Man.ish Cave Amsterdam

Evaluation December 2021
as a partner in the BIPOC LGBTQI+ Collective

Man.ish Cave has not carried out activities as a partner in the Collective yet. We will carry out our 1st activity as a Collective partner in the beginning of 2022, it is a Peer Support event. The activities that we planned for up till now could not be carried out. We are in the process of becoming a registered organization. This process required us to re-align the work of the team, before hosting events. We did however actively participate in the BIPOC LGBTQ+ Collective meetings and build new relationships and intend to continue our commitment. We have shared a newsletter style update with our team about our participation and the Collective partners. We also pitched our organization at a Queer City panel.

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- We spoke briefly during Queer City #1 panel on 5 October 2021 at Pakhuis de Zwijger.
- Here we shared a short pitch about Man.ish Cave for a broad audience.
- ToC goal: Create visibility for our community members (ours is the first organization in the Netherlands for transmasculine and non-binary persons who are Black and of Color, and who have an immigrant or refugee background).
- ToC goal: connect with community members and community organizations to build relationships and strengthen our community.

- We are in the process of becoming a registered organization.
- ToC goal: Building a strong and sustainable organization.

- We will host a Peer Support Event in the beginning 2022.
- ToC goal: connecting community members with each other (breaking the isolation that many community members find themselves in).
- ToC goal: providing community members access to Man.ish Cave (an organization that is welcoming community members to initiate their own initiatives).
- ToC goal: Empowerment of community members by creating a safe(r) space. This allows community members to share openly about their own experiences, feelings and thoughts as well as being able to listen to other community members personal stories.
- ToC goal: supporting one of the most vulnerable groups in the LGBTQI+ community.