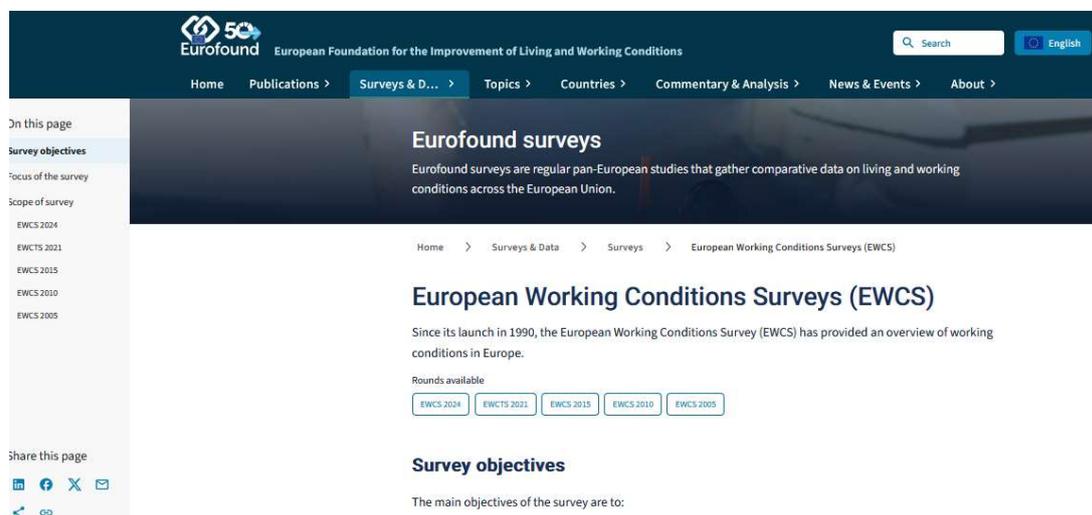


Activity 4 – EWCS – European Working Conditions Survey 2024

Each group will use the interactive tool with results from the 2024 European Working Conditions Survey (EWCS) carried out by Eurofound:

<https://www.eurofound.europa.eu/en/surveys-and-data/surveys/european-working-conditions-survey/ewcs-2024>

(if the link above does not work, google: “Eurofound EWCS 2024”)



Pick one country (henceforth defined as ‘your country’) and collect the information on the indicators listed below for the country you have chosen. **Use only the indicators below.**

Tip: It might help to also collect information on the best performing country for each indicator, for benchmarking purposes (if “your” country is the best performing one, collect only that information).

Based on the data you collected, **which conclusions can you draw (as a group) about your country, especially from the point of view of predominant models of work organization?**

Tip: To justify your answer, you may refer to specific indicators and how they support your arguments.

Besides any tables you might use, you have only **700 words for the analysis**.

PHYSICAL ENVIRONMENT

How often does your work involve tiring or painful positions?

PROSPECTS

My job offers good prospects for career advancement

What kind of employment contract do you have?

SKILLS, DISCRETION AND OTHER COGNITIVE FACTORS

Does your work involve monotonous tasks?

Does your work involve working with computers, laptops, smartphones, etc.?

You have a saying in the choice of your working partners?

In your main job, how often are you able to choose or change your methods of work?

Have you had training paid for by your employer (or self if self-employed) in the last 12 months?

WORK INTENSITY

Do you have enough time to get the job done?

Does your job involve working at very high speed?

Does your job require that you hide your feelings?

WORKING TIME

In your main job, how easy or difficult is it for you to take an hour or two off during working hours to attend to personal or family matters?

WORK-LIFE BALANCE AND FINANCIAL SECURITY

A household may have different sources of income, and more than one household member may contribute to it. Thinking of your household's total monthly income, how easy or difficult is it for your household to make ends meet?

SOCIAL ENVIRONMENT

I receive the recognition I deserve for my work