

# FIGHTING BACK REBUILDING OUR MOVEMENTS RENEWING THE LEFT

2010 SOLIDARITY NORTHEAST EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE ★ NOVEMBER 19-20, NYU



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Register by 11/14 for free childcare and housing. Registration cost also includes meals.

Solidarity and the Radical Film and Lecture Series bring you a weekend of discussion regarding the key issues that radical activists face today, as capitalism enters the third year of a profound crisis that has presented stark challenges to social movements and left organization.

Both the left and the ruling class struggle to find strategies that will see their side through the crisis, while workers and the oppressed continue to pay for the economic crisis and the endless wars in Afghanistan and Iraq.

But even as the crisis has exacted enormous cost from the working class and its organizations, popular struggles have emerged that we can not only celebrate but also learn from—that's what this weekend is about. Drawing lessons and inspiration from the strikes and struggles that have marked this period and charting our course in a difficult political terrain.

Join us for a weekend of debate and discussion about where movements have gone in the wake of the biggest crisis in seventy years, the role of the anti-capitalist left in rebuilding mass movements that can win—and the political renewal that is necessary for left politics to become relevant in a world marked by the resurgence of the right.

### Confirmed Speakers Include

#### David McNally

(New Socialist Group, Canada; Author of *Global Slump*)

#### Gilbert Achcar

(Fourth International; Author of *Arabs and the Holocaust*)

#### Paul Street

(Author of *Empire's New Clothes*)

#### Cinzia Arruzza

(Solidarity, New School)

#### Adriana Mulero

(Comité de Estudiantes en Defensa de la Educación Pública, CEDEP; Movimiento Socialista de Trabajadores, Puerto Rico)

#### Blanca Misse

(Student Worker Action Team, University of California-Berkeley)

#### Bill Zoda

(Philadelphia Association of Staff Nurses and Allied Professionals)

#### Steve Downs

(TWU Local 100)

#### Wes Strong

(Defend Public Education)

#### Adaner Usmani

(Labour Party Pakistan)