

Framework for proposed manifesto

At our meeting in London on 21/9/13 we agreed to start putting together a document that could be used to help extend the Network.

The next step towards this is to produce a draft of what this might say, and then seek comments, criticisms, additions etc from everybody who we're in touch with. This will hopefully result in a pamphlet which can be printed a few months from now.

A provisional list of section headings for the draft, not in a fixed order, was drawn up as follows:

- ⑤ Why do we need IWCE?
- ⑤ What does the history of IWCE tell us?
- ⑤ How ought we to relate to the Labour Movement?
- ⑤ How should we relate to TU Education?
- ⑤ What stance should we take towards the WEA?
- ⑤ The mainstream education system: what do we think?/how should we respond?
- ⑤ Do we need a theory of IWCE?
- ⑤ What have we done?
- ⑤ How should we operate?

It was agreed that we try to have the draft, based on these headings, available for people to look at when we meet on 2nd February, and to start circulating it more widely soon after that.

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