



# G20 counter conference

taking alternatives forward

Saturday, 7 November 2009

Central Hall Westminster, Central London, UK

10:00 – 11:00	<b>Plenary Session 1</b> <i>Topic:</i> The failure of a paradigm but has anything really changed? <i>Chair:</i> Jesse Griffiths (Bretton Woods Project) <i>Speakers:</i> John Hilary (War on Want), Poul Nyrup Rasmussen (PES), Diane Elson (University of Essex), Lidy Nacpil (Jubilee South)		
11:00 – 12:00	<b>Plenary Session 2</b> <i>Topic:</i> What are the alternatives that work for people and planet <i>Chair:</i> Sargon Nissan (nef) <i>Speakers:</i> Caroline Lucas MEP, Bolivian MP, Deborah Doane (WDM), <b>open space – checking for someone from UNI Africa</b>		
12:00 – 13:00	<b>Lunch – bring your own or available in the canteen</b>		
13:00 – 14:15	<b>Breakout session 1 – Jobs, Justice and Climate</b>		
	<i>Topic:</i> Our jobs or jobs for all? <i>Chair:</i> Hilary Wainwright (Red Pepper) <i>Speakers:</i> Sarah Jayne Clifton (Friends of the Earth), Greg Thomson (UNISON),	<i>Topic:</i> What does climate change have to do with the financial crisis? <i>Chair:</i> Andrew Simms (new economics foundation) <i>Speakers:</i> Vestas worker, Catherine Howarth (Fair Pensions), Larry Lohman (Corner House)	<i>Topic:</i> What links poverty abroad with inequality here? <i>Chair:</i> Jenny Ricks (tbc, ActionAid) <i>Speakers:</i> Richard Bennett (tbc, ex-BOND), Damon Gibbons (tbc, Debt on our Doorstep), Mel Whitter (UNITE local organiser)
14:30 – 15:45	<b>Breakout session 2 – How do we mobilise? (three parallel sessions with ‘smaller’ group discussion of approx 150 people)</b>		
	<i>Discussion leader:</i> Noel Hatch (Compass Youth) <i>Speakers:</i> Jon Cruddas MP, climate camp rep, Tim Aldred (tbc, Progressio)	<i>Discussion leader:</i> Neal Lawson (Compass) <i>Speakers:</i> Jon Jordan (tbc), Jon Harris (tbc, Guardian), Simon Hughes MP (tbc)	<i>Discussion leader:</i> Glen Tarman (BOND) <i>Speakers:</i> Adam Price MP (tbc), Willie Sullivan (Vote for a Change), WWF-UK person (tbc)
16:00 – 17:30	<b>Closing Plenary</b> <i>Topic:</i> Taking alternatives forward <i>Chair:</i> Asad Rehman (Friends of the Earth) <i>Invited Speakers:</i> Tony Juniper (Princes Rainforests Projects), Billy Hayes (general secretary CWU), <b>open space for a PPF person</b>		