

The Ontario Federation of Labour
"Workers Under 30 Committee"
Presents a Conference on



WORK@RIGHTS

Saturday, September 30 to October 1, 2006
Saturday: 8:30 am to 5:00 pm
Sunday: 9:30 to 1:00 pm
Larkin Building, University of Toronto
15 Devonshire Place, Toronto, Ontario

REGISTRATION FORM

Enclosed is a cheque in the amount of \$_____ (\$75.00 per delegate) which covers _____ delegate(s). **REGISTRATION FORMS MUST BE RETURNED BY SEPTEMBER 22, 2006.**

Name: _____
Union: _____ Local: _____
Address: _____ City/Town: _____
Postal Code: _____ Tel: _____
Fax: _____ E-mail: _____
I require lunch on Sunday, October 1, 2006 Yes: _____ No: _____
Please let us know if you have any special requirements (diet, mobility, etc) or need assistance in any way.

Send the completed Registration and Workshop Form, together with your cheque, payable to "**OFL WORK@RIGHTS**" Conference:

Ontario Federation of Labour
202-15 Gervais Drive
Toronto, Ontario M3C 1Y8
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Please remember to fill in the Workshop Form on the reverse side. Photocopy extra forms if needed.

WORKSHOPS

Please indicate your choice of workshops in order of preference (1, 2, 3, etc. where 1 is most preferred and 6 is least preferred). Every attempt will be made to respect your top three preferences. However, you may be assigned to your other choices.

- _____ **A. Work Safe: Health and Safety Laws that Protect Workers**
What are health and safety laws? What rights do young workers have? How are they applied? How do we make sure that young workers know their rights and insist on safe working conditions? This workshop will look at these and other questions.
- _____ **B. Workers' Rights in the Workplace**
The OFL has a commitment to educating all workers about their rights at work. This workshop will help young workers and students to better understand the rights they have at work.
- _____ **C. Grievances and Arbitrations**
Every union has its own procedures. This workshop looks at the principles behind grievances and arbitrations as well as how they are used to protect the rights of union members. This workshop will give a hands-on understanding of how grievances are applied from Step 1 all the way through to Arbitration.
- _____ **D. How to Organize a Union**
Learn about the laws in Ontario governing the rights of workers to join a union. Learn how unions are organized from experienced union organizers. This workshop will also examine the changes in labour laws which are needed in Ontario for organizing.
- _____ **E. Protecting Human Rights**
Human rights are essential and form the basis of union organizing. However, we still find ourselves fighting to ensure that everyone has access to basic rights. From changes to the Ontario Human Rights Code to attacks on civil liberties, learn about what we can do in the workplace and in the community to strengthen human rights.
- _____ **F. Municipalities Matter: Privatization and Municipal Elections**
Many crucial public services are delivered by municipal governments. Yet all too often, municipalities have been cutting back, contracting-out, and privatizing. Learn about the issues facing workers in the municipal election and find out why young workers' involvement is crucial.

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