

PRIFYSGOL GOMIWNYYDDOL CYMRU *COMMUNIST* *UNIVERSITY OF WALES*



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28 & 29 November 2025
YMa, 28 Taff St, Pontypridd CF37 4TS

WHAT FUTURE FOR WALES?

Friday 28 November, 7.00pm, Shelley Hall, YMa

Gwyn Alf Williams Memorial Lecture

The Welsh Socialist Republican Movement - its history and lessons for today

with Guto Davies - former member of WSRM and current
Pontypridd Communist secretary.

Saturday 29 November 9.30am (Registration) 10.15am – 4.00pm

Shelley Hall, YMa

Session 1: *Would the Republic of Ireland be a model for an independent Wales to follow?*

Session 2: *Progressive Federalism or Independence?*

Session 3: *Patriotism, Nationalism and combatting the rise of the far right*

Session contributors

Fionn Wallace - Communist Party of Ireland; **Roger McKenzie** - Foreign Editor, Morning Star

Alex Gordon - Past President RMT; **Mabli Siriol Jones** - Past Chair of Cymdeithas yr Iaith

Rick Newnham - Past Secretary Welsh Communist Party; **Sian Cartwright** - Formerly TUC Cymru; **Luke Fletcher MS** - Plaid Cymru Spokesperson on the Economy; **Dr James Foley** (tbc) - Senior Lecturer in Politics; **Laura Picand** - Chair Welsh Communist Party