

DON'T LET THE GAS INDUSTRY GREENWASH COP24!

GAS, OFTEN REFERRED TO AS "NATURAL GAS", IS A FOSSIL FUEL

Gas is being promoted as an energy solution, and we face the threat of a coal to gas switch. Gas is made up of methane (CH₄), a greenhouse gas. Like oil and coal, gas is a fossil fuel, which drives climate change and which we need to move away from urgently. When taking CO₂ and CH₄ into consideration, gas is very comparable to coal in terms of impact on climate - in particular within a timeframe of 20 years due to its high Global Warming Potential. Gas, which seeps into the atmosphere wherever it is extracted and transported, is particularly worrying when it comes to pushing us over climate tipping points...

GAS IS NOT JUST A CLIMATE ISSUE

Corruption and human right abuses are common in the extraction of gas. Communities where gas is extracted and transported face health and safety risks (earthquakes, contaminated water and soil, air pollution), land grabbing, impacts on their livelihoods & undermining of their democratic rights. Local communities are rarely the ones who benefit from the gas extraction or consumption.

REAL SOLUTIONS

If we believe in climate justice, gas cannot be a solution.

Gas is not a companion to renewables, it is competition. Every euro spent on gas is a euro not spent on renewables.

HOW CAN YOU BE INVOLVED IN THE FIGHT AGAINST GAS?

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Put up "gas warning" stickers everywhere

SPEAK UP ABOUT GAS.

Gas is too often forgotten in our conversation on how to keep fossil fuel in the ground. The first step is to mention it in workshop, events, marches!

BECOME A GASTIVIST!

Check the back of this flyer for events and workshops on gas at COP24

**To learn more
about gas,
strategise
and make visuals,
join us during
COP24 at these**

KEY EVENTS:

Thursday, 29th Nov
11:30-13.00

Workshop:
**Fighting Gas Around the World;
Our Communities
& Our Climate Can't Handle
a Coal to Gas Switch**

Capacity building
& strategy and action planning

Conference of Youth (COY)
Room 136

Monday, 3rd Dec
15.00-16.00

Workshop:
**How to Fight Gas and Connect
Our Movements**

Capacity building
& strategy and action planning

Climate Hub

Tuesday, 4th
18:30-20:00

Panel Talk:
Reclaim Power

Capacity building
UNFCCC, Room 2

Thursday, 6th December
10:30-12.00

Workshop:
**A Dangerous Distraction:
so-called 'renewable gas'**

Capacity building

Climate Hub

Monday, 10th
18.30-20.00

GreenTalks:
**Just Energy Transition –
Transforming lives and policies
to stay below 1.5°C, going
beyond growth and fossils**

Capacity building

Climate Hub

Thursday, 13th
11.30-12.45

Panel Talk:
**1.5 Can't Handle a Coal to Gas
Switch**

Capacity building

UNFCCC, Room 4

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