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Departure from: Sercotel AB Arganda → B&B Arganda → Sercotel AB Rivas → Forum site

Friday, nov 10th: 12h30 / Saturday, nov 11th: 8h30 / Sunday, nov12th: 9h00

Departure from: Forum site → Sercotel AB Rivas → B&B Arganda → Sercotel AB Arganda

Friday, nov 10th: 23h00 / Saturday, nov 11th: 22h30 y 23h30

Sunday, nov12th: Rivas Vaciamadrid City Hall → Madrid Airport (TERMINAL 1)

Departure: 14h30 Departure: 16h30

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MUSICAL CONCERT

THE HOT TUBES

SALA MARCOS ANA - CENTRO CULTURAL FEDERICO GARCÍA LORCA

ENTRADA GRATUITA

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21.30 PLAZA DE LA CONSTITUCIÓN RIVAS VACIAMADRID

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PROGRAM

Friday 10th of November 2023

13h30 Opening of registration

City Hall, Plaza de la Constitución 3, 28522 Rivas Vaciamadrid

14h00-14h45 Opening of the Forum

Salón de actos - City hall

- Aída Castillejo Mayor of Rivas Vaciamadrid
- Conny Hildebrandt Co-President of transform! europe
- Manon Aubry Co-Presidente of THE LEFT - VIDEO
- Paloma López General Secretary of CCOO Madrid
- Ismael González Member of the EL Political Secretariat and Secretary of organization of Izquierda Unida

Moderation: José Luis Centella Co-Coordinator of the European Forum

15h00-17h00 3 debates in parallel

Social struggles in Europe for social progress in a context of work transformation - Marcos Ana / Cultural center

- Marciano Sánchez Federation of Associations for the Defense of Public Health Care, Spain
- Maria Vindevoghel Member of Parliament PTB, Belgium
- Sacha Tenaerts Roving CNE delegate at Delhaize, Belgium
- Sébastien Menesplier General Secretary of Mine and Energy Federation of the CGT, France
- Toni Barbarà Mareas Blancas, Cataluña

Moderation: Fátima Aguado CS-CCOO International and Cooperation Secretariat

Feminist Assembly - Pedro Zero / City Hall

- Hélène Bidard Deputy Mayor of Paris in charge of gender equality
- Maria Eugenia Rodríguez Palop MEP THE LEFT, Spain
- Alyssa Ahrabare Lawyer, advocacy officer for the European Network of Migrant Women, Vice-President of the French Coordination for the European Women's Lobby
- Osmayda Hernandez Beleño Member of the National Secretariat of the Federation of Cuban Women for international relations, Cuba
- Leticia Montes Rodríguez President of Union Nacional Mujeres Mexicanas A.C.

Moderation: Cristina Simo Movimiento Democrático de Mujeres - MDM, Feminist sector of the Communist Party of Spain

Workshop: "Money for the people, not for capital" - Salón de actos / Cultural center

- Tea Jarc Confederal Secretary of the European Trade Union Confederation, ETUC
- Pablo Sánchez Centellas European Public Services Federation, EPSU
- Sandrine Michel Professor of economics at the University of Montpellier

Moderation: Frédéric Boccara Economist, Communist Party of France

17h00-17h30 Coffee break - Patio Cultural Center

17h30-19h30 Plenary 1

Building the Peaceful Europe and beyond: Collective strategies for global security - Salón de actos - City hall

- Sean Conner Executive Director of International Peace Bureau
- Christina Nikolaou Head of the Environmental Bureau and member of the European Affairs Bureau, AKEL
- Vincent Boulet Vice-President of the Party of the European Left
- Manu Pineda MEP THE LEFT, Spain
- Gloria Inés Ramírez Minister of Labour, Colombia

Moderation: Maite Mola Responsable of the EL International Relations

19h30 Welcome Cocktail - CITY HALL

20h00-21h30 Political Conference

Empowering the Left for Victory: Forging Democratic, Social, and Ecological Alternatives - Salón de actos - City hall

- Yolanda Díaz Minister of Labour, Spain - VIDEO
- Mitja Svete Secretary General of Levica, Slovenia
- Walter Baier President of the Party of the European Left
- Ludovic Voet ETUC Confederal Secretary
- David Pestieau Political Director of the PTB, Belgium
- Monica Valente Executive Secretary of the Foro de São Paulo, Brazil

Moderation: Vincent Boulet Co-coordinator of the European Forum

21h30 Spanish dinner with Cider and ham! CITY HALL

Saturday 11th of November 2023

9h30-11h30 3 debates in parallel

Workshop The role of the state - Pedro Zero / City Hall

- Conny Hildebrand Co-President transform! europe
- Diego Lopez Garrido Former Secretary of state to the EU
- Ajda Pistotnik Policy Lab
- Léa Das Neves Bicho Political adviser to MEP Philippe Lamberts in the European Parliament

Moderation: Kevin Le Merle Analyst at the Foundation for European Progressive Studies, FEPS

Workshop: The future of the European integration - Salón de actos / Cultural center

- Helmut Scholz MEP THE LEFT, Germany
- David Pestieau Political Director of the PTB, Belgium
- Veronika Sušová-Salminen Researcher, co-author of the study "100 Shades of the EU"
- Vincent Boulet Head of International Relations of the French Communist Party
- Josu Estarrona EH Bildu Senator in Madrid
- Pedro Chaves Professor of Political Science at the Carlos III University of Madrid

Moderation: Walter Baier President of the European Left, and Marga Ferré Vice-president of transform! europe

Workshop THE LEFT: Asylum and migrants rights: which alternative to the bellicist policies of the EU - Marcos Ana - Cultural Center

- Fatou Faye Rosa Luxemburg Foundation, Senegal
- Gonzalo Fanjul PorCausa, Spain
- Sira Rego MEP THE LEFT, Spain
- Patricia Tejas Head of migration policies, French Communist Party

Moderation: Jon Rodriguez Forrest Political Advisor, THE LEFT in the European Parliament

11h30-12h00 Coffee break - Patio Cultural Center

12h00-14h00 3 debates in parallel

Workshop Energy and climate change - Pedro Zero / City Hall

- Kevin Le Merle Analyst at the Foundation for European Progressive Studies, FEPS

- Davide Panzeri Lead European Programme, ECCO, Italian think tank on climate change
- Sean Currie Co-spokesperson Federation of Young European Greens

Moderation: Taube Van Melkebele Policy Manager, Green European Foundation, GEF

Youth Assembly: Antifascism without borders: European stories and current struggles - Marcos Ana / Cultural Center

For a just peace in the Middle East - Salón de actos / Cultural Center

- Husni Abdel Wahed Palestinian Ambassador to Spain
- Wieland Hoban President of Jewish Voice for a Just Peace, Germany

Moderation: Marga Ferré Vice-president of transform! europe

14h00-16h00 Lunch: popular Paella! - CITY HALL

16h00-18h00 Plenary 2

What social, economic and political model do we need to get back within the planetary boundaries? - Salón de actos / City hall

- Sean Currie Co-spokesperson Federation of Young European Greens
- Roland Kulke Facilitator of the Working Group Productive Transformation, transform! europe

Moderation: Marga Ferré Vice-president of transform! europe

18h00-18h30 Coffee break - Patio Cultural Center

18h30-20h00 3 debates in parallel

Parliamentary Assembly - Pedro Zero / City Hall

- Toni Valero MP of Izquierda Unida, Sumar
- Maria Vindevoghel Member of Parliament PTB, Belgium
- Nataša Sukič MP Levica, Slovenia
- Domènec Ruiz Devesa MEP S&D PSOE

Moderation: Marta Martín Morán Communist Party of Spain

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Culture Assembly: Culture for all, right away! - Marcos Ana / Cultural Center

- Cristina Bermejo General Secretary of the Media, Arts, Culture, Sports and Leisure Sector of the CCOO
- Julien Dohet Political Secretary of the SETCa-FGTB Liège, Belgium
- Olga Athaniti Artist, Greece

Moderation: Jean-Pierre Michiels Communists of Wallonie-Bruxelles

Workshop on the 50th anniversary of the end of dictatorship in Greece, Spain and Portugal / Fight against the far right - Salón de actos / Cultural center

- Luis Fazenda Abril Agora campaigning, Portugal
- Carlos Guinote President of the chemical workers of Portugal in 1971

- Mauricio Valiente Communist Party of Spain
- Julia Hidalgo
- Magda Fitili ASKI and Autonomous University of Barcelona, Greece

Moderation: Marga Ferré Co-President of transform! europe

20h15-21h30 Dinner by Lakook Causas CEAR Spanish Commission for Refugee Assistance, inclusive and sustainable social catering CITY HALL

21h30 CONCERT The Hot Tubes Marcos Ana / Cultural Center

Sunday 12th of November 2023

10h00-12h00 Trade Unionist Assembly

Delivering good jobs in a green & digital economy: the working class at the centre of a new social deal - Salón de actos / City hall

- Ludovic Voet ETUC Confederal Secretary
- Maria Vindevoghel Member of Parliament PTB, Belgium
- Verónica Martínez Barbero Member of Parliament, Sumar, Spain
- Charlotte Balavoine Responsable of Europe, French Communist Party
- Lorena Rodríguez Zarco Worker at the Municipal Services Company RIVAMADRID - CCOO Delegate in the Company Committee

Moderation: Enrique Carmona Head of CCOO Brussels office, Spain

12h00-12h30 Coffee break - CITY HALL

12h30-14h00 Conclusions

Final Declaration and action plan / Toward the 8th European Forum in Budapest - Salón de actos / City hall

- Ernest Urtasun Vice-President Greens / EFA VIDEO
- José Luis Centella Co-Coordinator of the European Forum
- Marga Ferré Co-President of transform! europe

Report from sessions:

- Toward the 8th European Forum in Budapest : Attila Vajnai Workers' Party of Hungary 2006 and Martin Leiter Yes Solidarity for Hungary Movement