



#UCUNorth Weekly Digest

Week 47 2017

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		Date added to digest
22nd November – 22nd December	<p>Disability History Month</p> <p>This year's theme is 'Disability and Art'</p> <p>Read the branch guidance and see the resources on the national website.</p>	22/9/17
Saturday 25th November	<p>Reclaim the Night, Newcastle</p> <p>Information and online registration</p>	9/11/17
Tuesday 28th November	<p>'Undermined' : the powerful depiction of stories from the 1984 Miners Strike</p> <p>Poster / tweet Free tickets available online</p>	26/10/17
Friday 1st December	<p>TUC Union Professionals: Dealing with sexual harassment workshop, Newcastle</p> <p>Information and online booking</p>	27/10/17

<p>Monday 11th December</p>	<p>TUC Celebrating 40 years of union safety reps, Newcastle Information and online booking</p>	<p>NEW! 21/11/17</p>
<p>Saturday 27th January</p>	<p>Holocaust Memorial Day This year's theme is 'The power of words' Find out how to get involved</p>	<p>19/9/17</p>
<p>Wednesday 31st January – Friday 2nd February</p>	<p>UCU Health & Safety 1 : Induction training (H&S reps role and functions), Newcastle Register online This three-day module forms the first part of a six-day training programme organised into two modules. The course will cover:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the role and functions of a safety rep • how to obtain facilities and time off to carry out the safety rep's function • using the safety reps and safety committee regulations • employers' duties under health and safety legislation • a trade union and equal opportunities approach to health and safety • how to organise UCU members around hazards at work • develop essential safety rep skills. 	<p>2/11/17</p>
<p>Wednesday 28th February</p>	<p>UCU day of action against workplace racism 'Decolonising Education' Further information will available online</p>	<p>12/10/17</p>
<p>Thursday 15th March</p>	<p>Industrial Law Society meeting: Topic TBC Information and online registration</p>	<p>19/9/17</p>

<p>25th – 27th April</p>	<p>UCU Rep 2 : Representing members training, Newcastle</p> <p>Rep 2 is aimed at UCU reps and branch officers who have previously completed the Rep 1 induction course. All UCU activists who have completed Rep 1 and carry out casework or intend to carry out casework should consider completing the full reps programme.</p> <p>Further information and online registration</p>	<p>30/6/17</p>
<p>w/c 14th May</p>	<p>UCU National Recruitment Week</p> <p>ucunorthern.org.uk/event/nrw-may2018</p>	<p>14/7/17</p>

	<p>Reminder of links to details of our region’s recruitment and organising campaigns For full information please see ucunorthern.org.uk/roc Including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ ‘Tell us what matters’ recruitment stall campaign ○ “I’m in the union because” online photograph campaign ○ Regional recruitment business cards ○ ‘New job, join UCU’ recruitment leaflets – ideal for new staff inductions ○ #UCUmugshot workload/stress/UCU awareness campaign <p>Campaigns</p>	<p>13/6/17</p>
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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.

<p>Distribution of regional communications to branches, activists & members: Details of our information resources standard practice</p>	
<p>Our primary method of online communication is Twitter</p>	 @ucunorthern
<p>You do not need a Twitter account to view @UCUNorthern</p>	 #UCUnorth