

Friday, November 18, 2022 INTERNATIONAL PEACE FORUM

"WHO WANTS PEACE, PREPARE PEACE!"

Tours City Hall / 1 - 3 rue des Minimes / 37 000 Tours

- **1:30 pm: Welcoming words from the Mayor of Tours, from Alain Limousin, departmental head and national spokesperson of the Movement for Peace and from Roland Nivet, spokesperson of the Movement for Peace.**
- **14h/15h30 : 1st roundtable "Common and collective security, and multilateralism"**

Moderator & speaker: Alain Rouy, Co National Secretary of *Le Mouvement de la Paix*.

Introductory conference with:

- ADAMS David (USA/France), Former Director of the Culture of Peace at UNESCO, Academic and Moderator of the international network *Décade pour la Paix*.
- BRAUN Reiner (Germany), Executive Director of the International Peace Bureau (*Bureau International de la Paix*).
- DE BRABANDER Ludo (Belgium), Peace and anti-NATO activist, VREDE.
- SUZOR-WEINER Annick, Pugwash International, Nobel Peace Prize Winner, 1995.
- ANDERSSON Nils, political essayist, author of several books including "Capitalism is War, (*Le Capitalisme c'est la guerre*).
- MEDOUKH Ziad, University of Gaza-Palestine (online).

With contributions to the debate by:

- ANDERSON Jim (USA), Moderator of "Peace Action", one of the largest pacifist networks in the USA, Head of Peace Action in New York-Veterans for Peace.
- NEPA Charles (Democratic Republic of Congo), Academic, Peace activist living between France and DRC- SHIMA Miho (France/Japan), Ambassador of the city of Hiroshima in France.
- SAWSAN Salim, Iraqi feminist activist (Kurdish) refugee in London.
- SADOU Zazi, Algerian feminist activist, spokesperson of the RAJD (1993-2003).
- *- SHELIAZHENKO Yuri (Ukraine), Activist for non-violence, banned from leaving Ukraine (online).
- *- BODROV Oleg (Russia), Pacifist and activist against nuclear weapons (online).

- **15h45/17h15: 2nd round table "Women Ambassadors for Peace".**

- **Moderator & Speaker:** Leprêtre Jeannick, feminist and activist of popular education, Member of the regional collective Centre Val-de-Loire of *Le Mouvement de la Paix*.

Introductory conference with:

- HALLS FRENCH Lilian, Feminist activist in the Mediterranean area "Euro-Mediterranean feminist initiative" (*Initiative féministe euro-méditerranéenne*), Co-President of IFE-EFI.
- DUMANIC Shura (Croatia), Feminist and pacifist, one of the coordinators of the feminist movements for peace in ex-Yugoslavia, writer and editor.
- SAWSAN Salim, Iraqi feminist activist (Kurdish) refugee in London.
- KHEDDAR Cherifa (Algeria), President of "Djazairouna", association for the defense of the victims of Islamist terrorism and defense of secularism.

*- Valentina MELINKOVA, President of the committees of mothers of soldiers in Russia (online).

*- Mrs. XX, Animator of the committees of mothers of prisoners in Ukraine (online).

With contributions to the debate by:

- CHOUAKI Yasmina (Algeria), Feminist, "Farhwa Fatma N'Soumeur" association for the defense of women's rights against the family court, Maghreb Social Forum.
- RONCONI Marzia (Italy), Feminist activist.
- SADOU Zazi, Algerian feminist activist, spokesperson of RAFD (1993-2003).

*- TAKUBUSOGA Bibyshe (Democratic Republic of Congo), feminist activist in Kivu, Bukavu (online).

*- KILANI Nabila, Teacher Gaza Palestine (online).

● **17h30/18h45: 3rd round table "Peace, climate and disarmament."**

- **Moderator & speaker:** Boulanger Édith, National Co-Spokesperson and member of the National Bureau of *Le Mouvement de la Paix*, Editor in chief of the monthly magazine *Planète Paix*.
- **Speakers :**
 - Opening of the round table online with the President of the Japanese Trade Union ZENROREN and Vice-president of the world conference against A & H bombs (Hiroshima, every year).
 - BABAKWANZA Babas, President of the association " Génération Verte 21 ", Master in biology, specialist of environmental dangers / generations' future challenges.
 - Le PUILL Gérard, journalist and author.
 - COUREL Marie-Françoise, Former CNRS Research Director, Emeritus Study Director at the EPHE and Honorary President. Member of the French Academy of Overseas Sciences.
 - MARTEL Jean-Paul, Member of the MNLE National Office, National Movement for the Fight for the Environment-COUREL Marie-Françoise, Member of the Academy of Overseas Sciences, former director of the EPHE, Ecole Pratique des Hautes Etudes).
 - LAVALLÉE Ivan, Professor emeritus of computer science at the University of Paris VIII and at the Ecole Pratique des Hautes Etudes EPHE.

*- DUBOCHET Jacques, Honorary Professor at the University of Lausanne, Nobel Prize in Chemistry 2017 (online).

*- LIGOUY David, activist from the Peace Movement, on a trip to raise awareness about the 17 Sustainable Development Goals in Latin America, on a solar bike (online).

- **18h30/19h** : Media conference
- **19h**: Opening of the exhibitions / Visit of the gallery "Art and Peace" / Opening of the cocktail party with successive speeches: President of the Centre-Val-de-Loire region, Mayor of Tours, collaborates etc.
- **21h: Cultural evening with the company " Mundovox ".**

Free admission to the evening shows

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