

# new Labour new Britain

**New Labour's  
employment policy  
(1997 to 2010):  
lessons for the  
future of work**

Saturday 25 March 2023  
Institute of Historical Research



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Wolfson Conference Suite, Institute of Historical Research

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## 11.00 - 11.30 **Session 1 | New Labour at work: framing the debate**

**Chair:** John Edmonds (former Gen Sec GMB)

- **Peter Ackers** (Industrial Relations historian)
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## 11.30 - 13.00 **Session 2 | Witness Panel: New Labour's contested legacy**

**Chair:** Helen Hague (journalist)

- **Jon Cruddas** (Labour MP)
  - **John Monks** (former Gen Sec TUC & ETUC)
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## 13.00 - 14.00 **Lunch** (provided)

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## 14.00 - 15.00 **Session 3 | After New Labour: wider policy lessons**

**Chair:** Helen Hague (journalist)

- **Anne-Marie Greene** (Industrial Relations academic)
  - **Sarah Veale** (former TUC head Equality and Employment Rights)
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## 15.00 - 15.30 **Break** (refreshments provided)

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## 15.30 - 16.30 **Session 4 | After New Labour: wider policy lessons**

**Chair:** Philip Murphy (Director of History & Policy, Institute of Historical Research)

- **Patrick Diamond** (Historian of New Labour)
  - **Adrian Williamson** (Historian of post-war Britain)
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## 16.30 **Conference Close**

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