

Official NATO Summit 3-4 December 2019 London

# The New World Disorder Counter-Summit Saturday 30th November 10am to 5.30 pm

Bloomsbury Central Baptist Church London, United Kingdom Organized by:



No to War - No to NATO

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We are calling on organizations, activists and all concerned individuals to join us at the NATO Summit in London to protest against Donald Trump and NATO's dangerous aggression.

Donald Trump will be joining NATO leaders in London in December at a time of mounting instability and confrontation. His aggressive 'America first' foreign policy has caused havoc around the world.

He has escalated the NATO presence in Afghanistan, torn up the Iran nuclear deal, scrapped the Intermediate-range Nuclear Forces treaty, and ramped up tension with Russia and China. Contempt for international law is central to his approach.

NATO has always been a vehicle for the imposition of US interests in Europe and we oppose the increasing militarization of Europe, closely linked to NATO. But in the past two decades NATO has become increasingly global in its expansionary approach. At this year's summit, Trump will be pushing NATO to be more interventionist still whilst pushing member states to foot the massive bill for advancing US interests.

Since 1999 NATO has added thirteen new member states in Central and Eastern Europe and is now 'deepening cooperation' with Georgia and other central Asian states. It is participating in the US's 'pivot to Asia' designed to aggressively assert US dominance in the Pacific. Despite the disastrous results of its 2011 attack on Libya, it is working closely with the Gulf monarchies and is heavily implicated in the escalating campaign against Iran. Colombia has become NATO's first official partner in Latin America, where it is actively involved in subverting democracy.

NATO backs some of the most authoritarian regimes in the world, contributing to the spread of reactionary and racist politics. Its more and more aggressive stance threatens further war, destabilization and migrant crises. Its militarism is a major contributor to catastrophic climate change.

Any effective movement against war and for peace and justice has to confront the NATO military alliance. We invite you to join us in London at the international counter-summit on 30 November and on the demonstration on 3 December. No to Trump, No to NATO.

### First Programme Counter-Summit 30th November 2019

### **Agenda**

10.30–12 noon Opening plenary: The New World Disorder

12-1pm Lunch

1-2.30pm First workshops (4) 3-4.30pm Second Workshops (4)

4.30-5.30pm Final Plenary: **Strategies and Alternatives** 

### **Speakers**

Arielle Denis, France | Chris Nineham, Stop the War, UK | Dave Webb, Space 4 Peace, UK | David Swanson, WBW, USA | Kate Hudson, CND, UK | Kristine Karch, No to war - no to NATO, Germany | Lindsey German, Stop the War, UK | Ludo Brabander, Vrede vzw, Belgium | Myriam Kane, UK | Medea Benjamin, CODEPINK, USA | Noam Chomsky, USA (tbc) | Pat Elder, Civilian Exposure, USA | Reiner Braun, IPB, Germany

### Workshops

- Conflict and Climate Change
- NATO, Russia and the New Cold War
- Racism, Migration and Islamophobia
- Nuclear Disarmament

- Oil, War and the Middle East and Iran
- NATO Goes Global
- Rise of the Far Right
- 21 Century War: Tech and the New Arms Trade.

Tickets £10 solidarity / £5 standard / £2 unwaged.

Venue Bloomsbury Central Baptist Church, London, UK

**Organizers** International network "No to war – no to NATO", Stop the war Coalition UK, Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament (CND) UK. With financial support from the European Left.

**Website** Additional information about the programme, more logistic information and registration will be available soon on our website: <u>noto-nato.org</u> or mail to <u>info@no-to-nato.org</u>.



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Demonstration
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The New World Disorder
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