## Building together a new hope for Europe with the 3rd European Forum of Left, Green and Progressive Forces on 8-10 November 2019 in Brussels!

In November 2018 in Bilbao, the second European Forum of Left, Green and Progressive Forces, bringing together more than 400 participants from 123 organizations and 36 countries, launched a call to take back the common destiny of the peoples of Europe against the threats that were growing before the European elections.

Today the results are there. They reinforce the combined weight of liberal, right and far-right forces in the European Parliament. The peoples of Europe deserve another future. We want to open a path for them. We are more than ever on the alert and determined to rebuild an alternative of social, ecological, democratic and feminist progress for Europe.

The **3rd European Forum of Left, Green and Progressive Forces** is gearing up. It will be held in **Brussels on 8-10 November 2019**. We want it larger, more open, more engaged than ever in the construction of permanent cooperation and convergent actions of all available forces. It will also be more participatory, with the thematic Assemblies of women, trade unions and youth.

We are on the alert against growing social inequalities, against the accumulation of wealth and tax evasion that continue to benefit the few, against the growth of military spending, against racism and discrimination, against the poison of the far-right ideas.

We are mobilized for the climate, for social justice, for a new economy respectful of humans and the planet, for civil liberties, for the rights of women, for the reception of migrants.

We are launching more than ever a call for joint work for the reorientation of the immense wealth created in Europe towards a new path of social and ecological development; for the defense and promotion of women's rights; for peace and collective security; for democracy and respect for popular sovereignty.

We invite all available forces to participate in a large open meeting in Brussels on the **11<sup>th</sup> of September** to prepare the 3rd Forum, to build together the event that all left, green and progressive forces are waiting for in Europe. You can already send us your contributions and suggestions.

## Let's be numerous, the urgency is knocking on the door!