ReWAGE

ReWAGE analyses the latest work and employment research to advise the government on addressing the challenges facing the UK's productivity and prosperity

Find out more at: https://warwick.ac.uk/fac/soc/ier/rewage/

12 months of ReWAGE:

ReWAGE's co-chairs have spoken at:
Business Resilience APPG; Northern
Powerhouse APPG; Women and Work
APPG; the Liverpool City Region APPG;
the CIPD Conference; the OSCE
Economic and Environmental
Forum and the Chief Economic
Development Officers Society.

ReWAGE marshalled expert responses to government consultations: Levelling Up; Flexible Working; Disability Workforce Reporting; Mental Health and Wellbeing Plan; Postpandemic economic growth (UK labour markets) and the Good Work Review.

ReWAGE convened joint meetings with the English MCAs to review their employment charters and find good practice and commonalities that can be shared and that can support government policy development.

ReWAGE has held monthly meetings with government officials from **BEIS**, **DfE** and **DWP** to determine how we can inform their policy development with our Expert Group's insight and knowledge.

ReWAGE hosted a public briefing on 'ways to help the low-paid' hosted by political commentator Will Hutton.



ReWAGE hosted joint meetings with the **Scottish, Welsh and NI governments** to consider policy areas of common interest.

ReWAGE convened an ESRC Covid-19 grants workshop – this was the first time that the projects had been brought together in this way. Grant holders showcased their projects on our website and were invited onto ReWAGE sub-groups.

National coverage includes:



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ReWAGE's sub-groups bring together 35 experts from across the UK to make recommendations on work and employment themes:

- Good Jobs
- Improving the future world of work post-Covid
- Pay and Income
- Labour Supply and Migration
- Levelling Up
- Skills and Careers
- Work and Health
- Work, Wages and Employment in the Gig Economy
- Work, Wages and Employment in Hospitality
- Work, Wages and Employment in Social Care
- Flexible Working

REWAGE's experts are drawn from:

- Aston University
- University of Birmingham
- University of Bristol
- University of Cambridge
- Cardiff University
- Centre for Employment Relations, Innovation and Change (University of Leeds)
- Durham University
- University of Edinburgh
- University of East Anglia
- University of Glasgow
- Institute for Employment Studies (University of Warwick)
- King's College London
- University of Leeds

- London School of Economics and Political Science
- University of Manchester
- Manchester Metropolitan University
- Nevin Economic Research Institute
- Newcastle University
- University of Oxford
- Resolution Foundation
- University of Sheffield
- Sheffield Hallam University
- University of Strathclyde
- University of Warwick
- University of York

ReWAGE's reports include:

- Beyond the national living wage further proposals for addressing low pay
- Monitoring UK job quality a feasibility study for developing a new approach
- Review of employment charters in the English Mayoral Combined Authorities
- The end of free movement and the low wage labour force in the UK
- Recovering better improving mental health in the workplace
- Putting employment on the levelling up agenda
- Addressing Disability Disadvantage in the Labour Market
- Making flexible working the default
- Eight actions to tackle the impact of the cost-of-living crisis