



## Week 47 2015

w/c 16<sup>th</sup> November

<b>Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>UCU day of action for job security &amp; against the abuse of casual contracts</b> <a href="#">#anticas15</a>	26/10/15
<b>Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> November</b>	<b>Reclaim the Night, Newcastle</b> UCU's Sue Abbott and Julia Charlton will be speaking. <a href="#">Information and details of how to register</a> Register by 13 <sup>th</sup> Nov.	2/11/15
<b>Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>People's Assembly North East Autumn Statement Protest, Newcastle</b> 5pm Princess Square. <a href="#">Information</a>	<b>NEW!</b> 18/11/15
<b>Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>One-day walkout across all Open University sites,</b> including <a href="#">Gateshead's</a> Open University in the North <a href="#">Read the latest</a>	<b>NEW!</b> 19/11/15
<b>Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>What Prevent means to you, Newcastle 2.30 – 4.30pm</b> UCU Northumbria University open meeting on Prevent. Northumbria University staff and UCU regional activists are invited. <a href="#">Information</a>	29/10/15
<b>Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>'Raising the Bar? Why we should resist target culture'</b> <a href="#">Information</a>	<b>NEW!</b> 12/11/15
<b>Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> December</b>	<b>UCU FE Branch Officers' briefing, Darlington</b> It is important that at least one branch officer from every FE branch attends this briefing. <a href="#">Register online</a>	26/10/15

The information has been circulated to the region on a weekly basis since this date

*The UCU Regional Office will be closed 24<sup>th</sup> December – 4<sup>th</sup> January inclusive*


<b>3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>UCU Health &amp; Safety 1 : Induction Training, Newcastle</b> <a href="#">Information and online registration</a>	31/7/15
<b>Sat 6<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>UCU Regional Committee, Darlington</b>	20/7/15
<b>w/c 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb</b>	<b>UCU National Recruitment Week</b>	29/7/15
<b>Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>International Women's Day at New College Durham</b> UCU celebration and recruitment event (TBC)	29/7/15


9 <sup>th</sup> – 11 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>UCU Training in Newcastle. Rep 1 : Induction</b> <a href="#">Information and online registration</a>	25/6/15
Sat 23 <sup>rd</sup> April	<b>UCU Regional Committee (AGM), Newcastle</b>	20/7/15
w/c 25 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>UCU National Recruitment Week</b>	29/7/15
27 <sup>th</sup> – 29 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>UCU Training in Newcastle. Rep 2 : Representing UCU members</b> <a href="#">Information and online registration</a>	25/6/15
Sat 9 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Durham Miners' Gala</b>	11/8/15
<p><b>Disclaimer:</b> While we do conduct checks to keep this calendar up to date, for events not organised by UCU, the inclusion of the event on this calendar does not guarantee that tickets / places are available, or that the event will definitely take place.</p>		

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<b>Please bring the new issue of the FE branch update to the attention of your members:</b> <a href="http://www.ucu.org.uk/febranchupdate">http://www.ucu.org.uk/febranchupdate</a>	13/11/15
Gender pay gap reporting is a start but we need to see action to close gap too, says TUC. <a href="#">Read the article</a>	26/10/15