

MARCH 23-25, 2012 - STAMFORD HILTON HOTEL, CT



COME TO A NATIONAL CONFERENCE TO
CHALLENGE
MILITARISM, AUSTERITY, RACISM, & REPRESSION

In the summer of 2010, 800 activists from peace, environmental, economic and social justice groups from around the country gathered in Albany for the largest movement conference held since 9/11 and the initiation of the so-called "War on Terror". An ambitious action plan was adopted and a new national coalition, UNAC, the United National Antiwar Committee (now Coalition), was formed.

Since then, UNAC has implemented the action program, culminating in large bi-coastal mobilizations on April 9-10, 2011, and responded to the huge events of recent months: the popular uprisings in Tunisia, Egypt, and other North African countries; the fight backs to union-busting and cuts to social services in Wisconsin and elsewhere; the wars at home on communities of color, rising Islamophobia with racist attacks on Muslims and pre-emptive prosecutions; activists targeted by the FBI; attacks on civil liberties; environmental destruction and global warming; struggles to end the siege of Gaza, threats to Iran and No. Korea; the dangers of nuclear power; drone attacks on Yemen, Somalia, and Pakistan; and the endless wars and occupations continuing in Iraq, Afghanistan, and now expanding in Libya.

As we see in Egypt and throughout history, all critical social change comes through the direct, massive, independent intervention of the people. This does not happen spontaneously.

It is time for a unified movement to meet again to learn, to strategize, to plan and to organize in order to move forward collectively. Everyone attending this one-person, one-vote conference has an equal voice and responsibility for the direction of the movement and the development of an action program to carry us through

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SPECIAL PANEL ON "THE OTHER WAR"

AT HOME WAGED ON THE BLACK COMMUNITY

Hear a statement from political prisoner Mumia Abu Jamal and speakers addressing incarceration (the New Jim Crow), unemployment, surveillance, police and FBI repression, the role of the Democratic Party, how these issues are crucial for the antiwar movement, and what needs to be done.

Workshops:

- Afghanistan/Iraq/Pakistan: Any final exit in sight
- Palestine/Israel: Peace Based on Justice & Human Rights
- Boycott, Divestment, Sanctions Against Israel
- Bring Our War \$\$ Home for Organizers
- Fighting Islamophobia & Pre-Emptive Prosecution of Muslims
- Flash Points in Latin America & the Caribbean
- Global Warming and War
- Faith Community & Antiwar Movement
- US Military Expansion into Africa
- Women & War
- Ending Drone Warfare and War Expansion into Space
- Defending Bradley Manning & WikiLeaks
- Defending the Safety Net Cuts to Social Services
- Attacks on Labor & Public Workers
- Prison Industry, Social Control, & Prison Reform
- Organizing Students against War
- Brutality Against Women: Acts of War
- US-Mexico Border War
- Scapegoating of Immigrants
- Supporting US Soldiers: Bring them Home
- Economic Hit Men - World Bank, IMF, "Free Trade"
- Ending Nuclear Weapons and Closing Down Nuclear Power
- Fascism - How Do We Fight It?
- US Space Command: Military Arm of Corporate Globalization
- Protests Against NATO/G-8 Summits
- Protecting Our Civil Liberties
- Material Support to Terrorist Laws Stifle Activists
- Control of Media: Fighting for Free Press, Internet
- Analysis of Actions: 8/20, 9/15, 10/6, 10/15
- Economic Crisis - Phony Deficit
- Torture Rendition, Guantanamo, secret prisons
- No. Africa & Middle East Fighting for Democracy
- Controversies: Libya, Syria, Iran
- Struggle for Oil & Control of Pipelines
- Wars in Africa: Congo, Somalia
- Labor Struggles in Egypt
- US Competition with BRICS Countries
- Breaking the Siege of Gaza
- Uniting Palestinians in Israel, O.T.'s & Diaspora
- Building a Third Political Party in US
- Creative Nonviolence
- Importance of Mass Action
- Do We Need An Antiwar Movement?
- Zionism & Israel Lobby: Who Controls US Foreign Policy?
- Climate Change & Alternative Energy
- Land and Water Resources-Key Source of Conflicts
- NATO & UN - Current Role

There will be further information forthcoming re: conference registration and submission of action resolutions and workshop proposals. Organizations are invited to endorse this conference at our website www.UNACpeace.org. Donations are needed for bringing international speakers and to subsidize attendance of students and low income participants. Contributions will be accepted at www.UNACpeace.org.