ENOUGH! SCOTLAND

...SOME CONTEXT...

we've had enough - there is enough - together, we are enough!

LAUNCH MAY 2019

Launched May 2019, **enough scotland** is a response to our social, economic and ecological crises.

POSITIONING STATEMENT

DEGROWTH

We believe that growing our economy is costing us our future. This story of growth is so embedded in our ways of living that any kind of change demands the complete re-imagination of our society. We believe that not only is this possible, it is now essential.

DECOLONISATION

Regaining the freedoms and possibilities lost through the imposition of oppressive ideologies, systems and practices. A process of remembering, unlearning and reclaiming. The re-opening of a world and the healing of ruptures caused by violent separation.

PANDEMIC RESPONSE

The need to respond sensitively to a global pandemic and the pain and instability it has brought to people's lives has necessitated a shift of our work towards advocating explicitly for an economy that centres care and mutuality. We seek to challenge perceptions that degrowth is primarily about downscaling.

POSTS

EMERGING CONTEXT

Pandemic crisis interventions make a mockery of political inaction on climate breakdown. Lockdown ennui meets marginalisation and predictable Brexit inadaptible. Haunitology meets hyperreal soft authoritarianism. One gigantic stuck container ship lays bare the perverse fragility of global supply chains. A Scottish election cycle in which little of substance appears to be proposed in response to the metacrisis that threatens the basis of life.

...WORK AREAS...

- BUILDING & NURTURING NETWORKS
- POWER UP & ORGANISE
- LEARNING & UNLEARNING
- CULTURE JAMMING & NARRATIVE WORK
- CORE WORK

...WORK...

PREVIOUS WORK

- Upending conversations
- #learningfromlockdown

ROUTES

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ROTU

Repository of the Undercommons (Rotu) is a curator/artist residency borne out of Enough! as a way to (re)imagine alternatives + (re)create cultural codes, messages + values for our future(s).

CURRENT WORK

LESS

LESS is a journal on degrowth, radical sufficiency and decolonisation in Scotland a combination of thoroughly researched material, opinion pieces, poetry and art work. LESS #1 was launched in November 2020. LESS #2 comes out in April 2021.

LESS ONLINE

DEGROWTH COURSE

We successfully ran a short online course Degrowth in Scotland - Degrowing the Economy, Regrowing Our Lives in 2020, in collaboration with the Centre for Human Ecology & two European degrowth activists. We produced a creative commons licensed course handbook. The course will run again in 2021, adding to course materials and specifically targeting climate activists.

COURSE MATERIALS

DEGROWTH NETWORK

Enough! supports the emergence of a Degrowth Network across Scotland, connecting individuals, projects and initiatives that use anti-capitalist frames to work towards decolonisation and degrowth futures in imaginative and practical ways.

DEGROWTH NETWORK

COMMONING PODS

Exploring/designing a framework for mutually afforded social protection in the face of crises and precarity. Trial pods will help shape a new arrangement for collectivising needs and offer emancipation - radical choice in the face of radical monopolies - a means to extract ourselves from capitalist modes of production and consumption.

WORKING DOC

SMALL PROJECTS

- Conference Session : The Scottish Degrowth Commission
- Global Degrowth Day
- Less for Less - testing from consumerism
- Peoples Plan: supporting alternative economic perspective in a Peoples Plan for Glasgow

WEBSITE LINK

NEW WORK

DEGROWTH IN SCOTLAND SHORT FILM

Working with the Media Co-op to script and shoot a short film on degrowth in Scotland that can be shared online to promote and help contextualise Enough's work.

GRANTHOUSE MUSEUM HACK

Participatory co-design of an audio tour and map of Kelvingrove Museum in Glasgow to highlight the human and ecological cost of economic growth and extractivism, and emerging alternatives, among the exhibits. Design a how-to manual for grandhouse museum hacks in other places.

AD FREE GLASGOW

The creation of an Ad-free Glasgow group to structure a positive vision for our cities, free from corporate outdoor advertising. This group will begin will work together to host discussion groups talking about positive alternatives for ad spaces such, set up a system for fighting new planning applications and develop a network of activists advertising.

WORKS STRUGGLE - HIGHLANDS

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some of the (un)learning so far

some of the edges we're working with

OPEN DISCUSSION