

UNITED FOR INTERCULTURAL ACTION

WEBINARS

PROGRAM

April 2<u>5-26, 2020</u>



REPRESSION AGAINST MOVEMENTS AND THREATS AGAINST DEMOCRACY DURING THE PRESENT CRISIS

12:00-12:30 AM

First contact to webinar practice, and to know each other.

12:30-13:15 - "Stopping repression against movements in Russia, Ukraine and the EU".

Reports on different cases and proposal for action :

- Russia: Cases in St Petersburg, Moscow, Penza
- Ukraine: Odessa massacre and solidarity action May 2
- Lithuania: Algirdas Paleckis
- Austria: Abdel Kerim Abu Habel, a Palestinian asylum seeker
- Catalonia: 9 Catalan political leaders sentenced to prison between 9 to 13 years.
- UK : Julian Assange and labelling Stop the war, Greenpeace and other movements as terrorist threats

13:15-14:00 - "Defending democratic rights during the present crisis

Reports from Russia, Central and Eastern Europe, Northern Europe, Southern Europe

14:00 - Conclusions and closing ceremony



AN INTERNATIONALISTIC ANSWER TO THE CORONACRISIS

10:00-10:45 AM - Welcome ceremony

Introduction : How can movements come together during the crisis and work together in Europe and towards World Social Forum (WSF) in Mexico 2021 ?

Leo Gabriel, and the initiators of th webinars.

10:45-11:00 AM - "How to participate" ?

Collective solving of practical issues.

11:00-12:30 AM - "An internationalistic answer to the coronacrisis"

Leire Azkargota, Francine Mestrum, Aleksander Buzgalin, Rainer Braun, Peter Wahl, CEE person appointed by UNITED/Young Naturefriends.

12:30-13:00 - Break



AN INTERNATIONALISTIC ANSWER TO THE CORONACRISIS

13:00 - 14:30 - "An internationalistic answer to the Coronacrisis from a youth perspective"

Youth action movements on : "How to solve the crisis from a peace and environmental/health justice perspective ?"



Michel Diaz Nocetti, Maruška Marija Mileta, Kristóf Nagy, Amos Wallgren.

14:45 - 16:45 - "What can we do ?"

- 14:45 15:15 Summary of proposals from earlier sessions.
 Discussion on : "How to unify peace and environmental movement and a common way to address the crisis ?"
- 15:15 16:00 Working groups on social rural and urban movements, peace and environmental movements, youth movements, antirepression.
- 16:00 16:45 Reports from the working groups, proposals for actions and next step forward.

16:45 - 17:00 - Conclusions and closing ceremony



- Leire Azkargota, European secretariat of the International Peoples Assembly
- Rainer Braun, International Peace Bureau
- Aleksander Buzgalin, Alternatives, Russia
- Michel Diaz Nocetti, No to Nato Sweden
- Leo Gabriel, Prague Spring 2 ; Member of the International Council of WSF
- Maruška Marija Mileta, refugee activists and Green Action Croatia
- Francine Mestrum, Global Social Justice and member of the International Committee of WSF
- Kristóf Nagy, editorial member of FORDULAT, Hungary
- Peter Wahl, World Economy, Ecology and Development (WEED)
- Amos Wallgren, young climate activist from Finland

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