



Emerging Practitioners in Philanthropy
The next generation of grantmakers

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SELECTED GRANT MAKER RESOURCES

Engaging Young People

Resource Generation

National network of young, progressive wealthy people learning how to use resources to support social change.

Learning to Give

A philanthropy education project works with teachers to develop lesson plans for use across grade levels & disciplines. Lesson plans available free on website.

Foundation Internship Program

Provides college undergraduates of color with orientation, training, coaching and summer internship in New York City-based philanthropic organizations.

Young Donor Organizing Alliance

A coalition of young donors, young grantmakers and 'youth philanthropy' leaders who seek to transform philanthropy and support social justice goals.

Youth Grantmakers

Resources for involving teenagers in grantmaking through 'youth advisory committees,' from the Council on Michigan Foundations.

Research, Teaching and Ideas

Board & Staff Diversity in the Philanthropic Field

Findings from a national study by the Joint Affinity Groups.

Association for Research on Nonprofit Organizations and Voluntary Action (ARNOVA)

An international membership organization dedicated to fostering through research an understanding of the nonprofit sector, philanthropy and volunteerism.

Nonprofit Academic Centers Council

A group of academic centers focused on the study of nonprofits, voluntarism, and/or philanthropy. List of centers useful for researching grad school options.

Brown University Philanthropy Bibliography

An extensive list of scholarly books on the traditions and institutions of philanthropy, from Brown University Howard R. Swearer Center for Public Service.

National Committee for Responsive Philanthropy

Research/advocacy group that works to increase philanthropic responsiveness to disadvantaged communities and social justice issues.

SELECTED NONPROFIT RESOURCES

Engaging Young People

Idealist.org

Connects people, organizations & resources to help build a world where all people can live free & dignified lives.

Young Nonprofit Professional Network

Professional development & networking for young nonprofit leaders. Affiliates in Bay Area, New York City, Los Angeles & Chicago.

North Carolina Youth for Tomorrow

North Carolina's statewide community of young people working and volunteering in the nonprofit sector.

Future 500

Online database of local and national youth activism & organizing in the U.S.

Local Initiative Support, Training and Education Network

A national support organization, develops leadership and strengthen the social capital of urban youth for civic engagement and community problem solving.

Public Allies

A national AmeriCorps network with local affiliates, advances diverse young leaders to strengthen communities, nonprofits and civic participation.

Emerging Leadership Resource Center

Independent Sector's site lists links to nonprofit sector leadership development programs and organizations; funders; university programs; and research.

Research, Teaching and Ideas

Recruiting & Retaining the Next Generation of Nonprofit Sector Leadership

Study on missed connections among nonprofits, college students, & offices of career services.

Building Movement in(to) the Nonprofit Sector

Research on social change nonprofit organizations, including generational changes, funding issues, and building movements vs. building organizations.

18 To 35

National, non-partisan group that involves young adults in policymaking, & moves their concerns into policy debates.

[PaytonPapers.org](#)

Philosophical writings from Robert L. Payton, the first Professor Emeritus of Philanthropic Studies.

Blogs

[EPIP Blog](#)

Thoughts, news & activities from the Emerging Practitioners in Philanthropy network.

[Philanthropoid: Give and Take](#)

Ruminations on philanthropy, charity, generosity, the business of doing good...

[Philanthropy 2225](#)

Lucy Bernholtz's research, analysis, & provocation on future directions for philanthropy.

[Gift Hub](#)

EPIP member Philip Cubeta connects funders, active citizens, & advisors for the public good.

Professional Development

[Affinity Groups of the Council on Foundations](#)

[Regional Associations of Grantmakers](#)

[GrantCraft Project](#)

[Foundation Center Resources for Grantmakers](#)

[Alliance for Justice's Foundation Advocacy Initiative](#)

Assists foundations in understanding/navigating tax regulations, to enable them to support advocacy.

[The Grantmaking School](#)

[Council on Foundations' Professional Development Site](#)

[Worldwide Initiatives for Grantmaker Support](#)

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[Young Elected Leaders Project](#)

Research identifying elected officials under 35 years old to see how their experiences may encourage other young people to participate in the political process.

[Help Wanted: New Nonprofit Leaders for the 21st Century](#)

Pablo Eisenberg explores need for renewed commitment to leadership development in nonprofit sector.

[Foundation Center Resources for Individual Grantseekers](#)

[Grassroots Fundraising Journal](#)

Professional Development

[Association of Fundraising Professionals](#)

[Grassroots Institute for Fundraising Training](#)

[Independent Sector](#)

[National Organizers Alliance](#)

Association that seeks to support organizing for social, economic and environmental justice, by nurturing the organizers of all ages who engage in that work.

[Nonprofit Good Practice Guide](#)

[Nonprofit FAQ](#)

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