

# Working Class Unity

## Member Handbook v0.2

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### Introduction

This handbook is not a detailed manual of meeting schedules or technical setups like our Forum. Instead, it focuses on the decisions you will make and how to engage effectively with our organization. It aims to help you contribute meaningfully to our collective struggle. Your true education will come from active participation in our campaigns, discussions, and decision-making processes. Do not hesitate to ask questions, challenge assumptions, and bring your full self to this work. This handbook is a dynamic document, reflecting the evolving nature of our organization. We invite you to contribute to its improvements for future members. As you gain experience, feel free to suggest new sections or propose changes to existing ones. You can also add to our Glossary of Terms. You can suggest direct edits and share your comments and suggestions with the Membership Committee. We will collectively review proposed changes to this handbook and incorporate them into future revisions, ensuring it remains a valuable resource for all members as we grow and evolve in our fight for socialism.

#### Introduction to the Working Class Unity Activist Handbook

Welcome to the Working Class Unity Activist Handbook—a guide created to help people from all walks of life come together to build stronger, fairer communities. This handbook is designed to inspire action, offer practical tools, and serve as a resource for those dedicated to improving the lives of hardworking individuals and families.

In today's world, many people feel left behind by systems that seem to serve only a select few. Working Class Unity believes that real change starts with people working together to address common challenges and create solutions that benefit everyone. Whether you're concerned about economic opportunities, social stability, or a stronger sense of community, this guide is here to help.

#### Who We Are

Working Class Unity is a diverse group of individuals united by shared values: fairness, cooperation, and a commitment to empowering everyday people. We set aside political labels to focus on what brings us together—a belief that when the working class is united, we can tackle big challenges like inequality, economic insecurity, and social divisions.

## Why This Handbook?

This handbook was created as a practical resource for anyone who wants to make a difference. It's not about ideology; it's about finding common ground and taking action. Whether you're new to community organizing or already active in your neighborhood, this guide offers tools and ideas to help you build stronger connections and achieve meaningful goals.

## What You'll Find Inside

**Finding Common Ground:** Tips for building trust and unity across different viewpoints.

**Organizing Basics:** Step-by-step guides for starting conversations, holding meetings, and building coalitions.

**Taking Action Together:** Advice on how to address issues that matter most to your community, like job opportunities, education, and safety.

**Staying Safe and Secure:** Strategies to ensure everyone involved feels protected and respected.

**Building for the Long Term:** Resources on sustaining momentum, staying motivated, and keeping your group healthy.

## Our Vision

We believe in the power of the working class to strengthen families, neighborhoods, and communities. By coming together, we can overcome the barriers that divide us and work toward a future where opportunity, respect, and fairness are available to all. This isn't about pushing any single ideology—it's about focusing on what unites us: a shared desire for stability, prosperity, and a better future for the next generation.

## Your Role in the Movement

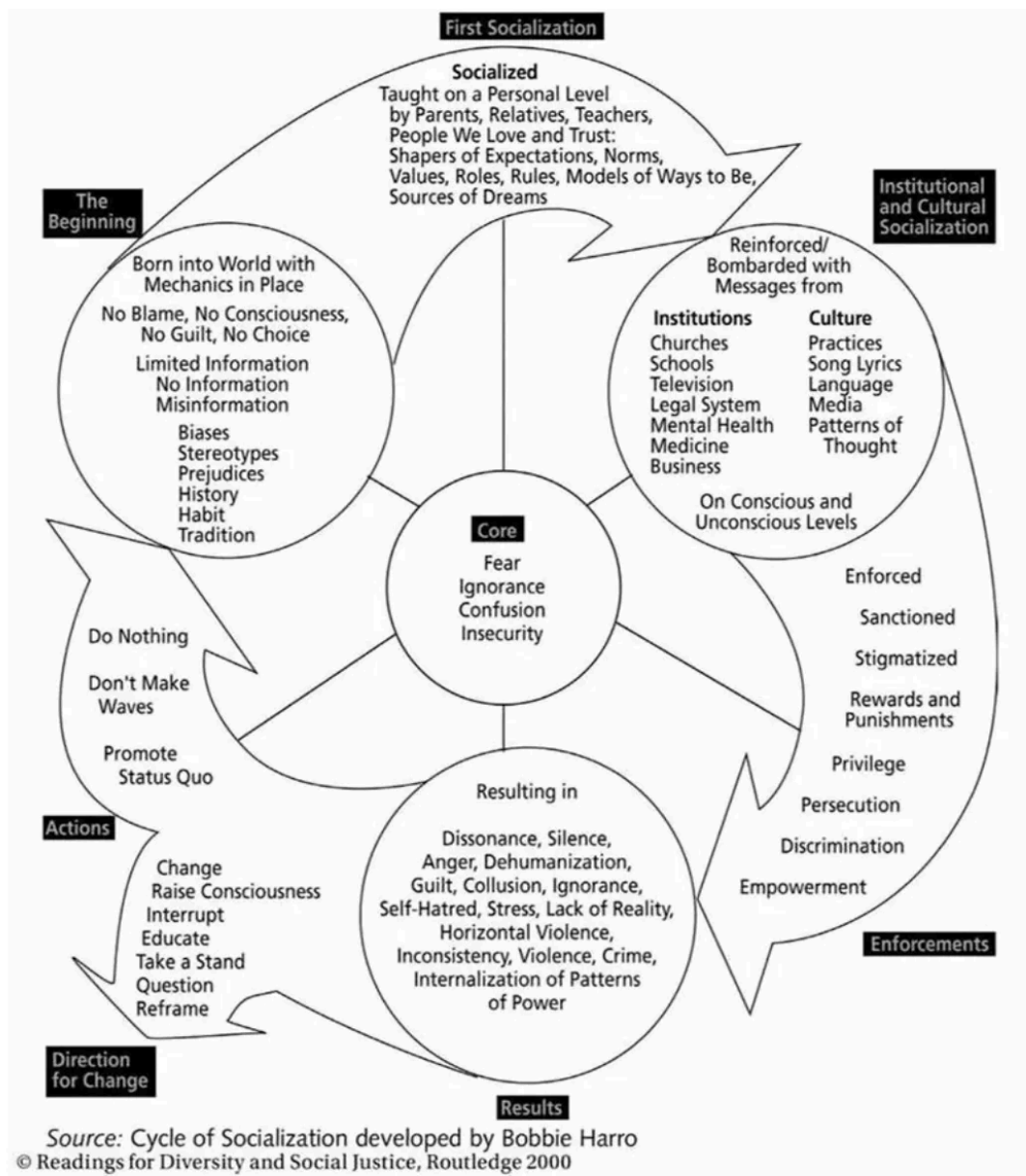
This handbook is just the beginning. The path to positive change starts with individuals like you, stepping up to make a difference in your own way. Use this guide to connect with others, share ideas, and take action. Whether you're advocating for better working conditions, organizing a local event, or simply helping a neighbor in need, every effort counts.

Together, Working Class Unity, can create a future where hardworking people from all backgrounds have the opportunity to thrive. Let this handbook be your guide as we rise above divisions, find solutions, and build stronger communities.

In solidarity,

Working Class Unity

# Cycle of Socialization



# **New Members**

## **Welcome new members**

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## **Points of Unity**

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## **Code of Conduct and Ethics**

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## **WCU Organizational Structure**

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## **Educational Resources**

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# **Responsibilities of Membership**

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[[[Link to the Run Meetings document]]]

## **How to Make a Proposal**

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## **How to Run a Meeting**

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## **How to Mentor**

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## **How to Have a Conversation**

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## **Onboarding**

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# Strategy

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## Tactics

[[[Link to tactics document]]]

# Responsibilities of the Committees

## Responsibilities of Steering Committee

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## Responsibilities of Focus Campaign Committee(s)

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## Other Committees & Working Groups

[[[Link to the Focus Campaign Committees document]]]

# Resources

## Glossary

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