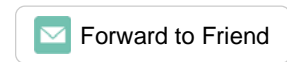




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DECEMBER 9: A TRUMP WORLD ORDER?

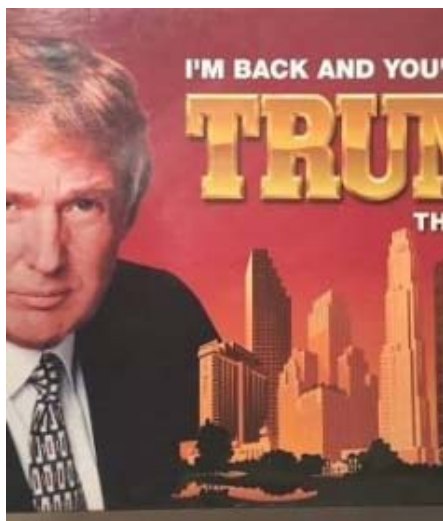


Donald Trump's shocking election victory presents itself not only as a national catastrophe for the American people, but as a threat to the entire globe. On December 9, RLS–NYC will host a panel discussion on future President Trump's impact in the global arena. Join Medea Benjamin, Ingar Solty, Jillian Schwedler, and Vijay Prashad for an illuminating discussion on the potentially radical

shifts in US foreign policy under Trump.

For more details and to RSVP, please visit our [website](#).

DONALD TRUMP AND THE RISE OF THE NATIONALIST RIGHT



With Donald Trump in the White House, the seriousness of the far-right threat can hardly be overestimated. This essay series takes a look at four major explanations for why Trump won this election. Our contributors take on the Democratic Party's neglect of the white working class (Connor Kilpatrick); the persistence of racism (Lester K. Spence); misogyny and corporate feminism (Liza Featherstone); and the left's shortcomings and failures (Ethan Young). Read the entire series [here](#).

BUILDING NEW MODELS FOR ALTERNATIVE HOUSING



For four years, our Right to the City Roundtables have provided an opportunity for housing activists from Europe and North America to meet, debate and share strategies. This year's roundtable in New York will continue the focus on building alternative housing models. As the global population is turning more urban and major city centers are seen as bastions of educational, economic and cultural possibilities, access to affordable, quality housing is a necessity and should be seen as a human right.

For details, see our [website](#).

A LABOR ACTIVISTS' CROSS-BORDER EXCHANGE



Once more, RLS–NYC will co-host a Tri-national Labor Gathering with the UCLA Downtown Labor Center and the Institute for Transnational Social Change. This year, for the first time, we will hold the gathering in Toronto, and we are excited to announce the Canadian Steelworkers as our host and co-sponsor. This gathering seeks to foster transnational collaborations, to promote discussion about international organizing strategies, and to increase public awareness about worker rights in communities across North America.

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RLS–NYC AT COP22 IN MARRAKECH

From November 7 to 18, national delegates gathered in Marrakech, Morocco, for the UN climate summit. RLS held a full roster of events including sessions on energy democracy, resistance to market-based false solutions, the need for “loss and damage” instruments that promote climate justice, and the EU’s neocolonial fossil fuel infrastructure projects. For photos, visit [Flickr](#).



HISTORY OF THE JEWS IN THE GDR

On November 1-2, the Leo Baeck Institute, the Jewish Museum Berlin, and the Rosa Luxemburg Stiftung—New York Office hosted a workshop on the history of the Jews in the German Democratic Republic, bringing together scholars, journalists, writers, archivists, and contemporary witnesses who have conducted research on the topic with the aim of jointly developing ideas for a research agenda in this field. See our [Flickr page](#) for pictures.



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