

MARXISM 2017 IDEAS FOR A WORLD IN TURMOIL

Post-election
Provisional
timetable



Four
days of
meetings
& debate

6-9 July,
Central
London

Hosted
by the
SWP

Speakers include

Marxist economist **Michael Roberts** discusses *The Long Depression*

Sheila Coleman from the Hillsborough Justice Campaign and **Mark George QC** on Hillsborough, Orgreave and state cover ups

Ian Angus considers The Anthropocene and climate change

Alex Callinicos assesses Trump and the crisis of neoliberalism

Susan Rosenthal investigates Eugenics today

Jonathan Rosenhead discusses Speaking out for Palestine: BDS and the right to criticise Israel

Kevin Doogan on Precarity: minority condition or majority experience?

Cage outreach director **Moazzam Begg** joins **Azad Ali** and **Siema Iqbal** from MEND and other speakers for a panel on Islamophobia and Prevent

Beth Greenhill discusses Marxism and mental health

Weyman Bennett asks Why is there a rise in racism?



Irish TD **Brid Smith** and German Die Linke MP **Christine Buchholz** join a panel on The political crisis in Europe

Gilbert Achcar discusses Revolution and counter-revolution in the Arab region

Deirdre O'Neill and **Mike Wayne** ask why there is a lack of working class representation in film

Laura Miles, **Pat Clinton** and **Sami Hillyer** discuss Trans resistance

Dave Randall launches his new book *Sound System: The Political Power of Music*

Sue Caldwell looks at Marxism, gender and trans politics and asks Can we go beyond the binary?

Anne Alexander and **Jad Bouharoun** on Imperialism and resistance in the Middle East today

Sean Sayers looks at Marx and teleology and asks Does history have a goal?

BFAWU president **Ian Hodson** joins **Julie Sherry** from the SWP and other trade unionists to discuss Building fighting unions

Anti-racist campaigner **Maz Saleem** joins **Naima Omar** and **Saba Shiraz** on a panel to discuss Women and Islamophobia

Gerry Carroll from People Before Profit discusses Ireland and the rise of the radical left

Judith Orr asks Is there a new women's movement?

Ghayath Naisse analyses Syria and the Arab revolutions

Linda Burnip and **Roger Lewis** join a panel to assess Disability and resistance after the election

Nicola Field discusses LGBT+ liberation

Dave Smith of the Blacklist Support Group discusses Spycops and police infiltration

Petros Constantinou joins a panel to discuss Fighting the far right and fascists across Europe

Panos Garganas on The tragedy of Syriza



Jeremy Corbyn has given new hope to the left Photo: Guy Smallman

WHERE NEXT AFTER THE ELECTION?

The election result was an absolute disaster for Theresa May and the Tories, and a triumph for Jeremy Corbyn and the Labour Party.

Against the odds, and despite the media onslaught Corbyn massively increased Labour's vote share and number of seats.

The result shows that Britain is not a right wing

country, and that left wing and socialist ideas are popular!

The support for Corbyn is part of a broader pattern of polarisation taking place across the globe that has thrown up resistance and left wing alternatives as well as far right politics and bigots like Donald Trump.

Marxism 2017 is a four day political festival hosted

by the Socialist Workers Party.

It will bring together thousands of people at over 130 different meetings.

There will be space for discussion about how we can mobilise not only in support of Corbyn but also to bring about fundamental change and make racism, war, inequality and climate chaos things of the past.

Corbyn and the new politics – fighting to win

Where next after the election?

- Charlie Kimber, SWP joint national secretary, analyses **The Corbyn surge: what happened at the general election?** **Fri, 2.30pm** and asks **Where next for the left after the election?** **Sat, 11.45am**
- Mark L Thomas looks at **Corbyn, Labour and the struggle for socialism** **Thu, 2.30pm**
- Angela McCormick asks **After the elections: where is Scotland going?** **Sun, 10am**
- Joseph Choonara considers **How can the left shape Brexit?** **Sun, 3.45pm**
- Activists from Momentum and the Labour left join a panel discussion on **Where next for Labour?** **Sat, 4.15pm**



Hillsborough, Orgreave and state cover ups

Sheila Coleman from the Hillsborough Justice Campaign is joined by Mark George QC and a campaigner from the Orgreave Truth and Justice Campaign to discuss their fights for justice in the face of state cover ups. **Sat, 2.30pm**



Picturehouse cinema workers on strike Photo: Terry McGrath

Getting organised: how can we finish off Tory policies?

- Author and activist Alan Gibbons joins parents and teachers for a panel discussion on **Another school is possible: the fight for education** **Sun, 10am**
- NHS workers and campaigners join a panel on **How can we fight for our NHS?** **Sat, 2.30pm**
- Eileen Short is joined by housing campaigners to ask **What can we do about the housing crisis?** **Sun, 2.30pm**
- Workers from a range of unions come together to discuss **From the junior doctors to Deliveroo: winning a new generation of trade unionists** **Fri, 7pm**

Class, struggle and the trade unions today

- Julie Sherry asks **Has the working class lost its power?** **Fri, 2.30pm**
- Kevin Doogan assesses **Precarity: minority condition or majority experience** **Sat, 11.45am**
- Joseph Choonara investigates **Who are the middle class?** **Fri, 10am**
- Martin Upchurch questions **Is a robot after your job?** **Sat, 10am**
- Mark L Thomas asks **After the Tory Trade Union Act: how can we get the action we need?** **Sun, 11.45am**
- Ian Hodson from BFAWU joins EIS strikers and others on a panel to discuss **Building fighting unions** **Sun, 3.45pm**

100 years on: celebrating the Russian Revolution

One hundred years ago people in Russia transformed their world. What can we learn from the revolution today in our fight for change?

- Dave Sherry launches his new book **Russia 1917: Workers' Revolution and the Festival of the Oppressed** **Fri, 2.30pm**
- Alex Callinicos assesses **The Russian Revolution and the lessons of October** **Sun, 11.45am**
- Anna Gluckstein considers **Marxism, religion and the Russian Revolution**, **Sun, 3.45pm**
- John Molyneux launches his new book **Lenin for Today** **Sat, 10am**
- Amy Leather discusses **State and revolution** **Thu, 2.30pm**
- Roger Huddle and Hugh Tisdale on **Art and the Russian Revolution** **Sat, 4.15pm**
- Sabby Sagall considers **The music of the Russian revolution** **Fri, 10am**
- Ken Olende looks at **The Russian revolution and the colonial world** **Sat, 2.30pm**



Racism, resistance and revolution

Challenging Islamophobia

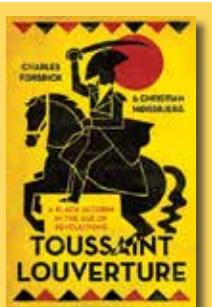
- Moazzam Begg joins Siema Iqbal and Azad Ali from Muslim Engagement & Development on a panel to look at **Challenging Prevent and Islamophobia Sun, 2.30pm**
- Anti racist campaigner Maz Saleem joins Saba Shiraz and Naima Omar to discuss **Islamophobia and women Sat, 2.30pm**

Understanding racism

- Weyman Bennett assesses **Why is racism on the rise? Sat, 4.15pm**
- Yunus Bakhsh asks **Where does racism come from? Fri, 10am**
- Yuri Prasad explores **How Asians transformed the British working class Sun, 11.45am**
- Kate Hurford looks at 'White supremacy' and 'micro aggressions': **How can we explain racism? Sat, 10am**

Book launch

Toussaint Louverture: A Black Jacobin in the Age of Revolutions with Christian Hogsbjerg and Charles Forsdick
Thu, 4.15pm



Demonstrating for the Bradford 12 in Leeds, April 1982

Self defence is no offence: from the Bradford 12 to the Rotherham 12

Tariq Mehmood of the Bradford 12 joins Abrar Javid from the Rotherham 12 and their barrister Michael Mansfield at this special panel meeting to discuss the police, racism and the state – and how we can fight back, **Fri 7 July, 7pm**

In 1981 12 young Asians in Bradford were accused of conspiracy to make petrol bombs in preparation for a fascist attack.

In their defence the 'Bradford 12' argued that oppressed people had the right to physically defend themselves

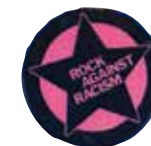
from racist attacks. They argued that the police could not be trusted to do so because they were institutionally racist.

After a nine-week trial, the jury acquitted the 12 and established the vital legal precedent that self-defence is no offence.

Some 34 years later another group of Asian men, the 'Rotherham 12', were charged with violent disorder following a peaceful protest against the Nazi Britain First. The jury found all those who stood trial not guilty.

Fighting racism today

- Brian Richardson explores **Black Lives Matter: race, class and revolt in the US Sun, 10am**
- *Socialist Worker* journalist Dave Sewell argues **The case against borders: why we oppose immigration controls Fri, 11.45am**
- Antony Hamilton looks at **Malcolm X and the fight against racism Thu, 12.30pm**
- Roger Huddle and Zak Cochrane from LMHR consider the impact of **Music against racism from Rock Against Racism to Love Music Hate Racism Fri, 2.30pm**
- A special panel meeting will bring together workers and activists **Fighting for migrants' rights after Brexit Sat, 7pm**



Challenging the Nazis and the far right

- Michael Bradley asks **Trump, Le Pen and Farage: are they all fascists? Fri, 4.15pm**
- Petros Constantinou from Greece and Christine Buchholz from Germany join others to discuss **Fighting the far right and fascists across Europe Sun, 3.45pm**
- Rob Ferguson explores **Antisemitism, Islamophobia and the far right Thu, 4.15pm**
- A special panel meeting brings together activists from the battle of Lewisham of 1977 to discuss **Confronting the Nazis Sat, 10am**

A world in turmoil: stopping war and climate change

Globalise the resistance: struggle and politics from across the world

- Panos Garganas considers **The tragedy of Syriza** **Sun, 11.45am**
- Talat Ahmed looks at **The partition of India 70 years** on **Fri, 11.45am**
- Greek socialist Maria Styllou joins Die Linke MP Christine Buchholz and Irish TD Brid Smith to discuss **The political crisis in Europe** **Sun, 2.30pm**
- David Karvala and Hector Puente assess **Podemos and struggle in the Spanish state** **Sat, 11.45am**
- Andy Brown questions **Where is Venezuela going?** **Sun, 10am**
- Tomáš Tengely-Evans discusses **From Stalin to Putin: Russia today** **Sun, 10am**
- Lewis Nielsen asks **How can the left gain from Trump's crisis?** **Sun, 11.45am**



Cars abandoned in the aftermath of the Fukushima disaster

Capitalism and climate change

- Author and activist Ian Angus discusses the subject of his recent book **Facing the Anthropocene: fossil capitalism and the crisis of the earth system** **Sat, 4.15pm**
- Ian Angus also launches his new book *A Redder Shade of Green* in conversation with Martin Empson **Sun, 2.30pm**
- Suzanne Jeffery looks at **Building the movement against climate change** after Trump withdraws from the Paris agreement **Sun, 3.45pm**
- Martin Empson analyses **Marxism, nature and society** **Fri, 2.30pm**
- Amy Leather assesses **Capitalism and food** **Thu, 12.30pm**
- Andrew Milner considers **Climate change and science fiction** **Sun, 10am**



Understanding the crisis

- Alex Callinicos looks at **Trump and the crisis of liberal capitalism** **Sat, 7pm**
- Marxist economist Michael Roberts assesses the **Economic crisis and the long depression** **Sat, 2.30pm**

Imperialism, Palestine, Syria & the Middle East

- Gilbert Achcar on **Revolution and counter-revolution in the Arab region: where do things stand?**
- Jonathan Rosenhead and others join a special panel meeting facilitated by Tom Hickey on **Speaking out for Palestine: BDS and the right to criticise Israel** **Sat, 4.15pm**
- Judith Orr asks **What are the roots of terrorism today?** **Sat, 11.45am**
- Ghayath Naisse assesses **Syria: revolution and counter revolution** **Sat, 10am**
- Ron Margulies looks at **Turkey, the Kurds and Syria** **Sun, 2.30pm**
- Wassim Wagdy discusses **Egypt today** **Sun, 3.45pm**
- Simon Assaf assesses **Isis, Imperialism and the Middle East** **Thu, 4.15pm**
- Anne Alexander and Jad Bouharoun consider **Imperialism and resistance in the Middle East** today **Fri, 4.15pm**
- Phil Marfleet asks **What is Islamism?** **Sun, 10am**
- Adrian Budd discusses **China and Imperialism** today **Thu, 12.30pm**



FIGHTING FOR LIBERATION

Challenging oppression

- Sally Campbell assesses **Can intersectionality and privilege theory help in the fight against oppression?** **Fri, 11.45am**
- Esme Choonara assesses **What is cultural appropriation?** **Fri, 4.15pm**
- Moyra Samuels asks **Do British people benefit from the oppression of the Global South?** **Fri, 7pm**
- Gary McFarlane looks at **Imperialism and revolution: who was Frantz Fanon?** **Thu, 2.30pm**
- Beth Greenhill discusses **Marxism and mental health** **Fri, 11.45am**

Disability and resistance

- Linda Burnip, Roger Lewis and others join a panel to discuss **Disability and resistance after the election** **Sat, 11.45am**
- Roddy Slorach, author of *A very Capitalist Condition: a Politics and History of Disability*, asks **How can disabled people win liberation?** **Sat, 7pm**



Photo: Yussre El Bardicy

Sexism and women's oppression

- Celia Hutchison discusses **Where does women's oppression come from?** **Fri, 2.30pm**
- Jan Nielsen on **Women's oppression, the industrial revolution and the making of the modern family** **Fri, 4.15pm**
- Judith Orr, author of *Marxism and Women's Liberation*, looks at **Intersectional feminism to the women's marches: Is there a new movement?** **Fri, 7pm**
- Ellisiv Rognlien from Poland joins Judith Orr and others to discuss **Fighting for abortion rights in the era of Trump** **Sat, 4.15pm**
- Emma Davis investigates **Alexandra Kollontai, the Russian revolution and the fight for sexual liberation** **Sat, 7pm**



The struggle for LGBT+ liberation

- Author Nicola Field looks at **LGBT+ liberation in the 21st century** **Sun, 11.45am**
- Sue Caldwell on **Going beyond the binary: Marxism, gender and trans politics** **Sun, 2pm**
- Laura Miles, Pat Clinton and Sami Hillyer consider **Trans resistance then and now** **Sun, 3.45pm**

THE LIGHT FMH	UPPER HALL SC	MALET SC	3E SC	3D SC	3C SC
This timetable is subject to change. An updated timetable will be available at the Marxism event		Capitalism and food Amy Leather	By any means necessary: Malcolm X and the fight against racism Antony Hamilton	China and imperialism today Adrian Budd	What would socialism be like? Sarah Bates
	Corbyn, the Labour Party and the struggle for socialism Mark L Thomas	Imperialism and revolution: who was Frantz Fanon? Gary McFarlane	Biodiversity and species extinction Sarah Ensor & Ian Rappel	Marx, Engels, primitive communism and the Blasket Islands Paul O'Brien	What is anarchism?
	Spycops: undercover police surveillance of activists Dave Smith & others	Isis, imperialism and the Middle East Simon Assaf	Antisemitism, Islamophobia and the far right Rob Ferguson	Do we need violence to get real social change? Sally Campbell	Book launch <i>Toussaint Louverture: A Black Jacobin in the Age of Revolutions</i> Christian Hogsbjerg & Charles Forsdick

12.30-1.45pm
2.30-3.45pm
4.15-5.30pm
7-8.30pm



A meeting at Marxism 2016 Photo by Guy Smallman

	JEFFERY IE	THE VENUE SC	UPPER HALL SC	MALET SC	3E SC	3D SC	3B SC	3C SC	GALLERY BAR SC	
10-11.15am			Fake news: media, truth and power Simon Basketter	Who are the middle class? Joseph Choonara	State and revolution Amy Leather	The Marxist theory of imperialism: what is the driving force behind war? Chris Newlove	The music of the Russian Revolution Sabby Sagall			10-11.15am
11.45am-1pm			150 years since the publication of <i>Capital</i> Alex Callinicos	Marxism and mental health Beth Greenhill	The case against borders: why we oppose immigration controls Dave Sewell	Can intersectionality and privilege theory help in the fight against oppression? Sally Campbell	The partition of India 70 years on Talat Ahmed	South Africa: a new struggle for liberation? Baba Aye		11.45am-1pm
2.30-3.45pm	The Corbyn surge: what happened at the general election? Charlie Kimber	Book launch <i>Russia 1917: Workers' Revolution and the Festival of the Oppressed</i> Dave Sherry	Has the working class lost its power? Julie Sherry	Marxism, nature and society Martin Empson	Where does women's oppression come from? Celia Hutchison	Music against racism from Rock Against Racism to Love Music Hate Racism Roger Huddle & Zak Cochrane	Marx and teleology: Does history have a goal? Sean Sayers	Imperialism and capitalism in Africa Maxine Bowler		2.30-3.45pm
4.15-5.30pm	Trump, Le Pen and Farage: are they all fascists? Michael Bradley	Ireland and the rise of the radical left Gerry Carroll	What is cultural appropriation? Esme Choonara	Compassion, empathy, altruism: how evolution made us care Ron Margulies	Women's oppression, the industrial revolution and the making of the modern family Jan Nielsen	Imperialism and resistance in the Middle East today Anne Alexander & Jad Bouharoun	Book launch <i>One Big Union of All the Workers: Solidarity and the Fighting Industrial Workers of the World</i> John Newsinger	Did Lenin lead to Stalin? Paddy Nielsen		4.15-5.30pm
7-8.30pm	Self defence is no offence: from the Bradford 12 to the Rotherham 12 Rotherham 12 speaker, Tariq Mehmood, Abrar Javid & Michael Mansfield	From intersectional feminism to the women's marches: Is there a new movement? Judith Orr	A tribute to John Berger John Molyneux	Panel meeting From the junior doctors to Deliveroo: winning a new generation of trade unionists	Do British people benefit from the oppression of the Global South? Moyra Samuels	Was the Soviet Union socialist? Tom Kay				7-8.30pm
Evenings at the Marxism Festival In the evenings at Marxism we have plenty to keep you entertained, including music, film, plays and spoken word. Two bars will be open in Student Central so festival goers can unwind after a day of debate and discussion.				Songs and music of resistance Fri, 9pm, The Venue Jimmy Ross and Lorna McKinnon return to Marxism with an evening of rebel music celebrating the struggles of the past.	Book launch: Russia 1917 Fri, 2.30pm, The Venue There will be a range of events at Marxism to celebrate the centenary of the Russian Revolution. One highlight will be Dave Sherry launching his new book <i>Russia 1917: Workers' Revolution and the Festival of the Oppressed</i> .		Beyoncé to Black Lives Matter: Why music is getting political Fri, 9pm, Gallery Bar This special evening of music and politics will highlight the impact of the Black Lives Matter movement on new artists. DJ sets in the Gallery Bar until late.			

Saturday 8 July

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11.45am-1pm		Where next for the left after the election? Charlie Kimber	What are the roots of terrorism today? Judith Orr	'White supremacy' and 'micro aggressions': How can we explain racism? Kate Hurford	Revolution and counter-revolution in the Arab region: where do things stand? Gilbert Achcar	Book launch <i>1917: Russia's Red Year</i> A graphic novel Tim Sanders & John Newsinger	Precarity: minority condition or majority experience? Kevin Doogan	Panel meeting Disability and resistance after the election Linda Burnip, Roger Lewis & others	Course: Introduction to the Marxist method What is the dialectic? Camilla Royle	Podemos and struggle in the Spanish state Hector Puente & David Karvala
2-3.30-3.45pm	Economic crisis and the long depression Michael Roberts	Panel meeting Islamophobia and women Maz Saleem, Saba Shiraz & Naima Omar	Hillsborough, Orgreave and state cover ups Sheila Coleman, Mark George & Barbara Jackson	Panel meeting How can we fight to save our NHS?	How the media lost on 8 June	Marxism and science 1917-2017 John Parrington	Decline and resilience: workplace organisation since the 1980s	The Russian Revolution and the colonial world Ken Olende	Course: Introduction to the Marxist method Labour, work and alienation Bea Kay	Why is there a lack of working class representation in cinema? Deirdre O'Neill & Mike Wayne
4.15-5.30pm	Why is racism on the rise? Weyman Bennett	Facing the Anthropocene: fossil capitalism and the crisis of the earth system Ian Angus	Speaking out for Palestine: BDS and the right to criticise Israel Jonathan Rosenhead. Facilitated by Tom Hickey	Panel meeting Where next for Labour after the election?	Fighting for abortion rights in the era of Trump Ellisiv Rognlien, Brid Smith & Judith Orr	Gangs and youth violence Jo Cardwell	Art and the Russian Revolution Roger Huddle & Hugh Tisdale	Who was Gramsci? Jess Edwards	Course: Introduction to the Marxist method Historical materialism Richard Donnelly	
7-8.30pm	Trump and the crisis of liberal capitalism Alex Callinicos	Funk and Black Power Yuri Prasad & Liz Wheatley	Zionism, antisemitism and the left today John Rose, Brian Klug & Rob Ferguson	Panel meeting Fighting for migrants' rights after Brexit	The politics of 2000 AD Sasha Simic & very special guest	Alexandra Kollontai, the Russian Revolution and the fight for sexual liberation Emma Davis	Education and the commodification of childhood Michael Lavalette & Priscilla Alderson	How can disabled people win liberation? Roddy Slorach		

Funk and Black Power Sat, 7pm, The Venue

DJ Liz Wheatley talks to Yuri Prasad at a special sequel to their Soul and Civil Rights event at Marxism 2016. They will focus on the music of the Black Power movement and its impact on the US. Followed by a night of funk (and soul!) with very special guests.



Black Panthers protest against the Vietnam war

More to come...

As well as music and dancing in The Venue there will be film shows and other events – as well as the two bars in Student Central.

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2-3.15pm		Challenging Prevent and Islamophobia Moazzam Begg, Siema Iqbal, Azad Ali & others	Going beyond the binary: Marxism, gender and trans politics Sue Caldwell	Turkey, the Kurds and Syria Ron Margulies	Panel meeting The political crisis in Europe Maria Styllou, Brid Smith & Christine Buchholz	Book launch <i>A Redder Shade of Green</i> Ian Angus in conversation with Martin Empson	Panel meeting What can we do about the housing crisis? Eileen Short & others	The crisis of social care and the contradictions of 21st century capitalism Lee Humber	Book launch The Notting Hill riots and the Stars Campaign for Interracial Friendship Rick Blackman & SCIF members	Course: An introduction to Marxist economics Accumulation: the driving force of capitalism Sheila McGregor	
3.45-5pm		Fighting the far right and fascists across Europe Petros Constantinou, Christine Buchholz & others	How can the left shape Brexit? Joseph Choonara	Panel meeting Building fighting unions Ian Hodson, Juile Sherry & others	Trans resistance then and now Laura Miles, Pat Clinton & Sami Hillyer	Building the movement against climate change after Trump withdraws from Paris Suzanne Jeffery	Egypt today Wassim Wagdy	Book launch <i>Sound System: The Political Power of Music</i> Dave Randall	Marxism, religion and the Russian Revolution Anna Gluckstein	Course: An introduction to Marxist economics What causes crisis? Alan Kenny	The bloody history of the British empire Simon Hester

MARXISM CLOSING RALLY
Building the resistance after the election



Protesting Trump's 'Muslim Ban' at Philadelphia airport Photo: Joe Piette

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MARXISM AFTER PARTY

Sunday, 7pm
Gallery Bar, Student Central

Come and relax after Marxism with music and DJs

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10-11.15am

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Bookmarks will be open every day during the Marxism festival in Student Central.

We will have books by speakers at the event and books that complement meetings and courses.

Look out for Bookmarks pop-up stalls throughout the festival.

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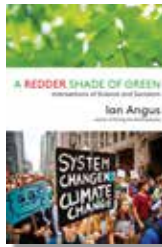
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Venues and practicalities



Where will Marxism take place?

Marxism 2017 takes place in the heart of London. It is easily accessible, within a few minutes walk of several tube and mainline stations. Meetings are held in Student Central, Friends Meeting House and the Institute of Education.

Meet up points and picnics

There are meet up points for different cities and areas of the country in the breaks between meetings. Most of these provide cheap food. If you'd like to be put in touch with people from your region contact the Marxism office.

Accommodation

We can arrange free accommodation in London during the event. This tends to be on floors and in community centres. Let us know if you have any particular requirements by 19 June. Alternatively, you can book rooms in halls of residence nearby. To book and pay for a room directly with UCL call 020 7529 8975.

Crèche

We provide a free crèche with a range of activities available for children of different ages up to 11 years old. The crèche is open during meetings. *This must be booked by 19 June.*

Your ticket and entry to meetings

If you have booked in advance we will send your ticket out through the post in June. Possession of any Marxism ticket does not guarantee you entry to any particular event or meeting, due to the capacity of rooms. To ensure admission to popular meetings, please get to the rooms as early as possible. Due to the strict fire regulations we are unable to overfill rooms.

Disabled access

We make every effort to ensure Marxism is accessible for disabled people. If you have any particular needs or questions call us on 020 7840 5620.

Student Central is fully accessible. The Institute is currently undergoing modification. They have requested that people fill in a PEEP for any meeting located in their building. Please contact us for more information.

Bookmarks bookshop

Bookmarks will be based in Student Central during Marxism. It will be open every day of the festival.

REGISTER EARLY, PAY LESS

REGISTER EARLY and receive a great discount of between £5 and £10 off your Marxism ticket. Tickets bought on the door are more expensive (see below). Your ticket will give you entry

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What kind of ticket?

Full event Waged £55 Unwaged £30 HE student £30 Under18/school/FE student £20

Flexi ticket Waged £20 Unwaged £15 HE student £15 Under18/school/FE student £10

This allows you to choose five meetings from across the event

Day ticket Waged £20 Unwaged £15 HE student £15 Under18/school/FE student £10

Which day? Please note these prices are for tickets bought in advance.

Full event tickets *on the door* will cost: Waged £65, Unwaged £35, HE student £35, Under 18/school/FE student £25

Marxism after party £5 This will close Marxism on the final night, Sunday 9 July

Accommodation Would you like us to arrange free accommodation for you? Yes No

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