

Track Your Way Through the Conference

With more than 100 workshops and meetings, there's a lot to keep you busy this weekend. These are some possible "tracks" that you and your group could follow throughout the conference. Remember: there are many workshops and meetings not listed here! Continue to page 12 for more.

Track 1: Nuts and Bolts

Online Tools for OrganizingFri 3:00
Pension CrisisFri 3:00
Assertive Grievance HandlingSat 10:15
Confronting "Blame the Worker" Health and Safety ProgramsSat 10:15
Solidarity under AttackSat 10:15
Creative TacticsSat 2:00
Flyers and NewslettersSat 2:00
Shop Floor TacticsSat 2:00
Democracy Is PowerSun 10:45
Dealing with the MediaSun 10:45
Taking Control of the WorkplaceSun 10:45

Track 2: Local Officers

Internal OrganizingFri 1:00
How to Lose Your Next Union ElectionFri 3:00
Contract CampaignsSat 10:15
Running for OfficeSat 2:00
Bargaining for Social JusticeSat 2:00
Contract Campaigns and Bargaining TacticsSun 10:45
Passing the Leadership TorchSun 10:45
Democracy Is PowerSun 10:45

Track 3: Organizing

Organizing Immigrant WorkersFri 3:00
Organizing in Right-to-Work StatesFri 3:00
Member-Driven OrganizingSat 10:15
Neutrality Agreements and Organizing DealsSat 2:00
Innovative Organizing StrategiesSat 2:00
Organizing in a Multiracial WorkplaceSun 10:45

Track 4: Health Care and Health Care Workers

Patients' Rights, Workers' Rights'Sat 10:15
Nurses MeetingSat 12:00
Fixing the Broken Health Care SystemSat 2:00
Health Care Workers MeetingSat 4:00
Physicians for a National Health ProgramSat 4:00
Health Care Reform MeetingSat 6:00

Language Key

S: Spanish/English interpretation.
S-E: Session conducted in Spanish, with English interpretation.
M: Mandarin/English interpretation.
P: Portuguese/English interpretation.

Track 5: International

Labor Solidarity with PalestineFri 1:00
Labor in Latin AmericaFri 3:00
Getting Ahead of GlobalizationFri 3:00
International Solidarity: Focus on AsiaSat 10:15
The Labor Movement's Role in Ending the WarSat 2:00
Fighting PrivatizationSat 2:00
Labor Against the WarSun 9:00
Building International SolidaritySun 10:45
Global Unionism: Prospects for International Grassroots SolidaritySun 3:00

Track 6: Black Workers' Issues

Black Labor HistoryFri 3:00
Black Workers and Workplace OrganizationSat 10:15
Black Workers CaucusSat 12:00
Black/Brown DialogueSat 6:00
Post-Katrina SolidaritySun 9:00
Social Movement Unionism and Black Political ConsciousnessSun 10:45

Track 7: Immigrant Workers

Roots of ImmigrationFri 1:00
Organizing Immigrant WorkersFri 3:00
Fighting Raids and No-Match LettersSat 10:15
Immigration and the Building TradesSat 10:15
Latino/Immigrant SolidaritySat 12:00
Training on Immigration for Union MembersSat 2:00
Black/Brown DialogueSat 6:00
Health and Safety for Immigrant WorkersSun 10:45

Track 8: Workers Centers

Workers Centers MeetingFri 5:00
Building Alliances between Unions and Workers CentersSat 10:15
Innovative Organizing StrategiesSat 2:00
Workers Centers: Building Power for Low-Wage WorkersSun 10:45

Track 9: China and the Chinese Labor Movement

Pre-conference in-depth exchange for "China Hands"Fri 10:00-5:00
International Solidarity: Focus on AsiaSat 10:15
Chinese Labor MovementSat 2:00
Conversation with Chinese OrganizerSun 8:00
Chinese Labor Movement MeetingSun 9:00

Track 10: Auto Workers

Freightliner Five Solidarity ReceptionFri 9:00
Trends in AutoSat 10:15
Auto Workers MeetingSat 4:00
Meet with International Auto WorkersSun 8:00