The George Brown College Labour Fair and the Tommy Douglas Institute present

Labour Fair 2024

March 18th – March 22nd

CORPORATE POWER vs. LABOUR POWER IT'S OUR WORK!!!

In the 2020s...

.. the world's majority have had to deal with COVID, conflict, a worsening climate and cost of living crisis. ... prices and precarity have gone up, while wages and security have gone down, right along with our social, political, economic and labour power.

... the five richest men have doubled their wealth, while 5 billion people have become poorer. ... we have collectively become witness to a new era of inequality driven by corporate monopolies, but resisted by peoples mobilizations, from community activism to union organizing.

It's the 2020s and we're only 4 years in.

Will this decade be one of loss for the world's people and planet? Or can it be one of resistance and reclamation of our world, our labour and our power?

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Labour Fair Events

For full and updated Labour Fair Program with links to online sessions, visit: <u>Labour Fair | George Brown College</u> Selected events will also be recorded for air on *The Courage My Friends podcast* on rabble.ca.

Monday March 18th, 1:00pm-2:30pm

Keynote Panel Presentation

Corporate Power vs. Labour Power: It's Our Work!!!

with JP Hornick (President, OPSEU) and Paul Taylor (Activist/Educator) <u>https://georgebrown-ca.zoom.us/j/92251263259</u>

Tuesday March 19th, 10:00am-12:00pm

Panel Presentation

Corporate Power vs. Food & Equity

with Frederick Ho (OPSEU), Nathalie Vengal (UCFW), Sharon Walsh (UNIFOR) <u>https://georgebrown-ca.zoom.us/j/99773607044</u>

Tuesday March 19th, 10:00am-11:00am / 1:00pm-2:00pm

Presentation

Corporate Power vs. Community & Campaign Organizing

with Aliya Pabani & Chris Wood (Encampment Support Network) Rm. 456E (10am session) / Rm. 495F (1pm session) (200 King St. East)

Wednesday March 20th, 10:00am-11:30am

Panel Presentation

Inequality Inc. / Corporate Power vs. Workers' Rights

With Lauren Ravon (Executive Director, Oxfam Canada) and Jared Ong (Workers Action Centre) <u>https://georgebrown-ca.zoom.us/j/99368578045</u>

Thursday March 21st, 1:00pm-2:00pm

Speaker Presentation

Corporate Power and the Housing Crisis vs. Right to Housing

Michèle Biss (National Director, National Right to Housing Network) <u>https://georgebrown-ca.zoom.us/j/97403076389</u>

Friday March 22nd, 12:00pm-1:30pm

Speaker Presentation & Closing Ceremony

Corporate Power and the Overdose Crisis vs. Frontline Care Work

with Rhiannon Thomas (COUNTERfit Harm Reduction)

Closed Session

To register for any available spaces, please email: bmccarth@georgebrown.ca