



**RESOURCE DIRECTORY FOR  
NONPROFIT CAPACITY BUILDING IN  
LOS ANGELES COUNTY**

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## Overview and How to Use This Directory

Capacity building involves strengthening nonprofits so they can better achieve their missions. Types of capacity-building services include (1) assisting with community needs and readiness assessments related to the nonprofit's areas of work, (2) providing consultation, technical assistance and access to information resources, and (3) offering direct financial support to strengthen nonprofits and increase their capacity to serve their communities. Strengths in the areas of administration, finance, human resources, technology and facilities are among those that may be enhanced by capacity-building services available from various organizations and individuals in the communities. Some services are offered on a fee-for-service basis and some are offered free of charge to nonprofits, usually because they are underwritten by a funder (foundation or government agency).

This *Directory* offers a starting place to identify individuals and organizations providing capacity-building services and resources to nonprofit organizations in Los Angeles County. While we have attempted to be thorough in identifying these resources, and accurate in providing information about them, we acknowledge that this listing is not comprehensive, and that information about resources changes frequently (see Disclaimer following). Readers who represent or know of individuals or organizations that provide capacity-building services, but that are not already listed in the *Directory*, are encouraged to provide us with information that may be included in future editions.

The types of resources listed are:

- Consultants - Los Angeles County
- Foundations - Los Angeles County
- Human Resource Provider Organizations - Los Angeles County
- Grantseeker Information Centers - Los Angeles County
- Management Support Organizations - Los Angeles County
- Nonprofit Management Higher Education Programs - Los Angeles County
- Nonprofit Resource Centers - Surrounding Counties
- Technology Resources - Los Angeles County
- Volunteer Centers - Los Angeles County

For each listing, we provide (to the extent this information was available to us - for example, a number of listings do not include a contact person) the name of the individual or organization, a contact person, address, telephone number, fax number, e-mail address, and website address. A brief description of each resource's capacity-building activities also is included.

**Note:**

For more information on capacity-building, visit [humaninteract.org](http://humaninteract.org) or refer to: Backer, T.E., Blegg, J.E. & Groves, K. (2004). *The expanding universe: New directions in nonprofit capacity building*. Washington, DC: Alliance for Nonprofit Management. For more about the local infrastructure of nonprofit capacity building, see Backer, T.E. & Barbell, I. (2004). Models for local infrastructure. *The Nonprofit Quarterly*, Special Infrastructure Issue, 50-56. And for more on capacity building in Los Angeles, see Backer, T.E. & Oshima, M. (2005). *The state of nonprofit capacity building in Los Angeles 2005*. Los Angeles: UCLA Center for Civil Society (available on the HIRI website or at CCS's, [www.sppsr.ucla.edu/ccs/](http://www.sppsr.ucla.edu/ccs/)).

## **Directory Uses in the San Fernando Valley**

This *Directory* also supports **Valley Nonprofit Resources (VNR)**, which offers capacity-building services and information to the more than 4,000 nonprofit organizations in the San Fernando Valley (see listing in this *Directory*). Established in 2007, VNR is operated through a partnership of the Human Interaction Research Institute, California State University Northridge, MEND and Volunteer Center of Los Angeles, all Valley-based. VNR serves nonprofit executive directors, staff and board members, plus leaders of volunteer groups and of smaller foundations.

The VNR program model was developed through broad community input gathered since 2001, including a 2003 conference attended by 120 local nonprofit leaders, and a 2005 feasibility study funded by The California Endowment. For more information: visit [www.valleynonprofitresources.org](http://www.valleynonprofitresources.org), or contact Diana Medina at VNR; 818/990-0176, [infnow@valleynonprofitresources.org](mailto:infnow@valleynonprofitresources.org).

## **Disclaimer**

This *Directory* is based upon publicly available information, plus information supplied by the individuals and organizations listed. Each listing was submitted to the organization or individual profiled, with a request for editorial input, and changes received were incorporated into the listing. No independent effort was made to verify accuracy or completeness of the information provided, so all users of this *Directory* should regard it only as a place to begin in their search for capacity-building resources.

Only organizations or individuals based in Los Angeles County were included. There is one listing of nonprofit resource centers in adjacent counties. There are many additional resources for capacity building used by Los Angeles County nonprofits based in other regions.

No endorsement is implied of any organization or individual listed. Quality of services was not in any way assessed. Many equally-qualified capacity building providers may have been omitted from this edition. Those who would like to be listed in future editions of the *Directory* may contact us to provide the relevant information.

## Consultants - Los Angeles County

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### **AFJ Consulting Group**

Contact: Adam Jones, CPA  
8383 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 835  
Beverly Hills, CA 90211  
323/782-9391; Fax 323/782-9392  
Email: [cpa@afjconsulting.com](mailto:cpa@afjconsulting.com)  
Website: [www.afjconsulting.com](http://www.afjconsulting.com)

Provides concierge accounting services to the nonprofit industry including full-charge bookkeeping, preparation for annual financial statement audits, budget preparation, cash flow analysis, reviews of accounting records, drafting accounting manuals, temporary CFO/Controller duties and financial advising.

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### **Gina Airey Consulting**

Contact: Gina Airey  
1320 Princeton Street #207  
Santa Monica, CA 90404  
818/571-0432; Fax 310/315-2648  
Email: [gina@ginaairey.com](mailto:gina@ginaairey.com)  
Website: [www.ginaairey.com](http://www.ginaairey.com)

Committed to developing the capacity of leaders for strategic impact; specializing in strategic planning, organization development, and creative facilitation that assists leaders in developing their visions, organizations and teams. Areas of expertise include: participatory planning, retreats, board training, re-design of organizations and processes, change management, and working across sectors for community change. Particular depth in health, education, social services and civic engagement.

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**Arts Consulting Group, Inc.**

Contact: Bruce Thibodeau

1601 Hi Point Street

Los Angeles, CA 90035-4503

323/936-0626; Fax 323/936-1196

Email: [bdthibodeau@artsconsulting.com](mailto:bdthibodeau@artsconsulting.com)

Website: [www.artsconsulting.com](http://www.artsconsulting.com)

Provides hands-on interim management, executive search, fundraising & marketing consulting, program & facilities planning, and organizational development services for the arts and culture industry. Has offices or consultants in Los Angeles and other cities across the county to serve client needs.

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**Benevolent Vision: Counsel to Nonprofits**

Contact: Ranlyn Tilley Hill, JD

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Los Angeles, CA 90064

310/441-9635; Fax 310/441-1619

Email: [info@benevolentvision.com](mailto:info@benevolentvision.com)

Website: [www.benevolentvision.com](http://www.benevolentvision.com)

Specializes in a wide range of consulting services for the philanthropic community including: strategic planning, nonprofit management, research and grant writing, event counsel, annual and capital campaigns, board development, meeting facilitation, and executive search. Works with network of nonprofit professionals, including attorneys, CPA's and insurance specialists. Clients have included those addressing healthcare, child and family services, education, the environment, the homeless, hunger, U.S. veterans, the mentally disabled, the physically challenged and animal welfare.

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**Berglass Community Investment Counseling**

Contact: Nancy Berglass  
2658 Griffith Park Blvd., Suite 273  
Los Angeles, CA 90039  
323/665-1020; Fax 323/665-1014  
Email: [nancy@berglassconsulting.com](mailto:nancy@berglassconsulting.com)  
Website: [www.berglassconsulting.com](http://www.berglassconsulting.com)

Works to strengthen communities by enhancing the capacities of grantmakers and nonprofits to engage effectively with each other and those they serve. Services to community organizations include strategic planning; program design, management and evaluation; board development and training; research and writing; and intragroup dialogue and conflict resolution. Services to grantmakers/individual donors include: design, implementation, management and evaluation of grant programs; trustee training and succession planning; critical review and assessment of proposals and initiatives and social investment advising.

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**Gary Bess Associates**

Contact: Gary Bess  
1072 Elliott Road  
Paradise, CA 95969  
800/564-3863  
Email: [gary@garybess.com](mailto:gary@garybess.com)  
Website: [www.garybess.com](http://www.garybess.com)

Provides needs assessment, program evaluation, grantwriting and strategic planning services to public and private health, human services and educational organizations across California. Using skills transferable to numerous health and human services contexts, clients have ranged from homeless service programs to mentally ill offender and youth diversion programs, to community clinics and health centers and mental health agencies serving African-Americans, Native Americans, Asian and Latino populations.

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**Brilliance Consulting, Inc.**

Contact: Dr. Yolanda Nunn  
10020 National Boulevard  
Los Angeles, CA 90034  
310/237-6866; Fax 310/237-6869  
Email: [yjnunn@nunninc.com](mailto:yjnunn@nunninc.com)  
Website: [www.nunninc.com](http://www.nunninc.com)

Provides consultation in capacity building, research and evaluation, community organizing, collaboration and partnership development, strategic restructuring, leadership development and sustainability.

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**Coachman-Moore & Associates**

Contact: Valerie Coachman-Moore  
1195 East Woodbury Road  
Pasadena, CA 91104  
626/797-7853  
Email: [coachmanmoore@earthlink.net](mailto:coachmanmoore@earthlink.net)

Fifteen-year-old research and consulting firm which focuses on nonprofit capacity strengthening in Southern California and nationally; recently completed a study for the First Five Los Angeles Children and Families First Commission on capacity-building services in the region and proposed a framework for service delivery; works closely with organizations on organization development, including planning, project design, group facilitation and coaching.

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**Diversity Consulting Group, Inc.**

Contact: Sara Poi-Lim  
23337 Clearpool Place  
Harbor City, CA 90710  
310/528-4326; Fax 310/325-7659  
Email: [spol98@aol.com](mailto:spol98@aol.com)

Provides consultation on coalition/alliance building, collaboration and partnership development, community organizing and capacity building and diversity and cultural awareness for public health agencies and community-based organizations serving Cambodian, Chinese, Filipino, Laotian, Vietnamese and other immigrant populations.

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**Draper Consulting Group**

Contact: Lee Draper

1820 14<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 100

Santa Monica, CA 90404

310/392-2200; Fax 310/392-2212

Email: [office@drapergroup.com](mailto:office@drapergroup.com)

Website: [www.drapergroup.com](http://www.drapergroup.com)

Provides services to nonprofit organizations and grantmakers in periods of dynamic change, enabling them to transform to the next level of capacity in reaching their mission. Provides customized assistance in strategic planning, board and staff development, fund development (including capital campaigns, grantsmanship, major donor development, and other types of fundraising), and building overall organizational strength and sustainability. Also helps grantmakers design effective technical assistance and capacity building programs for their grantees.

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**Growing Health Partnerships**

Contact: Julie Friedman

101 Loma Metisse

Malibu, CA 90265

310/924-8453; Fax 310/456-1202

Email: [jfriedman@kagon.net](mailto:jfriedman@kagon.net)

Provides consultation focused on research and evaluation, strategic planning, program design, fund development, and capacity building. Areas of concentration include health promotion, workforce development, and early childhood development.

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**Grantworks Proposal Writing Services**

Contact: Katherine Kubarski

P.O. Box 365

Santa Monica, CA 90406

888/312-5010; Fax 310/826-7066

Email: [kk@grantworks.com](mailto:kk@grantworks.com)

Website: [www.grantworks.com](http://www.grantworks.com)

Provides grant research and grant proposal planning and writing services to local, regional, national and international public and nonprofit organizations. Also offers customized training in preparation of grant proposals for foundation, corporate and government funding. Areas of specialization include: the arts, child/family welfare, community development, domestic violence services, early childhood through higher education, environmental activism, ethnic communities, health care and advocacy, housing and social services, medical and social science research and social justice.

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**Goldvarg Consulting Group**

Contact: Dr. Damian Goldvarg

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Los Angeles, CA 90034-7803

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Email: [DamianGoldvarg@thegoldvargconsultinggroup.com](mailto:DamianGoldvarg@thegoldvargconsultinggroup.com)

Website: [www.thegoldvargconsultinggroup.com](http://www.thegoldvargconsultinggroup.com)

Provides professional development opportunities for nonprofit organizations through assessment, coaching, training, and consulting. Services are offered in English and Spanish. Topics covered include: leadership, communications, coaching skills, time management, strategic planning, conflict resolution, public speaking, team building, stress management and burnout prevention, cultural diversity and behavioral interviewing.

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**KED Consultants**

Contact: Karen Escalante-Dalton

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Email: [Karen@kedconsultants.com](mailto:Karen@kedconsultants.com)

Website: [www.KEDConsultants.com](http://www.KEDConsultants.com)

Offers a broad range of services, including program design, grant/report writing, organizational development, environmental scans and situational analysis, translation services in English and Spanish, workshops and trainings, board relations management, and facilitation of grant review and funding recommendations. Committed to offering tailored services to meet the needs of each client in an effective, strategic manner.

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**Kumamoto Associates**

Contact: Alan Kumamoto

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Los Angeles, CA 90065

323/223-6473; Fax: 323/342-0817

Email: [Akumamoto@aol.com](mailto:Akumamoto@aol.com)

Provides administrative assistance and consultation in board development and training, fundraising, meeting facilitation, public relations, strategic planning and program evaluation for a variety of ethnic and emerging populations; conducts focus groups to gather nontraditional information.

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**Law Firm for Nonprofits, P.C.**

Contact: Arthur Rieman

818/623-9898; Fax: 818/286-1967

Email: [law@lfn.com](mailto:law@lfn.com)

Website: [www.lfn.com](http://www.lfn.com)

Serves the legal needs of nonprofits and their boards including formation of new nonprofits, mergers and joint ventures, social enterprises, self-dealing and insider payments, affordable housing, taxation, lobbying, and political activity.

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**McElwee Group**

Contact: Jan McElwee  
800 South Victory Boulevard, Suite 201  
Burbank, CA 91502  
818/557-8657; Fax 818/557-8659  
Email: [mcelweejan@aol.com](mailto:mcelweejan@aol.com)

Provides consultation on strengthening philanthropy for foundations, corporations and individuals; developing and improving the philanthropic infrastructure; and building nonprofit boards & resources.

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**MeaningMatters, LLC**

Contact: Jerry Yoshitomi  
187 Seaspray Way  
Port Hueneme, CA 93041  
805/804-6638; Fax 805/830-1688  
Email: [yshjy@aol.com](mailto:yshjy@aol.com)

Works with foundations, public arts agencies, arts organizations and individual artists to research and develop innovative new practices, with “just in time” knowledge to increase participation in the arts; personal benefits and public value of the arts, artists and arts organizations; ability, creativity and leadership in changing environments; and earned and contributed income.

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**Sandoval Group**

Contact: Cecilia M. Sandoval  
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Email: [sandovalgroup@msn.com](mailto:sandovalgroup@msn.com)

Provides consultation to improve systems that serve children and families in the context of community; offers management consulting and technical support to nonprofits, public agencies and community groups through organizational assessments, strategic planning, board development, process design and public-private collaboration; provides the services of skilled facilitators and trainers with experiential knowledge of multicultural communities.

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**Silbert Consulting Services**

Contact: Tony Silbert  
6256 Belmar Avenue  
Tarzana, CA 91335  
818/708-2995; Fax: 818/708-2795  
Email: [tony@silbertconsulting.com](mailto:tony@silbertconsulting.com)  
Website: [www.silbertconsulting.com](http://www.silbertconsulting.com)

Helps nonprofit and public sector organizations achieve their goals, providing ongoing grant development for small and medium-sized organizations. Assists with specific grant projects, research services, developing strategic funding and evaluation that focuses on realistic data gathering for purposes of program improvement.

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**Deborah Silver**

Contact: Deborah Silver  
486 Wapello Street  
Altadena, CA 91001  
626/794-7978 (phone and fax)  
Email: [dsilver@pacbell.net](mailto:dsilver@pacbell.net)

Provides consultation on collaboration and partnership development, diversity and cultural awareness, leadership development and sustainability for community-based and private public health organizations.

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**SINTRA Consulting**

Contact: Mary Genis  
2014 Balmer Drive  
Los Angeles, CA 90039  
323/666-9700; Fax 323/913-3199  
Email: [MGenis@aol.com](mailto:MGenis@aol.com)  
Website: [www.sintraconsulting.org](http://www.sintraconsulting.org)

Provides executive coaching focused on leadership development, career transitions, team effectiveness, and peer learning designed to increase the personal and organizational capacity of clients, resulting in transformational learning and sustainable change. Offers behavioral and leadership assessments, including Emotional Intelligence and StrengthsFinder, aimed at performing managers who wish to be exceptional leaders.

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### **Sponsor Partners**

Contact: Sue Simone

18653 Ventura Blvd., Suite 318

Tarzana, CA 91356

818/342-4992; Fax 818/342-7889

Email: [info@sponsorpartners.com](mailto:info@sponsorpartners.com)

Website: [www.sponsorpartners.com](http://www.sponsorpartners.com)

Offers sponsorship services to nonprofits including: sponsorship fundraising, proposals, solicitation and partnership management, prospect analysis, and post sponsor reporting. Additional consulting services offered include: strategic planning, cause marketing and promotional campaigns. All services are designed to connect nonprofit causes with well-aligned partners.

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### **The Inspired Planet Leadership Coaching & Nonprofit Consulting**

Contact: Marta A. Segura, M.P.H.

4059 W. 59th Pl.

Los Angeles, CA 90043

323/691-9504

Email: [marta@theinspiredplanet.com](mailto:marta@theinspiredplanet.com)

Website: [www.theinspiredplanet.com](http://www.theinspiredplanet.com)

Assists nonprofits and their leaders with culturally competent capacity-building services such as leadership development, developing "turn key" systems for program design, fundraising plans & strategic plans. In addition, helps with community engagement, developing networks and alliances, strategic restructuring and leadership coaching with cultural sensitivity.

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### **Transformative Collaborations International**

Contact: Yoland Trevino

4234 Canyon Crest Road

Altadena, CA 91001

626/797-3397

Email: [therion93@earthlink.net](mailto:therion93@earthlink.net)

Provides consultation on collaboration and partnership development, community organizing and capacity building, diversity and cultural awareness, leadership and staff development for health care and public health organizations and school systems; has developed tools and processes for co-creating learning organizations that practice inclusive governance, community engagement and accountability.

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**Urban Resources**

Contact: Tessa Carmen De Roy

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323/660-0040

Email: [tessacarmen@sbcglobal.net](mailto:tessacarmen@sbcglobal.net)

Specializes in the facilitation and project management of multi-stakeholder collaborations. Assists organizations in effectively transforming both their systems and human infrastructure to better achieve their desired outcomes.

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**Walden Philanthropy Advisors**

Contact: Gwen I. Walden

4232 Mentone Avenue

Culver City, CA 90232

310/929-5980

Email: [info@waldenphil.com](mailto:info@waldenphil.com)

Website: [www.waldenphil.com](http://www.waldenphil.com)

Offers strategic consulting services to foundations of all types in the following areas: start-up planning for new foundations, strategic planning for high impact giving, grant program design, development and implementation, development and implementing non-grant making activities, large scale program initiative management, and executive coaching and training for new philanthropic leaders and managers.

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## Foundations - Los Angeles County

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### **California Community Foundation**

Contact: Pamela David  
445 South Figueroa Street, Suite 3400  
Los Angeles, CA 90071-1638  
213/413-4130 ext. 243; Fax 213/383-2046  
Email: [cdigiamp@ccf-la.org](mailto:cdigiamp@ccf-la.org)  
Website: [www.calfund.org](http://www.calfund.org)

Among other grantmaking goals seeks to build organizational capacity of small to moderate-sized nonprofits that address a critical community need consistent with funding priorities; current priorities are: jobs, child care, early education and primary health care.

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### **Center for Healthy Communities, The California Endowment**

Contact: None  
1000 North Alameda Street  
Los Angeles, CA 90012  
800/449-4149; Fax 213/928-8801  
Email: [laquestions@calendow.org](mailto:laquestions@calendow.org)  
Website: [www.calendow.org](http://www.calendow.org)

Grantmaking focuses on policy advocacy and systems change, emphasizing capacity building, core operating support, community empowerment and mobilization. TCE's Center for Healthy Communities focuses on capacity building and movement building. Its programs emphasize three areas: "Engaging Communities and Building Coalitions," through collaborative activities that advance community health improvements; "Strengthening the Nonprofit Health Sector," with training programs that build organizational capacity; and "Exchanging Knowledge and Learning," supporting researchers and community leaders, and fostering the exchange of ideas.

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**The California Wellness Foundation**

Contact: Joan Hurley  
6320 Canoga Avenue, Suite 1700  
Woodland Hills, CA 91367  
818/702-1900; Fax 818/702-1999  
Email: [tcwf@tcwf.org](mailto:tcwf@tcwf.org)  
Website: [www.tcwf.org](http://www.tcwf.org)

An independent, private foundation whose mission is to improve the health of the people of California by making grants for health promotion, wellness education and disease prevention; encourages requests for grants of core operating support to strengthen organizational infrastructure of nonprofit organizations.

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**Joseph Drown Foundation**

Contact: Wendy Wachtell  
1999 Avenue of the Stars, Suite 2330  
Los Angeles, CA 90067  
310/277-4488; Fax 310/277-4573  
Email: [staff@jdrown.org](mailto:staff@jdrown.org)  
Website: [www.jdrown.org](http://www.jdrown.org)

Provides funding for education, health and social services in the Greater Los Angeles area; supports organization, program and capacity-building efforts of nonprofit organizations working in these primary areas of interest.

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**The Durfee Foundation**

Contact: Claire Peeps  
1453 Third Street, Suite 312  
Santa Monica, CA 90401  
310/899-5120; Fax 310/899-5121  
Email: [admin@durfee.org](mailto:admin@durfee.org)  
Website: [www.durfee.org](http://www.durfee.org)

Through the Community Fund, provides grants to new and emerging nonprofits in Los Angeles County that offer grassroots response to urgent community needs; organizations must be less than five years old, with budgets below \$100,000.

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**Flintridge Foundation**

Contact: Lisa Wilson  
1040 Lincoln Avenue, Suite 100  
Pasadena, CA 91103  
626/449-0839 ext. 116; Fax 626/585-0011  
Email: [info@flintridgefoundation.org](mailto:info@flintridgefoundation.org)  
Website: [www.flintridgefoundation.org](http://www.flintridgefoundation.org)

Provides opportunities through the Community Services Program for continuing education to community-based nonprofit groups so that they may develop greater organizational strength. Integrated program components include seminars, workshops, fundraising resources. Consultations, meeting space, and scholarships. The Foundation's Northwest ECHO Program, awarded in 2007, is a federally supported capacity-building project targeting 27 youth-based organizations with the goal of decreasing gang violence.

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**David Geffen Foundation**

Contact: Dallas Dishman  
12011 San Vincente Blvd., #606  
Los Angeles, CA 90049-4926  
310/581-5955 Fax: 310/581/5949  
Email: [ddishman@dreamworks.com](mailto:ddishman@dreamworks.com)

Provides funding for HIV/AIDS, culture, civil rights/civil liberties, Jewish issues and special community projects.

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**The Getty Foundation**

Contact: Rebecca Martin  
1200 Getty Center Drive, Suite 800  
Los Angeles, CA 90049-1685  
310/440-7320; Fax 310/440-7703  
Email: [info@getty.edu](mailto:info@getty.edu)  
Website: [www.getty.edu/grants/program](http://www.getty.edu/grants/program)

Provides critical support to institutions and individuals throughout the world in fields that are aligned most closely with J. Paul Getty Trust's strategic priorities; funds a diverse range of projects that promote learning and scholarship about the history of visual arts and the conservation of cultural heritages; searches for collaborative efforts that set high standards and make significant contributions.

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**Glendale Community Foundation**

Contact: Sharon C. Collins

P.O. Box 313

Glendale, CA 91209

818/241-8040; Fax 818/241-8045

Email: [sharon@glendalecommunityfoundation.org](mailto:sharon@glendalecommunityfoundation.org)

Website: [www.glendalecommunityfoundation.org](http://www.glendalecommunityfoundation.org)

Administers gifts and grants to fund hard asset acquisitions and programming for nonprofits in Glendale to make them more efficient and effective.

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**The Josephine S. Gumbiner Foundation**

Contact: Julie Meenan

100 W. Broadway, Suite 270

Long Beach, California 90802

562/437-2882; Fax: 562/437-4212

Email: [jsgf@earthlink.net](mailto:jsgf@earthlink.net)

Website: [www.jsgf/gumbiner.com](http://www.jsgf/gumbiner.com)

Provides grants to nonprofits to support programs that protect and enrich the lives of women and children in the Long Beach area through intervention, prevention and direct service, with a focus on day care, education, housing, recreation, the arts and health care.

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**The James Irvine Foundation**

Contact: Jeanne Sakamoto

865 South Figueroa Street, Suite 2308

Los Angeles, CA 90017

213/236-0552; Fax 213/236-0537

Email: [info@irvine.org](mailto:info@irvine.org)

Website: [www.irvine.org](http://www.irvine.org)

Supports efforts aimed at improving nonprofit performance through various grant programs.

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**Jewish Community Foundation**

Contact: Amelia Xann

6505 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 1200

Los Angeles, CA 90048

323/761-8700; Fax: 323/761-8720

Email: For appropriate e-mail address, visit foundation website listed below

Website: [www.jewishfoundationla.org](http://www.jewishfoundationla.org)

Funds new and innovative programs and projects, capital improvements and community-wide initiatives in both the Jewish and general community; serves as the largest manager of charitable assets and provider of planned giving solutions for Southern California Jewish philanthropists.

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**Los Angeles United Methodist Urban Foundation**

Contact: Sandie Richards

714 West Olympic Blvd., Suite 508

Los Angeles, CA 90015

213/749-0212 ext. 12; Fax 213/749-3098

Email: [info@urbanfoundation.org](mailto:info@urbanfoundation.org)

Website: [www.urbanfoundation.org](http://www.urbanfoundation.org)

Works to build the capacity of grassroots faith-based and community organizations to effectively meet the needs of urban neighborhoods; strengthens community organizations through grantmaking, training and coaching, and community research.

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**Liberty Hill Foundation**

Contact: Kafi D. Blumenfeld

2121 Cloverfield Boulevard, Suite 113

Santa Monica, CA 90404

310/453-3611; Fax 310/453-7806

Email: [info@libertyhill.org](mailto:info@libertyhill.org)

Website: [www.libertyhill.org](http://www.libertyhill.org)

Makes grants to grassroots groups in Los Angeles County that promote social and racial equality, environmental sustainability, economic justice and shared social responsibility; provides training and technical assistance to organizations to increase their ability to transform communities.

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**Pasadena Community Foundation**

Contact: Jennifer DeVoll

260 S. Los Robles Ave., Suite 119

Pasadena, CA 91101

626/796-2097; Fax 626/583-4738

Email: [pcfstaff@pasadenacf.org](mailto:pcfstaff@pasadenacf.org)

Website: [www.pasadenacf.org](http://www.pasadenacf.org)

Serves as a community foundation for the Pasadena, Altadena and Sierra Madre communities by providing grants and assistance to nurture and strengthen community organizations, and promoting and participating in partnerships with other community members and organizations; helps donors accomplish their philanthropic goals through donor advised giving, by setting up family funds or fields of interest funds, or by direct gifts to charities.

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**The Riordan Foundation**

Contact: Rebecca Bunn

10900 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 320

Los Angeles, CA 90024

310/824-1570; Fax 310/824-1572

Email: [questions@riordanfoundation.org](mailto:questions@riordanfoundation.org)

Website: [www.riordanfoundation.org](http://www.riordanfoundation.org)

Offers grants, primarily challenge grants, for computer technology, primarily in the areas of literacy and education, primarily in Los Angeles County.

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**Dwight Stuart Youth Foundation**

Contact: Wendy Chang

9595 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 212

Beverly Hills, CA 90212

310/777-5050 ext. 106

Email: [wchang@dsyf.org](mailto:wchang@dsyf.org)

Website: [www.dsyf.org](http://www.dsyf.org)

Provides funding and direct services to support capacity building for Los Angeles youth-serving nonprofit organizations. Through a capacity-building grantmaking initiative, provides both responsive grants up to \$25,000, and (by invitation only) larger multi-year Cornerstone grants for general operating support. Also provides capacity-building information and referral resources through its website.

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**UniHealth Foundation**

Contact: Nancy Mullenax  
800 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1300  
Los Angeles, CA 90017  
213/630-6500; Fax 213/630-6509  
Email: [nmullenax@unihealthfoundation.org](mailto:nmullenax@unihealthfoundation.org)  
Website: [www.unihealthfoundation.org](http://www.unihealthfoundation.org)

Mission is to support and facilitate activities that significantly improve the health and well being of individuals and communities within the Foundation's service area of San Fernando and Santa Clarita Valley, Westside and Downtown Los Angeles, San Gabriel Valley, Long Beach and Orange County.

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**Washington Mutual Community Relations**

Contact: Robert Flowers  
350 South Grand Avenue, Suite 3400  
Los Angeles, CA 90071  
800/258-0543  
Email: [cead@wamu.com](mailto:cead@wamu.com)  
Website: [www.wamu.com](http://www.wamu.com)

Partners with nonprofit organizations in the areas of affordable housing and education; provides capacity-building grants to nonprofit housing developers and to community nonprofit and philanthropic organizations, and grants for organizational development for schools and districts.

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**Whitecap Foundation**

Contact: Laura Campobasso  
800 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 1010  
Los Angeles, CA 90017  
213/624-5401; Fax 213/624-0529  
Email: [execdirector@whitecapfdn.org](mailto:execdirector@whitecapfdn.org)  
Website: [www.whitecapfdn.org](http://www.whitecapfdn.org)

Supports neighborhood focused organizations in the Los Angeles region that address family needs and sustainable habitat restoration in California and other western states; combines technical assistance and training with programmatic grants on organizational management, networking, personnel, programs and financial planning.

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**Weingart Foundation**

Contact: Fred J. Ali

1055 West 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 3050

Los Angeles, CA 90017

213/688-7799; Fax 213/688-1515

Email: [info@weingartfnd.org](mailto:info@weingartfnd.org)

Website: [www.weingartfnd.org](http://www.weingartfnd.org)

Provides grants to agencies and institutions serving children and youth, the aged, the disabled, the homeless, the sick, the poor, or otherwise disadvantaged, and to projects benefitting the general community.

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## **Human Resources Provider Organizations - Los Angeles County**

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### **California Association of Nonprofits**

California Nonprofits Career Center

Contact: None

520 South Grand Avenue, Suite 695

Los Angeles, CA 90071

213/347-2070; Fax 213/347-2080

Website: [www.careercenter.canonprofits.org](http://www.careercenter.canonprofits.org)

Provides resume posting service and online job listing for nonprofit organizations throughout California (see listing under Management Support Organizations for other services CAN provides).

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### **Center for Nonprofit Management**

Nonprofit Directions

Contact: None

1000 N. Alameda Street, Suite 250

Los Angeles, CA 90012

213/346-3260; Fax 213/687-7159

Email: [nd@nonprofitdirections.org](mailto:nd@nonprofitdirections.org)

Website: [www.nonprofitdirections.org](http://www.nonprofitdirections.org)

Provides job listings for Southern California nonprofits, labor market analysis services, and training (see listings under Management Support Organizations and Grant Seeker Information Centers for other services CNM provides).

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## Grantseeker Information Centers - Los Angeles County

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### **Center for Nonprofit Management**

Contact: Librarian, Nonprofit Resource Specialist  
1000 N. Alameda Street  
Los Angeles, CA 90012  
213/346-3268; Fax 213/687-7159  
Email: [library@cnmsocal.org](mailto:library@cnmsocal.org)  
Website: [www.cnmsocal.org/library](http://www.cnmsocal.org/library)

Provides resources on foundation giving to nonprofit organizations, potential funding sources and developing effective proposals, as well as other information to assist nonprofit managers. A Foundation Center Cooperating Collection. Offers a free orientation in Grantseeking Basics. Schedule and registration available online at <http://www.cnmsocal.org/>

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### **Flintridge Foundation Philanthropy Resource Library**

Contact: Sheryl Stampley  
1040 Lincoln Avenue, Suite 100  
Pasadena, CA 91103  
626/449-0839 ext. 106; Fax 626/585-0011  
Email: [info@flintridgefoundation.org](mailto:info@flintridgefoundation.org)  
Website: [www.flintridgefoundation.org](http://www.flintridgefoundation.org)

The San Gabriel Valley's only Cooperating Collection of the Foundation Center. The collection features materials on fundraising, nonprofit management, board development and program development. Small circulating collection includes four computer workstations, FC Search and other electronic resources.

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### **Los Angeles Public Library**

Mid-Valley Regional Branch Library  
Contact: None  
16244 Nordhoff Street  
North Hills, CA 91343  
818/895-3654

Grantsmanship center within a public library, serving as a cooperating collection of the Foundation Center.

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**Los Angeles Public Library**

San Pedro Regional Branch

Contact: None

931 South Gaffey Street

San Pedro, CA 90731

310/548-7779

Grantsmanship center within a public library, serving as a cooperating collection of the Foundation Center.

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**Santa Monica Public Library**

Contact: None

601 Santa Monica Blvd.

Santa Monica, CA 90401

310/458-8600

Grantsmanship center within a public library, serving as a cooperating collection of the Foundation Center.

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## **Nonprofit Management Higher Education Programs - Los Angeles County**

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### **American Jewish University, Lieber School of Graduate Studies**

MBA Program in Nonprofit Management

Contact: Nina Lieberman Giladi

15600 Mulholland Drive

Los Angeles, CA 90077-1519

310/476-9777; Fax 310/471-3657

Email: [nlieberman-gilad@ajula.edu](mailto:nlieberman-gilad@ajula.edu)

Website: [www.ajula.edu](http://www.ajula.edu)

Provides course work leading to an MBA or an MA in Nonprofit Management. Program includes courses on topics such as nonprofit accounting and budgeting, law and taxation, fundraising and marketing, board development, strategic planning and change management. Community Partnership Initiative partners with selected urban nonprofits to identify staff who have the capacity to be senior managers and leaders in the nonprofit sector. Significant financial assistance is then provided to support those who are identified and admitted to the Nonprofit Management Program.

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### **California State University Los Angeles, Youth Agency Administration Studies**

Contact: Dr. Anne Larson

5151 State University Drive

Los Angeles, CA 90032-4226

323/343-4580

Email: [alarson2@calstatela.edu](mailto:alarson2@calstatela.edu)

Website: [www.calstatela.edu](http://www.calstatela.edu)

Offers certificate program in nonprofit management; fields of study include volunteer management, fundraising, intercultural communication, dynamics of organizations communication, public financial administration, marketing for nonprofit organizations, youth and family issues, intercultural proficiency and directed field service; University also houses the Pat Brown Institute, a center offering capacity building programs and services for grassroots community organizations, dealing with such topics as community conflict resolution and multicultural issues.

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**California State University Northridge, Center for Management & Organization Development**

Contact: None

18111 Nordhoff Street

Northridge, CA 91330-8376

818/677-6400; Fax 818/677-6401

Website: [www.csun.edu/mod](http://www.csun.edu/mod)

Provides applied training and development programs, managerial consultation services, and customized research and evaluation reports to improve organizational performance; focuses on those substantive issues that are critical to transformational and profound change in the nonprofit, public, and private sectors.

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**California State University Northridge, Roland Tseng College of Extended Learning**

Contact: Patti Burleson

18111 Nordhoff Street

Northridge, CA 91330-8434

818/677-3217; Fax: 818/677-3886

Email: [Patti.Burleson@csun.edu](mailto:Patti.Burleson@csun.edu)

Website: <http://tsengcollege.csun.edu/np/np-contact.html>

Offers a Master of Public Administration for administrators currently employed in the public, private or nonprofit sectors; core courses include such topics as strategic management, organizational leadership, policy implementation and program evaluation and management of nonprofit organizations.

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**Center for Civil Society, UCLA School of Public Affairs**

Contact: Jocelyn Guihama

3250 School of Public Affairs Building

Box 951656

Los Angeles, CA 90095-1656

310/267-5403; Fax 310/206-5773

Email: [guihama@spa.ucla.edu](mailto:guihama@spa.ucla.edu)

Website: [www.spa.ucla.edu/ccs](http://www.spa.ucla.edu/ccs)

Coordinates teaching on the nonprofit sector and civil society at UCLA, conducts local and international research, convenes meetings and seminars, offers executive education and contributes to a policy dialogue about the current and future role of nonprofit organizations, philanthropy and civil society; serves as the focal point for UCLA's programs and activities in nonprofit leadership and management, community-based organizations and advocacy, international nongovernmental organizations and philanthropy.

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**Los Angeles Pierce College Extension**

6201 Winnetka Avenue

Woodland Hills, CA 91371

818/719-6425; Fax: 818/703/1525

Website: <http://www.piercecollege.edu/community/extension/onlineNonProfitGrant.html>

Offers extension and online courses on Grant Writing and Nonprofit Management, focusing on the skills needed to prepare professional and competitive grant proposals and to manage all aspects of a nonprofit organizations; includes modules on planning, structure and leadership, boards of directors, volunteers and committees, staffing and other topics.

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**Pepperdine University, Seaver College, Business Administration Division**

Contact: Rhonda Huddleston

24255 Pacific Coast Hwy.

Malibu, CA 90263-4237

Phone: 310/506-4237; Fax: 310/506-4696

Email: [Rhonda.Huddleston@pepperdine.edu](mailto:Rhonda.Huddleston@pepperdine.edu)

Website: <http://www.seaver.pepperdine.edu/business/contact/>

Offers courses and field work in nonprofit management, covering such topics as Financial Development for Non-profit Organizations, Management of Non-profit Organizations, Leadership in Development and others topics related to but not limited to study of nonprofit sector.

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**University of California Los Angeles, Anderson School of Management**

Contact: Dr. Judy D. Olian

Box 951481

Los Angeles, CA 90095-1481

310/825-7982; Fax: 310/206-2073

Email: [judy.olian@anderson.ucla.edu](mailto:judy.olian@anderson.ucla.edu)

Website: [www.Anderson.ucla.edu](http://www.Anderson.ucla.edu)

Provides academic courses in Law and Management of Nonprofits, as well as access to nonprofit-specific courses in other schools and departments on the UCLA campus.

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**University of California Los Angeles, School of Public Affairs**

Contact: Dr. Fernando Torres-Gil

3250 School of Public Affairs Building

Box 951656

Los Angeles, CA 90095-1656

310/206-7979; Fax 310/206-5573

Email: [torres@spa.ucla.edu](mailto:torres@spa.ucla.edu)

Website: [www.spa.ucla.edu](http://www.spa.ucla.edu)

Offers professional programs in Policy Studies, Urban Planning and Social Welfare; houses several active research centers focusing on health policy research, communications, transportation studies, technology and cultural policy and policy research; offers Policy Forum events that act as a catalyst for dialogue on critical issues and as a leader in training to improve the performance of public, private and nonprofit organizations; houses the Center for Civil Society (see separate entry).

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**UCLA Extension**

Contact: Dr. Barry Bortnick

10995 Le Conte Avenue, #731

Los Angeles, CA 90024

310/825-7715

Email: [enroll@unex.ucla.edu](mailto:enroll@unex.ucla.edu)

Website: [www.uclaextension.edu](http://www.uclaextension.edu)

Offers open enrollment and certificate programs in Fund Raising and Nonprofit Public Relations designed for those who want to enhance their knowledge and understanding of fund raising, the essentials of writing grant proposals, planned giving, special events planning, working with boards and volunteers, crisis management and communications and strategic planning for nonprofit organizations.

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**University of Southern California, Center on Philanthropy and Public Policy**

Contact: Dr. James M. Ferris

Lewis Hall 210

Los Angeles, CA 90089-0626

213/740-9492

Email: [cppp@usc.edu](mailto:cppp@usc.edu)

Website: [www.usc.edu/sppd/philanthropy](http://www.usc.edu/sppd/philanthropy)

Conducts research on philanthropy, volunteerism and the nonprofit sector and communicates findings to key decision makers through forums, roundtables, distinguished lectures and seminars.

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**University of Southern California, School of Public Policy, Planning and Development**

Contact: Dr. Jack H. Knott

Lewis Hall 312

Los Angeles, California 90089-0626

213/740-0350; Fax: 213/740-5379

Email: [jhknott@usc.edu](mailto:jhknott@usc.edu)

Website: [sppd@usc.edu](http://sppd@usc.edu)

Offers a course of study designed to prepare professionals for positions of management and leadership in nonprofit organizations; stresses student awareness of and participation in social services; topics covered include community participation, grassroots economic development, women's rights, family and child well-being, urban renewal, education reform and others.

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## Nonprofit Resource Centers - Los Angeles County

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### **California Alliance of Information & Referral Services**

Contact: Rick Sakamoto  
P.O. Box 726  
San Gabriel, CA 91778-0726  
Email: [cairs211@yahoo](mailto:cairs211@yahoo)  
Website: [www.cairs.org](http://www.cairs.org)

Provides members with training and support to enhance professional skills, networking among members, information and referral services, and advocacy.

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### **California Association of Nonprofits**

Contact: None  
520 South Grand Avenue, Suite 695  
Los Angeles, CA 90071  
213/347-2070; Fax 213/347-2080  
Website: [www.canonprofits.org](http://www.canonprofits.org)

Membership organization which provides resources for nonprofits throughout California, including conferences and training programs, newsletters and other publications, and advocacy on statewide issues affecting the nonprofit community. Also provides career center, online resources and financial services.

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### **Center for Nonprofit Management**

Contact: Regina Birdsell  
1000 N. Alameda Street, Suite 250  
Los Angeles, CA 90012  
213/687-9511; Fax 213/687-7159  
Email: [main@cnmsocal.org](mailto:main@cnmsocal.org)  
Website: [www.cnmsocal.org](http://www.cnmsocal.org)

Provides training programs and management assistance consultation for nonprofits, nonprofit job listings, professional development, compensation and benefits surveys, a nonprofit resource library, a helpline and publications.

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**Community Partners**

Contact: Paul Vandeventer  
1000 N. Alameda Street, Suite 240  
Los Angeles, CA 90012  
213/346-3200; Fax 213/808-1009  
Email: [info@communitypartners.org](mailto:info@communitypartners.org)  
Website: [www.communitypartners.org](http://www.communitypartners.org)

Provides civic capacity building, facilitation, and incubation and project management services, with an emphasis on supports for emerging community programs within the nonprofit sector.

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**Executive Service Corps of Southern California**

Contact: None  
520 South Lafayette Park Place, Suite 210  
Los Angeles, CA 90057-1607  
213/381-2891; Fax 212/381-2893  
Website: [www.escsc.org](http://www.escsc.org)

Arranges for retired executives to serve as volunteer management and board development consultants to nonprofit organizations in Southern California; services include executive mentoring, management coaching, management consulting in a range of operations areas, and one-time sounding board sessions. Includes two intensive training and coaching programs: (1) Developing Development, to enhance fundraising skills and infrastructure of nonprofits; and (2) Wells Fargo Executive Directors Institute, to build skills of nonprofit executive directors who've been on the job three years or less.

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**The Grantsmanship Center**

Contact: Cathleen Kiritz  
P.O. Box 17220  
1125 West Sixth Street, Fifth Floor  
Los Angeles, CA 90017  
213/482-9860; Fax 213/482-9863  
Email: [maria@tgci.com](mailto:maria@tgci.com)  
Website: [www.tgci.com](http://www.tgci.com)

Offers training in grants and funding diversification for nonprofit organizations, academic institutions and government agencies at the Los Angeles center and world-wide with local host organizations; also provides online support including databases of foundation, corporate and government funding sources. Customized training available upon request.

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**Human Interaction Research Institute**

Contact: Thomas E. Backer, PhD  
5435 Balboa Boulevard, Suite 115  
Encino, CA 91316  
818/386-9137; Fax 818/386-9582  
Email: [HIRILA@aol.com](mailto:HIRILA@aol.com)  
Website: [www.humaninteract.org](http://www.humaninteract.org)

Conducts research on nonprofit capacity building both in Southern California and nationwide; maintains the Philanthropic Capacity Building Resources database (which provides information about more than 400 foundation programs that fund or provide direct services related to nonprofit capacity building) online at Institute website; offers training and technical assistance to nonprofit organizations.

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**Nonprofit Advisory Council**

Contact: Adam Jones  
8383 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 835  
Beverly Hills, CA 90211  
(323)782-9391  
Email: [ajones@afjconsulting.com](mailto:ajones@afjconsulting.com)  
Website: [www.nonprofitadvisorycouncil.com](http://www.nonprofitadvisorycouncil.com)

A consortium of business professionals who work with the nonprofit industry in Southern California providing resources that address the challenges facing the leadership of today's nonprofit organizations. Presents educational forums to nonprofit professionals that are designed to provide timely information, access to council members, and an opportunity for networking with peers and colleagues.

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**Long Beach Nonprofit Partnership**

Contact: Judy Ross

3635 Atlantic Avenue

Long Beach, CA 90807

562/290-0018; Fax 562/290-8018

Email: [info@lbnp.org](mailto:info@lbnp.org)

Website: [www.lbnp.org](http://www.lbnp.org)

Provides management assistance, workshops, customized capacity development services through consulting and training, and networking opportunities for nonprofits; houses a nonprofit resource library, including access to Foundation Center Online (FDOLine); offers members to nonprofit organizations, staff, board members and volunteers, as well as government agencies, schools, faith-based institutions, associations and interested community members.

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**PHFE Management Solutions**

Contact: Mark Bertler

13200 Crossroads Parkway North, Suite 135

City of Industry, CA 91746

562/699-7320; Fax 562/692-6950

Email: [mbertler@phfe.org](mailto:mbertler@phfe.org)

Website: [www.phfe.org](http://www.phfe.org)

Provides program development, human resource, fiscal and evaluation and contract/grant administration services to nonprofits, government agencies and foundations, allowing clients to focus on social and public health missions.

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**Southern California Grantmakers**

Contact: None

1000 North Alameda Street, Suite 230

Los Angeles, CA 90012

213/680-8866; Fax 213/680-8730

Email: [info@socalgrantmakers.org](mailto:info@socalgrantmakers.org)

Website: [www.socalgrantmakers.org](http://www.socalgrantmakers.org)

Provides information, training, peer networking and other resources to member philanthropic organizations on major trends and issues impacting philanthropy in the Southern California region.

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**University of Southern California, Center for Community Health Services**

Contact: Michael Cousineau  
1000 S. Fremont Ave., #80  
Bldg. A7, Room 7430  
Alhambra, CA 91803  
626/457-4057; Fax 626/457-5858  
Email: [cousinea@usc.edu](mailto:cousinea@usc.edu)

Provides health and human service organizations with consultation and technical assistance in program evaluation, program development and strategic planning, data collection and information systems, community organizing, outreach, staff and board leadership development, resource development and policy analysis; specialty area of work are outcomes research, modeling and process evaluation; clients include clinics and health centers, and advocacy organizations.

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**Valley Nonprofit Resources**

Contact: Diana Medina  
5435 Balboa Blvd Suite 115  
Encino, CA 91316  
Email: [infnow@valleynonprofitresources.org](mailto:infnow@valleynonprofitresources.org)  
Website: [www.valleynonprofitresources.org](http://www.valleynonprofitresources.org)

Provides a range of capacity-building services to strengthen the more than 4,000 nonprofits based in the San Fernando Region of Los Angeles. Includes training workshops, an annual conference sponsored jointly with MEND, technical assistance, information and referral, knowledge products for free download on VNR website, and policy related activities. Operates through a partnership between Human Interaction Research Institute, California State University Northridge, MEND, and Volunteer Center of Los Angeles.

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## Nonprofit Resource Centers - Surrounding Counties

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### **CONNECT: Partnership for Nonprofit Solutions**

Contact: Margarita McCulloch  
800 N. Eckhoff Street  
Orange, CA 92868  
714/704-8097; Fax 714/704-8220  
Email: [mmccullough@connectoc.net](mailto:mmccullough@connectoc.net)  
Website: [www.connectoc.net](http://www.connectoc.net)

Provides strategies and tools that strengthen nonprofit agencies from the inside out. Focuses on everyday and long term leadership practices necessary for nonprofits to be successful, providing support to grantees of local funders and nonprofits directly.

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### **High Desert Resource Network**

Contact: Vici Nagel  
P.O. Box 293928  
Phelan, CA 92329  
760/949-2930; Fax 866/772-2129  
Email: [vici@hdrnetwork.org](mailto:vici@hdrnetwork.org)  
Website: [www.hdrnetwork.org](http://www.hdrnetwork.org)

Supports and strengthens community benefit organizations in the High Desert through technical assistance, resource development, networking and community education. Carries out programs by creating ways for nonprofit and public agencies to network and collaborate, and provides them with the tools they need to do the best job possible.

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### **Nonprofit Management Solutions**

Contact: Sara Roscoe Wilson  
8265 Vickers Street  
San Diego, CA 92111-2106  
856/292-5702; Fax 858/292-9943  
Email: [roscoewilson@npsolutions.org](mailto:roscoewilson@npsolutions.org)  
Website: [www.npsolutions.org](http://www.npsolutions.org)

Provides management and technology consulting, training, and information resources to nonprofit organizations in San Diego County, with outreach as well to client organizations in Riverside, San Bernardino, Imperial and other select counties in California.

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**Nonprofit Support Center**

Contact: Carol Nickell  
5638 Hollister Avenue, Suite 200  
Santa Barbara, CA 93117  
681-1040 ext. 13; Fax: 805/681-1260  
Email: [cnickell@nscsb.org](mailto:cnickell@nscsb.org)  
Website: [www.nscsb.org](http://www.nscsb.org)

Provides training, consulting and other resources for board members, staff and volunteers of nonprofit organizations in Santa Barbara County.

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**Resource Center for Nonprofit Management**

Contact: Marthea Alley-Caliz  
2060 University Avenue #201  
Riverside, CA 92507  
951/686-4402 ext. 162; Fax 951-781-2737  
Email: [cynthia@nonprofitresource.org](mailto:cynthia@nonprofitresource.org)  
Website: [www.nonprofitresource.org](http://www.nonprofitresource.org)

Provides management training workshops and networking roundtables for nonprofits throughout Riverside and San Bernardino Counties, as well as technical assistance and nonprofit management information.

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**Resource Center for Nonprofit Management**

Contact: Dena C. Jenson  
Ventura County Community Foundation  
1317 Del Norte Road, Suite 150  
Camarillo, CA 93010-8504  
805/988-0196 ext. 128  
Email: [djenson@vccf.org](mailto:djenson@vccf.org)  
Website: [www.vccf.org/resource.html](http://www.vccf.org/resource.html)

Provides nonprofit management information and training in Ventura County, and access to the Library for Nonprofit Research and Development; also maintains a collection of national Foundation Center publications.

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**Volunteer Resource Center of Santa Clarita Valley**

Contact: Sharalyn Hamilton

SCV Resource Center

Activities Center at SC Sports Complex

20880 Centre Point Parkway

Santa Clarita, CA 91350

661/250-3720; Fax 661/250-3730

Email: [shamilton@scvrc.org](mailto:shamilton@scvrc.org)

Website: [www.volunteerinscv.org](http://www.volunteerinscv.org)

Builds bridges between local community service organizations, businesses and residents so that they can work together to make the Santa Clarita Valley a better place to live and work. Provides training and resources to build the capacity of nonprofit, community service organizations to better serve the needs of the community.

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## Technology Resources - Los Angeles County

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### **Austin Digital Media**

Contact: Chaz Austin  
3717 Cardiff Avenue, #206  
Los Angeles, CA 90034  
310/838-3622 (phone and fax)  
Email: [chaz@chazaustin.com](mailto:chaz@chazaustin.com)  
Website: <http://chazaustin.com>

Works with nonprofit organizations interested in digital media; provides consultation on how to integrate a digital media initiative with other media.

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### **Civic Resource Group**

Contact: None  
915 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1805  
213/225-1170; Fax 213/225-1175  
Email: [info@civicresource.com](mailto:info@civicresource.com)  
Website: [www.civicresource.com](http://www.civicresource.com)

Provides online strategies and solutions for nonprofits, including interactive services, application development and web design.

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### **Community Development Technologies Center**

Contact: Denise Fairchild  
520 West 23<sup>rd</sup> Street  
Los Angeles, CA 90007  
213/763-2520; 213/763-2729  
Email: [e-mail@cdtech.org](mailto:e-mail@cdtech.org)  
Website: [www.cdtech.org](http://www.cdtech.org)

Provides training, applied research and technical assistance, specializing in community economic development; seeks to develop community assets by enhancing the ability and skills of people, businesses and community organizations in low income communities, and by focusing on community strengths and strategic partnerships; provides community-based training for low-income residents in a range of technology careers, as well as technology training for small businesses in partnership with Los Angeles Trade-Technical College.

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**DISKovery Center**

Contact: Steve Wong  
The Far East Building  
353 East First Street  
Los Angeles, CA 90012  
213/621-4158; Fax 213/473-1681  
Email: [diskovery@ltsc.org](mailto:diskovery@ltsc.org)  
Website: [www.diskovery@ltsc.org](http://www.diskovery@ltsc.org)

Provides technical assistance to community technology centers and other nonprofits throughout Los Angeles. The Center also provides consultation services for curriculum development, “train-the-trainer” workshops, website development, digital video production, and program development.

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**K-Tech Computer Services**

Contact: Khedouri Azair  
501 Shatto Place, #403  
Los Angeles, CA 90020  
213/784-5330, ext.101; Fax 213/365-9615  
Email: [kazair@ktechla.com](mailto:kazair@ktechla.com)  
Website: [www.ktechla.com](http://www.ktechla.com)

Serves as an outsourced IT department for nonprofits throughout LA County. *Comprehensive Support Package* provides support for servers, workstations and users (including regular maintenance, troubleshooting and 24/7 remote monitoring for a fixed monthly cost).

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**kapow, inc.**

Contact: None  
1301 Montana Ave., Suite A  
Santa Monica, CA 90403  
310/394-5276; Fax 310/394-5278  
Email: [info@kapow.com](mailto:info@kapow.com)  
Website: [www.kapow.com](http://www.kapow.com)

Provides website design and development for nonprofit organizations, and consultation to define scope of work, graphic and functionality design, project management, and development and integration of technology.

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**McQuilling Computer Consulting**

Contact: B. McQuilling

444 West Lexington Drive

Glendale, CA 91203

818/547-1225

Email: [b\\_mcquilling@hotmail.com](mailto:b_mcquilling@hotmail.com)

Provides web design services to nonprofit organizations.

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**Metzler Consulting**

Contact: none

(no physical address)

310/558-3151; Fax 310/358-9944

Email: [npinfo@metzlerconsulting.com](mailto:npinfo@metzlerconsulting.com)

Website: [www.metzlerconsulting.com](http://www.metzlerconsulting.com)

Assists nonprofit organizations with their technology needs, including network service and support, VOIP telephones, hosted Exchange e-mail and PDA integration and web site editing.

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**TechSoup Los Angeles**

Contact: None

(no physical address)

Email: [ts\\_LosAngeles@techsoup.org](mailto:ts_LosAngeles@techsoup.org)

Website: [www.techsoup.org](http://www.techsoup.org)

Assists Los Angeles area nonprofits in finding technology resources; provides information on Los Angeles technology assistance providers; matches volunteer organizations and other resources to Los Angeles area nonprofits.

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**NPower Los Angeles**

Contact: Henry Gascon  
1000 N. Alameda Street, Suite 240  
Los Angeles, CA 90012  
213/346-3224; Fax: 213/808-1008  
Email: [hgascon@npowerla.org](mailto:hgascon@npowerla.org)  
Website: [www.npowerla.org](http://www.npowerla.org)

Helps nonprofits in Southern California use technology well so they can more impactfully serve their communities. NPower is housed at Community Partners (see listing elsewhere in the *Directory*), and among other services offers more than 100 technology seminars each year on use of major software systems, with scholarships for attendance funded by Verizon.

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**Passion Marketing for Issues & Causes**

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323/460-6697; Fax 323/460-6304  
Email: [info@passionmarketing.com](mailto:info@passionmarketing.com)  
Website: [www.passionmarketing.com](http://www.passionmarketing.com)

Assists nonprofit organizations with website concepts and design, and provides assistance with the development of PowerPoint presentations.

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**UCLA Institute for Neighborhood Knowledge**

Contact: Charanjeet Singh  
3317 Public Policy Building, UCLA  
Box 951656  
Los Angeles, CA 90095  
310/825-8886; Fax 310/206-9105  
Email: [charan@ucla.edu](mailto:charan@ucla.edu)  
Website: [www.api.ucla.edu](http://www.api.ucla.edu)

Provides technical assistance, applied research and web development services to public, private and nonprofit organizations; specializes in websites that serve and display data geographically through Internet mapping.

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**YPI Valley Family Technology Project**

13630 Van Nuys Boulevard

Pacoima, CA 91331

818/899-5550; Fax 818/899-5588

Email: [info@ypiusa.org](mailto:info@ypiusa.org)

Website: [www.pacoima.net](http://www.pacoima.net)

Works with a variety of partners to offer computer training, workforce development and educational services to organizations in the Northeast San Fernando Valley.

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## Volunteer Centers - Los Angeles County

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### **Inland Valley Volunteer and Resource Center**

Contact: none

436 West Fourth Street, Suite 201

Pomona, CA 91766

909/629-1187; Fax 909/623-2568

Email: [ivvrc@earthlink.net](mailto:ivvrc@earthlink.net)

Provides services, including court referral programs, that connect individual volunteers or volunteer groups to appropriate projects and nonprofit organizations in the community.

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### **La Mirada Volunteer Center**

Contact: none

11900 La Mirada Boulevard, Suite 4

La Mirada, CA 90638

Telephone: 562/943-3177; Fax: 562/943-3078

Email: [mimi.frick@lamiradavolunteercenter.org](mailto:mimi.frick@lamiradavolunteercenter.org)

Website: [www.lamiradavolunteercenter.org](http://www.lamiradavolunteercenter.org)

Provides services, including court referral programs, that connect individual volunteers or volunteer groups to appropriate projects and nonprofit organizations in the community.

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### **Santa Clarita Valley Resource Center**

Contact: none

20880 Centre Pointe Parkway

Santa Clarita, CA 91380-2890

661/250-3720; Fax 661/250-3730

Email: [info@svrc.org](mailto:info@svrc.org)

Website: [www.scvrc.org](http://www.scvrc.org)

Provides training, networking forums, and management assistance to build the capacity of nonprofit organizations to provide service to the community; connects businesses and residents with volunteer opportunities with community service organizations through a website and print directory.

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**Volunteer Center of Los Angeles**

Contact: none

8134 Van Nuys Boulevard, Suite 200

Panorama City, CA 91402

818/908-5066; Fax 818/908-5147

Email: [email@vcla.net](mailto:email@vcla.net)

Provides services, including court referral programs, that connect individual volunteers or volunteer groups to appropriate projects and nonprofit organizations in the community; a program of the Assistance League of Southern California.

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**Volunteer Center of Los Angeles**

Contact: Salvador Salcedo

1945 South Hill Street

2nd Floor, Window 9

Los Angeles, CA 90007

213/747-1492; Fax 213/743-5543

Provides services, including court referral programs, that connect individual volunteers or volunteer groups to appropriate projects and nonprofit organizations in the community; not affiliated with the Volunteer Center in Panorama City (see listing above).

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**Volunteer Center of Monrovia**

Contact: none

119 West Palm Avenue

Monrovia, CA 91016

626/256-8187; Fax 626/256-8243

Provides services, including court referral programs, that connect individual volunteers or volunteer groups to appropriate projects and nonprofit organizations in the community.

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**Volunteer Center of San Gabriel Valley**

Contact: none

464 E. Walnut Street, Suite 238

Pasadena, CA 91101

(inside the First Congregational Church)

Tel: 626/792-6118 Fax: 626/792-8567

Email: [support@vcsgv.org](mailto:support@vcsgv.org)

Provides services, including court referral programs, that connect individual volunteers or volunteer groups to appropriate projects and nonprofit organizations in the San Gabriel Valley.

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**Volunteer Center of South Bay/Harbor/ Long Beach**

Contact: none

1230 Cravens Avenue

Torrance, CA 90501

310/212-5009; Fax 310/212-7201

Email: [volopps@volctr-sobay.org](mailto:volopps@volctr-sobay.org)

Website: [www.volctr-sobay.org](http://www.volctr-sobay.org)

Provides services, including court referral programs, that connect individual volunteers or volunteer groups to appropriate projects and nonprofit organizations in the community.

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