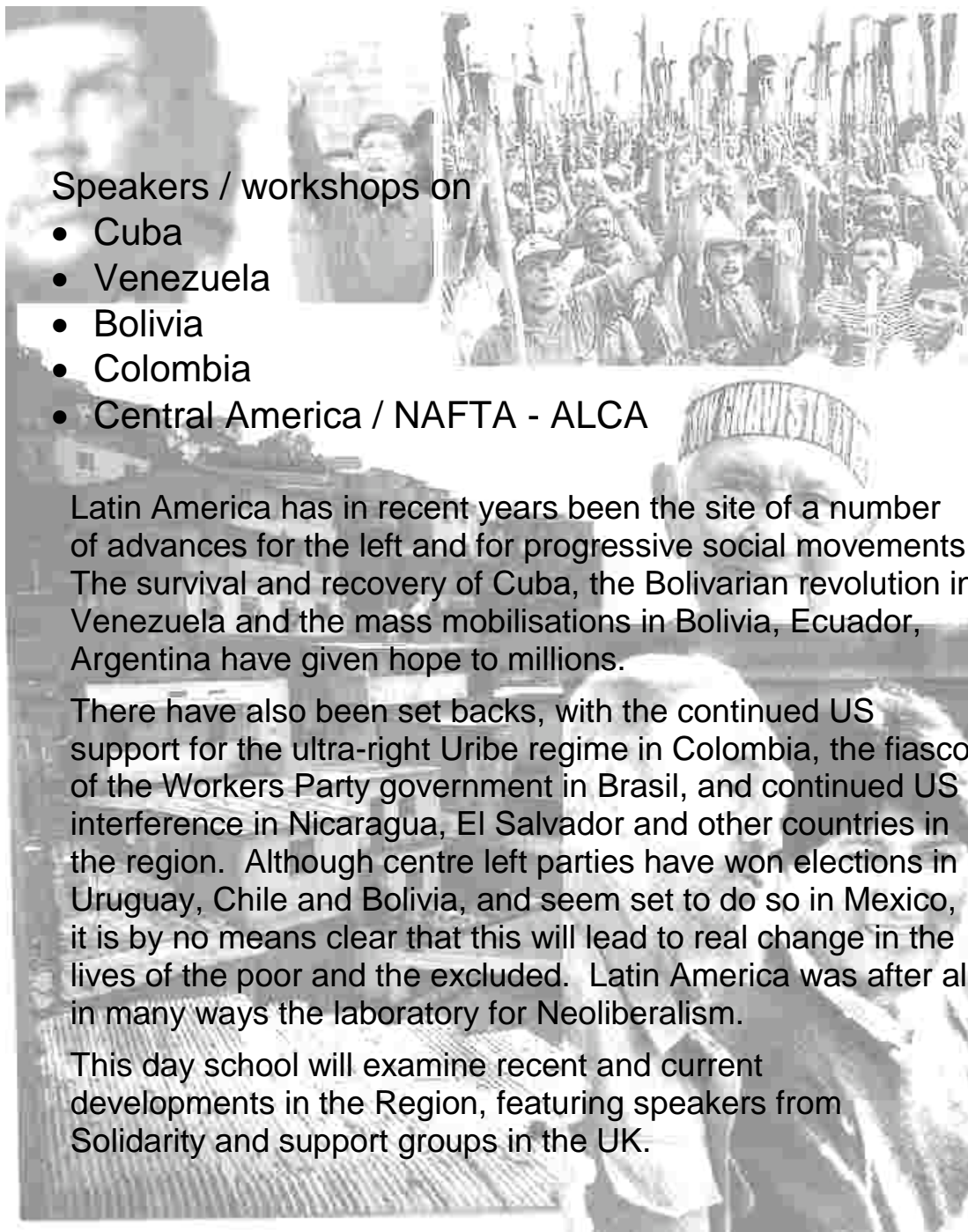


The 'back yard' fights back! Day School on Latin America

Saturday 18 March, Cross St Chapel, Cross Street, Manchester
9.30 to 4.00



Speakers / workshops on

- Cuba
- Venezuela
- Bolivia
- Colombia
- Central America / NAFTA - ALCA

Latin America has in recent years been the site of a number of advances for the left and for progressive social movements. The survival and recovery of Cuba, the Bolivarian revolution in Venezuela and the mass mobilisations in Bolivia, Ecuador, Argentina have given hope to millions.

There have also been set backs, with the continued US support for the ultra-right Uribe regime in Colombia, the fiasco of the Workers Party government in Brasil, and continued US interference in Nicaragua, El Salvador and other countries in the region. Although centre left parties have won elections in Uruguay, Chile and Bolivia, and seem set to do so in Mexico, it is by no means clear that this will lead to real change in the lives of the poor and the excluded. Latin America was after all in many ways the laboratory for Neoliberalism.

This day school will examine recent and current developments in the Region, featuring speakers from Solidarity and support groups in the UK.

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