

Time	Second Euromediterranean "Workers' Economy" Meeting - Program Draft										
	Saturday 29					Sunday 30					
	Room 1		Room 1		Room 2	Room 3		Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	
09:00	Coffee		Coffee			Coffee		Coffee			
09:30	Registration and preparation of interpretation		<p><b>Central panel: Workers' occupations and self-management in history - links with the present</b></p> <p>Francesca Gabriellini (Italy) Workers' councils and workers control in 20th century Italy EN</p> <p>Mario Hernandez (Argentina) The movement of factory occupation and workers self-management in Argentina ES</p> <p>Milos Vlaisavljevic (Croatia) Challenges and problems in the practice of Yugoslav self-management EN</p> <p>Jose Luis Carretero (Solidaridad Obrera, Spain) From collectivizations to ISM: 80 years of struggle for self-management in Spain ES</p> <p>Ozgur Natin (Turkey) The history of workers' management in Turkey with recent examples EN</p> <p>Alan Tuckman &amp; Tom Untersteiner (UK) Workers' occupation and workers' control in the UK EN</p>			<p><b>Panel: Public goods and self-management: Reappropriating the public</b></p> <p>Richard Neville / Association Autogestion (France) Public services, public goods and self-management: A path for collective ownership by unions, associations and citizens FR ES</p> <p>Alternative Action for Quality of Life (Greece) Appropriation and self-management of open public spaces: the case of the camping of Voula EL</p> <p>Instituto de Ciencias Económicas y de la Autogestión (Spain) The proposal of reappropriation of the municipal cleaning services of Madrid based on self-management ES</p> <p>Christos Avramidis (Greece) The struggle for self-management of the ERT3 public broadcaster EL</p>		<p><b>Workshop: In dialogue with VIOME</b></p> <p>Several academic researchers who have studied the experience of VIOME present their findings in a dialogue with their subjects – the workers of VIOME themselves.</p>		<p>Dimitris Kotsakis (Greece) EL</p> <p>Anthony Nicholas Prassoulis (Greece) EL</p> <p>George Kokkidis (Greece) EL</p> <p>Ikaterina Kiriatidou (Greece) UK</p> <p>Workers of VIOME (Greece)</p>	<p><b>Workshop: Sustainability of collaborative businesses</b></p> <p><b>Presentation and facilitation: Pagkaki Work Collective (Athens Greece) EL</b></p> <p>What are the issues the collective has to agree upon before starting a collaborative business? What are the decision-making processes that can promote horizontality, egalitarianism and effectiveness?</p>
10:00	Opening session		<p>Workplace occupation and self-management has been a common form of struggle throughout the industrial era. How do examples from different times and places relate to current struggles?</p>			<p>In the present context of privatization of public spaces and services, many voices propose that street control by society through their self-management by workers and citizens.</p>					
10:30	<p>A brief welcome from the hosts and the organizers and an introduction to the issues of workers' recuperation and self-management</p> <p><b>Member of VIOME workers cooperative (Greece)</b> Welcome from the hosts EL</p> <p>Theodora Karyiadi (European Workers' Economy Organizing Committee) Presentation of the meeting on behalf of the organizers EL / EN / ES</p> <p>Alexis Roggeri (Facultad Azores, Argentina) The worldwide movement of workplace recuperation and the history of the "Workers' Economy" meetings ES</p> <p>Benoit Borrès (Association pour l'Autogestion, France) Recuperated companies and co-operatives towards the generalization of a workers' economy EN / FR</p>		<p><b>Break</b></p>			<p><b>Break</b></p>					
11:00	Break		<p><b>Panel: What are the traits of a militant and antagonistic "Workers' Economy"?</b></p> <p>Pagkaki Work Collective (Greece) Can the experiences of self-management lead to a discrete mode of struggle that challenge dominant narratives? EL</p> <p>Rodrigo del Prado (SOL VICO, Spain) Self-management without solidarity leads to corporatism ES</p> <p>VIOME Workers' Cooperative (Greece) What is the meaning of a collaborative economy? EL</p> <p>Marek Golonko (Social Cooperative Margit, Poland) Quality and mutual assistance in practice: creating a practical alternative to a neoliberal global economy EN</p> <p>Monevella Social Space for Freedom (Greece) Social &amp; solidarity economy and community building EL</p>		<p><b>Panel: Self-managing not only production, but also other aspects of life</b></p> <p>Langekadia camp refugees. Self-management of a community needs by the refugees at Langekadia refugee camp</p> <p>Fair eman music collective (Greece) The music group as a living social organism: Self-managing social life EL</p> <p>Christy Petropoulos (Greece) Street art as the creation of common space. Links with solidarity economy EL</p> <p>Workers' Clinic at VIOME (Greece) Self-management in the area of healthcare EL</p>	<p><b>Working commission: Mutual aid fund and collaboration network among worker-run businesses.</b></p> <p>Horizontal decision making and solidarity, the foundational principles of a workers' economy, can be applied to the self-management of all areas of social life, such as healthcare, street art, music, and communal coexistence.</p> <p>This workgroup is addressed to workers of recuperated and worker-run companies. It is a space to discuss and elaborate a proposal on the creation of a mutual aid fund and network, to present in Sunday's assembly.</p>		<p><b>Assembly of workers at recuperated and worker-run companies</b></p> <p><b>Workshop: Work in Transition</b></p> <p><b>Presentation and facilitation: Brick Lane Debates (UK) EN</b></p> <p>An open assembly is convened by workers of recuperated and worker-run businesses who want to adopt common positions and reach common decisions, based on the issues elaborated by the working commissions on Saturday, towards the construction of a euromediterranean network. Others are welcome to attend, but only delegated workers will be part of the decision making.</p>		<p><b>Workshop: Relationships and human emotions within companies without bosses.</b></p> <p><b>Presentation and facilitation: Sergi / Editorial Descontrol (Catalonia, Spain) ES</b></p> <p>The survival of a self-managed company largely depends on managing relationships and emotions. How can we point towards more egalitarian relationships?</p>	
12:00	<p><b>Central panel: Self-managed work and workplace recuperation: Defending life and dignity through occupation - PART 1</b></p> <p>VIOME Workers' Cooperative (Thessaloniki, Greece) EL</p> <p>DITA (Lutza, Bosnia and Herzegovina) SR</p> <p>ITAS-Promotika (Ivanec, Croatia) SR</p> <p>Jugopremedija (Belgrade, Serbia) SR</p>		<p><b>Lunch break</b></p>			<p><b>Lunch break</b></p>					
12:30	<p>A space for presentation of and dialogue among the recuperated worker-run workplaces that have been proliferating in the euromediterranean region in the past few years.</p>		<p>Workers of five collaborative enbeaviours discuss the values and practices that allow these projects to be antagonistic to capitalist relations and to point towards a new kind of society.</p>			<p>Horizontal decision making and solidarity, the foundational principles of a workers' economy, can be applied to the self-management of all areas of social life, such as healthcare, street art, music, and communal coexistence.</p>					
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14:00	<p>A space for presentation of and dialogue among the recuperated worker-run workplaces that have been proliferating in the euromediterranean region in the past few years.</p>		<p>Many political currents stress social emphasis on self-management in their plan for social change. Will this change happen with, against or despite the state? What is the relationship between the economic, the social and the political?</p>			<p>Moderators present the main debates and conclusions of the panels and workshops. A new agenda is defined for discussion in the next euromediterranean meeting in 2018.</p>					
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15:00	<p><b>Main event: Workers' struggles in Latin America</b></p> <p>Latin American countries have been a laboratory of capitalist structural adjustment, but also a hub of creative and inspiring resistances on behalf of workers and the popular classes.</p>		<p><b>Panel: Structures of political, social and legal support of self-management and factory recuperations</b></p> <p>Richard Neville (Solidaires, France) How can trade union reclaim and support self-management? FR / ES</p> <p>Luis Rodriguez Algans (Conselleria Primera de Mayo, Basque Country, Spain) Promoting business recuperation processes and practices of collective bargaining towards self-management ES</p> <p>Michel Mas (Les Amis de la Fabrique du Sud, France) Linking recuperated "La Fabrique du Sud" with citizens and communities, towards a project of social reappropriation FR / EN</p> <p>Josette Combes (RIPRESS Europe) Democracy at work and local development through solidarity economy in Europe FR / EN</p> <p>Josetta Villarreal (ELA, Basque Country, Spain) Experiences of company recuperation in the Basque Country: the role of ELA class-based trade union ES</p>		<p><b>Panel: Local and international networking of self-managed endeavours and its challenges</b></p> <p>The creation of local and international trade and solidarity networks among worker-run businesses is essential in consolidating an alternative economy. What is the appropriate structure and the preconditions of an egalitarian and effective networking?</p>	<p><b>Working commission: Democracy within collaborative companies</b></p> <p>This workgroup is addressed to workers of recuperated and worker-run companies. It is a space to discuss and elaborate the issue of workplace democracy, to present in Sunday's assembly.</p>		<p><b>Closing session: Summary of the meeting, prospects and objectives for the future</b></p> <p>Moderators of each of the panels and workshops.</p> <p>Organizing committee of the meeting</p>			
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