



Week 42 2016



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Wednesday 19th October	'What does it mean to be black in the North East?', Sunderland. Part of Black History Month. Information	6/10/16
Saturday 22nd October	Berwick Trades Council 'The Crisis in Education – who is in charge?' day school Speakers include UCU Regional Vice Chair Richard Bathgate. Information	29/6/16
8th November AND 6th December	Tackling Organisational Stress UCU training course, Birmingham For 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. Apply online	21/9/16
9th – 11th November	Rep 1 : Induction training, Newcastle Register online	
w/c 21st November	National Recruitment Week ucunorthern.org.uk/event/nrw-nov2016 Please start thinking what your branch will do during NRW.	21/9/16
Thursday 24th November	'Stamp out Casual Contracts' day of action during UCU National Recruitment Week Branches are asked to organise recruitment or campaigning events targeted at staff on precarious contracts for this day. Tell us what you're doing and order materials here .	10/10/16
Monday 12th December	UCU CPD Training : Classroom Management, Middlesbrough (TBC) Event TBC. Watch the UCU CPD website for updates	26/9/16
Saturday 4th February	Regional Committee, Newcastle	2/8/16
Saturday 1st April	Regional Committee, Carlisle	2/8/16
26th – 28th April	Rep 2 : Representing members training, Newcastle Register online	

8th July	Durham Miners' Gala	2/8/16
<p><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></p>		

<p>Branches should encourage UNISON reps to meet UCU members to encourage support for teaching assistants dispute Read about the dispute Donate to the fighting fund Like the official Facebook page Follow the official twitter page Email messages of support to spartacusannie@gmail.com</p>	11/10/16
<p>HE Branches are encouraged to circulate pay claim information to members ucu.org.uk/he2016 See our tweet</p>	11/10/16
<p>'Free Movement of Labour' motion for UCU branches Branches should consider debating and voting on this motion See our tweet</p>	11/10/16
<p>ucunorthern.org.uk/roc includes details of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ "Tell us what matters" recruitment stall campaign ucunorthern.org.uk/tell-us-what-matters-campaign ❖ "I'm in the union because" online recruitment / awareness campaign ucunorthern.org.uk/in-the-union-because ❖ Regional business cards ucunorthern.org.uk/businesscards ❖ Show us your #UCUmugshot workload/stress/ awareness campaign ucunorthern.org.uk/ucumugshot ❖ New job, join UCU recruitment campaign ucunorthern.org.uk/newjob-joinucu 	25/7/16

<p><i>Distribution of regional communications to branches, activists & members:</i> Details of our information resources standard practice</p>	
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