Bloomsbury Teach Outs

SOAS and Birkbeck

All SOAS events take place on the steps outside their main building, all BBK events take place outside the library.

WEEK 1 - 25, 26, 27TH FEBRUARY

Monday 24 February

SOAS:

9am

Malcolm X: Racism, Resistance, Revolution Shabbir Lakha

10am

Rebels and Rage

Adam Habib (reading group)

11am

Lessons from the Picket Lines Halimo Hussain and Nisha Phillips

12pm

The Political Economy of Managerialism: From the Factory Floor to the University Matthew Eagleton-Pierce

1pm

Kunan Poshpora and Women's resistance in Kashmir Amina Mahmood Mir (University of Westminster)

2pm

Solidarity and its Discontents within the University and Beyond Sophie Chamas

3pm

Reading Group: Anti-Oppression Activism, the Politics of Safety, and State Co-optation. Fugitive Planning

4pm

Illiberal Welfare: Class Politics and Socio-Economic Change in Post-Genocide Rwanda

Tuesday 25 February

UEL and Birkbeck Stratford:

9.30am Stratford Campus (outside University Square Stratford)
Stratford - Anti-racism teach-out in collaboration with UEL

SOAS:

10am

Introduction to Student Campaigns

11am

Feminism Interrupted

Lola Olufemi

12pm

New Enclosures and Beyond

Brett Christophers

1pm

Care, Austerity, and the University: An open conversation on families, social care, and wellbeing in higher education (1/2)

Sarah Pett

2pm

The Limits of Liberal Secularity

Samia Khatun, Jana Cattien and Abeera Khan

3pm

The Political Economy of Financial Crisis in UK Universities

Meera Sabaratnam

BIRKBECK:

5pm

Poetry as Protest – Israel/Palestine Jacqueline Rose

Caoimhe Mader McGuinness

Wednesday 26 February

SOAS:

9.30am

Why Academics and Students should #BoycottTurkey SOAS Kurdish Society, Nik Matheou and Katie Higgins

10.30am

Turkey's Raison d'État and Dersim 1937–38: From Kemalism to Erdoganism Pinar Dinc (Lund University)

11.30am

Assemble at SOAS for London Region demo

12pm

Rally outside UCEA/UUK HQ @ Woburn House, Tavistock Square WC1H 9HU The Money's There – Where's Our Share? UCU London Region.

1.30pm

March to The City (USS HQ/Bank)
UCU London Region

3pm

Securitization and Refugees
Tania Kaiser

4pm

The Politics of Un-belonging Jasmine Gani

BIRKBECK:

4.30pm

Meet outside main building, BBK Birkbeck Picket History Walk with David Rosenberg

Dominated by its university buildings, and its manicured Georgian Squares, and housing the British Museum, not surprisingly Bloomsbury has been identified with the educated middle classes. But within that rather comfortable setting radical politics and a questioning of traditionalist beliefs and conservative political orthodoxies have also been a distinctive feature of the area.

On this walk you will find out about some of the radical reformers, idealists and revolutionaries who have been resident there, and the movements they brought into being, and you will discover some interesting and exciting connections between them.