



THE LEFT GUE/NGL External Bureau Meeting, Iruñea/Pamplona

29 June to 1 July 2022

Hotel Tres Reyes - C. Taconera, 1, 31001 Iruñea/Pamplona

PROGRAMME

Interpretation: EN, FR, DE, ES, PT, Basque passive

WEDNESDAY 29 June

- 16.30-16.45** Opening and Welcome
- Manon AUBRY and Martin SCHIRDEWAN, The Left co-Chairs
 - Pernando Barrena, Welcoming MEP
- 16.45 - 18.30** Part I – The war in Ukraine and the new international scenario
Chair: Idoia Villanueva, The Left MEP
- Jeremy Corbyn, MP, Former Labour Party leader (*Remote*)
 - Marta Rosique, Member of the Spanish Parliament, ERC
 - Gorka Elejabarrieta, EH Bildu International desk Director
 - MEPs Contribution
- 18.45 - 19.45** Part II – Update on the situation in the Basque Country
Chair: Pernando Barrena, The Left MEP
- Arnaldo Otegi, EH Bildu national spokesperson

THURSDAY 30 June (morning)

- 09.30 - 10.45** Part I - The pro-independence left and new European states
Chair: Pernando Barrena, The Left MEP
- Miren Zabaleta, leader of EH Bildu Nafarroa/Navarre
 - Martina Anderson, Sinn Féin representative to Europe
 - MEPs Contribution

10.45 - 11.30

Press conference: EN, ES & Basque FR, DE - *Room: Belagua*

Participants: Manon AUBRY, Martin SCHIRDEWAN, Pernando BARRENA, Idoia VILLANUEVA

11.30 - 12.45

Part II: Sovereignties at local level: economy, energy, peoples

Chair: Marisa Matias, The Left MEP

- Onintze Oleaga, responsible for EH Bildu's local policy
- Aizpea Otaegi, Mayor of Renteria, community care network
- Izaro Elorza, Mayor of Oñati
- MEPs Contribution

THURSDAY 30 June (afternoon)

15.00 - 16.30

Part I: The rise of authoritarianism in European societies

Chair: Sira Rego, The Left MEP

- John Adamson, Organiser, Motherwell & Wishaw, SNP
- Asier Etxenike, Director of sociology center "Aztiker"
- Javiera Cabello, from Chilean Ministry of Woman & Equality
- Rafa Mayoral, Spanish Parliament, Podemos (*Remote*)
- MEPs Contribution

17.00 - 18.30

Part II: How to make the Left's voice heard in Europe (and beyond)

Chair: Nikolaj Villumsen, The Left MEP

- Wouter Bernhardt, Communication Strategy of the housing campaign 'Deutsche Wohnen & Co enteignen' in Berlin
- Boel Tanzer, communication campaign of Enhedslisten at Copenhagen local elections
- Yehonatan Abelson, Member of the strategic team of Chilean President presidential election campaign
- Francia Marquez, Vice-President candidate of Pacto Histórico Colombia (*Remote participation, (tbc)*)
- MEPs Contribution and Concluding remarks

FRIDAY 1 July

09.00 - 10.30

Closed Meeting for The Left Members