Point A is working to cultivate and instigate a network of egalitarian urban communes on the East Coast.

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Come Hang!: in DC, NYC, Richmond & Baltimore

Point A is a project of the Federation of Egalitarian Communities (FEC). The FEC is a union of egalitarian income-sharing communes which have joined together in our common struggle to create a world based on equality, cooperation, and harmony with the earth.

Check out the FEC: thefec.org.

If you’d like to visit some of our member communities check out nearby Twin Oaks and Acorn Communities in central Virginia.

Open up to learn more...

challenging it (counter-institutions).

working out the kinks (propositional politics).

So why wait? If the revolution isn’t coming fast enough,

DC: We have a core group of communards-to-be and are actively looking for more potential members. There are promising spaces in our sights, and we will be hosting lots of organizing events. Email padc@frompointa.org to get involved!

NYC: We are working with and we will be hosting lots of promising spaces in our sights. There are promising communities-to-be and we have a core group to get involved!

Richmond & Baltimore:

Where We Stand Now

Welcome to

A commune in the city? This city? You must be mad! We’re taking on a big project here. Not only training ourselves to cooperate well and maintain this protective bubble but transforming all of society to be more egalitarian and cooperative to boot. We need a crack team to establish the first beachheads, and we need to acknowledge the scale of our daring aim.

Urban, Engaged

Our project is social transformation, and that means changing people and how they relate to each other. Currently (and increasingly) the people and their relations are mostly in the city. Besides, the rural commune model is pretty thoroughly explored and proven. Bringing communality to urban settings is the next logical step. The problems we are identifying and confronting are social and often global in nature and so demand social and often global responses. We must be careful in crafting these communes so as not to retreat into our fortress and build a good life for ourselves in isolation, for to do so would be to admit defeat and to abandon our fellow humans and the whole living world.

Ambitious

We’re all in this together, right?

We can all do valuable work, work that makes the life we want. Not all of that work is valued by the market, and certainly not valued equally. Why, your race, class, and sex might have more to do with what you get than all your blood, sweat, and tears combined. By pooling the products of our labor we are able to support each other, call upon each other, and act with collective strength more easily than we would be able to alone. Trusting and sharing are all that separate us from a better life.

Egalitarian

From each according to their ability, to each according to their need! Let go of the idea of earning and deserving. We’re making it all up anyway. What matters is that we’re being taken care of and getting what we want and need and that so is everyone else. Liberty, equality, community! We want the riches of our society to be equally available to all of us to take from as we need. By basing our economy on equal access rather than equal distribution of resources, we celebrate and support difference and eliminate a lot of paperwork on our way to our post-scarcity utopia.

UNPACKING the ADJECTIVES

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Income Sharing