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Decolonize This Place

Decolonize This Place is an action-oriented movement centering around Indigenous struggle, Black liberation, free Palestine, global wage workers, de-gentrification, and dismantling patriarchy.

This is an existing, New York based, social justice organization that unionizes and empowers the people. It was founded after a protest in 2016 at the Brooklyn Museum after two museums were normalizing the displacement of Palestinians and Brooklynites. A residency at Artists Space supplied a space for this budding organization to organize its framework, which is about resisting various forms of oppression, focusing on violence against black people and Palestinian people living under the apartheid.

Decolonize This Place is facilitated by the MTL+ collective. They have contributed in research, organizing, and employed the idea of activism as an art practice. They categorize their work under the coined term "visionary organizing".

They are known for their protests at the American Museum of Natural History, Brooklyn Museum, the Whitney Museum, and now the various MTA protests going on in Brooklyn and the Bronx.

A lot of light has been recently shined on Decolonize This Place, as they are taking over the organization of protests for the MTA and anti-NYPD protests. Their social media became a primary source of updates with the acts of injustice that happens daily in the city, specifically within public transit. The people are upset with the MTA system, and are actively looking for resources to participate and act against it.

My first encounter with the organization was when I was in Manhattan to tour Parsons my senior year of highschool. I went to Washington Square Park, where they were holding a meeting. I immediately knew it was something I wanted to be a part of.









Indigenous People's Day: 4th Anti-Columbus Day Tour

Indigenous Peoples Day 4th Anti-Columbus Day Tour This year it looks different II We are escalating

Monday, Oct 14 @ 3:00 pm Bring friends and family, children and comrades. Mask up!!

Gather in front of the racist Roosevelt Statue in front of the American Museum of Natural History (CPW b/t 79th and 81st)

Our movements for decolonization, abolition, sanctuary, housing, anti-capitalism, as well as demilitarization and anti-war, are coming together as we continue to build power in order to unsettle and reclaim our city.

We will show capital and politicians how strong we are, and we will say together loud and clear ahead of the Oct 17 vote:

NO NEW JAILS ON STOLEN LAND RETURN THE LAND TO ITS PEOPLE DIVEST FROM PRISONS AND REINVEST IN OUR COMMUNITIES Monday, 14 October 2019 from 15:00-17:30

American Museum of Natural History

2nd FTP Emergency Action Against NYPD and MTA

On Nov.1st, 2,000 of us took the streets of Brooklyn to warn De Blasio, Cuomo, and their lapdog army the NYPD that we wasn't playing fucking games with them no more! We drew a line in the fucking sand. That we refuse to tolerate their escalation of violence against poor people, against the black, brown, indigenous, undocumented, and trans folk on the streets and in our subways.

We said FUCK YOUR \$2.75! Cops out of the MTA! We said No new jails on stolen land. We said you got 11 billion for new jails?! You got it to repair NYCHA and free transit!

WE MEANT THAT SHIT! This city, from Brooklyn to Harlem and beyond is at war with its own people. Denying us housing while you build luxury condos, new museum wings, and jails. Hiring an army of pigs to beat us down and harass us in the subways cuz we can't pay. Now, they hired Dermont Shea who is the bastard behind the gang database as the new police commissioner. His work will be used to sweep all of the youth off our blocks en masse. WE SAY FUCK THAT!

Friday, 22 November 2019 from 17:15-19:00

Harriet Tubman Memorial, Corner of W. 122nd St and Frederick Douglass Blvd., Harlem

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