**Programme International Seminar, Croyde 31 March – 2 April 2017**

**Friday 31 March**

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| 5.00 – 5.30 pm | Registration |
| 5.30 – 6.30 | **Opening session**   * Introduction to priorities for 2017, committee and staff * Photo action to mark Water Action Month * Quiz * Photo action to mark Transgender Visibility Day (there will also be a collection for Transgender Europe)   Chair, Paul Glover, chair NEC international committee |
| 7.30 | Dinner |

**Saturday 1 April**

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| 9.00 – 10.00 am | **Swaziland: a kingdom in crisis**  Wandile Dludlu – Swaziland United Democratic Front (SUDF)  Sunit Bagree – Action for Southern Africa (ACTSA)  Chair, Angela Roberts, NEC international committee |
| 10.00 – 11.30 | **Global supply chains:** how ethical procurement can make a difference to people’s lives  Chris Jarvis – People and Planet  Harpreet Paul – Electronics Watch  Chair, Dave Auger, NEC international committee  (Opportunity to get coffee during group work session) |
| 11.30 – 1.00 pm | **Palestine: 50 years of occupation**  Betty Hunter - Palestine Solidarity Campaign (PSC)  Chair, Alastair Long, NEC international committee |
| 1.00 – 2.15 | Lunch |
| 2.15 – 3.45 | **Colombia: what now for the Peace process?**  Hasan Dodwell - Justice for Colombia (JFC)  Chair, Angela Roberts, NEC international committee |
| 3.45 – 4.15 | Coffee break |
| 4.15 – 5.15 | **Qatar: Championing the rights of migrant workers**  Skype linkup with panel based in Doha. Panel will comprise representatives from Building and Woodworkers International (BWI) global union and Filipino construction workers based in Qatar  Chair, Dave Auger, NEC international committee |
| 7.00 | Dinner |

**Sunday 2 April**

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| 9.30-10.30 am | **Turkey: human and workers’ rights**  Oktay Sahbaz and Steve Sweeney – Solidarity with the People of Turkey (SPOT)  Chair, Paul Glover, NEC international committee |
| 10.30 – 11.00 | Coffee break |
| 11.00 – 12.00 pm | **Training session**  Implementing UNISON international policy in the branch  Mark Beacon and Máirín Power, international unit |
| 12.00 – 12.30 | Closing session  Chair, Paul Glover NEC international committee |
| 12.30 | Lunch (‘takeaway’ lunch available) |