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## BRUSSELS

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## SAN SEBASTIÁN/DONOSTIA

SPAIN

Spring Meeting Ecotopia BikeTour 2018.

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## TARTU

ESTONIA

International conference. Food Urbanism – A sustainable city.

## GÖTTINGEN

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Meeting of local climate groups in the german speaking area in Göttingen.

## 27 OPEN MEETING IN PREPARATION OF 2019 FREE THE SOIL MASS ACTION

OCTOBER

We need to expose the devastating practices of the industrial agricultural system and the few companies that control it, and to shut them down! In 2019 there will be a mass action in Northern Europe shutting down a fertilizer production plant – to stop the destruction where it's happening and to break down the legitimacy of the agricultural industry. The action will be an act of mass civil disobedience, using our bodies and our collective determination to overcome barriers and close down one of Europe's biggest ammonia production plants. For the days leading up to the action we will create space for action trainings, affinity group meetings and action organization in order for all of us to feel safe and prepared.

<http://freethesoil.org/mass-action-2019/>

## 28 „ENDE GELÄNDE“ MASS ACTION IN THE AREA OF THE HAMBACH OPEN PIT MINE

OCTOBER/NOVEMBER

For the first time in 40 years the climate justice movement was able to stop the wood clearing of the Hambach forest for the mining pit for an entire clearing season by protests and legal complaints. Ende Gelände demands a permanent end to the clearing and announces an action of civil disobedience for the next season starting in October. At the Hambach open-mining pit the alliance will stand up again for an immediate end to coal mining.

<https://www.ende-gelaende.org/en/>

## 29 CJA MEEETING, CZECHIA

NOVEMBER 9th – 11th

Several times a year Climat Justice Action meet to set out goals, actions and strategies.

<https://climatejusticeaction.net/en/who-are-we/meet/>

## **24 CLIMATE CAMP AND CODE ROOD MASS ACTION IN THE GAS FIELD OF GRONINGEN, NETHERLANDS**

**AUGUST 24th – 31st**

This summer we will send out a clear message together with hundreds of people for a consequent coal exit through our action Kohle erSetzen! (rePlace coal!). Especially the power generation through coal significantly heats up the global climate change, which is one of the biggest challenges of our time. Furthermore in the Rhineland, literally on our doorstep, complete villages are still being relocated and ecosystems are still being destroyed. Similar to the symptoms of an exploitative generation systems accumulating in the Rhenish lignite (brown coal) district, the diverse resistance will come together at the end of August: a human chain, track blockades, a bike demonstration, actions of smaller groups and our sit-in! Disobediently we will block a coal power station. Together we place ourselves onto the access roads and demand clearly: rePlace coal! (Kohle erSetzen!)

We will organize ourselves in affinity groups and support each other. Whether young people, experienced activists, blockade beginners or people who signed a cease-and-desist declaration of RWE: in a decisive and joint fashion we will be disobedient and not open the road when police asks us to do so. Let's fight nonviolently and in solidarity for climate justice on the streets! Save the climate disobediently!

<https://code-rood.org/>

## **25 FRE! LAUF DIY BIKE CAMP**

**AUGUST 24th – 26th**

FahrradBande of the BUNDJugend Berlin organizes their first non-commercial bike camp: the FRE! LAUF DIY-Bike-Camp 2018. Networking, information exchange, creativity and diversity, workshops, lectures, bicycle Olympics, films, concerts, party, mobile bicycle workshop and much more for bike fans.

<http://mitradgelegenheit.org/>

## **26 BALKAN ANARCHIST BOOK FAIR, NOVI SAD, SERBIA**

**SEPTEMBER 28th – 30th**

Every year since first Balkan anarchist bookfair [BAB] in 2003 it takes place in a different city across the Balkans and is organized by a local collective with an aim to connect local, regional, as well as international anarchist community. This year, we hope that even more participants, groups and publishers will gather in Novi Sad, as well as anyone else who is interested in anarchist and libertarian books and publications.

<http://bask2018.noblogs.org/>

## **1 INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEASANT STRUGGLES, DEMONSTRATION “FREE FARMERS FROM FREE TRADE AGREEMENTS!”, BRUSSELS, BELGIUM**

**APRIL 17th**

On 17th April 1996, a private militia fires and murders 19 landless peasants in Eldorado do Carajas, Para State, Brazil. Their crime? Occupying fallow land belonging to a rich landowner. This unpunished murder has lingered in the memories of La Via Campesina peasant organisations, and the date now marks the International Day of Peasant Struggles. Breaches of peasant rights, which outrageously happen on a daily basis, are on the rise due to free trade agreements which only serve the interests of multinationals.

To join this mobilization or share your own #17April actions please write to [info@eurovia.org](mailto:info@eurovia.org) <http://www.eurovia.org/event/april-17-call-for-action-free-farmers-from-free-trade-agreements/>

## **2 INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE. FOOD URBANISM – A SUSTAINABLE CITY, TARTU, ESTONIA**

**APRIL 18th – 20th**

The primary aim of the conference is to raise awareness and exchange knowledge on planning food chains in the city, influencing policy-making and valuing the diversity of existing foodscapes.

<https://foodurbanism.wixsite.com/foodurbanismtartu>

## **3 SPRING MEETING ECOTOPIA BIKETOURL 2018. SAN SEBASTIÁN/DONOSTIA, SPAIN**

**APRIL 19th – 23rd**

Ecotopia Biketour is a self-organized, international community that has been cycling through different parts of Europe each summer since 1990.

On the way Biketour visits social and environmental projects and groups to learn about their struggles and visions, to exchange knowledge, to create connections and to support them by participating in actions or doing some physical work. Ecotopia Biketour 2018 will happen in the north of Spain and in Portugal during July and August and possibly in September. During the Spring Meeting in San Sebastián on April, 19-23 among other things the group will decide the details of the route.

[www.ecotopiabiketour.net](http://www.ecotopiabiketour.net)

## **4 MEETING OF LOCAL CLIMATE GROUPS IN THE GERMAN SPEAKING AREA IN GÖTTINGEN, GERMANY**

**APRIL 27th – 29th**

Putting down roots – local activism for climate justice

**ABERFELDY**  
CENTRAL SCOTLAND  
Scottish Radical  
Herbal gathering.

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## 20 CLIMATE CAMP IN THE RHINELAND (SMALLER VERSION THIS YEAR AND WITHOUT MASS ACTION)

**AUGUST 11th – 22nd**

Lets try out tomorrow's society right now – social, ecological and based on grassroots democracy. This year's camp will be smaller and less action-orientated than last year's. In our debates we want to focus on the future of the Rhenish lignite region and on reflecting the practices, structures and strategies of the climate justice movement.  
<http://www.klimacamp-im-rheinland.de/en/>

## 21 EARTH FIRST! GATHERING IN SUSSEX COUNTRY SIDE, UK

**AUGUST 15th – 20th**

Five days of skill-sharing for grassroots ecological direct action – make links, share ideas, and get involved in the struggles against fracking, new roads and more.  
<http://earthfirstgathering.org/>

## 22 STRATEGY CONFERENCE FOR 2019 (GERMAN CLIMATE MOVEMENT)

**AUGUST 17th – 19th**

Soon here: <http://www.klimacamp-im-rheinland.de/en/>

## 23 6TH INTERNATIONAL DEGROWTH CONFERENCE IN MALMÖ, SWEDEN

**AUGUST 21st – 25th**

This conference is inspired by principles of care, mutual aid and democratic decision-making. We aim to live and share dreams and practices of different worlds both happening and possible over these few days and invite you to be part of it!  
<https://malmo.degrowth.org/>

## **BEYOND BORDERS, EROLES, SPAIN**

**AUGUST 5th-19th**

An Eroles Project Community of Practice for people working with cultural diversity, integration and collaboration. The Community of Practice will first gather in Eroles with the intention of continuing to support one another's practice beyond. Residencies are the time when diverse groups of people come together to think, play, practice, learn, exchange and to develop a collective action to do in the world. Eroles Project believes it's from the creativity of artists, the heart of activists, the minds of thinkers, the souls of carers, the hands of builders, and gardeners, the spirit of wise people where we can build a future in which we all thrive.  
<https://eroleproject.org/activities/residencies/>

## **18 INTERNATIONAL ANTI-NUCLEAR CAMP CLOSE TO NARBONNE, FRANCE**

**AUGUST 6th - 12th**

The summer camp will be structured with two main topics:  
One will be the uranium conversion facility of the company Orano (formerly Areva) in Narbonne-Malvézi. The other will be safety issues associated with the transport of uranium and its by-products across the nuclear fuel chain including radioactive waste.  
Within the program of the camp there will be space and time to share experiences and knowledge, and to prepare projects or campaigns.  
<http://www.nuclear-heritage.net>

## **19 CLIMAT GAMES, BASEL, SWITZERLAND**

**AUGUST 10th-11th**

The Action Days of the Climate Games 2018 are dedicated to the fight against the consumption of fossil fuels!  
The Basel oil port plays a central role in the use of fossil fuels in Switzerland. More than a third of the Swiss total mineral oil needs are distributed throughout Switzerland via the "Ports of Switzerland". The oil, whose production and transport are accompanied by human rights violations and environmental destruction, is loaded here from the oil tankers on trains and trucks in Basel and distributed throughout Switzerland.  
As part of these action days activists want to draw attention to the urgency of a system change. Therefore a mass action of civil disobedience will take place in the Basle oil port. Hand in hand with independent small group actions, we will stand together, non-violently, but definitely the fossil industry in the way. Let's send together a strong call for climate justice!  
<https://www.climategames.ch/climate-games-2018/>

## **5 SCOTTISH RADICAL HERBAL GATHERING, ABERFELDY, CENTRAL SCOTLAND**

**MAY 11th - 13th**

The Second Scottish Radical Herbalism Gathering will take place at the beautiful Big Shed, eco-building in Central Scotland.  
The themes and strands of the gathering are:  
Radical Health & Herbalism  
Sustainability; Social & Environmental Justice  
Scottish Health & Herbal Heritage  
<http://radicalherbalscotland.co.uk>  
Email: [hello@radicalherbalscotland.co.uk](mailto:hello@radicalherbalscotland.co.uk)  
Facebook: Scottish Radical Herbal Network  
[Update: tickets may be sold out for this year's edition]

## **6 CLIMATE CAMP AND CLIMATE GAMES IN VIENNA, AGAINST THE EXPANSION OF THE AIRPORT OF VIENNA, AUSTRIA**

**MAY 30th - JUNE 3rd**

Climate camps are the heart of the international climate movement. For a few days participants of the 3rd climate camp will live together in a self-organized way, networking, forming and shaping actions. The camp should provide space for the exchange of ideas, interests and information and it should be a place of inspiration. A place where people come together to think together about creative actions and strategies for the transformation towards a good life for all.  
The program will include theoretical and practical workshops, open spaces, podium discussions and a diverse cultural program. The camp needs your support – each of us can contribute individually and actively participate in the camp.  
This year, various social movements and initiatives will be guests at the climate camp. Until now, the Nyéléni-movement Austria, the interventionist left and the Bikekitchen will organize a Barrio. The so called Barrios work like neighbourhoods and provide own program points. Make the camp a colorful, open and exciting place!  
The 3rd climate camp is also on Facebook: Klimacamp Österreich  
<http://systemchange-not-climatechange.at>

## NORTH-BOHEMIA •

Czech climate camp and action „Limity jsme my – we are the limits“, probably again in a lignite open pit mine in North-Bohemia

## BURE

FRANCE

Mobilization at nuclear waste building site in Bure

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## 14 QUEER-FEMINIST CARAVAN, EAST GERMANY - POLAND

**AUGUST 1st – 31st**

In August 2018 the caravan, consisting of cars, vans and trucks, will move between different places in East Germany and Poland.

The concept assumes about a monthly tour, a mobile networking and workshop platform, connecting individuals and activist groups, with the idea of the direct, local activities. The intention of the caravan is to confront the growing right-wing politics and analyse its influence in a society from a queer-feminist perspective.

Quaravan is organised in a non-hierarchical and decentralized way.

If you define as women, trans, inter or non-binary and you are interested, come around to one of the meetings or contact quaravan via mail: [quaravan@riseup.net](mailto:quaravan@riseup.net)

<https://quaravan.noblogs.org/>

## 15 COAL SIT-IN IN LEIPZIG, GERMANY

**AUGUST 3rd – 5th**

Last year, as a climate and anti-coal movement, we were able to successfully anchor the carbon leakage as an overall social issue.

But the coal exit pushes – because the climate change is not waiting. In view of the climate-laggards GroKo and their carry-over tactics we must increase the pressure this year. In doing so, we are setting up a nationwide view of the hitherto neglected lignite mining area near Leipzig. We will show that here as in the Rhineland and the Lusatia for the brown coal insanely whole villages are resettled!

From 3 to 5 August, after the workshops of the Climate Camp in the Leipzig Land, we will disrupt the operation of the lignite infrastructure. Because we will not idly watch how our future is put in jeopardy in favor of dirty energy production.

We consciously plan the campaign low-threshold, to enable many people – from blockade beginners to action professionals – to take the next step towards civil disobedience.

<http://www.kohle-ersetzen.de/en/>

<https://www.facebook.com/kohleersetzen/>

## 16 SWISS CLIMATE CAMP IN BASEL, SWITZERLAND

**AUGUST 3rd – 13th**

The Climate Games are a framework for action in which you can playfully raise awareness about climate change. The idea is to show that the movement from below can fight for a more climate-friendly world. Our actions bring together different aspects of global change. You form teams of several people and take part in your own actions or plan. You can decide for yourself how and where you want to go into action.

At the camp you can:

- Prepare actions or join an already existing action
- Visit workshops or lectures or offer them yourself
- Recharge your batteries, stay overnight, eat, visit cultural events

<https://www.climategames.ch/>



## 7 MOBILIZATION AT NUCLEAR WASTE BUILDING SITE IN BURE, FRANCE

**JUNE 16th**

To be confirmed. Follow updates and call outs on the website  
<https://vmc.camp>

## 8 HARBOUR GAMES, HAMBURG, GERMANY

**JUNE 23rd-24th**

Into the harbor, out of capitalism!  
On Saturday, the 23rd of June, there will be a rally with several actions in the entire port area.  
We will go by bicycles and public transport to different places for social and ecological justice.  
Keep the weekend free and come to the Harbor Games 2018!  
<http://www.buko.info>

## 9 CZECH CLIMATE CAMP AND ACTION „LIMITY JSME MY – WE ARE THE LIMITS“, PROBABLY AGAIN IN A LIGNITE OPEN PIT MINE IN NORTH-BOHEMIA

**JUNE 28th – JULY 1st**

Join the movement for climate justice and come to the second KLIMAKEMP. There will be discussions, workshops, cultural shows and protests against the coal extraction and burning. During five days we'll live in a commonly managed camp on the principles of non-hierarchy, democracy and sustainability. There will be enough space for creative, brave and non-violent actions.  
We are the limits to fossil fuel industry. It's time to overcome together our inner limits and fight for an ecological and just future. It depends on us, if we are going to have our planet and health destroyed or we are striving with determination after a sustainable and just future.  
<https://limityjsmemy.cz>  
Email: [limityjsmemy@riseup.net](mailto:limityjsmemy@riseup.net)  
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/events/1515426468504626/>



## • POLAND

Climate camp in Poland in a lignite extraction area.

## • KOPACZE

POLAND

Queer-feminist camp.

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## JULY-SEPTEMBER

ECOTOPIA BIKETOIR 2018.

FROM SOUTH-WEST FRANCE TO NORTH PORTUGAL

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Ecotopia Biketour 2018 will happen in the north of Spain and in Portugal during July and August and possibly in September. Everyone should be able to cycle with the Biketour. Read and spread our call-out for projects and find out how to get involved.

<https://www.ecotopiabiketour.net/>

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## • LEIPZIG

GERMANY

Climate camp and Degrowth summer school in the area of the lignite open pit mines near Leipzig.

## 11 CLIMATE CAMP IN POLAND IN A LIGNITE EXTRACTION AREA

**JULY 18th - 22nd**

Location to be announced.

## 12 QUEER-FEMINIST CAMP IN POLAND, KOPACZE, POLAND

**JULY 19th-24th**

Kopacze-Diggers is a queer activist-residential project, aimed at organizing and hosting workshops, retreats and other events related to broadly understood social and environmental activism. It is a farm consisting of a residential house, farm buildings and 6 hectares of bushes (more precisely young Birchwood) surrounded by other farms.

"We care about creating a safer non-separatist space. We invite people with all sexual identities, psychosexual orientations, skin colors, places of origin, different ages and with different levels of wealth. The camp itself as well as the Kopacze-Diggers project, is to be a trans\* friendly, sex(work)positive, vegan, anti-racist queer and feminist space. Our goal for the community that will form the camp is to self-organize in a non-hierarchical manner.

We want the camp to be a place for skill- and knowledge sharing, but also for being lazy and chilling in the nature and to escape from the overwhelming reality of oppression (we assume the possibility of creating separatist spaces at the camp). In the program we envisage workshops and talks, but also free time spent together. We would also like to focus on strengthening practical skills (building, gardening, body work).

We have the capacity to accommodate a maximum of 40 people (including a maximum of 5-7 children up to 14 years old, people from 15 years of age are full-time participants). In case we get too many applications, we will prioritize ppl from eastern europe."

<https://kopacediggers.hotglue.me/>

Email: [kopacze\\_diggers@riseup.net](mailto:kopacze_diggers@riseup.net)

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/events/112697016251907/>

## 13 CLIMATE CAMP AND DEGROWTH SUMMER SCHOOL IN THE AREA OF THE LIGNITE OPEN PIT MINES NEAR LEIPZIG

**JULY 28th - AUGUST 5th**

The first Climate camp in Leipzig aims to strengthen anti-lignite resistance in the region. It is part of a growing global climate justice movement.

The Climate Camp Leipziger Land is a grassroots democratic process involving people and diverse contexts. It is organized in cooperation with local activists whose villages are threatened by lignite. One of these villages is Pödelwitz, where the climate camp will take place. Together with the local people, we want to develop perspectives for a self-determined structural change. Global climate justice starts in Pödelwitz.

An important part of the camp is an extensive educational program with workshops, podiums and excursions as well as cultural events. In addition, the camp is a place of lived alternatives, in which the participants can actively contribute: care work, such as cooking or compost toilet cleaning are done by all and important decisions made by consensus. We feed ourselves vegan and live as resource-efficient as possible.

<https://www.klimacamp-leipzigerland.de/>