

Working for a Better World: A Teach-In



Tuesday, Wednesday and
Thursday, 9/19-9/21— 11:00
a.m.—2 p.m.

Topics include: Labor Rights in a
Global Perspective; The History of
Labor and Social Movements; Stu-
dent organizing and Civil Disobedi-
ence; Civil Liberties and Civil
Rights; and the Future of EMU.

We enjoy rights and
liberties only because
people fought and are
still fighting to be free!
Learn about your rights
as a worker and citizen.
Understand what's at
stake in the AAUP- EMU
contract negotiations.

Eastern Michigan University, Mark Jefferson Mall and McKenney Union

In addition to presentations and discussion, there will be a variety of activities on the mall, including an art tent, poetry slam, music, games. See the next two pages for the tentative schedule.

Time: 11 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

Dates: 09/19/06 through 9/21/06

Sponsored by the AAUP and student organiza-
tions ESOF, BAMN & Campus Progressive
Network.

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TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 19, 11AM-2PM

Mark Jefferson Mall and McKenney Union Ballroom.

11:00-12:30

I. Introduction: The Struggle for Worker Rights in Global Perspective

political economy

international and national labor rights

maintaining workers' rights

12:30-2:00

II. History of labor and other social movements

Labor struggles in Michigan

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 11AM-2PM

McKenny Union Ballroom

11:00-12:30

III. Student organizing & civil disobedience

Antiwar movement

Peace and justice movements

Student activism today

Protest strategies and tactics

12:30-2:00

IV. Civil liberties & rights

State of civil liberties in the US today

MCRI and higher education

Fighting back: uniting against the erosion of civil liberties and rights

framing and wedge issues

the politics of fear

reforming the electoral system and the political parties?

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 11AM-2PM

Mark-Jefferson Mall and Guild Hall or Alumni Room, McKenny Union

11:00-12:30

V. The future of our university

What's behind the strike: labor relations at EMU

The decision-making process at EMU: why it needs to be changed

What kind of university do we want?

Models of university governance

Democratizing the university and empowering students

How can EMU benefit the community (Ypsilanti and southeastern Michigan)?

12:15-12:30 Update on contract negotiations from AAUP leadership

12:30-2:00 Moderated discussion on the future of our university (continued) audience discussion

Concurrent activities for teach-in week

Small group labor rights training sessions

Music

Drumming

Poetry slam

Performance artists story telling

Games

Art tent