

DEMOCRATS ABROAD
EMEA Regional Meeting

The Global Black Caucus
Report



#RiseAndOrganize

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The purpose of the Global Black Caucus

To provide a forum for all DA members to better understand the issues and concerns affecting Black Americans

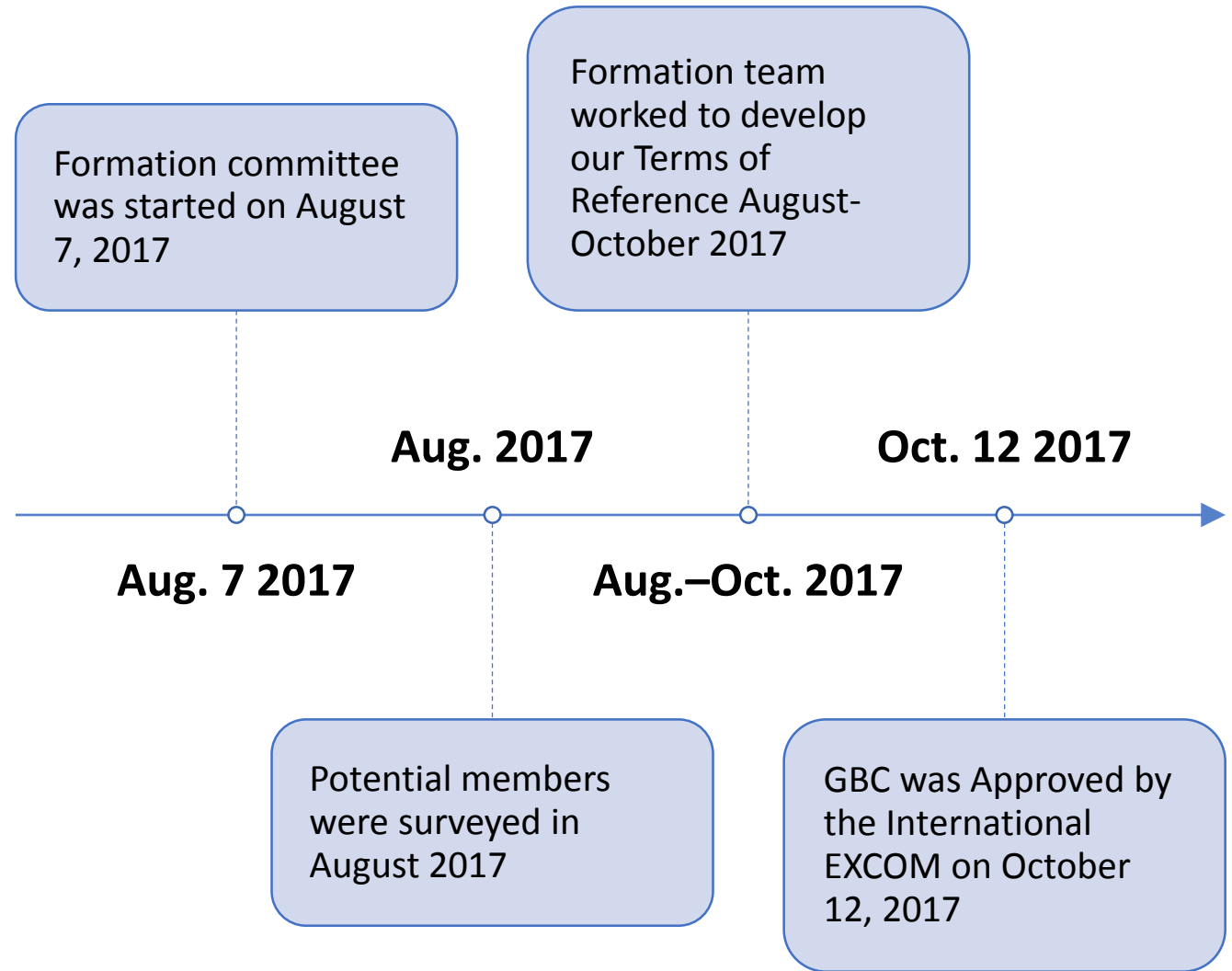
To help eliminate unconscious bias within the DA membership and in America

To help engage with Black voters living abroad and ensure that their needs are met within the DA community

To advocate for reforms to political issues

We encourage and facilitate Black Americans abroad to engage, become informed, and exercise their voting franchise

Background



Our Issues

- Voting Rights
- Criminal Justice
- Police Brutality
- Police Militarization
- Courts
- Mass Incarceration
- Stereotypes
- Unconscious and Conscious Bias
- Black Lives Matter
- Environmental Racism
- Gentrification
- Prisoner Rights
- Education
- Economic Inequality
- Government Participation
- Human Rights and Anti-Racism
- Human trafficking
- Technology Industry Diversity & Inclusion
- Environmental Justice and Climate Change
- Healthcare

Steering Committee Members

- Angela Fobbs, Chair - Germany
- Adrian Anderson - Canada
- Adrienne Johnson - UK
- Angela Shaw - France
- Christina Skovsgaard - Norway
- Cuthbert Telesford - Denmark

- Erica Smith-Escassut - France
- Karen Lee - Greece
- Kass Thomas - Italy
- Michael Ramos - Australia
- Shari Temple - Germany
- Tannis Thomas - Netherlands
- William Young - UK

Membership

- We currently have 452 members
- We are a multi-racial coalition
- Anyone who believes in unconditional universal human rights can join
- To join, go to democratsabroad/bc and click the join button
- 3 general membership meetings in 2018
 - ✓ January 28
 - June 10
 - September 16

Volunteers Needed

There is lots to be done this year and in the coming years. We need help making things happen. We are looking for volunteers for the following areas:

- Country Representatives
- Event Developers/Coordinators
- Fund Raisers
- Social Media Aficionados
- IT liaison
- If you would like to help, please contact me at blackcaucus@democratsabroad.org

Where to Find Us Online

- [Democratsabroad.org/bc](https://www.democratsabroad.org/bc)
- Resources for Black History Month: GBC Black History Month resources
<https://www.democratsabroad.org/bc-black-history-month>
- Facebook.com/DemsabroadGBC/
- Twitter:@DemsAbroadGBC
- Email:
blackcaucus@democratstabroad.org
- GBC Power to the People Podcast:
<http://dagbcp2p.podomatic.com/>

Plans and Upcoming Events

- Work with other Caucuses to promote our issues where there's overlap
- New Podcast "GBC Power to the People" first episode is out
- Webinars throughout the year
- "Let's Realize the Dream" and unconscious bias activity will be rolled out to chapters worldwide
- Weekly issue focus on social media
 - See the Schedule at:
https://www.democratsabroad.org/bc_weekly_issue_schedule
- Selected film screenings

Contact information

- Blog: Democratsabroad.org/bc
- Facebook.com/DemsabroadGBC/
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