

WE(ED)S

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A "Sidewalk-to-Table" project on edible weeds

WE(ED)S is a «Sidewalk-to-Table» project on edible weeds – public actions that include cooking demonstrations, tasting, free distribution of weeds & recipes.

Weeds have been given a bad reputation but they are a spectacular movable feast. By weeds I am not referring to pot, but the regular herbaceous plants that grow everywhere, where no one planted them. Your aunt's backyard, by the sidewalk, parking lots, park, etc. According to the Oxford English Dictionary weeds are plants that are not valued for their use, or beauty. Plants that grow wild and strong. So wild and strong that they can take over the growth of what some call 'superior vegetation' – meaning those you buy at garden stores and supermarkets.

There many weeds that are edible and many of them taste really good! We are rarely informed about this because being able to get stuff for FREE is bad for capitalism. Freedom from capitalism begins when we diminish our reliance on it.



About the team

EATING IN PUBLIC (EIP) was founded in 2003 in Hawai'i by Gaye Chan and Nandita Sharma to nudge a little space outside of the State and capitalist systems. Following the path of pirates and nomads, hunters and gathers, diggers and levelers, we gather at people's homes, plant free food gardens on private and public land, set up free stores and other autonomous systems of exchange, generally without permission. We do not exploit anyone's labor nor offer any tax-deductions. We are, in all the word's various definitions, free.

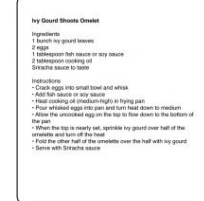
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WE(ED)S RECIPES



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Space typology Community Space / Market / Park / Plaza / Public Building / Street / Vacant plot

Intention Celebrating / Educating / Enjoying / Exchanging / Experimenting / Gathering / Raising awareness / Reclaiming

Action Cooking food / Eating food / Recycling food / Serving food / Sharing food