Invitation

Dear Friends,

IPB, Peace&Planet, AFSC and Peace Action, with the support of the Rosa Luxemburg Stiftung - New York Office, would like to invite you to

a reception

for exchanging views, thoughts and experiences about the discussions at the UN and for networking in a relaxing atmosphere.

Of course, your friends and family are also warmly welcomed.

Please distribute the invitation!

Venue:

All Souls Church 1157 Lexington Avenue

Date:

Friday, March 31 | 5pm -7pm



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IPB PROGRAM UN Ban Treaty Negotiations

New York, March 25-31, 2017



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Side Events at the UN

How to successfully develop an international coalition toward the elimination of nuclear weapons?

Wednesday, March 29 | 10am -1pm | NGO-room at the UN

Chair: Reiner Braun, IPB & Yayoi Tsuchida, Gensuikyo

- Involving Parliamentarians in the ban negotiations
 Massimo Artini, MP, Italy
- New threats on Nuclear Weapons in the US Joseph Gerson, AFSC-US, USA
- The responsibility of scientists

 Jürgen Scheffran, INES, Germany
- Japan's contribution to mobilise public opinion **Hiroshi Taka, Gensuikyo,** Japan
- Building the momentum against nuclear weapons **Dave Webb, CND**, UK

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What content should have the ban treaty to be effective?

Thursday, March 30 | 1pm - 2.30pm | NGO-room at the UN

Chair: Amela Škiljan, IPB

- How can the ban treaty lead to nuclear weapons elimination?
 John Burroughs, IALANA, USA
- What core prohibitions should be addressed in the nuclear ban treaty? Arielle Denis, IPB, France
- What rules of procedure would make the ban treaty process both unblockable and inclusive?

Sergio Duarte, Pugwash, Brasil

- The ICRC and a nuclear ban treaty Lou Maresca, ICRC, USA
- Would the ban treaty challenge the nuclear umbrella cooperation? Susi Snyder, PAX/ICAN, Netherlands

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Peace Lectures in New York

Lecture at the College of Staten Island

US/EU Militarism and the Risk of Nuclear Weapons in the Trump Era

Monday, March 27 | 7pm

Speakers: Reiner Braun, IPB & Joseph Gerson, AFSC

Lecture at the New York Judson Church

Ban of Nuclear Weapons

Wednesday, March 29 | 7pm

Speakers: Reiner Braun, IPB & Joseph Gerson, AFSC

Lecture at the Brooklyn Friends Meeting House

Peace and Activism in the Era of Trump, Putin and NATO

Thursday, March 30 | 7pm

Speakers: Reiner Braun, IPB & Joseph Gerson, AFSC

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