



PROGRAM COMMITTEE BIOGRAPHIES

2017 Fall Retreat



Fabiola Greenawalt, The Russell Family Foundation

Fabiola Greenawalt joined The Russell Family Foundation in 2010 and serves as a Program Officer managing a portfolio of grants and community relationships, with a special emphasis on environmental initiatives. Previously, Fabiola worked at the City of Seattle Department of Neighborhoods where she performed duties to support the department director, and she worked on special projects and represented the department to various initiatives. She was an active member of the Race and Social Justice Initiative and committee member of the Seattle Latino City Employees.



Jessica Boehland, The Kresge Foundation

Jessica Boehland works as a Senior Program Officer on The Kresge Foundation's Environment team, which is focused on helping U.S. cities implement comprehensive climate-resilience approaches that are grounded in social equity. Jessica leads the Foundation's work on energy efficiency and energy resilience. Prior to joining Kresge in 2008, Jessica served as Managing Editor of Environmental Building News and Editor of GreenSource magazine. Her writing has appeared in these and numerous other publications. Jessica holds a Bachelor's degree from Oberlin College and a Master's degree from the Yale School of Forestry and Environmental Studies, where she focused on climate policy and climate justice.



Rashad Morris, Bullitt Foundation

Rashad joined the Bullitt Foundation staff in the Spring of 2014 and oversees the Foundation’s Energy, Climate and Materials portfolio. Prior to joining the Bullitt Foundation, Rashad developed a broad base of experience in policy formation and advocacy serving as Legislative Assistant to Seattle City Councilmember Mike O’Brien; as the principal staff member on Climate & Energy for the Washington Environmental Council; and as a Policy Analyst for the Washington State Senate.

Deeply committed to integrating social justice with environmental sustainability, Rashad is a volunteer co-leader of Seattle’s chapter of the national Environmental Professionals of Color (EPOC) and sits on the boards of both Evergreen Business Capital, a non-profit community development lender, and its affiliated philanthropic foundation. Rashad earned his law

degree from the University of California at Berkeley and his bachelor’s degree in Business Administration from Loyola Marymount University.

Kim Moore Bailey, Youth Outside



Youth Outside’s Executive Director Kim Moore Bailey was Inspired by her own passion for the outdoors and years of both personal and professional experiences. She is committed to ensuring that underrepresented youth in particular have access and opportunities to thrive in the outdoors. Kim has over 20 years of experience as an executive with expertise in strategic planning and community engagement. Before coming to Youth Outside, Kim was the Chief Operating Officer for College Possible, a national nonprofit focused on making college attainable for low-income students by creating more access points and opportunities for support. She was also Vice President for Outward Bound Inc, where she was responsible for supporting and growing Outward Bound’s

urban programs across the country; Manager of Denver Parks and Recreation for the City and County of Denver; and she was a Region Manager for the Chicago Parks District.



Ella Delio, Greater New Orleans Foundation

Elaine “Ella” Delio joined the staff of the Greater New Orleans Foundation as director of Environmental and Regional Initiatives in September 2014. Previously, she was executive vice president and managing partner at Savior Media, a Boston-based strategic communications firm. Prior to that role, Ella worked in Washington, D.C., at the World Resources Institute, an environmental think tank, where she served as Global Director of the New Ventures program. In this

capacity, she also worked with various funders from the philanthropic and public sectors. Ms. Delio received her MBA and MPA degrees from the Harvard Business School and Harvard Kennedy School and her Management Engineering and Economics degrees from the Ateneo de Manila University in the Philippines. She was awarded the Don K. Price Award by the Harvard Kennedy School for academic distinction and leadership in public service.



Phil Johnson, Heinz Endowment

Philip Johnson is director of The Heinz Endowments' Environment & Health Program, which is part of the foundation's Sustainability team. He currently manages a grants portfolio and community initiatives that focus on environmental systems, public health, susceptible populations and vulnerable communities, as well as energy impacts and alternative energy, green infrastructure, community resilience and climate change. He also directs the Breathe Project Initiative that focuses on improving the region's air quality. Prior to joining the Endowments, Phil worked for government agencies and nonprofits in fisheries/ecological restoration, public health and environmental science. Phil received his Master of Public Health, Master of Environmental

Science and PhD in Risk Management from Yale University. Phil currently serves as co-chair on the Health & Environmental Funders Network steering committee.



Arturo Garcia-Costas, New York Community Trust

Arturo manages New York Community Trust's national and New York City environmental grantmaking program as Program Officer. He came to the Trust from the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation, where he oversaw the environmental justice grant program and chaired the State's Sea Level Rise Task Force Community Resilience Work Group. Before that, Arturo ran a global funding initiative at the United Nations Development Program focused on climate change, biodiversity conservation, and land degradation. He has also worked in the Manhattan office of Congressman Jerrold Nadler and with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the Natural Resources Defense Council in Washington D.C. Arturo has an undergraduate degree from the City University of New York in International Affairs and Theater, and a J.D. from Stanford Law School, where he focused on

international and environmental law.



Jason Morris, Pisces Foundation

Jason is a Senior Program Officer at the Pisces Foundation, focusing on Environmental Education. In this role, Jason leads the Foundation's grantmaking in environmental education and implements strategies to shape environmental education initiatives nationally. Jason was most recently Interim President and CEO at NatureBridge, which provides hands-on environmental education programs for children and teens. Over the course of his career, Jason has partnered with researchers at Stanford University to connect research with practice. He also co-founded ChangeScale, a collaborative of leading academics, funders, practitioners, and thought leaders working together to build and strengthen the field of environmental education. Jason holds a M.A. in Nonprofit Administration

from the University of San Francisco and a B.A. in Anthropology from Fort Lewis College. Jason lives in Berkeley with his wife and daughter; he enjoys fly-fishing, hiking, and camping by any wild river with native trout species.



Kristen Ragain, REI Co-op

Kristen Ragain is REI Co-op's Philanthropy and Community Partnerships Manager. She guides the co-op's community investment efforts around the country that primarily support access to and stewardship of outdoor recreation places in the US. She developed and helps manage REI's legacy investment program that has adopted a collective impact model of community investment. Kristen started her career spending almost a decade in the environmental education sector at Seattle Audubon Society, City of Seattle, North Cascades Institute and the Seattle Children's Museum. After an entrepreneurial stint she became inspired by the belief that business has both the power and responsibility to help solve critical

societal and environmental challenges. While enrolled in a year-long sustainable business program at Pinchot University, she was hired by REI where she has been for nine years. Kristen loves to hike, backpack, bike and cross-country ski with her husband and two young children.



Shorey Myers, Jenifer Altman Foundation

Shorey Myers, Executive Director of the Jenifer Altman Foundation, has been with JAF since 2010. She manages the Foundation's client contracts and oversees a variety of portfolios focused on chemical policy, global grassroots movement building, environmental health and justice advocacy and international trade. Shorey also serves on the steering committee of the Health and Environmental Funders Network. She held internships at The Nature Conservancy in Kunming, China, the Environmental Working Group and UCSF's Program on Reproductive Health and the Environment (PRHE), and worked as a researcher at the Institute for Children's Environmental Health and Environmental Health News. Shorey holds a BA in Psychology from Reed College and a Masters in Public Health, focused on Environmental Health Sciences, from the University of California, Berkeley. In her spare time, Shorey is a professional tango dancer, traveling the US to

teach, DJ and perform.



Marselle Alexander-Ozinskas, S.D. Bechtel, Jr. Foundation

Marselle joined the Foundation in 2013, and she is a Program Officer in the Environment Program. Her work focuses on building the capacity of the conservation and water fields to pursue promising resource stewardship solutions. Before joining the Foundation, Marselle worked for Ceres, a Boston-based sustainability advocacy organization, where she wrote foundation proposals and reports and contributed to developing program strategies and evaluating outcomes. Marselle has also served as a

NOAA Sea Grant Fellow and as an environmental legislative assistant in the office of Congresswoman Madeleine Z. Bordallo, Chair of the Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife and Oceans. Marselle holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Environmental Studies-Ecology from Bates College, and she received a Master of Science in Ecological and Evolutionary Biology from Brown University and the Woods Hole Marine Biological Laboratory. Her Master's project focused on the effects of climate change and global warming on Arctic ecosystems. Marselle is President of the Board of Walk San Francisco.