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## Friday April 23

- Noon Registration at Woodfords Congregational Church in Portland
- 1:00 pm Board bus to Bath Ironworks protest
- 2:00-4:00 Rally at Waterfront Park in Bath and march to BIW during shift change
- 4:00-5:00 Bus back to Woodfords Congregational Church in Portland
- 6:00-7:00 Supper at church
- 7:00-8:00 **Keynote Speaker: Dr. Craig Eisendrath (Senior Fellow, Center for Int'l Policy)**
- 8:00-9:00 Music by Full Circle

## Saturday, April 24

- 8:00 a.m. Conference Registration Woodford Congregational Church – Portland, Maine
- 9:00 Welcome & purpose of conference (Bruce Gagnon, *GN Coordinator* and Dave Webb, *Yorkshire CND*)
- 9:15-10:30 **Plenary Session: Role of Space in U.S. Quest for Global Empire**
  - Stacey Fritz (*No Nukes North, Fairbanks, Alaska*)
  - Joseph Gerson (*AFSC, Cambridge, MA*)
  - Regina Hagen (*Int'l Network of Engineers & Scientists Against Proliferation, Darmstadt, Germany*)
  - Loring Wirbel (*Citizens for Peace in Space, Colorado Springs, CO*)
  - Facilitated by Karen Wainberg (*Peace Action Maine*)

10:45-12:00

### Plenary Session: Reports from Local Space Organizing

- Bob Anderson (*Stop the War Machine, Albuquerque, NM*)
- Jack Bussell (*Maine Veterans for Peace, Portland*)
- MacGregor Eddy (*WILPF, Salinas, CA*)
- Jacob Grech (*OzPeace, Melbourne, Australia*)
- Holly Gwinn Graham (*Singer/Song Writer, Olympia, WA*)
- Tamara Lorincz (*Halifax Peace Coalition, Nova Scotia*)
- Satomi Oba (*Plutonium Action, Hiroshima, Japan*)
- Bob Smith (*Brandywine Peace Community, Swarthmore, PA*)
- Dave Webb (*Yorkshire CND, Leeds, UK*)
- Facilitated by Mary Beth Sullivan (*WILPF Maine*)

12:00-1:00 Lunch

*(Annual Peace in Space Award presented)*

1:00-1:45 **Keynote Speaker: Dr. Helen Caldicott (Nuclear Policy Research Institute)**

2:00-3:00 **Workshop Session I**

3:15-4:15 **Workshop Session II**

4:30-5:45 **Plenary Session: Alternatives, Actions & Strategies to Keep Space for Peace**

- Edward Appiah-Brafah (*Green Earth Organization, Ghana*)
- Dave Knight (*Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament, Kettlewell, UK*)
- Lindis Percy (*CAAB, Otley, UK*)

- Jesse Leah Vear (*POWER, Portland, ME*)
- Facilitated by Tom Sturtevant (*Maine Veterans for Peace*)

6:00-7:00 Dinner

7:00-9:00 Entertainment & Social Gathering

## Sunday, April 25

9:00 am –

1:00 pm: **GN Annual Membership Meeting** (Reports, Planning, Board election, etc. at Cummings Community Center, 134 Congress St.)

### WORKSHOPS

- European Perspectives on Star Wars
- Environmental Consequences of Toxic Rocket Launches
- Military Satellites: Their Warfighting & Counterinsurgency Roles
- Creating Space Law to Protect the Heavens and the Earth
- Theatre Missile Defense: Aegis Role in Foreign Policy
- NMD Deployment & Testing: Alaskan & Pacific Resistance
- Deadly Connections: Corporate Globalization, Space Technology & War
- Playing with Fire: Nuclear Power in Space
- Civil Liberties & Civil Disobedience
- Recent Star Wars films and videos



## SPEAKERS/ENTERTAINERS

Confirmed speakers/entertainers include: Dr. Helen Caldicott (Australia), Dr. Craig Eisendrath (Pennsylvania), Regina Hagen (Germany), Dave Webb (UK), Satomi Oba (Japan), Loring Wirbel (Colorado), Bill Sulzman (Colorado), Lindis Percy (UK), Aurel Duta (Romania), Mary Beth Sullivan (Maine), Stacey Fritz (Alaska), Dave Knight (UK), Bruce Gagnon (Maine), Wolfgang Schlupp-Hauck (Germany), Steve Taylor (Maine), Robert Smith (Pennsylvania), Greg Field (Maine), Jacob Grech (Australia), Matt Schlobohm (Maine), Joseph Gerson (Massachusetts), Tamara Lorincz (Canada), Bob Anderson (New Mexico), MacGregor Eddy (California), Jack Bussell (Maine), Tom Sturtevant (Maine), Karen Wainberg (Maine), Jesse Leah Vear (Maine), Holly Gwinn Graham (Olympia, WA), Lynne Williams (Maine), Edward Appiah-Brafah (Ghana), Jiho Park (South Korea), Sri Raman (India), Full Circle (Maine), and more.

## COST

Registration fee for the conference is on a sliding scale. Please pay what you can best afford between \$15 - \$60. Registration fee includes dinner on April 23 and lunch and dinner on April 24. Costs to hear just Dr. Caldicott on April 24th is \$5. We will send you the full conference agenda upon receipt of your registration fee.

## HOUSING

Limited home hospitality will be available on a first-come, first-serve basis. Let us know if you'd like a local hotel list. (People in the Portland area are encouraged to contact us if you can provide housing for others.)

# REGISTRATION FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Organization \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Country \_\_\_\_\_ Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_



Enclosed is my conference registration in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Checks payable to Global Network)

Please send me local hotel information

Please sign me up for home hospitality on \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ number of people.

I live in the Portland area and can offer hospitality to \_\_\_\_\_ guests. Contact me.

Sorry I can't come but here is a donation to help cover conference expenses.

#### Return to:

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## Keynote Speakers

### Dr. Helen Caldicott

Dr. Helen Caldicott has worked for 26 years to educate the public about the medical hazards of the nuclear age. Born in Australia, Dr. Caldicott was an instructor in pediatrics at Harvard Medical School. In 1980, she resigned to work full time on the prevention of nuclear war.

While living in the United States, she co-founded Physicians for Social Responsibility (PSR). International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War, PSR's international umbrella group, was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in 1985.

She recently founded the Nuclear Policy Research Institute to create a public education campaign about the dangers of nuclear policies. Dr. Caldicott is the author of several books, including *The New Nuclear*

*Danger: George W. Bush's Military-Industrial Complex.*

### Dr. Craig Eisendrath

Dr. Craig Eisendrath is a senior fellow at the Center for International Policy, and as foreign service officer worked on the international aspects of the outer space program starting in 1958, including the U.N.'s Outer Space Treaty in 1967.

He has a Ph.D. from Harvard University, was a college dean, headed the Pennsylvania State Humanities Council, and was a co-founder of the National Constitution Center.

He is the co-author (with Melvin A. Goodman) of *Bush League Diplomacy: How the Neoconservatives Are Putting the World at Risk* (Prometheus, March, 2004).

## Conference Purpose

2004 marks the 12<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Global Network. Join with activists from around the world who will gather in Portland, Maine on April 23-25 to share information about Bush's space agenda, plan activities for 2004, and strengthen our commitment to preventing the nuclearization and weaponization of space.

On Friday, April 23 a protest will be held at Bath Ironworks where work is underway on the Aegis destroyer, a key part of the U.S. forward deployed Theater Missile Defense (TMD) system that will be used to surround and provoke China.

In Fiscal Year 2004 the U.S. Congress gave George W. Bush his entire request of \$9.1 billion for Star Wars research & development (R & D). R & D funding must become a key issue in 2004 and beyond if we hope to prevent a new arms race in space.

The Pentagon predicts that because of "corporate globalization" of the world

economy the gap between "haves" and "have nots" will widen in coming years. With space "control and domination" in place, the Space Command will become the military arm for the multi-national corporations enabling the U.S. to suppress those who protest corporate globalization. Space technology today ensures U.S. battlefield "full spectrum dominance."

Cutbacks can be expected in human needs programs like education, health care, child care, and social security in order to cover the enormous cost of U.S. plans to establish permanent bases on the moon, send astronauts to Mars, and control the Earth with space technology. Help us build this movement to fund earthly priorities and to keep space for peace.

This event is being cosponsored by Maine Veterans for Peace, Peace Action Maine, Pax Christi Maine, Maine WILPF, and Witness for Peace Maine.



# Resisting Empire

## Understanding The Role Of Space in U.S. Global Domination

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