

APPROPRIATION OF LOCAL RESOURCES FOR SOCIAL RIGHTS

Supporting the development of tools for local population to appropriate local structures and environments and create local campaigns for their social rights.



MIGRANTS RIGHTS AND FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT

Dismantling the reasons and process of the Mediterranean Sea becoming the biggest cemetery of the world through:

- 1• providing research on reasons and effects of migration and deportations.
- 2• provide a southern and African narrative on the migration and refugee questions.
- 3• offering a critical view on European Migratory Policies and its effects on the Region.

NATURAL RESOURCES AND CLIMATE CHANGE

With a special focus on Water and Mining as contested resources, we work on the following axes:

- 1• climate change induced water scarcity,
- 2• IFIs supported projects that affect access to water,
- 3• national policies of water distribution and
- 4• extractivism effect on access to resources and the environment.

FREE-TRADE AGREEMENTS AND IFIs

Working on strategies against negative aspects of Free-trade agreements and hegemony of International Financial Institutions & EU neoliberal politics, and creating awareness on their roles in shaping the North African economies, through:

- 1• a better understanding of the causalities between these policies and their economic consequences and undermined social rights;
- 2• stimulate reflexion, debate and knowledge production, on economic alternatives specific to NA context.

LEFTIST DEBATES AND SOCIAL MOVEMENTS

Promoting leftist debates and structures/Social Movements through:

- 1• intellectual and organizational support especially attempting to work on the rejuvenation and feminization of the Arab Left
- 2• exchange between European and North African Left on common issues with the aim to create networks common alternatives.

Cross thematic topics



ARTS & RESISTANCE
Alternative medium for intellectual debates on human rights and social justice



ALTERNATIVE MEDIA
Promotion of social justice debates through news websites and online magazines



LEFTIST HUB
Our office (Rosa's House) as a multipurpose space equipped with a trilingual leftist Library for leftists activities



NETWORKING:

- 1• **South-North Network between politicians and activists:** Promoting networks between leftist politicians and on the ground activists in the South and in the North.
- 2• **Interlinking partners** in different countries who are working on the same topics, support the creation of alliances, forums, and networks in addition to cooperation with other offices.
- 3• **Transfer experiences of the North African transformation processes** into political/theoretical debates in Europe as well as promoting German/European debates in North Africa.



BRIDGING GAPS:

- 1• **Supporting civil society organisations operating in repressive contexts such as Egypt and Morocco.**
- 2• **Supporting small grassroots' initiatives and decentralising our activities in marginalised areas.**
- 3• **Target a broad spectrum of actors** to converge point of views and build collective strategies.
- 4• **Shedding light on new social movements** through debates and short films' production.
- 5• **Using art as a translation for social research** through animation, comics, and films to make more accessible debates on issues we work on.
- 6• **Supporting Innovative means of expression and advocacy on social problems:** citizens complaint choir, mock trials, flash mobs,..etc
- 7• **Valorising the experience of previous Arab leftist generations** and making them known to new generations e.g.: 1968 movement, pioneer leftist women, ...
- 8• **Contributing to the creation of an Arabic speaking Leftist literature** through translation of reference material and production of new material



IMAGE AND WORK:

- 1• **Becoming part of the political and left academic discourse** about political change in the area and feeding alternative relations between Europe/Germany and North Africa.
- 2• **Not just a donor organisation** but aim to become part of leftist debates.
- 3• **Working towards having high quality accessible publications.**
- 4• **Building on own and other offices achievements:** this involves our office past work throughout the years but also other offices outputs.