

"yes, I am in love with this movement and yes I must fight for this movement, no matter what comes of it ... there is more ecstasy in this world than in the one we left behind."

– from WeAreTheCrisis.blogspot.com

How to plug in ~

There are several groups that are currently organizing for March 4th and beyond. The Rolling University will provide you with the information on these various groups, so roll through any time of day and see what's happening!!

Small things you can do between now and March 4th include a.) inform yourself on the issues, b.) organize a small discussion or action group with your friends, c.) donate time to local community organizations such as Food Not Bombs, d.) write RollingUniversity@gmail on the chalkboards in class, e.) attend a meeting and voice your concerns or ideas, f.) email/ FB invite – friends about this event and M4, g.) post flyers (available at MCC) and generally, spread the word and encourage participation for M4.

For more information on getting involved please reply to the email below. You will not be placed on a listserve but be responded to directly.

~Rolling University~

Four Buildings in Four Days!
To Inform & Mobilize for March 4th
- Open Hours, Mon thru Thur -

Day I: Dwinelle
Day II: Barrows
Day III: Kroeber
Day IV: Tolman

- 10am to 10pm, Feb 22nd to 25th -

Daily Activities:

- interactive **art** exhibits, informal, **spontaneous** discussion sections and skill-share workshops
- food all-day provided by local small businesses/org's such as **Cheeseboard Collective, Bear's Lair Food Court** and **Food Not Bombs**
- Faculty roundtables including Nelson Maldonado-Torres discussing "Decolonizing the University"
- **Dinner & Entertainment** every night @ 8pm, including theater, **music**, DJs and a performance by local high school group – **Youth Roots!**

What is Rolling University?

Rolling University is an open, constructive space to get informed on issues related to public education, familiarize yourself with the community of people that have been involved in student activism, and if so inclined, determine how best to get involved. Grad students, undergrads, affiliates and faculty from over a dozen departments have collaborated to make Rolling University happen.

What is M4?

March 4th is a statewide, internationally coordinated strike and day of action highlighting the struggle for public education at all levels. By showing solidarity with worker, teacher and student movements worldwide we can affect the crisis facing our university in a constructive way. It is important that March 4th be a day of action with widespread participation so we can show those in power that we recognize our commonalities and are willing to act in unison. March 4th actions on the UC Berkeley campus will include, but are

Why We Keep Fighting...

"This battle demonstrates the real fight for the future of the country, and like so many other things, it all starts in California..." – Bob Samuels, Huffington Post

We have an opportunity, afforded to us by the protests on campus last semester, to affect real, lasting change in our university; to prevent future cuts and fee increases.

Governor Schwarzenegger has now promised to increase funding to public education from 7.5 to 11%. In the New York Times his chief of staff cited "those protests on UC campuses [as] the tipping point" in his decision. While the method proposed should be rejected*, it nevertheless proves the power we have to affect the debate when we act collectively.

'Those protests' referred to are those in which mass, direct action was taken, such as those at UCB on Sep 24th and Nov 20th. Such actions require only a fraction of the student body to be effective (Sep 24th mobilized 5,000 students, staff and faculty – less than 15% of the campus). If we prove, in the coming semester, that we are able to organize, coordinate and act in concert --