

Autumn Assembly 2024

Programme

Wednesday 30 October

Time	Committee Room	Breakout 1	Breakout 2
9.30-10.00 10.00-11.00	Arrival Welcome and Board plenary		
11.00-11.30	Ice breaker : workers.coop Structure activity (Owen/Melis, Research group)		
11.30-12.00	Strategy Hackathon : The worker co-op start-up process - 5000 co-ops in 5 years time (John Atherton)		Sheffield co-op panel Q&A
12.00-12.30			2025 International Year of Co-ops (Intl group)
12.30-13.30	Lunch End of lunch working group pitch		
13.30-14.00	Strategy group activity (Owen/Melis)		Tiredness in worker co-ops (Sion, Principle 6/Calverts co-ops)
14.00-14.30	Solidarity Economy Principles with Adam Chern a worker at Union Cabs (Sean, BBF co-op)	Disability and worker co-ops (Steve G, disabledcoops.uk/TypeOlogy co-op)	Live Punchcard podcast show! Lessons on making a worker co-op federation with Rebecca Kemble (ex-USFWC president; Madison Area Worker Cooperative Network; Union Cabs)
14.30-15.10	Discussion: AI and worker co-ops (Dan Stanley, Stir to Action)	Body Power for Sustainable Cooperating: designing sustainable cultures in our coops (Jane/Dylan, We Got To Move co-op)	
15.10-15.30	Break		
15.30-15.50	Givers' Gain business networking (Principle 6)	Skill-share: Come try somatic based stretching and movement (We Got To Move)	Hackathon: Supply chain development
15:50-16:10	Peer networking		Movement organising: social movements and co-ops (Mira, Dan tbc)
16:10-16:30	Co-op development support for worker co-ops* (Tbc, may move)	Skill-share: Open source software for worker co-ops (Hannah, Animoprh, Chris, Webarchitects)	
16:30-17:00	Great, so what next? Round-up		
17.00-17.30	Clean-up 6.30pm @ Hagglers' Corner		