

EUROPEAN FORUM OF LEFT, GREEN AND PROGRESSIVE FORCES

An open space for permanent, inclusive, and participatory dialogue gathering left, green, and progressive social and political forces across Europe. The aim is to foster collaboration, align efforts, and drive collective action to reshape power dynamics in Europe and address the region's multifaceted crises.



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BRUSSELS (2019). In the aftermath of the 2019 European Elections, that saw a surge in populism, nationalism, as well as liberal centrism, the European Forum assessed the elections implications for people's rights across Europe

ONLINE (2020)

When COVID-19 struck in 2020, the Forum transitioned online, recognizing the pandemic as a symptom of the systemic failures of neoliberalism.



BRUSSELS (2021)

The 2021 Brussels
Forum further
explored the themes
of the previous
one, emphasizing
the contradictions
exposed by the
pandemic and
advocating for
legislative action,
such as ensuring free
access to vaccines for



MARSEILLE

(2017)

Around 100 organizations, parties, trade unions and movements gathered to formulate a united response to the authoritarian, neo-liberal and anti-social policies undermining European people' rights and social protections. For a greener and more social Europe.



BILBAO

(2018)

We are on alert!", the motto of the 2018 European Forum, underscored a thorough analysis of the threats posed by predatory capitalism and its ultra-liberal policies, which undermine labor and social rights across Europe



How to build peace and socio-ecological transformation in times of war was the main concern of the 2022 European Forum, due to the outbreak of the Russian invasion of Ukraine, against which the Forum organizations took a firm stance.



RIVAS VACIA-MADRID (2023)

Peace concerns continued to be analysed in the 2023 European Forum which took place in the context of the intensification of the Israeli Palestinian conflict that led to the Israeli occupation and indiscriminate bombing of the Gaza strip.

Forum in Budapest (2024) placed trade unionist perspectives at the forefront and continued examining far-right extremism, global conflicts, and the impacts of the recent European

and U.S. elections,

including Donald

Trump's return to

power."

2024-25 ACTION PLAN

The 8th edition of the European Forum of Left, Green and Progressive forces agrees to participate, in cooperation with other political, trade unionist, pacifist, and feminist organisations, in the preparation of a Conference for peace and solidarity in the world, and to promote, in collaboration with European trade unions, a campaign against the austerity policies and cuts proposed by the European Commission.

EXTRACT OF THE 2024 FINAL DECLARATION

In pursuit of a Europe built on progress and social advancement, we advocate for an equitable distribution of wealth, strong universal and quality public services, and public ownership of shared resources to create a fairer, more participatory, and democratically planned society. Access to decent, affordable, and climate-appropriate housing must be a right, not a luxury. Social security, including healthcare, pensions, and unemployment benefits, should be universal right guaranteed to all people across the EU. This implies a different use of money from companies, banks and the ECB."

"We advocate for a Europe founded on peace and solidarity, promoting a future shaped by peaceful and diplomatic solutions, that deals with conflicts through dialogue. A Europe that integrates an alternative approach to security, based on a new vision that no State can truly be safe unless the others share the same level of security.

The participants to the Budapest European Forum 2024 came from the following parties/organisations/trade-union/movements:

Akcja Socjalistyczna - Socialist Action Youth (Poland), AKEL - Progressive Party of Working People (Cyprus), Another Europe Is Possible (United Kingdom), Arise Front (Malta), Časopis !Argument (Czech Republic), CDPA/DMP - Democratic Convention of African Peoples (Togo), Communist Party of Finland (Finland), Cross-Border Talks (Poland), déi jonk Lénk (Luxembourg), déi Lénk (Luxembourg), DEM - Peoples' Equality and Democracy Party (Türkiye), Democratic Left (Scotland), Die Linke (Germany), SDS Die Linke Youth (Germany), DIALOP, Érdekvédelmi Szövetség (Hungary), ETUC - European Trade Union Confederation, EU Business School, EUiA - United and Alternative Left (Catalunia / Spain), Europa a Sinistra (Italy), Fair World (Belarus), Federation of Young European Greens, FEPS - Foundation for European Progressive Studies, FIDA - Palestinian Democratic Union (Palestine), FIR - International Federation of Resistance Fighters, FIOM-CGIL -Italian General Confederation of Labour (Italy), Frente Polisario (Western Sahara), FSU - United Trade Union Federation (France), GCI (Italy), GEF - Green European Foundation, Giovani Comunisti/e (Italy), GRS - Republican and Socialist Left (France), GSB Hungary (Hungary), Hungarian Greens (Hungary), Hungarian Socialists and Democrats (Hungary), Hungarian Teachers' Trade Union (Hungary), Institute 8th of March (Slovenia), My Voice, My Choice (Slovenia), Institute for Labour Studies (Slovenia), ISZOMM - YES Solidarity for Hungary Movement (Hungary), Izquierda Unida (Spain), Japanese Communist Party (Japan), Jovent Republicà (Catalan Countries), Józsefvárosi Szabadidős Egyesület (Hungary), Junge Linke (Austria), KOSMOS (Greece), KPÖ - Communist Party of Austria (Austria), KSČM - Communist Party of Bohemia and Moravia (Czech Republic), Left Unity (United Kingdom), Left Youth of Finland (Finland), Leftist Youth Front (Slovakia), Levica (Slovenia), Levice (Czech Republic), Linksjugend ['solid] - Left Youth (Germany), Magyar Szolidaritás Mozgalom - Solidarity (Hungary), MAKI - Communist Party of Israel (Israel), MCWB - Communist Movement of Wallonia-Bruxelles (Belgium), MEASZ - Hungarian Federation of Resistance Fighters and Antifascists (Hungary), MJCF - Movement of Young French Communists (France), Młodzi Razem - Youth Together (Poland), MSZP -Hungarian Socialist Party (Hungary), Naprzód – Forward (Poland), Nordic Peace Alliance (Norway), Party of Communists of the Republic of Moldova (Republic of Moldova), Party of the European Left, PCE - Communist Party of Spain (Spain), PCF - French Communist Party (France), PRC - Communist Refoundation Party (Italy), PSR - Romanian Socialist Party (Romania), PTB-PVDA - Workers' Party of Belgium (Belgium), Punto Rosso (Italy), Radnička Fronta (Croatia), Red Green Alliance (Denmark), Red Party (Norway), Rød-Grøn Ungdom - Red Green Youth (Denmark), Socialist Left Party (Norway), Socialists for Independence (Scotland), SOL Party (Türkiye), Solidarnost (Serbia), Solidary Bulgaria Association (Bulgaria), Sortu (Basque Country), SPED (Czechia), SRA (Hungary), Stromfeld Egyesület (Hungary), SZÁD - Trade Union of Social Workers (Hungary), Szolidaritas (Hungary), The Left Group in the European Parliament, Trade Union Sloga (Serbia), Trade Unions for Energy Democracy (USA), Transform Party (United Kingdom), transform!europe, Vasas Szakszervezeti Szövetség (Hungary), Women's Movement POGO (Cyprus), Workers' Party of Hungary 2006 (Hungary), YKP - New Cyprus Party (Cyprus).

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