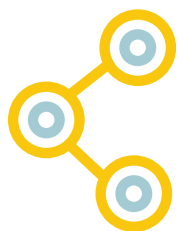


Regional Community Foundation Network Member Benefits

As members of Philanthropy Northwest and the Regional Community Foundation Network (RCFN) for the 2024 calendar year, you and your organization will be able to:



Build Your Capacity

- Benefit from [The Giving Practice](#), our national consultancy. From strategic planning to board retreats and business modeling to grantmaking practices, they do it all. Your membership includes one free hour of consultation plus a reduced rate for additional hours.
- Consult with Philanthropy Northwest's senior advisor who specializes in policy and advocacy. Your membership includes one free hour consultation with this advisor.
- Get advice or assistance on grantmaking software, financial documents, job descriptions and benchmarking data.
- Receive member rates to more than 110 events each year (in-person and virtual) that offer opportunities for peer learning, building skills, networking and igniting new ideas. These events include our key training programs: Grantmaking with an Equity Lens and Philanthropy 101.
- Access the Council on Foundations Grantmaker Salary and Benefits Report. This is a great resource for benchmarking CEO and other staff salaries and benefits.
- Receive a quarterly Regional Community Foundation Network Exchange e-newsletter featuring highlights of community foundation grantmaking, equity initiatives, policy updates and spotlights on members. Work with our Philanthropy Northwest marketing and communications team to get a story about your organization featured in the newsletter.



Build Your Networks

- Join a Philanthropy Northwest [funder collaborative](#). Collaboratives provide a vehicle for members to act together by pursuing joint projects or initiatives, pool and/or align funds, plan a large convening, develop and advocate for an independent policy agenda and more. Past collaboratives include the Health Philanthropy Partnership, Democracy Northwest Funders and Expanded Learning and Youth Development Funders.
- Join a Philanthropy Northwest [cohort](#). Cohorts are unique and structured learning opportunities limited to a small group.

- Join a Philanthropy Northwest [affinity group](#). These gatherings are for funders who have a common interest or identity. Participation is open. Current affinity groups include the Alaska Funders Group, BIPOC Folks in Philanthropy, Black Folks in Philanthropy, Corporate Funders Group and Rural Funders Group.
- Join the Philanthropy Northwest delegation at Foundations on the Hill (FOTH). With the charitable sector under threat in many ways, it is crucial for philanthropy to present a united voice at the national level. FOTH is an opportunity to translate your passion and concerns into concrete action. You will strengthen skills in policy advocacy, expand relationships with lawmakers and amplify issues affecting foundations and our communities to Congress.
- Access community foundation-specific information through listservs. One listserv is a national forum exclusively for CEOs. The other listserv is open to any community foundation staff in the Regional Community Foundation Network.
- Expand your own leadership opportunities. We are always looking for staff and trustees to play a more active role on Philanthropy Northwest board committees (finance, membership and public policy) or the Regional Community Foundation Network's governance committee.
- Post jobs for free on the Philanthropy Northwest [job bank](#), which generates over 60,000 views per year.
- Amplify your organization's impact by sharing your announcements on Philanthropy Northwest's communication channels (website, social media, events calendar and blog platforms). Author a blog post and promote stories about your grantees and donors.