

War in Ukraine and the Politics of the Left

International conference

September 6-7, 2014

Kyiv, Ukrainian House (Khreshchatyk str., 2)

PROGRAM

Saturday, 06.09.2014

09:30 – 10:00 **Participants registration**

10:00 – 12:00 Nationalisms and imperialisms in the military conflicts in post-socialist world	Moderator: Volodymyr Ishchenko Andreja Zivkovic (Marks21, UK/Serbia), Marko Bojcun (historian, UK), Ovidiu Tichindeleanu (Critic Atac, Romania/Moldova), Illya Budraitskis (Russian Socialist Movement, Russia)
12:00 – 12:30 Coffee-break	
12:30 – 14:00 Assault on social and civic rights under the pretext of the war	Moderator: Ihor Bulyha Natalia Humeniuk (journalist, Hromadske TV, Ukraine), Vitaliy Dudin (Left Opposition, Ukraine), Maksym Butkevych (No Borders, Ukraine), Oleksandra Nazarova (human rights activist, Ukraine)
14:00-15:00 Lunch	
15:00-16:30 Gender dimension of conflicts and protests	Moderator: Anastasiya Bezverkha Nadia Chushak (researcher, Ukraine), Nina Potarska (Center for Social and Labor Research, Ukraine), Bella Rapoport (journalist, Russia), Alice Martins (Photographer, Turkey)

16:30-17:00 Coffee-break	
17:00-19:00 Left politics in Eastern Europe: success and failure stories	Moderator: Vitaliy Dudin Anze Dolinar (Slovenian MP, United Left), Volodymyr Chemerys (Institute "Republic", Ukraine), Ivo Georgiev (Rosa Luxemburg Foundation, Germany), Igor Paniuta (Alterra, Ukraine)

Sunday, 07.09.2014

10:00-11:30 Social protest in the war context	Moderator: Vitaliy Dudin Volodymyr Ishchenko (Center for Social and Labor Research, Ukraine), Oleg Zhuravlev (Center of Independent Sociological Research, Russia), Zakhar Popovych (Left Opposition, Ukraine)
11:30-12:00 Кава-брейк	
12:00-15:00 Party representation of the left and trade union movement	Moderator: Zakhar Popovych
15:00-16:00 Lunch	
16:00-17:00 Final discussion	Moderator: Nelia Vakhovska

Organizers:

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