*South Asians for social justice!*

*Afghanistan • Bangladesh • Bhutan • India • Maldives • Nepal • Pakistan • Sri Lanka • Diaspora*

**BAY AREA SOLIDARITY SUMMER 2017**

**summer political action camp to cultivate**

**South Asian American activists, 18-23**

**AUGUST 10-14 • OAKLAND, CA**

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[**Bay Area Solidarity Summer (BASS)**](http://www.SolidaritySummer.org) is a **5-day stayover political action camp** for progressive 18-23 year olds of South Asian heritage (including the diaspora) who want to create social change! Come **build your politics and skills**, and be **inspired by peers and mentors**. We ask for a $50 fee for 5 days of **workshops, meals, and housing**, followed by continued access to a peer and mentor network. A 100% fee waiver available if you have financial need.

**Apply to BASS if you:**

* are interested in creating a just, equitable, and sustainable world
* are thoughtful and curious about how to shift power and the status quo
* want to transform your politics and values into lifelong practice

**BASS will help you:**

* sharpen your analysis of race, class, gender, power, and injustice
* develop real-world strategies to plan campaigns for change
* find inspiration and amplify your impact through art, music, writing, and history
* cultivate relationships with activists and mentors to support and sustain your work

**Get details and apply online at:**

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**Apply by February 20 for first priority**

BASS was founded in 2011. The BASS alumni network is active in a wide range of justice issues, and call the program “inspiring,” “useful,” “supportive,” and “life-changing.”

Questions? Email us at bass@asata.org.

*Bay Area Solidarity Summer is organized by a volunteer group committed to supporting and mentoring young South Asian social justice organizers. The camp is a project of the Alliance of South Asians Taking Action, an all-volunteer organization founded in 2000 working to educate, organize, and empower San Francisco Bay Area South Asian*

*communities.*

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