Global Women for Peace United Against NATO



Media Advisory

As NATO prepares for its next Summit in Vilnius, Lithuania, on 11th and 12th July, the peace movement is organizing internationally to oppose NATO and put forward alternatives for peace. As part of these protests, *Global Women for Peace United against NATO* are hosting a programme of events in Brussels, home to the NATO HQ, from 6th to 9th July.

Our messaging is the Women's Declaration for Peace (full text available <u>here</u>). **Key points:** NO to NATO, No to militarised blocs, No to war: for a new security structure in Europe, a multipolar world based on peace, justice and global solidarity. More information at: <u>www.womenagainstnato.org</u>.

Thursday July 6

12:45-14:00 CET: European Parliament: the Women's Declaration for Peace will be presented to Members of the European Parliament, followed by speeches and discussion.*photo and interview opportunity

Friday July 7

Hybrid seminars are taking place at: <u>Pianofabriek</u> – Fortstraat 35 – Brussels

Please register: Online registration here; in person registration here.

9.40-12.45 CET: welcome and hybrid seminar – NATO/US threats and consequences 13.30 - 16.00 CET: hybrid seminar – NATO in the Global South 17.30 CET: Protest action: Invest in Peace

*organised by Belgian peace organisations @ Albertina Square

19.30 – 22.00 CET: Global NATO or Global Peace?

*Public panel discussion organized by the No to war - No to NATO network and Belgian peace organizations.

Saturday July 8

10.00 – 12.30 CET: hybrid seminar – NATO in the Asia Pacific
14.00 – 15.30 CET: hybrid seminar – NATO in Latin America
16.00 – 18.00 CET: hybrid seminar – Stopping US and Canada's Participation in NATO's wars

Sunday July 9

10.00 - 13.00 CET: Global Women for Peace United against NATO future planning meeting

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We are collecting **donations** to support this event via **bank transfer**. Here are the details:

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