

# Class Struggle in Korea - Report

**Korean Workers Struggles From The Healthcare Workers, The Fight Against The Union Busting Yoon Government & The Defense of Palestinian Workers & People**



## Panel Discussion

**Monday, April 15, 2024**

**3:30 PM**

**San Francisco Main Public Library**

**Latino Room**

**500 Larkin St., San Francisco**

There is a national strike in Korea of medical interns and the entire medical system is under stress as a result of privatization and profiteering. At the same time, the government is attacking and jailing union members and leaders accusing them of “corruption” while the government is mired in corruption and turning the wealth of Korea toward militarization and the US encirclement of China and North Korea for war.

The labor speakers from Korea will report on the most recent strike and the character of it as well as the growing class divide and class struggles in Korea. They will also report on the Korean struggle in solidarity of the Palestinian workers and people, and the fight against militarization in Korea and Asia along with the need for unification with US workers opposing the US drive toward war in Asia and the world.

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