

# The Smith Institute at the Labour Party Conference

Date	Fringe	Speakers	Time and Venue	
Monday 27th September	<b>Can Health Cuts be Good for You?</b>	<b>Rt. Hon. Kevin Barron MP</b> <b>Laura Roberts</b> (Chief Executive, NHS Manchester PCT)	<b>Dr Mark Hill</b> (Director, Novartis Pharmaceuticals UK Ltd) <b>Neil Churchill</b> (Chief Executive, Asthma UK)	1300-1400hrs Royce Suite, Midland Hotel
Monday 27th September	<b>Fair Pay – Can We Afford It?</b>	<b>Rt. Hon. Stephen Timms MP</b> (Shadow Financial Secretary to the Treasury) <b>David Coats</b> (Research Fellow, The Smith Institute)	<b>Mike Cherry</b> (National Policy Chairman, Federation of Small Businesses)	1300-1400hrs Fairclough Suite, Midland Hotel
Monday 27th September	<b>England's Core Cities: Delivering Economic Recovery</b>	<b>Gordon Marsden MP</b> (Shadow Minister for Local Government) <b>Chris Murray</b> (Director, Core Cities Group)	<b>Cllr Sir Richard Leese</b> (Leader, Manchester City Council) <b>Cllr Joe Anderson</b> (Leader, Liverpool City Council)	1300-1400hrs Fairclough Suite, Midland Hotel
Monday 27th September	<b>A Better Way to Behave – How Do We Get Back to Ethical Retail Banking?</b>	<b>Rt. Hon. Liam Byrne MP</b> (Shadow Chief Secretary to the Treasury) <b>Ged Nichols</b> (General Secretary, Accord)	<b>Doug Taylor</b> (Financial Services Chief Advocate, Which?)	1800-1900 Charter 5, Manchester Central
Monday 27th September	<b>Should We Fund Social Housing?</b>	<b>Rt. Hon. Nick Raynsford MP</b> <b>Peter Hetherington</b> (Vice President, TCPA & Society Guardian Writer)	<b>Mark Henderson</b> (Chief Executive, Home Group)	1800-1900hrs Rolls Suite, Midland Hotel
Tuesday 28th September	<b>Britain's Pensions System – Can We Fix It?</b>	<b>Angela Eagle MP</b> (Shadow Treasury Minister) <b>Matthew Vincent</b> (Personal Finance Editor, Financial Times)	<b>Joanne Segars</b> (Chief Executive, NAPF)	1300-1400hrs Fairclough Suite, Midland Hotel
Tuesday 28th September	<b>Divided Britain: Back to the North-South Divide?</b>	<b>Rt. Hon. David Blunkett MP</b> <b>Peter Hetherington</b> (Vice President, TCPA & Society Guardian Writer)	<b>Ed Cox</b> (Director, ippr North)	1300-1400hrs Rolls Suite, Midland Hotel
Tuesday 28th September	<b>Feeding Britain: What Consumers Want</b>	<b>Rt. Hon. Hilary Benn MP</b> (Shadow Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs) <b>Lord Whitty</b> (Former Minister for Food & Farming)	<b>Richard Taylor</b> (Director of Corporate Affairs, Morrisons)	1800-1900hrs Royce Suite, Midland Hotel
Tuesday 28th September	<b>Who Runs UK Plc – Why We Need to Reform Corporate Governance</b>	<b>Ian Lucas MP</b> (Shadow Business Minister) <b>Michael Meacher MP</b>	<b>Cllr Ian Greenwood</b> (Leader, Bradford City Council) <b>Alan MacDougal</b> (Managing Director, PIRC)	1800-1900hrs Rolls Suite, Midland Hotel



Food and Refreshments will be served at all events  
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