SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS after Trinity, Hiroshima and Nagasaki, the hands of the Doomsday Clock are 100 seconds from midnight, and the nuclear powers are engaged in a new nuclear arms race.

But the movement for abolition is reviving, with new tools, new energy, and renewed commitment.

This conference will bring campaigners from around the world to learn about new tools, share successes, strategize and collaborate.

The list of presenters and participants already includes campaigners from the US, Germany, Switzerland, The Netherlands, Kazakhstan, Australia and more, including Susi Snyder (PAX, Don’t Bank on the Bomb), Alicia Sanders-Zakre (ICAN), K.A. Garlick (CCWestern Australia), Hideko Tamura, hibakusha (via Skype), John Schuchardt (House of Peace), Ardeth Platte and Carol Gilbert.

Workshop topics: The Ban Treaty, Don't Bank on the Bomb, Campus Connections to the Bomb, Mayors for Peace/Cities Appeal, and Resistance.

We’ll also celebrate 40 years of The Nuclear Resister, Nukewatch, and the Plowshares movement.

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Information is available at the registration page and the link below.

The conference will be held at Maryville College in Maryville, Tennessee, 30 miles from the Y-12 Nuclear Weapons Complex where the US makes thermonuclear secondaries for the W76-2 warhead.

Rooms at the college are two beds to a room—a limited number of single occupancies may be available at a higher rate.

$200 covers registration, room and board for shared rooms; $300 for single rooms; $64 for local or non-resident participants. Children under 10, in parents’ room: $48; Childcare will be available during sessions.

The conference begins Friday evening, May 22, and will end at the Y-12 bomb plant in Oak Ridge on Monday morning, May 25.

A limited number of scholarships are available for Next Generation participants (under 30). Contact us by email to inquire.

Maryville College is 10 minutes from Knoxville’s McGhee Tyson Airport; ground transportation will be arranged.

Individuals and groups are invited to sponsor or endorse the conference. Details can be found here.

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