

# Iraq and the Global Peace Movement: What next?

DRAFT PROGRAM

DAY 1 - May 19

- 9 AM Registration
- 9:30 AM Opening Program  
Welcome Dita Sari [confirmed]  
Opening Remarks Rep. Loretta Rosales [confirmed]
- 10 AM PANEL 1  
*Where are we now?: Assessing and debating the current conjuncture*  
**Moderator:**  
Phyllis Bennis (US) [confirmed]  
Tariq Ali  
Walden Bello (Philippines) [confirmed]
- Open Forum
- 12 NN Lunch
- 1 PM PANEL 2  
*What happened since?: Assessing the global peace movement*  
**Moderator:**  
Medea Benjamin (US) [confirmed]  
Leo Gabriel (Austria) [confirmed]  
Giles Ungpakorn (Thailand) [confirmed]  
Sungur Savran (Turkey) [confirmed]  
Salim Vally (South Africa) [confirmed]
- Case study: The Indonesian peace movement  
(To be identified by Dita Sari)
- Open Forum
- 4:00 PM Tea break
- 4:30 PM PANEL 3  
*Future Iraqs: Where will the US intervene next?*  
**Moderator:**  
Middle East: Azmi Bichara  
Korea: (to be identified by Youngmo)  
Philippines: Herbert Docena/Hussin Amin [confirmed]  
Indonesia: (to be identified by Dita)  
Pakistan: Assim Ajjad Ahtar [confirmed]  
Latin America: Alejandro Bendana
- Open Forum
- 7 PM Dinner

## DAY 2 - May 20

- 9 AM            PANEL 4  
*What do we do with Iraq?*  
**Moderator:** (someone from the Iraq Peace Team/Voices in the Wilderness)
- How do we relate to post-Saddam political movements in Iraq?  
Saad Maliki (Iraq)  
Amir Chahal (Iraq)
- How do we deal with oil companies and reconstruction corporations?  
Lessons of reconstruction: someone from Afghanistan/Cambodia/East Timor  
Someone else
- 11 AM            PANEL 5  
*Where do we go from here? Issues and challenges facing the global peace movement today*  
**Moderator:**
- What do we do with the United Nations?  
Phyllis Bennis
- How does the peace movement relate to the France-Germany-Russia axis?  
Towards linking state-civil society activists?  
Nicola Bullard (?) (Thailand/Australia)
- Open forum
- 1 PM             Lunch
- 2 PM             PANEL 6  
*A shift in strategies and tactics?*  
**Moderator:**
- How do we prosecute the US for war crimes? Towards international justice and accountability
- Beyond demonstrations: New strategies and tactics for a new stage in the struggle  
Bob Wing (US)  
Muto Ichiyo (Japan)  
Adeela Zubair (Pakistan)
- The Islamic movement: future directions in the anti-US struggle?  
Chandra Muzaffar  
Someone from Indonesia (to be identified by Dita)
- How do we relate anti-globalization movement with anti-war movement?  
Marylou Malig (Focus on the Global South)

Chris Nineham (Globalise Resistance)  
Nala Chahal (Lebanon)

Open Forum

4:00 PM

Tea Break

4:30 PM

PANEL 6

*A global coalition against war?*

Why coordination among peace movements worldwide must be further strengthened

**Moderator:** Medea Benjamin (US)

Dita Sari (Indonesia)

Anuradha Chenoy (India)

APA representative

Christophe Aguiton (France)

Leo Gabriel (Austria)

Strategy session

Formation of a global coalition of peace movements

Planning session

- Structure of coalition

- Next actions

- Future meetings

### **DAY 3 - May 21**

9 AM

Plenary strategy and planning session

Statement of Unity

11 AM

Concluding Remarks

Zulfiqar Gondal

1 AM

Launching press conference (?)

Mobilization