

Historic Talk: Fascism in Leicester

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Local historian

In 1934, the British Union of Fascists formed a branch in Leicester. Leicester Market Place became hotly contested as local anti-fascists showed their opposition. The talk gauges the local support given to Oswald Mosely and looks at the public attitudes toward British and Continental fascism. It also looks at the composition and tactics of the local anti-fascists. The talk is based on original research by Ned Newitt and draws on interviews including one with a leading local Blackshirt .



Thursday 28th Sep

12pm - 1pm

**County Hall, Glenfield,
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Running time approx 1 hour

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