

CARING WAGES

The JUNE 10th 2021 ONE WILPF CALL (1st ZOOM!)

TEXTPAD

AGENDA:

Welcome and Call Instructions

President's Announcements (4 min)

CARING WAGES FEATURED SEGMENT

- Featured Speakers
 - **Martha Collins, WILPF W\$D Committee Member**
 - **Truth Freemyn & Chineva Smith 9To5 Organization**
 - **Danielle Atkinson MOTHERING JUSTICE**
- 9to5 website: <https://9to5.org>
- Chineva Smith - Chineva@9to5.org
- Truth Freemyn - Truth@9to5.org
- Danielle Atkinson- www.mothingjustice.org

Keep Families First Coalition www.keepfamiliesfirst.org

Film “Zero Weeks - America Family Leave Crisis”

Watch at: www.zeroweeks.com

Zero Weeks is available for rent (\$2.99) from Prime Video, and likewise from “Hulu”. And free, it says, on something called Tubi, but I don't know what their subscription cost is.

ALLIES:

United Methodist Women

<https://www.unitedmethodistwomen.org/paid-family-leave/zeroweeksdiscussionguide.pdf>

- Presentation video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1AnoHglxK8k>
www.paidleaveforall.org
- Family Values at work:
- <https://familyvaluesatwork.org/docs/COVID19-Rights-DecisionChart.pdf>

- **Learn more on this subject:**
- <https://everydayfeminism.com/2017/01/women-poc-need-economic-justice-too/>
- <https://centerforpartnership.org/resources/books/the-real-wealth-of-nations-creating-a-caring-economics/>
- <http://caringeconomy.org/newindicators/>

WILPF Congress Announcements

Triennial Congress Aug 13-15 and 20-22

Other Announcements

Adjourn

Soap Box Segment

*These **ONE WILPF Calls** are open to the **PUBLIC** and occur on the **2nd Thursday of every month** at 7pm eastern, 6pm central, 5pm mountain and 4pm pacific. They are sponsored by members of **Women's International League for Peace & Freedom**, the oldest women's international peace organization in the world... founded in 1915 by Jane Addams of Hull House. WILPF has over 30 branches in the United States... and is one of 50 Sections around the world.*

You can find out more and join us at www.wilpfus.org/JOIN.

Find archived ONE WILPF Calls at our webpage:

<https://wilpfus.org/story/one-wilpf-calls>

PUT YOUR NAME AND LOCATION IN TO THE CHAT.

USE THE CHAT FOR ALL QUESTIONS.

Type Questions for Speakers in CAPS

TYPE ANY COMMENTS, LINKS, or REFERENCES below the RED LINE (below)

PRESIDENT's ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congress Items

Meet-the-National-Leaders

Join us at an *early Congress session*: Board, Steering, and the Program Committee members – and others! – are planning to do 30-second **self-intros &** revelations of their inspirations, passions, and goals for what they're working on in WILPF (in 2 minutes!). Then we'll take a couple of questions. This meet-the-national-leaders will help you start off the Congress, letting members know who is who throughout the next week to ten days.

Congress-Special eNews for August

The Aug. eNews will likely be a smaller eNews, and we'll give top billing to Congress news. We'll emphasize Congress matters *including branch activism*. Issue committees will only submit time-sensitive and Congress-related items for the August eNews. (That way they can use that time to prepare their Congress presentations! So please think "small is beautiful" for the eNews, so that we can focus on the **unprecedented 11-day virtual Congress in August, culminating** on the night of the **full moon!**

Yes you can!

Grandma WILPF needs you!

Help Yourself Master Zoom and Make WILPF's Congress a Success!

Become a Zoom master!

We need to fill about 75-100 volunteer hours of Zoom support for our virtual August Congress - over the course of 10 days.

We're offering *multiple options* for you to schedule the special training session *so you are prepared!*

And you can view recorded trainings, if you want additional background. See details in the article in June eNews – the tenth out of nearly a dozen articles, right above **Help Vaccinate Cuba, so Cuba Can Continue to Help Others**: <https://wilpfus.org/news/updates/help-yourself-master-zoom-and-make-wilpf%E2%80%99s-congress-success>.

And now the big pre-Congress news –

Join us for a special “WILPF Viewing” of the film:

***The New Corporation:
The Unfortunately Necessary Sequel!***
Wednesday, July 21, “Bicoastal 7 pm”.
***This viewing is through a special license with the producers in
Canada.***

WILPF invites all WILPFers to tune in – and to invite many friends, allies, and family to tune in! Encourage them to sign up to view this film and *learn about how we can confront the seemingly huge power of the “new” corporations!* This is a *free event*, in order to make it easier for WILPFers to reach out and involve other contacts and political activists in their communities:

WILPF members can use this presentation as a starting point – or as a *continuing education* opportunity – for building wider understanding of our decades-long WILPF US work confronting “corporate personhood”. The special WILPF introduction and panel will help you learn about WILPF’s earlier work on this topic: the Corporate Personhood Timeline, the “roadshow” team that presented it, the WILPF Economic Study Groups, the local *control corporations* actions, and more!

Sign up in advance for the film viewing (to get a special link). Of course, donations are welcome. *Still, we want to roll out the welcome* to our many political allies, so there’s no charge! (We’re hopeful that WILPFers with some ability will donate to help us cover the costs.)

Here’s the novel “Bicoastal 7 pm” schedule see below for
explanations of details:
Special Wed., July 21, “7 pm” WILPF Viewing of
The New Corporation

- 7:00 pm EDT / 4:00 PDT Our **Women, Money & Democracy (W\$D) Issue Committee (W\$D)** presents a short introduction
- 7:15 pm EDT / 4:15 PDT Film viewing (1 hr. 47 min.)
(**Sign up to get special link.**)
- 9:05 pm EDT / 6:05 PDT *Break!*
- 9:15 pm EDT / 6:15 PDT **W\$D panel on *WILPF US vs, Corporations***
- 7:00 PDT / 10:00 pm EDT *Repeat of WILPF US Women, Money & Democracy Issue Committee* introduction
- 7:15 PDT / 10:15 pm EDT Film viewing (1 hr. 47 min.)
(**Sign up to get special link.**)

Explanation of ***The New Corporation*** Schedule Details

Then Eastern Time WILPFers (and Pacific folks who like matinees) can tune in at 7 pm EDT when our Women, Money & Democracy (W\$D) Issue Committee will do a short introduction for 15 minutes. At 7:15, folks can tune in to the film. *But wait, there's more!* The film is 1 hr. 47 min., so once it's over – and giving viewers a short break to grab snacks, beverages, and “run errands” – at 9:15 pm EDT / 6:15 pm PDT), WILPFers across the country can tune in – either before or after watching **The New Corporation** – for a W\$D panel, elaborating on WILPF's work to reshape the corporation-society relationship.

Then, at 7 pm PDT it's time to “rinse and repeat”. The Pacific Coast viewer will have *their* chance to *wash the corporate view out of their brains!* We'll start with a replay of the 15-minute Women, Money & Democracy (W\$D) Issue Committee's short introduction. Finally, at 7:15, *those* viewers can tune in to the film.

We're still working out the final details with the producers, so watch for further information in the July eNews. It's possible that those who want to see the film at some time other than “7 pm” will be able to do so. And you'll be able to see the panel and intro even if you *don't* chose to sign up for the film.

34th TRIENNIAL PROGRAM CONGRESS COMMITTEE
Congress Coordinator, Mary Hanson Harrison
Comments or Questions: CongressCoordinator@wilpfus.org

WILPF's First VIRTUAL CONGRESS -- Aug 13-15 and 20-22,
With roundtables, branch presentations, panels, interviews, and more
in the intervening days.
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. Spread the word!

You and your friends can plan a picnic or a house party or spend some time in the cool of your living room, and still be part of it all. The important thing is we can all be together, watching, listening, discussing and, yes, arguing at the same time many miles, even oceans, apart. All getting ready for our WILPF family reunion – zooming out into the world. More adventures and schedules are coming to you soon!



Virtual Congress means we can ALL Attend!



Mark your Calendar!

**PUBLIC BANKING
DEEPER DIVE WORKSHOP SERIES**

If you think escrow is what you put in a salad, and you want a more equitable world, support public banking. This series will walk you through what you need to be successful!

Launching FRIDAY, AUGUST 27th at 8pm eastern/5pm pacific

Experts and experienced public banking activists lead the work.

Mark your Calendar!
CARING WAGES WEBINAR,
Saturday, September 18th at 10am pacific/1pm eastern.
Details to follow.

Featuring
Illustrious feminist author **SELMA JAMES.**
Her **new book** is out now:
OUR TIME IS NOW: Sex, Race, Class and Caring For People & Planet.
<https://bookshop.org/books/our-time-is-now-sex-race-class-and-caring-for-people-and-planet/9781629638386>

Her organization, **WAGES FOR HOUSEWORK** is here:
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wages_for_housework

And Featuring
MARIAN KRAMER Co-Founder & President of the National Welfare Rights Union.
https://keywiki.org/Marian_Kramer

And Featuring
MARGARET PRESCOD, activist, author, journalist and radio host.
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Margaret_Prescod

Facilitated by
WILPF member **Mary Bricker-Jenkins**

THE CUBA & BOLIVARIAN ALLIANCE
COMMITTEE ANNOUNCEMENT –

CO-CHAIRS Cindy Domingo (cindydomingo@gmail.com) and
Leni Villagomez Reeves at lenireeves@gmail.com

At the United Nations General Assembly (UNGA) meeting on June 23, 2021, Cuba will bring its annual resolution on the necessity to end the United States blockade against Cuba. For 28 consecutive sessions, the UNGA has overwhelmingly voted in favor of ending this criminal and unjust U.S. policy towards Cuba.

We want the US Ambassador to the UN to vote yes on the resolution or at least abstain as the US voted under the Obama administration.

There is no doubt that this year, once again, the world will stand with Cuba in this vote. However, as people living in the United States, we must take this opportunity to bring people together and increase the pressure on President Biden to end the 61-year-old cruel blockade against Cuba!

The U.S. Cuba Normalization Committee (of which WILPF-US is a member) is inviting people from the U.S., to get involved with a

Week of Action Against the Blockade,
beginning on June 17, 2021, and ending on June 23, 2021,
the day of the UN vote.

Go to the website www.us-cubanormalization.org **to see how you can participate in the event from**

- **Webinars,**
- to the **June 20th Bike & Car Caravans for Cuba** and
- a **24-hour global online picket action** that will culminate with a celebration of the historic UN vote.

The June 20th Caravans are a continuation of monthly caravans that have been held in 20 US cities and countries all over the world and in Cuba. Please join one in your city or you can initiate one as well.

Thank you for all those who contributed to the Syringes for Cuba Campaign which was launched only in May

to help provide syringes to Cuba so they can vaccinate their whole population, reopen their borders and restart the tourism industry.
The nationwide Campaign has raised an astounding \$400,000 and 4 million syringes have been purchased in the US.

Need to raise another \$100,000 to purchase another 2 million.

Go to <https://www.ghpartners.org/syringes4Cuba> to donate or for further information

THE POOR PEOPLE'S CAMPAIGN
Jan Corderman and Dorothy Van Soest
jancorderman@msn.com DorothyV@comcast.net

Mobilizing toward June 21st.

UPDATE --
THE ADVANCING HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE
Joan Goddard Joan@rujo.org
Meeting on June 30th, 5,6,7,8 pm
wilpfus.org >> Resources >> eNews
(see also link provided by Darien in the Chat)
Register ASAP / contact Joan via 408-396-8039
Watch for eAlert after June 24

DISARM/END WARS COMMITTEE
- Cherrill Spencer, Co-Chair cherrill.m.spencer@gmail.com

Congressional Pressure Necessary to #defund the ICBM Modernization Program and #movethemoney to Peace Programs!

OUR PHONE CAMPAIGN HAS JUST STARTED SO WE NEED YOU TO MAKE YOUR PHONE CALLS FROM TODAY AND FOR NEXT TWO WEEKS.

Please read our June eNEWS article with links to the necessary files here:
<https://wilpfus.org/news/updates/congressional-pressure-necessary-defund-icbm-modernization-program-and-movethemoney>

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**Type Committee Announcement SHORT notices here
COMMITTEE LINKS AND REFERENCE NOTES END HERE.**

**ZOOM PARTICIPANT POSTS --
TYPE YOUR COMMENTS, LINKS, REFERENCES
BELOW THIS RED LINE. Add you name next to your post.**

LINKS from chat, June 10, 2021 One WILPF call, CARING WAGES FOR CARING WORKERS

From host :

Here's the Text Pad in Google Docs, which can be added to by anyone with the link.
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/17Schs8bgFEud0sR2weLH2NxNaHW726VYAkFWUjFeCpw/edit?usp=sharing>

From Sandy Thacker :

How to join WILPF US: <https://wilpfus.org/join>

From 1PAne Henny :

webpage for ONE WILPF Calls in the CHAT.
<https://wilpfus.org/story/one-wilpf-calls>

From 9to5 Truth Freemyn she/her :

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1AnoHglxK8k>
<https://familyvaluesatwork.org/docs/COVID19-Rights-DecisionChart.pdf>
<https://www.unitedmethodistwomen.org/paid-family-leave/zeroweeksdiscussionguide.pdf>

From Chineva Smith :

<mailto:Chineva@9to5.org>
<https://9to5.org>
<http://www.keepfamiliesfirst.org>

<https://www.zeroweeks.com>

From Danielle Atkinson :

<https://motheringjustice.org>

From host :

Learn more on this subject:

<https://everydayfeminism.com/2017/01/women-poc-need-economic-justice-too/>

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And Featuring

MARIAN KRAMER Co-Founder & President of the National Welfare Rights Union.

https://keywiki.org/Marian_Kramer

And Featuring

MARGARET PRESCOD, activist, author, journalist and radio host.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Margaret_Prescod

From Mary Harrison :

WILPF US history started in Hull House Chicago with Jane Addams and the women there fought for and got the first child labor law!!

From Darien De Lu :

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<https://wilpfus.org/news/updates/help-yourself-master-zoom-and-make-wilpf%E2%80%99s-congress-success> .

You can contact me to volunteer or get more info: President@wilpfus.org

Here's the link to that June eNews article on AHR:

<https://wilpfus.org/news/updates/join-june-30-meeting-help-wilpf-advance-human-rights>

From Leni Villagomez Reeves :

Topic: Cuba & the Bolivarian Alliance Committee - WILPF

Time: Jun 18, 2021 04:30 PM PACIFIC, 5:30 MTN; 6:30 CTRL; 7:30 EASTERN

To join Zoom Meeting from computer, click link below. No ID needed.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9898014600>

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<https://ghpartners.org/syringes>

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Checks payable to Global Health Partners (with 'Syringe Campaign'• in the memo) can be sent to: Global Health Partners, 39 Broadway, Suite 1540, New York, NY 10006

THE POOR PEOPLE'S CAMPAIGN

- Jan Corderman <mailto:jancorderman@msn.com> and Dorothy Van Soest

<mailto:DorothyV@comcast.net> are the WILPF liaisons

From Rowan Fairgrove :

<https://www.3rdreconstruction.org> rather than PPC these days

Please check out this letter to Congress, President Biden and Vice President Harris:

<https://bit.ly/CTCSignOn> and please consider signing on!

From Michael Ippolito:

Birth of a Corporation: Clip with WILPF's own Mary Zepernick:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8SuUzmqBewg>

This film was the winner of 26 international film awards

From host :

Disarm Committee legislative campaign Cherrill is talking about -

<https://wilpfus.org/news/updates/congressional-pressure-necessary-defund-icbm-modernization-program-and-movethemoney>

Here's how you can send a letter to your own legislator as well:

<https://bit.ly/propositionone>

<https://www.facebook.com/GoldenRulePeaceBoat> - the Golden Rule Project facebook page

Everybody, join WILPF SMART on facebook!

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/wilpfsmart/>

And be sure to subscribe to the WILPF US YouTube channel so we can change the name and get more visibility! <https://bit.ly/wilpfus-youtube>

The Disarm page has marvelous resources in your work for a peaceful, nuclear-free planet: <https://wilpfus.org/our-work/disarmend-wars>

Second and last Sundays of each month, 4:30 pm PT, 7:30 pm ET, is the Disarm meeting

