



## UPCOMING EVENTS



Thursday, September 18, 6-8pm

### JOBS, CLIMATE CHANGE, AND SYSTEM CHANGE

1199 SEIU, 310 West 43rd St, 7th Floor

Climate and jobs are two crises with one solution, but we won't be able to save our planet without challenging the power structure of capitalist society. Join labor and community leaders from the U.S., Latin America, Asia, and Europe to discuss how workers can take the lead in the struggle for good jobs and a sustainable environment.

This event is co-sponsored by the Left Labor Project. More information [here](#).

Monday, September 22, 6:30-9:30pm

### LABOR CELEBRATION OF PEOPLE'S CLIMATE MARCH

1199 SEIU, 310 West 43rd St, Auditorium

The labor movement has long recognized that business as usual doesn't work for working men and women. It is increasingly clear that it doesn't work for the planet either. Join labor

leaders from New York City and around the world—including Argentina, Brazil, Canada, India, Norway, Peru, the Philippines, South Africa, South Korea, and the UK—to celebrate the People’s Climate March and to learn about how workers are fighting back against fossil fuel companies, taking control of our shared resources, and building a just, sustainable, and democratic energy system.

This event is co-sponsored by Trade Unions for Energy Democracy. More information [here](#).

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September 26 & 27

## THE POLITICS OF ENERGY: OIL AND BEYOND?

University of Victoria, Canada

Recent debates on pipelines in Canada and the U.S. have been about tolerable risk of transporting oil as well as about how we envision a socially and environmentally sustainable energy policy for the future. This conference will address energy as an engine of economic and political change from a global perspective. What are politically promising initiatives in addressing these challenges both in the Western world and in the global south? How has the political struggle for a responsible and effective energy policy informed practices on the ground? Who are the drivers of change?

Download the [program](#). More information [here](#).

**THE POLITICS OF ENERGY: OIL AND BEYOND?**

Sept. 26|27 2014: Public Conference and Forum  
Featuring keynote with Thomas Homer-Dixon

**FRI, SEPT. 26: Energy for Whom? Perspectives from Europe, North America, and the Global South**  
With Manuela Oliveira, Food and Planet Watch | Jovana Maric, Alliance of Progressive Labor, Philippines  
Heather Milton, Lightroom, Indigenous Tjari Sardsi Campaign | Hans Thies, Die Linke, Germany | and others  
1:30pm-3:00pm, UNK Carlson's Student Union Building (COM) | Antabak Queenwood Room

**FRI, SEPT. 26: Carlson 5th: The Coming Global Energy Transition**  
Keynote Presentation with Thomas Homer-Dixon  
Thomas Homer-Dixon is the author of 'The Collapse of Complex Societies, Creativity, and the Renewal of Civilization'. He teaches at the University of Waterloo, Canada.  
6:00-7:30pm, UNK Bob Wright Centre (BWC) | B150

**SAT, SEPT. 27: Governing energy: international and local responses**  
With Leah Savitsky, Global Labor Institute, Cornell University | Elizabeth Thompson-Keller, The No More Landa Movement, Earth-Land-Centers | and many others  
8:00am-12:00pm, David Strong Building (DSB) | C136, C114, C124, C133, C138, C139, C138

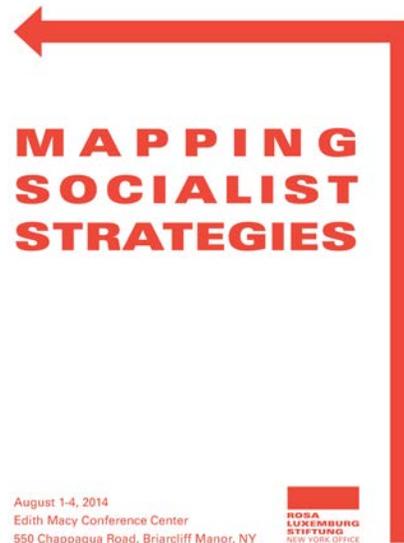
Co-sponsored by the Environmental Learning Center, New York Office and the Energy Center for Global Studies  
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## NEWS FROM OUR EVENTS

### MAPPING SOCIALIST STRATEGIES

In the first days of August 2014 at the Edith Macy Center in Westchester County, RLS–NYC brought together one hundred influential leftists and progressives from across the United States, Canada, and Europe for an “un-conference” on socialist strategies. This gathering served as a place to develop strategic concepts for the Left’s political interventions, both at a national level and through international collaboration.

Download the [report](#), check out the [pictures](#) on our Flickr page, and read [more information](#) about the event.



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## NEW VIDEOS

### BIG OIL: GETTING IT OUT OF OUR SYSTEM



We know we have to get clean, but Big Oil just keeps fiending after that next hit, tapping all our earth’s veins, leaving scars darker and more permanent. Who is helping us quit, and how? Can we envision life after oil? [Watch](#) Heather Milton Lightening, Al Weinrub, Tadzio Müller, and Lara Skinner adressing these questions.

### THE NEW BLACK: RE-FRAMING COMMUNITY



Opal Tometi, Sunyata Altenor, Miriam Neptune, and Kazembe Balagun talk about global migration and the struggle from civil rights to global citizenship. They look at the intersections of race, class, gender and Black immigrant communities, as well as the potential for solidarity from below. Check out the video [here](#).

# THE ACCUMULATION OF CAPITAL



Rosa Luxemburg's ideas have recently returned to the forefront of social movement struggles. Jason Schulman, Neferti X. M. Tadiar, Raphaële Chappe, and Stefanie Ehmsen [discuss](#) how her theories help us understand and fight the myths that undergird contemporary capitalism and never-ending growth.

## NEW PUBLICATIONS

### WHO CARES?

A Feminist Critique of the Care Economy  
Nancy Folbre - August 2014

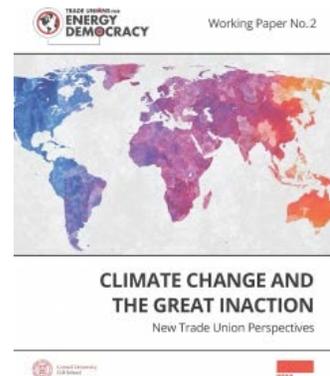
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### CLIMATE CHANGE AND THE GREAT INACTION

New Trade Union Perspectives  
Sean Sweeney - September 2014

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