

2010 National Worker Cooperative Conference Schedule

FRIDAY 8/6	7am	Kerr	Morning stretching for early risers
	8am	Kerr	Continental Breakfast & Check in to lodging
	9am-noon	Out	Worker Coop and Hidden History Tours
		Kerr	USFWC Board Meeting
	12-1pm	Kerr	Lunch
	1-5pm	Room 102	USFWC Membership Meeting
		Out	Worker Coop and Hidden History Tours
	6:30pm	Women's	Jim Hightower
7:30-9pm	Bldg	Opening Reception	
9-12pm	Li Po	Party at the Li Po Lounge (DJs, dancing)	

SATURDAY 8/7	7am		Morning stretching for early risers					
	8am	Great Hall	Breakfast					
			Krutch	Room 102	Room 104	Room 203	Room 204	Bldg 12
	9-10:30am		Bringing Your Idea to Fruition, Part 1: Worker Coop 101 101	Cooperating on Campus: Student-Led Worker Cooperatives Y	Raising the Floor for Working Women and their Families: the WAGES model of worker coop development DEV	How to Read a Balance Sheet \$	Creating an Apprentice Program CAP	The Meaning of Cooperation Within Our Organizations CAP
	10:30		Nano coffee break					
	10:40 -10:50	Krutch	Welcome from the USFWC					
	10:50-11:10	Krutch	Welcome to the Bay Area - NoBAWC and local speakers					
	11:15-12:15	Krutch	General Session: Hello, Cleveland! Evergreen's Place-Based Strategy for Worker Cooperative Development					
	12:15-1:15	Great Hall	Lunch					
	1:30-3:30		Krutch	Room 102	Room 104	Room 203	Room 204	Bldg 12
			Cooperativism, the Informal Economy, and Community Engagement: Worker Coop Solutions to Community Challenges VIS. DEV	Bringing Your Idea to Fruition, Part 2: Steps to Cooperative Development 101. DEV	Getting the Coop Work Done: Models and Structures CAP	Large Group Conflict Resolution: Fight the Good Fight, Better! P	How to Talk to Your Lender \$	Creating Spaces that Help us Thrive: Preserving Mental Health and Preventing Burnout CAP. P
	3:30-3:45	Krutch	Break					
3:45-4:30	Krutch	General Session: Youth Can Become Their Own Bosses! The Toxic Soil Busters Show You How						

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SATURDAY 8/7	4:45-6:15		Krutch	Room 102	Room 104	Room 203	Room 204	Bldg 12
			Youth Are the Leaders: Youth Led Cooperatives	Accountability, Evaluations & Grievance Process	Run an Effective Meeting: Facilitation Training	Economics from the Grassroots: social justice groups building worker democracy, success and lessons learned	Worker Coops as a Strategy for Labor	Structured Discussion: Community Supported Cooperatives
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	6:30-8:30pm	Great Hall	Dinner, Awards Banquet					
	8:30-11pm	Courtyard	PARTY!					
		Courtyard	Fundraiser Auction and Raffle, and The Brass Liberation Orchestra					

SUNDAY 8/8	7am		Morning stretching for early risers					
	8am	Great Hall	Breakfast					
			Krutch	Room 102	Room 104	Room 203	Room 204	Bldg 12
	9-11am		Ask an Expert	Education, Engagement, Everyone: Models and Solutions for Fostering Education in Your Coop	Developing Compassion, Self- Empowerment & Cooperation	Privilege, Oppression and Workplace Democracy: The Peoples Food Coop story	Work Culture and Work Space: Sexual Harassment and Assault in the Workplace	Structured Discussion: Anti- Capitalism, A Love Story
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	11:10-12:10	Krutch	General Session: A Vision for Education: Teachers Cooperatives					
	12:15-1:15	Great Hall	Lunch					
			Krutch	Room 102	Room 104	Room 203	Room 204	Bldg 12
	1:15-2:45		Ask an Expert, individual consults	Desarrollo de cooperativas: Reclutamiento de membresía	Co-op led and funded development: The Staff Project of the Valley Alliance of Worker Co-operatives	Marketing the Coop Advantage	Goodbye Wall St., Hello to coop equity financing with worker control: the Equal Exchange experience	Healthcare and Retirement Benefits
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2:55-3:15	Krutch	Coffee break						
		Krutch	Room 102	Room 104	Room 203	Room 204	Bldg 12	
3:15-4:45		Putting it All Together: A Functional Organizational Model	Introducing the Coop Index	Creative Financing for Worker Cooperatives	Creating Intergenerational Spaces Within Cooperatives	Espacio Abierto: para discutir en español AND/OR How to live, organize and grow transnationally	How to Be a Resource: Becoming a Peer Advisor	
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5 - 6pm	Krutch	All-Group Closing Session: Synthesis						

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