

# Lumpen Magazine 142: Democrazy Call for Submissions

The Democratic National Convention is coming back to Chicago this August 19-22, and we are inviting you to pitch ideas for our spaces Co-Prosperity and Buddy, on our airwaves on WLPN Lumpen Radio, and in Lumpen Magazine.

Help us to confront the legacy of the 1968 DNC protests, when activists and artists came together in our city to fight the Vietnam War and were met with police violence and state repression. We plan to revisit these histories while engaging with the urgent contemporary movements that will bring people back to our streets this year. Pitch us about past countercultures, the 2024 elections, or the worlds that are possible tomorrow.

One way you can contribute is by submitting to be included in Lumpen 142: Democrazy. There are lots of ways to be included in mag:

- **Written Contributions (i.e. essays, interviews, etc.)**

Submissions must be between 800-2400 words

- **Artwork (i.e. comics, posters)**

Dimensions for Posters: 9x12 inches or 12x18 inches; Dimensions for Comics: 1-4 pages at 9x12 inches each

- **DNC Events (i.e. actions, workshops, poetry readings etc)**

Events must occur during the week of August 19-22 to be listed on our convention calendar

**Pitches for Programming:**

**Co-Prosperity will open its doors August 8-18 to gather artists and activists to build and organize in the lead up to the DNC**



We are interested in your preliminary ideas for programming, workshops, art builds and more in the three weeks preceding the convention. Help fill Co-Prosperity Chicago with the means of art production, concerts, parties, info sessions and more.

**Submissions are due by Tuesday, April 30 at 11:59 PM (CST).** Applicants will be notified the week of May 6. There are no deadline extensions because the DNC isn't gonna change its date for us :)

Have questions about submitting or interested in pitching an idea? Contact **Edmar Marszewski** at [edmarlumpen@gmail.com](mailto:edmarlumpen@gmail.com) and **Nick Wylie** at [nick@publicmediainstitute.com](mailto:nick@publicmediainstitute.com) for inquiries.

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- Written Contribution
- Artwork
- DNC Event
- Democrazy Festival Programming Ideas

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