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Operation: Skunk Ape

From Anonymous' Foreign Affairs Desk, Tampa Bay Satellite Office: Anonymous Announces the Creation of New Third Generation Supersoldier Program.

Due to various ongoing global military engagements, there is currently a higher demand by intelligence services and military contractors across the globe for reliable skilled labor in the booming sectors of information security and social advocacy. Typically, these parties are known to come to ANONYMOUS, because our flagship **AnonOps** mercenaries vastly outperform the average computer science major on the field by every measurable metric.



However, in recent years, we have failed to adequately produce enough new mercenaries to fulfill obligations to our military clients. This problem snowballed in 2023, when a slew of client projects and internal operations collapsed, due to a lack of available manpower. A recent study into this problem by ANONYMOUS *Ministry of Internal Affairs* reveals several causes as to why:

1. A lack of systemic organization regarding official operations performed by ANONYMOUS for our clients in the worldwide military and intelligence sectors.
2. A lack of oversight, resources, and training, provided to ANONYMOUS agents working in environmental advocacy and social activism.
3. A lack of educational opportunities for **AnonOps** rookies, leaving them to be poached and trained by competing military contractors, NGO's, and cults.
4. A lack of accountability within ops teams, creating an exploitable system ripe for abuse by grifters, shills, wingnuts, saboteurs, extortionists, foreign agents, human traffickers, demons, narcissistic psychopaths, and a multitude of other bad actors.
5. An inordinate amount of manpower being wasted policing aforementioned bad actors, leaving less hands available to address obligations to our clients and the working class.

In light of this information and in accordance with the demands of **Operation Californication**, the **47th Continental Congress of the ANONYMOUS States of /b/** has chosen to Authorize the ANONYMOUS *Ministry of Occult Sciences* to commission a new third-generation **AnonOps** supersoldier program, code named **Operation Skunk Ape**.

Voluntary apprentices will be selected from various backgrounds (including probation referrals from the *Ministry of Justice*), assembled into teams, assigned a handler, and given standardized reading lists and training. These teams will then be pointed at the extremely long backlog of social activism grunt work that has been piling up in ANONYMOUS field offices. During this apprenticeship period, they will (*with the assistance of their handlers, who will be skilled /insurgency veterans*) learn basic opsec practices, gain experience in their career field, and form lifelong bonds with their teammates. Most importantly, they will be programmed with ethical constraints during the educational stage, which should reduce the frequency of our field units going rogue and staging revenge ops – A notorious bug with first- and second-generation units. When their apprenticeship has ended, the team will be a self-sufficient cell of chaos actors, available for hire by whoever wants them.

These teams will be tagged and tracked by the *Ministry of Occult Sciences* for long-term study and data collection. This data will be used to facilitate the production of our **"Newer Model Army"** units on a mass scale for our clients, thereby ending the need for the intelligence community to recruit and groom new operatives out of notoriously unreliable platforms like Discord and Twitter.

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