



## Week 38 2016

w/c 19<sup>th</sup> September 2016

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<b>Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September</b>	<b>'Newcastle Unites' counter demonstration against EDL, Newcastle</b> Assemble 1pm at Blue Carpet (outside the Laing Art Gallery) <a href="#">Flyer</a>	<b>NEW!</b> 19/9/16
<b>Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>UCU Higher Education branch briefing, Manchester</b> Information and details of how to register <a href="#">online</a>	29/6/16
<b>Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>UCU Higher Education branch briefing, Glasgow</b> Information and details of how to register <a href="#">online</a>	29/6/16
<b>Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> October</b>	<b>Regional Committee, Stockton</b> All papers available at <a href="http://ucunorthern.org.uk/comm-oct-2016">ucunorthern.org.uk/comm-oct-2016</a> from Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> September. Delegate and forgotten your password? Contact Emma Alexander.	2/8/16
<b>Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> October</b>	<b>Berwick Trades Council 'The Crisis in Education – who is in charge?' day school</b> Speakers include UCU Regional Vice Chair Richard Bathgate. Details TBC	29/6/16
<b>8<sup>th</sup> November AND 6<sup>th</sup> December</b>	<b>Tackling Organisational Stress UCU training course, Birmingham</b> This course is aimed at UCU safety reps, branch officers and other reps who want to learn more about how to tackle organisational stress. Participants should have previously completed either UCU safety reps induction, Reps induction, Learning reps or Equality reps training before applying for a place. The course runs over two one- day sessions. Participants will be asked to complete some practical activities back at their institutions during the two days. <a href="#">Apply online</a>	<b>NEW!</b> 21/9/16
<b>9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> November</b>	<b>Rep 1 : Induction training, Newcastle</b> The March training has been rescheduled. Rep 1 will now take place in November. Please <a href="#">Register online</a>	<b>NEW!</b>
<b>w/c 21<sup>st</sup> November</b>	<b>National Recruitment Week</b> Please start thinking what your branch will do during NRW. For ideas see <a href="#">here</a> (which includes the region's own "I'm in the union because..." campaign. <a href="http://ucunorthern.org.uk/event/nrw-nov2016">ucunorthern.org.uk/event/nrw-nov2016</a>	<b>NEW!</b> 21/9/16

<b>Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> February</b>	<b>Regional Committee, Newcastle</b>	2/8/16
<b>Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> April</b>	<b>Regional Committee, Carlisle</b>	2/8/16
<b>26<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> April</b>	<b>Rep 2 : Representing members training, Newcastle</b> <a href="#">Register online</a>	
<b>Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July</b>	<b>Durham Miners' Gala</b>	2/8/16
<b><i>Disclaimer: 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.</i></b>		

<b>Still just a bit of banter?</b> <b>Read the TUC sexual harassment in the workplace report</b> <a href="https://www.tuc.org.uk/sites/default/files/SexualHarassmentreport2016.pdf">https://www.tuc.org.uk/sites/default/files/SexualHarassmentreport2016.pdf</a>	<b>NEW!</b> 19/9/16
<b>TUC Protection from Sexual Harassment booklet</b> <a href="https://www.tuc.org.uk/sites/default/files/Protection From Sexual Harassment 2016 Know Your Rights Booklet LR.pdf">https://www.tuc.org.uk/sites/default/files/Protection From Sexual Harassment 2016 Know Your Rights Booklet LR.pdf</a>	<b>NEW!</b> 19/9/16
<b>Combatting racist abuse in the workplace. Read the TUC guide:</b> <a href="https://www.tuc.org.uk/sites/default/files/CombattingracistabuseTUCguide.pdf">https://www.tuc.org.uk/sites/default/files/CombattingracistabuseTUCguide.pdf</a> <a href="http://ucunorthern.org.uk/bme/">http://ucunorthern.org.uk/bme/</a>	<b>NEW!</b> 19/9/16
<b>Show us your #UCUmugshot campaign</b> UCU materials are a great way to raise the profile of the union in your workplace. <a href="#">Read more</a> Raise the profile of UCU while assisting recruitment with our new campaign. Take part in our latest campaign and show us your <a href="#">#UCUmugshot</a> today! To take part on Twitter or Instagram please use <a href="#">#UCUmugshot</a> To take part on Facebook please tag Emma Alexander to your photograph, or email your mugshot to Emma.	24/8/16
<b>'New job, join UCU' recruitment campaign</b> An infographic has been designed and shared on social media to encourage new staff to join UCU. Due to demand, an A5 leaflet version is also now available. See <a href="http://ucunorthern.org.uk/newjob-joinucu">ucunorthern.org.uk/newjob-joinucu</a> (which also features further useful information for recruiting new staff: a sample induction presentation and links to information on early careers and young members).	22/8/16
<b><a href="http://ucunorthern.org.uk/roc">ucunorthern.org.uk/roc</a></b> includes details of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ <b>"Tell us what matters" recruitment stall campaign</b> <a href="http://ucunorthern.org.uk/tell-us-what-matters-campaign">ucunorthern.org.uk/tell-us-what-matters-campaign</a></li> <li>❖ <b>"I'm in the union because" online recruitment / awareness campaign</b> <a href="http://ucunorthern.org.uk/in-the-union-because">ucunorthern.org.uk/in-the-union-because</a></li> <li>❖ <b>Regional business cards</b> <a href="http://ucunorthern.org.uk/businesscards">ucunorthern.org.uk/businesscards</a></li> </ul>	25/7/16

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