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### Areas of interest

New forms of political agency; participatory democracy; British Politics

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[Informe sobre la metodología del FSM y su posible importancia para el FSE 2006](#)

[Notes Towards a New Politics. New Strategies for People Power](#)

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### **Speeches**

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