

AN OPEN INVITATION TO

A General Assembly of the Global Anti-War Movement



THE JAKARTA
PEACE
CONSENSUS

THE WSF GLOBALIZATION AND WAR ASSEMBLY • 16 - 21 JAN 2004 • MUMBAI, INDIA



Despite the opposition of the world's majority, the United States and its allies invaded Iraq in an illegal war that has so far killed up to 10,000 civilians and soldiers. Meanwhile, the endless global "war on terror" rages on in various countries, giving the US a pretext for its military interventions across the globe and providing repressive governments an excuse for clamping down on dissent. In the face of these distressing developments, we call on the anti-war movement to come together and act.

We invite everyone to a general assembly of the global anti-war movement during the World Social Forum (WSF) 2004 this coming January 16 to 21 in Mumbai, India. Endorsed by the *Jakarta Peace Consensus*, the assembly is envisioned to be the biggest and most representative meeting of the anti-war movement since the invasion. It is an occasion for discussing the global situation and for planning and strategizing on the movement's plans and priorities.

Last year's historic February 15 mobilizations showed the potential of the global anti-war movement. This general assembly hopes to further translate that potential into action.

HIGHLIGHTS

DATE	TIME	VENUE	EVENT
18 Jan	2pm-5pm	Hall 5	Conference: US Occupation of Iraq and the Problem of Palestine and Afghanistan
19 Jan	9am-6pm	Solidarity Tent	Strategy Session: open discussions and debates on the movements' strategies, plans and priorities
17-20 Jan	6-8:30pm	Hall 4	Activists Assembly: open meetings among anti-war activists, social movements, NGOs, in attempt to deepen the links among them and coordinate their actions
20 Jan	(to be announced)		Closing Conference: for announcing and affirming the movements' decisions on its plans and priorities
21 Jan	2pm		Solidarity March: general march to close the WSF with specifically anti-war section

ENDORSERS AS OF 9 JANUARY 2004

All Together - Korea
 Anti-War Coalition - South Africa
 Asia Pacific Forum on Women, Law and Development
 Asia Pacific Movement on Debt Development
 Asian Peace Alliance
 Asian Peace Alliance - Japan
 Asian Women's Human Rights
 ATTAC - Japan
 Bangladesh Krishok Federation
 Bastaguerra, Italy
 Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament (UK)
 Campaña por la Desmilitarización de las Américas (CADA)
 Campus Antiwar Network, US
 Center for Economic Research and Social Change
 Centre for Development Studies, CIEDS Collective, India
 Centro de Estudios Internacionales, Managua, Nicaragua
 Chagos Refugees Group
 Coalition for Nuclear Disarmament and Peace (India)
 Code PINK: Women for Peace
 Common Action for Peace and against the War
 Condi - Iraqi National Democratic Coalition
 Continental Campaign Against FTAA
 Corp Watch (USA)
 Central Unica de los Trabajadores (CUT) (Brazil)
 Documentation for Action Groups in Asia
 Echec a la guerre-Montreal
 El Foro Social de Madrid
 El Taller International

Focus on the Global South
 Freedom from Debt Coalition
 Gathering for Peace - Philippines
 GENSUIKIN (Japan Congress Against A- & H-Bombs)
 GENSUIKYO (Japan Council Against A and H Bombs)
 Global Exchange
 Globalize from Below - Korea
 Global Peace and Justice Coalition of Turkey
 Hemispheric Social Alliance
 Iniciativa Mexicana Contra la Guerra. No en Nuestro Nombre
 International Association of Peace Messenger Cities
 International Civilian Campaign for the Protection of the Palestinian People
 International South Asia Forum (INSAF)
 Iraq International Occupation Watch Center
 Italian Movements of the European Social Forum
 JANANEETHI
 Jubilee South
 KALAYAAAN! (Katipunan para sa Pagpapalaya ng Sambayanan) Philippines
 Korean Confederation of Trade Unions (KCTU)
 Korean Federation of Medical Groups for Health Rights
 Korean People's Action Against FTA & WTO (KoPA)
 LALIT, Mauritius
 Le Mouvement de la Paix
 Ledikasyon pu Travayer (LPT), Mauritius
 Movement for Democratic Socialism (Japan)
 National Youth and Student Peace Coalition (USA)
 NGO Federation of Nepal
 Not in Our Name Project, USA

Nuclear Free Philippines Coalition
 Peace Constitution League
 Peace Initiative of Turkey
 People's Plan Study Group (Japan)
 People's Task Force for Bases Clean Up - Philippines
 Peace Boat (Japan)
 Polaris Institute
 Promoting Enduring Peace
 Red Mexicana de Accion frente al Libre Comercio
 Social Movements Network Solidarity (USA)
 South Asian Network for Secularism and Democracy (SANSAD)
 Stop the War Coalition - UK
 Stop the War Coalition - Greece
 Sumpay Mindanao
 The All India Peace & Solidarity Organisation (AIPSO)
 The ASR Resource Centre
 The Muslim Youth Movement of South Africa
 The No War on Iraq Coordination - Turkey
 The People's Peace Alliance (Pakistan)
 The South Asian Women for Peace
 UN PONTE PER (Bridge to Baghdad) NGO - Italy
 United for Peace and Justice (UFPJ) - US
 US Peace Council Vimochana, Forum For Women Rights, India
 Workers Democracy, Thailand
 World Peace Council
 World Peace Now, Japan
 Youth for Unity and Voluntary Action (YUVA) (India)
 ZENKO (National Assembly for Peace and Democracy) Japan

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