

26 october 2019 0930 - 1700
elvin hall, institute of education, london

head to www.endgames.earth for more information

ENDGAMES?

capitalism
and the climate emergency

rs21

A day of anticapitalist discussion on the politics of the climate emergency

Every day brings new climate calamities. Beyond these looms the risk of cascading 'tipping points' and runaway warming. Millions suffer the impact of extractive industries, pollution and climate breakdown, while biodiversity is declining.

The ecological catastrophe is inseparable from the capitalist system; from its border regimes, from imperialist wars, from the relentless drive for profit.

The problem facing us is political, not simply technological. A mass movement against climate change is emerging. We need the strategies and practical capability to confront governments and capital to radically reduce emissions. Can a Green New Deal go far enough? What are the alternatives? How do we organise in the face of climate breakdown?

Join us on 26 October for a day of anticapitalist discussion on the politics of the climate emergency.

Speakers including:

ALICE SWIFT: activist with Reclaim the Power, studying the European climate camp movement

AL JACKSON: organises with the Midlands Anti-Fascist Network

ANGUS SATOW: co-founded Labour for a Green New Deal

ASAD REHMAN: Executive Director of War on Want, who works on capitalism, empire and climate

BRENDAN MONTAGUE: editor of The Ecologist

CLARA PAILLARD: from PCS, One Million Climate Jobs and Red Green Labour

JUNAYD UL ISLAM: activist in Youth Strike for Climate in Cambridge

HANNAH BARKER: Extinction Rebellion activist from Brighton

IDA PICARD: activist with Lesbians and Gays Support the Migrants

NICK EVANS: editor of rs21.org.uk

LOLA SEATON: author of Green Questions in New Left Review

PAUL ALLEN: leads research at Zero Carbon Britain

RAGA MAKAWI: of the Sudanese Workers' Alliance for the Restoration of Trade Unions

WILLIE BLACK: a founder of Scot.E3, campaigning for industrial conversion

ZITA HOLBOURNE: from PCS and BARAC, campaigns on the links between climate and migration