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no to racism

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MOBILISING BLACK WORKERS AND COMMUNITIES

TUC Black Workers Conference 2017

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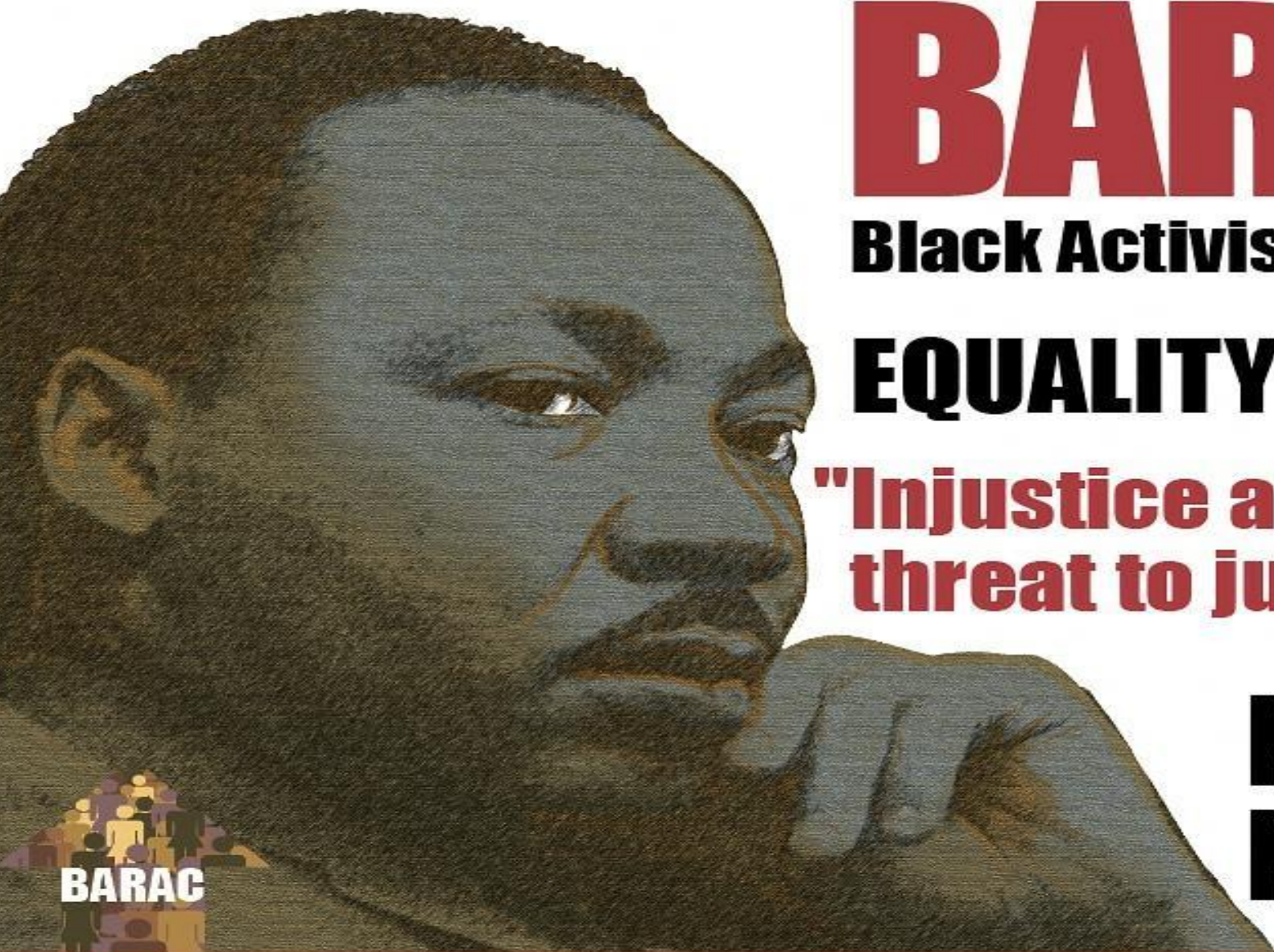
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Solidarity

Throughout our history, trade unionists have supported others struggling for their rights.



Let Robeson sing

In the early 1950s, US actor, singer and human rights activist Paul Robeson was banned from travelling to the UK, on the grounds it was against American interests. Trade unions and artists spearheaded an eight-year campaign to allow him to finally re-enter the UK.



Indian workers show solidarity with striking miners

The Glasgow branch of the Indian Workers Association showed their solidarity with the miners by donating 1,200 boxes of food for Ayresshire miners and their families in Scotland in 1984.

From teacher to trade union leader

As a teacher in Sierra Leone, Gladys Branche had to put up with her wages being paid late, a lack of teaching materials and unqualified school staff. She joined her union to try and change things. She soon became a union rep and went on a TUC-funded workshop on women's empowerment. In 2003, Gladys won a TUC scholarship to study at Ruskin College in Oxford, in the UK.

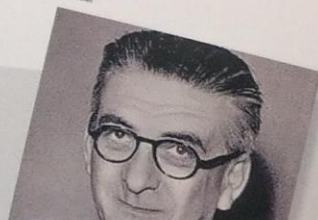
Gladys is now regarded as a heroine of Sierra Leone's trade union movement for organising women workers across the health, hotel and bank sectors.



“

Our people deplore the continued refusal of your Government to return your passport and to deny you the right to join with us in our festival of song. We shall continue to exert what influence we can to overcome this position.”

Will Paynter, president of the South Wales Miners Federation, spoke to Paul Robeson during his travel ban from the 1957 Miners' Eisteddfod



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and toiletries here.



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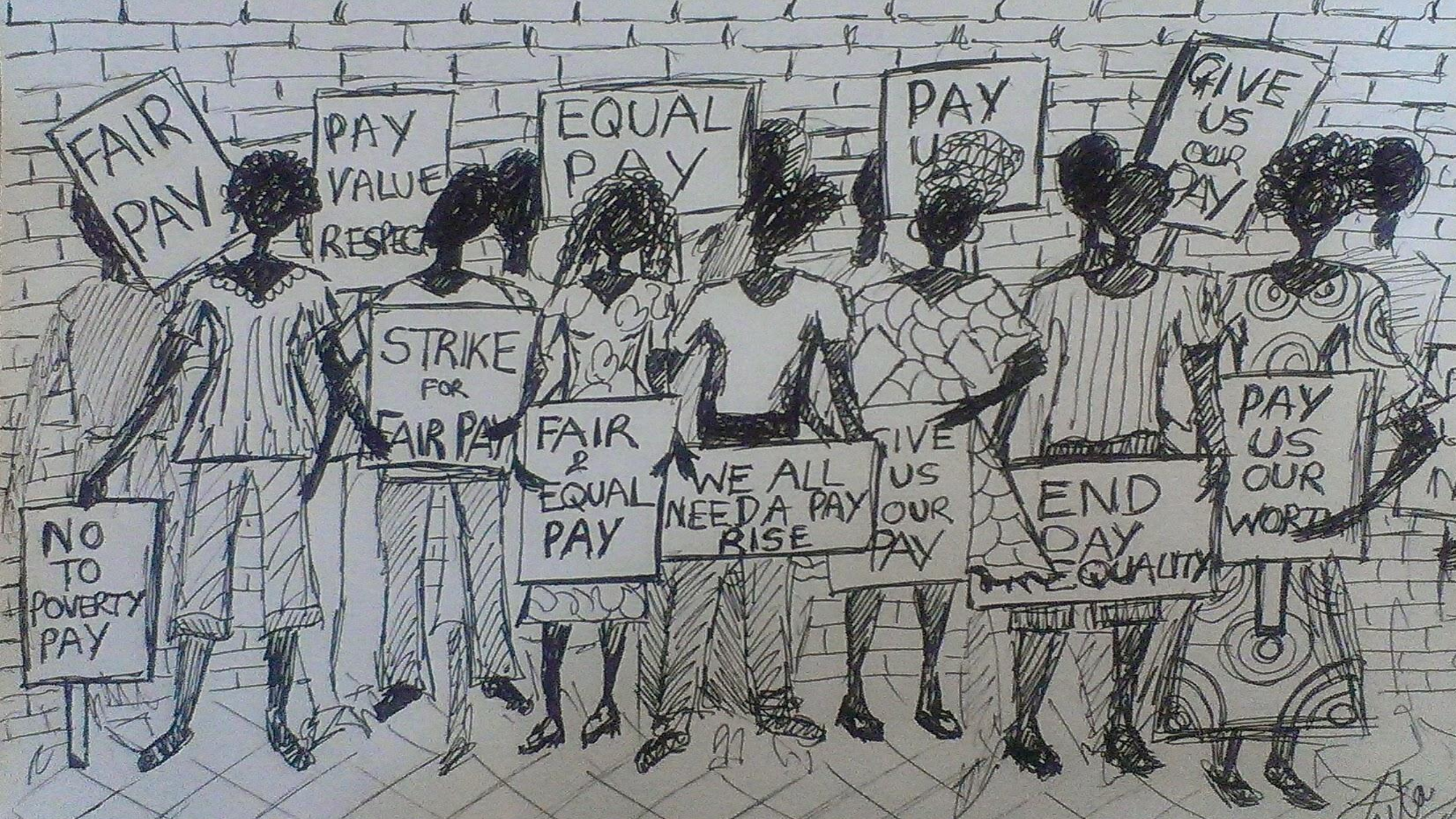












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STILL ROCK SOLID
Chris Rock on maintaining his 30-year comedy career

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SO WHAT'S NEXT FOR BLACK BRITAIN?

For the first time, mainstream politicians have listened to the concerns of black voters. But following the general election will they keep their promises?

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Upload your own poster & share your story
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CHRONIC FUNDING

I AM IMMIGRANT

I AM A MEXICAN

I AM A WOMAN

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RESEARCH DESIGN



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#blackworkers



Standing up for black workers

Shining through our history is the
passion and commitment of black
and minority ethnic trade unionists



there every day since.
Not just to offer support
to our brave firefighters
but also importantly
offering the community
support."

Lucy Masoud, firefighter







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...movement about the refugees...
...and a motion from my union...
...PUN highlights the immigration...
...the impact on migrant work...
...rights at work. It calls on...
...the trade union movement to...
...links between climate...
...change, anti-austerity, anti-...
...racism and anti-fascism cam-...
...paigns and refugees.

The motion also calls on affil-
...ates to support the humanitar-
...ian aid effort and organisations...
...like Black Activists Rising...
...against Cuts (Barac UK) which...
...orchestrate regular aid distri-
...butions and convoys.

Other motions include maxim-
...ising the black vote, human rights...
...action people living in the...
...Asian Republic and the...
...Teachers Matter campaign...
...has submitted an open-
...ion on solidarity and...
...for the Sarah Reed Cam-
...Justice. Sarah Reed...
...ing black woman who...
...alloway Prison...
...chairing a fringe...
...tomorrow lunchtime...
...be addressed by...
...men, Marilyn Reed...
...spokesperson and...
...Sir Lee Jasper...
...also be a panel...
...workshops at the...
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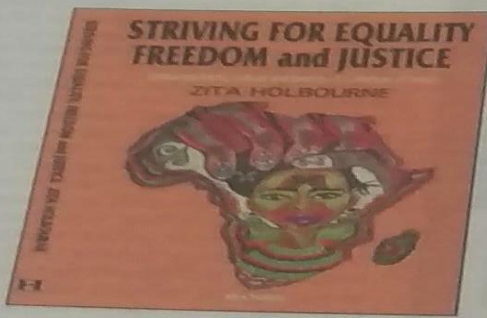
The onslaught of attacks...
...faced by workers disproportion-



STRIKING:
Artwork that
will be
featured at
the exhibition
Zita is
curating



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ately affect black people, who
face not only the legacy of his-
torical racism and colonialism
but current racism which dam-
ages the futures of the next
generation of young black peo-
ple. They face barriers just get-
ting through the door, let alone
breaking the glass ceiling.

It is essential that all trade
unionists stand up to racism in
all its guises and are conscious
of the subtle forms that racism
can take, not just the most
direct, in-your-face abusive
forms. It is this everyday subtle
racism that can eat away at us,

and the trade union movement
must be at the forefront of the
battle against racist attacks, be
it in the workplace or outside.

Commitment from the entire
trade union movement is key in
recognising a collective respon-
sibility in tackling racism.

Some people ask why we
march on our streets holding up
signs stating #BlackLivesMatter
and try to suggest that by assert-
ing this we don't care about
anybody else.

A starting point for all those
who want to be part of a move-
ment that stands up to racism is
to recognise their own privilege
and that, if all lives truly mat-
tered, then there would be no
racism, no deaths at the hands
of the state, no disproportionate
stop and search, no criminalisa-
tion of black communities, no
disproportionate impact of aus-
terity, no discrimination at work
or in service provision and no
demonisation of refugees fleeing
war, poverty and climate change.

By asserting that black lives
matter it is not saying that we
want to have more or better
rights than others, it is saying
that we want to be recognised
as human beings whose lives are
valued and who have an equal

chance and who don't have to
live in fear of being murdered...
just because we are black.

No-one should have to carry
a placard in our streets statin-
g “black lives matter” and peop-
le should be more offended by the
fact that we need to than the fact
that we are.

There is a motion on the
year's agenda calling for a
conference to change its name.
Black is a unifying and empo-
wering political term used in the
trade union movement and since
the inception of the conferen-
ce to bring us together in unity.

Until our right to live with
dignity and freedom is realisation
holding a TUC Black Work-
ers Conference matters.

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union and community activist,
artist, curator, poet and writer.
She is elected to the PCS Na-
tional and is the co-founder
and national co-chair of Barac-

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name #blacklivesmatter.





BLACK LIVES MATTER

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NO JUSTICE NO PEACE
SAY HER NAME
REFUGEES WELCOME
BEING BLACK IS NOT A CRIME

MOMENTUM
A NEW KIND OF POLITICS

