

Left Platform on Saturday

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I am speaking at an event called [Left Platform](#) on Saturday at University of London Union, Malet Street, WC1. The brief is as follows:

Left Platform is a roundtable discussion being hosted on the 7th of February 2015 with aim of bringing together Left MPs, PPCs, Left Trade Union Representatives, Elected Local Government Members, representatives from Left Labour organisations, and a number of key Left academics, policy analysts, commentators and activists to discuss and determine the key bottom lines in policy terms that we will be campaigning for Labour to adopt in Government and as base lines in any coalition negotiations if Labour goes down that road.

I have been asked to introduce discussion on tax justice and the tax gap and will be speaking soon after 11, and unfortunately have to leave soon after 12.

But it looks like an interesting day is forecast.