



MEHMOOD MIRZA for BAME LABOUR NEC SEAT



Mehmood is West Ham CLP Vice-Chair (Membership). He has been a Labour Party member for many years and a long-standing grassroots activist. Mehmood is proud to have supported Jeremy Corby and his progressive policies since he launched his bid to be party leader in 2015.

Currently a pro-bono-community legal adviser at an East London law firm, Mehmood is passionate about helping to change the community for better and to tackle the Tory policy of austerity, cuts in public services and social inequality. He is a trade unionist active in Unite the Union and has campaigned with other members, including on many strikes with workers demanding better pay and conditions for example the Hackney School Bus, Woolwich Ferry and Greenwich Leisure actions.



Mehmood campaigned tirelessly for Labour in the general election. He has always been at the forefront of demonstrations for campaigns like Stand Up To Racism, Stop The War, Stop and against Universal Credit, Climate Change, for social housing and against the academisation of our schools. During the Christmas period, he helped in the kitchen at the local sheltered centre for homeless people.

He is a member of Grassroots Black Left, Momentum, CLPD, LRC, Liberty and Amnesty international. With the support of Labour Party members, he will carry on campaigning to get rid of this callous and racist Tory government.

Mehmood has used his impressive community links to recruit many people to the Labour Party, including by getting Labour councillors and MPs to the community events. Bringing people together and building alliances are among Mehmood's best skills.