

TRACKING 
THE FIELD
ENVIRONMENTAL GRANTMAKERS ASSOCIATION

A Resource Guide for
EGA Partners



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Tracking environmental grantmaking since 2007.

160,000+ Grants

\$20 Billion+ Funding

Access EGA's member-only searchable grants database at ega.org/connect/ttf

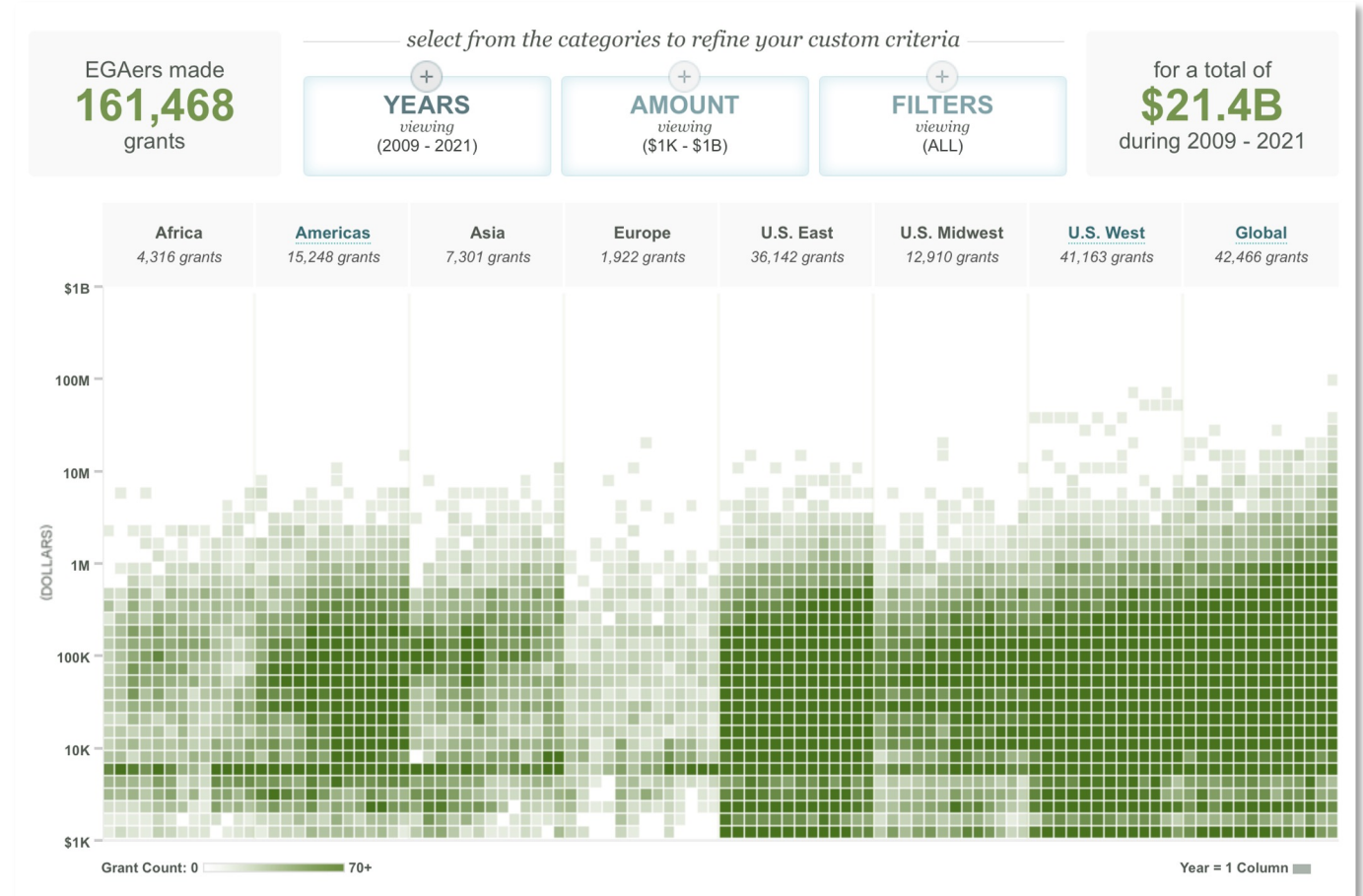
What is *Tracking the Field*?

Tracking the Field (TTF) is a research program at EGA to deepen understanding of trends, challenges and the critical needs in environmental philanthropy.

TTF supports dynamic coalitions by increasing data-driven partner identification and optimizing grant dollars for more strategic impact.

What Makes *Tracking the Field (TTF)* Unique?

- TTF has grown to be a **field leader and resource center** for environmental grantmaking within and beyond the EGA membership
- One of the largest environmental grants databases in the U.S.
- Our **manual data entry and research process** dives into funders' and grantees' websites to best capture the priorities of each grant



Tracking the Field Tools for EGA Members and Partners

Search the Directory

Grants **Grantees** Filter by grantee Filter by grant keyword

Note: The Tracking the Field database and membership directory are private, member-only resources. This information should not be shared with others outside of the EGA membership.

Hide filters

Search the Database

Explore thousands of grants, grantors and grantees in our members-only Tracking the Field database and directory.

LOCATION

REVENUE LEVEL

DIVERSITY

Filter by grantor Filter by grantee Filter by keyword

View exclusively orgs demographics data

+ Grant related filters

ISSUE(S)

YEAR(S)

GEOGRAPHIC REGION(S)

STRATEGY

COMMUNITIES IMPACTED

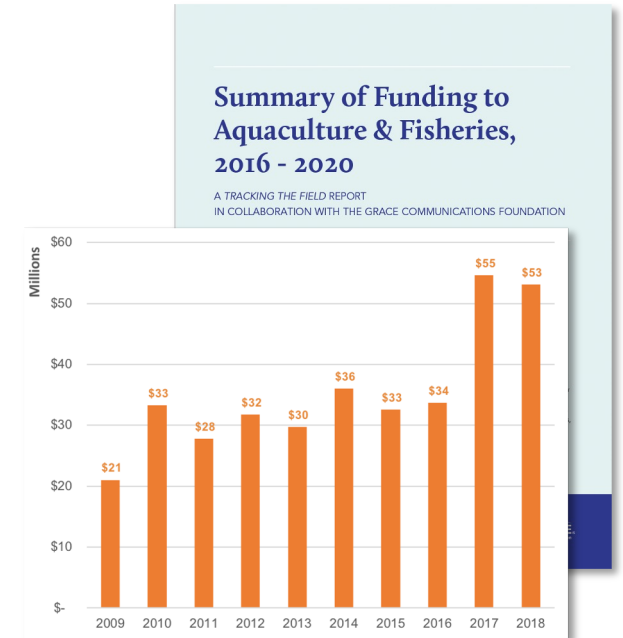
DIVERSITY

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+ Additional filters

YEAR	GRANTOR	GRANTEE	AMOUNT	ISSUES
2021	11th Hour Project	A Greener World	\$100,000	
2021	11th Hour Project	Accountability Counsel	\$375,000	
2021	11th Hour Project	Africa Institute for Energy Governance	\$238,802	
2021	11th Hour Project	Allianza Americas (National Alliance of Latin American and Caribbean Communities)	\$150,000	
2021	11th Hour Project	Alliance for a Green Economy	\$150,000	

162,709 results



*Grants Database

*Grantor & Grantee Directory

TTF Reports

Custom Data Services

*Member login required. Contact Ashley Li at ali@ega.org for login assistance.

Tracking the Field Grants Database

Over 160,000 searchable grants

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GEOGRAPHIC REGION(S)

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Grant Details

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GRANTOR	AMOUNT	\$2,500
International Community Foundation	YEAR	2021
2505 N Ave National City, CA United States	PRIMARY ISSUE AREA	Biodiversity & Species Preservation ●
(619) 592-8007 www.icfdn.org	SECONDARY ISSUE AREA	Sustainable Communities ●
INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY FOUNDATION >	REGION	Central America
	STRATEGY	Capacity Building and General Operating
	COMMUNITIES IMPACTED	Children & Young People
GRANTEE	DESCRIPTION	The Serpentario de La Paz (formally Amigos de Agua Caliente, A.C.) is an environmental education center, which has operated since October 16, 2000 with more than 300 organisms (crocodile, snakes, turtles, iguanas, lizards and amphibians).
Amigos de Agua Caliente	ENVIRONMENTAL LITERACY IMPACT AREA	Conservation
Mexico	ENVIRONMENTAL LITERACY AUDIENCE	School Age (grades K-12)
AMIGOS DE AGUA CALIENTE >		

Have a question about this grant? [CONTACT US](#) >

- Look up **individual grants** using filters like issue area, geographic focus and more
- Use **keywords** to search grants given in niche funding spaces
- **Sort results** by grantor name, grantee name and grant size

Tracking the Field Grantor & Grantee Directory

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Hide filters 27,901 results

	GRANTEE ↓	TOTAL GRANTS
LOCATION	'Aina Ho'okupu o Kilauea	
REVENUE LEVEL	PO Box 1023	6
	Kilauea, HI	

Over 27,000 grantee profiles
and
Hundreds of funder profiles

- Look up **individual grantors and grantees** using filters like budget size, location, issue focus, and more
- **Funder and grantee profiles** provide contact information, grant history and organizational demographic data
- Upcoming: new Demographic Data API with real-time data from Candid

West Harlem Environmental Action (WE ACT)

ADDRESS

1854 Amsterdam Avenue
New York, NY
United States

(212) 961-1000
www.weact.org

Mission

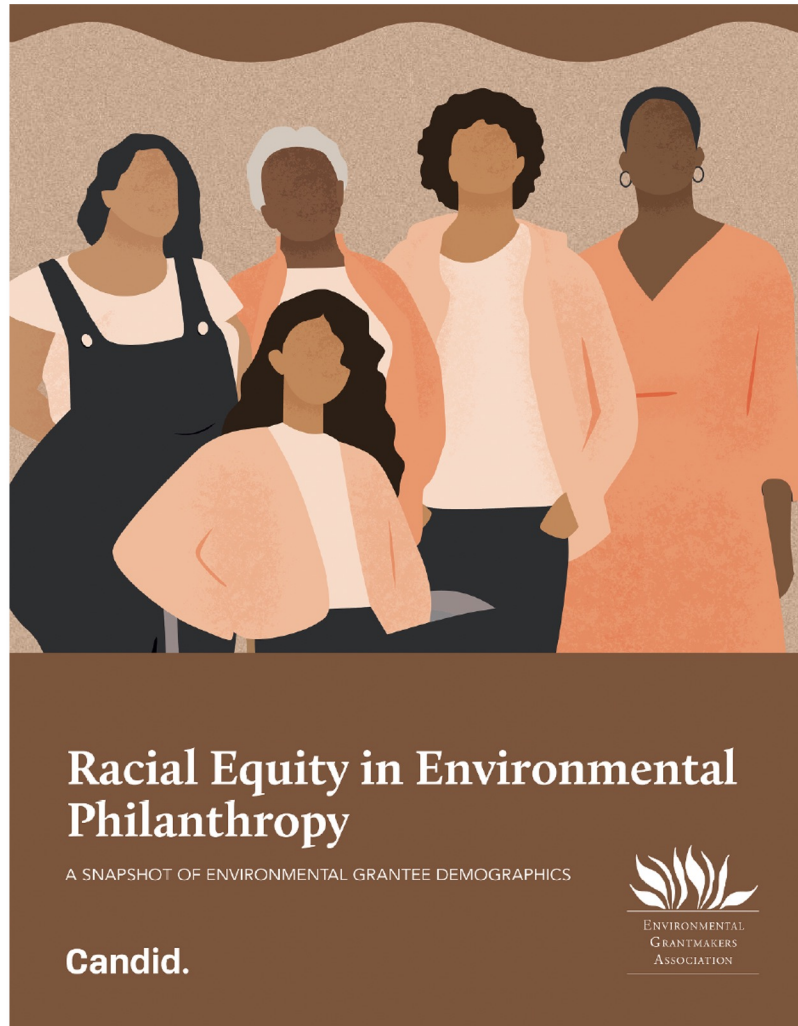
West Harlem Environmental Action, Inc. (WE ACT for Environmental Justice) is a Northern Manhattan community-based organization whose mission is to build healthy communities by assuring that people of color and/or low-income participate meaningfully in the creation of sound and fair environmental health and protection policies and practices. As a result of our ongoing work to educate and mobilize the more than 630,000 residents of Northern Manhattan on environmental issues affecting their quality of life, WEACThas become a leader in the nationwide movement for environmental justice, influencing the creation of federal, state and local policies affecting the environment.

Financials

TOTAL REVENUE	\$2,792,555
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,900,175
CONTRIBUTIONS PAID	\$106,100
CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED	\$2,545,934

Data source: 2018 Form 990

Tracking the Field Report: *Racial Equity in Environmental Philanthropy*



In alignment with EGA's Racial Equity Point of View, the report tracks funding given to Black, Indigenous, and all People of Color (BIPOC)-led groups, by analyzing organizational demographic data reported by nonprofits to Candid and grants data tracked by *Tracking the Field*.

Released in 2022, it includes data from:

- **1,240** EGA member environmental grantees
- **43,000** nonprofits across all issue fields
- **\$128 million** in funding given to BIPOC-led groups

Learn more about the report at ega.org/ttf/reports

Tracking the Field Volume 8 Report



The newest edition of EGA's biennial *Tracking the Field* report series, EGA's **Tracking the Field Volume 8** report dives deep into environmental grantmaking trends between 2007–2021, with a focus on pandemic-related giving pattern changes since 2019.

Make sure you check out the **new "Who Do EGA Members Fund" section**, which features updated analyses on funding given to Black, Indigenous and all People of Color-led groups.

Download the report today at ega.org/ttf/reports

The full report is available for download by EGA members (member login required).

The Executive Summary report is available for download by non-members.

Key Takeaways of 2021 Data Findings

To learn about key takeaways from our 2021 data findings, non-members please refer to the *Tracking the Field Vol. 8 Executive Summary* report at: https://ega.org/sites/default/files/pubs/summaries/EGA_TTF_V8_Executive%20Summary_WEB.pdf

Custom Data Services

- Through *Tracking the Field* (TTF), EGA provides applied research to inform members' strategy and data-driven decision making. EGA can provide custom analysis and reports for members and partners on specific funding spaces.
- Services include: data runs, data visualization, and briefing reports



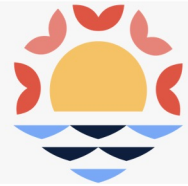
Custom Data Analysis Service - Example



- Custom professionally-designed report on Aquaculture & Fisheries Funding
- Keyword searches to identify funding given to nine sub-issues
- Top funders, grantees and funding priorities analysis of each sub-issue



Custom Database Service



Health & Environmental Funders Network

- EGA provides custom searchable database service to affinity group partners.
- The custom “Health & Justice Grants” database created for the Health & Environmental Funders Network (HEFN) now includes:
 - 6 Years of data, 31,000+ grants
 - Over **\$4 Billion** in Environmental Health & Justice funding

Search Environmental Health & Justice Grants

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[Click HERE To Read FAQs About This Grants Data](#)

Use the fields below to filter based on your criteria.

Clear filters

Grantor	Grantee	Keywords	Year
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Strategy	<input type="text" value="Any"/>	<input type="text" value="Any"/>	<input type="text" value="Any"/>
Region	<input type="text" value="Any"/>	<input type="text" value="Any"/>	<input type="text" value="Any"/>

SUMMARY OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH & JUSTICE GRANTMAKING, 2016-2021

Funder Webinar
December 13th, 2023

Health & Environmental Funders Network

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