

# Support the Higher Education strikers

UCU members at 74 universities and other Higher Education institutions are currently taking 14 strike days, following 8 last year. They are fighting for job security, reasonable workloads, decent pay and pensions, and against casualisation and pay inequality on gender and race. Many university staff are on badly paid temporary contracts for fewer hours than the work requires. Many are forced to take other work. Properly paid, secure jobs with achievable workloads are essential for the quality of education. EIS members at many Scottish institutions are striking too.

Name	Union/Workplace	Email address	Donation

The current UCU strike days are 20, 21, 24, 25, 26 February and 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 March but there is local variation – check [www.ucu.org.uk/heaction-institutions](http://www.ucu.org.uk/heaction-institutions). Bring your collection to a picket; donate online via Account: ‘UCU Fighting Fund’, sort code: 60-83-01, account: 20179432, reference: ‘Fighting Fund Voluntary Levy’; or send a cheque payable to ‘University and College Union’ to Fighting Fund donation, Finance Department, UCU, Carlow Street, London, NW1 7LH. For more information see [www.ucu.org.uk](http://www.ucu.org.uk), @ucu on twitter or via the local UCU branch.