



Celebrating Hope


2022 AWARDS PROGRAM

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*Never doubt that a
group of thoughtful,
committed citizens can
change the world;
indeed, it's the only
thing that ever has.*

MARGARET MEAD



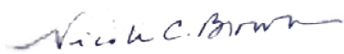
Welcome

Welcome to National Philanthropy Day! We are so thrilled to be gathering in person for the first time since 2019 – and with a new event format. While the pandemic is still with us (please wear a mask in the theatre), we are grateful for the opportunity to come together and celebrate an extraordinary group of philanthropists. Our 2022 Honorees represent the best of the Bay Area; business partners, individuals, grantmakers, and fundraisers who elevate our communities with their commitment, passion, talent, and resources. This week, we join AFP chapters across the country and around the world in celebrating hope!

This evening's program would not be possible without the active participation of the AFP Golden Gate Chapter Board of Directors and our National Philanthropy Day Committee, as well as the generous financial support of our sponsors. Together, with the assistance of Leftwich Event Specialists and our Chapter staff, we hope we have created an event experience that carries on the wonderful tradition of National Philanthropy Day for the San Francisco Bay Area.

Special gratitude goes to our emcee, Dion Lim, who herself is a reason for hope in the Bay Area. An Emmy Award-winning news anchor, Dion was recently commended by the Mayor's office for her dedication to reporting on discrimination and xenophobia toward Asian American and Black communities. We are honored to share the stage with her and to have her lead our 2022 Awards Program, spotlighting our honorees, Spirit of Philanthropy awardees, and our tribute to those we have lost in the past year.

Thank you again for joining us this evening and congratulations to all of our honorees.



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Dion Lim

MASTER OF CEREMONIES



Dion Lim is an Emmy Award-winning TV news anchor and reporter at ABC7/KGO-TV in San Francisco and author of *Make Your Moment: The Savvy Woman’s Communication Playbook to Getting The Success You Want* (McGraw-Hill) based on her experiences as the first Asian American woman to be at the helm of a weekday newscast in three major markets including Kansas City, Charlotte and Tampa Bay.

Dion is passionate about amplifying voices of color and had led the charge worldwide in shedding light on the hate and assaults targeting Asian Americans in the Bay Area. Her work has resonated across the country on ABC News Live, Nightline, Good Morning America and 20/20.

The San Francisco Board of Supervisors and mayor also recently awarded Dion with a commendation for her dedication to reporting on discrimination and xenophobia toward Asian Americans and the Black communities. She was also voted a 2021 Goldhouse 100 A1 recipient for Media and Journalism for storytelling in the midst of the #StopAsianHate movement.

Whether it be on the speaking circuit for Fortune 500 companies such as Salesforce and or in op-eds in the *San Francisco Chronicle* and an in-depth interview for *New York Magazine* about covering hate crimes in the time of Covid-19, Dion’s message is loud and clear: representation matters more now than ever and we can do it through communication.

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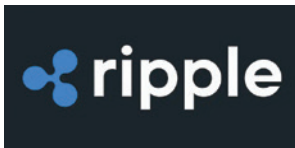
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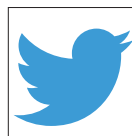
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Schedule

Wine Reception & Hors d'oeuvres

5:30 pm

2022 Honoree Award Ceremony

6:30 pm

Welcome

Dion Lim

MASTER OF CEREMONIES

Opening Remarks

Esther Landau

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NATIONAL PHILANTHROPY DAY CO-CHAIRS

In Tribute

Slideshow Accompanied by Corelli Strings

Sparkling Wine After Reception

7:30 pm

2022 Honoree Awards Presentation

Kymerly Miller

EMERGING FUNDRAISING LEADER

Bon Air Greenbrae

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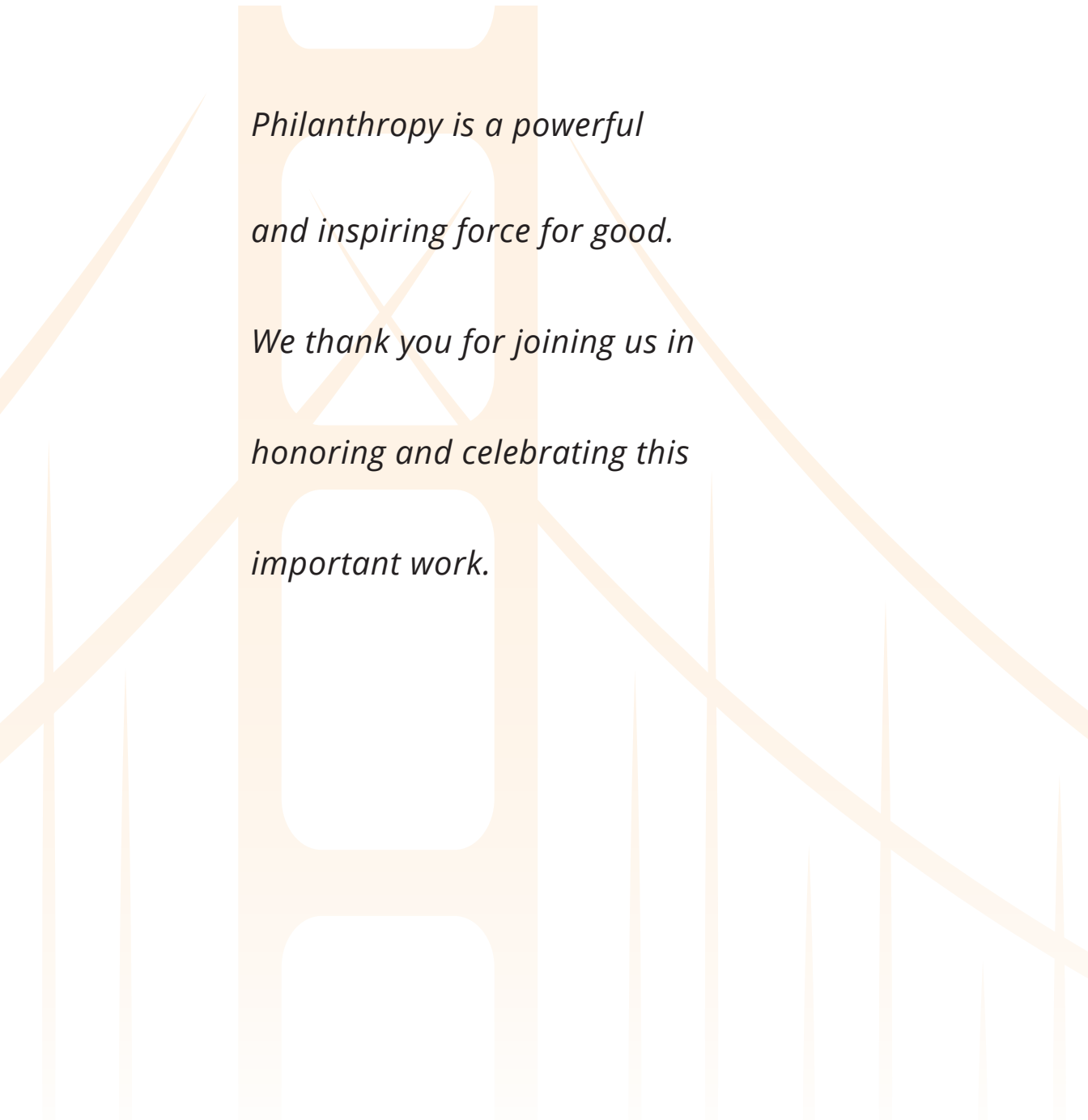
IMPACT AWARD

Chris Larsen

OUTSTANDING PHILANTHROPIST

Roma Guy

LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT



*Philanthropy is a powerful
and inspiring force for good.*

*We thank you for joining us in
honoring and celebrating this
important work.*

Honorees

Each year the **Association of Fundraising Professionals Golden Gate Chapter** marks one day during the third week of November to celebrate exemplars in philanthropy and those at the forefront of social change. Awards are presented to individuals and institutions whose giving to the community inspires all of us. Honorees are nominated by the community and selected by a committee of volunteers who are leaders in the world of philanthropy. We are pleased to honor the following 2022 award recipients.

Kymerly Miller

EMERGING FUNDRAISING LEADER



The **EMERGING FUNDRAISING LEADER**, a new award, recognizes a fundraising professional with less than seven years of experience and who demonstrates exceptional skill.

Kymerly joined Children’s Fairyland in August of 2019 as its executive director after an 11+ year career at Girl Scouts of Northern California. As a senior director at Girl Scouts, she was accountable for the comprehensive design and implementation of innovative strategies to serve girls, ages 5-17, and oversaw 40 staff members.

Kymerly is a graduate of Mills College with a B.A. in Political, Legal and Economic Analysis with a minor in Ethnic Studies. She currently serves on the board of Visit Oakland and previously served on the boards of Community Learning Center Schools and Bay Area Wilderness Training. Those experiences have allowed her to build stronger networks, serve her community, and learn about leadership from all sides of an organization and industry. After 25 years in Oakland, she resides with her family in Alameda. Kymerly is proud of her track record of success in the support and development of experiences supporting children, families and their networks. She is passionate and excited about delivering satisfying services by working with communities and meeting people where they are. She also prioritizes investments in staff by supporting learning, skill building and job satisfaction. She considers all of those essential ingredients for organizations to thrive. Kymerly loves to learn, and her approach is that of curiosity. This allows her to work in her sweet spot, supporting high-functioning teams where metrics, people and hearts converge to produce results.

Bon Air Greenbrae

OUTSTANDING CORPORATE GRANTMAKER

Since 1952, philanthropy has been a cornerstone of Bon Air when the Schultz family opened the center with a grocery store and services for a burgeoning Greenbrae community. Bon Air quickly became a place to shop, gather and visit, building a sense of community in the process.

The family was instrumental in establishing a hospital and soon donated land to build a school, fire department, recreational field and yacht basin, now known as Marin Rowing. Philanthropy continued over the years with Bon Air's support of public schools through generous donations to school foundations and its partnership with organizations serving the community including; WildCare, Side By Side, Marin Charitable, Bread & Roses, Boy Scouts of America Marin Council and many others.

Amidst the 2020 pandemic, Bon Air worked with merchants to keep them in business and provide a range of essential services for the community. A partnership with the Larkspur Chamber of Commerce and generous donation from Bon Air provided grant money for businesses in need. The center also partnered with the Lark Theater to boost their shuttered business and provide family-friendly outdoor entertainment with Drive-In movies. Bon Air restaurants donated and led food drives, in addition to Bon Air's mask and PPE drives for healthcare workers.

Bon Air remains the heart of downtown Greenbrae with its beautiful outdoor areas and year-round community events supporting non-profits. Its unwavering commitment to service and giving back to the community holds true to the Schultz Family's original vision 70 years ago.

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The **OUTSTANDING CORPORATE GRANTMAKER AWARD** recognizes a corporation or its foundation that displays an outstanding commitment to philanthropy and community service.

Kristopher (Kip) Nilsson

OUTSTANDING YOUTH IN PHILANTHROPY



The **OUTSTANDING YOUTH IN PHILANTHROPY AWARD** recognizes service by an individual or group of young people (under 18), who demonstrate outstanding philanthropic leadership.

Honors student Kristopher “Kip” Nilsson is a junior at Sacred Heart Preparatory School. Twice named an Outstanding Academic All-American by USA Water Polo, Kip competes for his school’s Varsity Water Polo and Swim teams. He is a certified Lifeguard, swim teacher, and water polo coach for younger children. Kip is passionate about water sports, the outdoors, and music. He is a member of the SHP Jazz Band and a co-founder of his school’s Red Cross Club. He has served as President and Sergeant at Arms for Young Men’s Service League, where he volunteers for environmental and community health groups.

A Type 1 Diabetic, Kip has been involved with Diabetes Youth Families (DYF) since 2010: first as a camper, then as a member of their 2021 Altitude 14,505 group, with which he climbed Mt. Whitney. He is now a DYF Leader in Training, learning how to be a counselor at DYF’s Bearskin Meadow Camp, which offers Type 1 Diabetic children and families the opportunity to safely experience a traditional outdoors camp while also learning essential diabetes management skills within a supportive community. Last spring, Kip launched the Channel Challenge, a diabetes education and fundraising initiative, which raised over \$50,000 in scholarships to send children and families – who might not otherwise be able to experience this life-changing camp – to Bearskin Meadow.

Tech Exposure & Access Through Mentoring (TEAM)

GROUNDSWELL AWARD

In 2016, Tech Exposure & Access through Mentoring Inc. (TEAM) was launched to empower students – using their passion for sports – to build new STEM skills and expand opportunities for their futures. Their mission is to employ the excitement of sports to advance Sports-Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) learning for underrepresented youth who often lack exposure and mentoring about STEM-based opportunities. TEAM's additional purpose is to address the socio-economic disparities in sports career pathways and to create programs that benefit underrepresented youth regardless of their ability to play sports – but who have a passion for sports. TEAM achieves this through their Core Programs; 1-week, 5-week, or 12-week hands-on learning experiences, benefitting high school students in Oakland and surrounding San Francisco Bay Area cities.

The Core programs are comprehensive and focus on STEM, using basic coding and design, video coding, and data analytics (among other skills). Program instruction is coupled with an online curriculum that students are required to engage with in between learning modules. To make the learning more applicable to future careers, TEAM also incorporates real-world projects (like breaking down a NBA game to understand performance analysis), in which students collaborate with their peers. Students benefit from guest speakers and mentor matching with industry professionals, which helps build bridges from the classroom to the real world. Additionally, students prepare for an industry certification exam that connects them to job opportunities immediately – working in roles like video and data analysis for high school, college, and professional sports teams.



The **GROUNDSWELL AWARD** honors an outstanding organization with an operating budget of less than \$1,000,000; a nonprofit doing effective and inspirational work despite limited resources.

Justice Outside

OUTSTANDING FOUNDATION OR GRANTMAKING ORGANIZATION



JUSTICE
OUTSIDE

The **OUTSTANDING
FOUNDATION OR
GRANTMAKING
ORGANIZATION AWARD**

honors a foundation or grantmaking professional who initiates or supports creative nonprofit efforts and works to develop exceptionally effective or unique philanthropic partnerships.

Justice Outside advances racial justice and equity in the outdoor and environmental movement. They shift resources to, build power with, and center the voices and leadership of Black, Indigenous, and people of color because the health of current and future generations demands it. They envision a just world where Black, Indigenous, and communities of color experience safety, health, and abundant joy through meaningful relationships with one another and the outdoors.

Justice Outside's work encompasses multiple approaches that all aim toward their ultimate goal: building a network of individuals, institutions, and communities taking collective action toward a more just and sustainable outdoor movement. Their work includes strategic programs for capacity building, career pathway development, and cultural relevance and grantmaking.

Justice Outside builds organizational capacity and develops future leaders through the following three programs: the Outdoor Educators Institute, a three month-long professional development program for young adults from communities historically underrepresented in the outdoors narrative; the Rising Leaders Fellowship, which supports the professional development of individuals enthusiastic about connecting communities to the outdoors in inclusive ways; and the Cultural Relevancy Series, workshops and coaching for organizations to strengthen their understanding and practice of cultural relevancy as it pertains to the outdoor field. Justice Outside's Liberated Paths grantmaking program aims to shift resources to and build power with Black, Indigenous, and communities of color. Justice Outside supports leaders of color to design and lead the types of joyful outdoor experiences and environmental efforts that are most meaningful to them and their communities.

Tim M. Whalen

HANK ROSSO OUTSTANDING PROFESSIONAL AWARD

Tim Whalen has been a fundraising professional in the San Francisco Bay area for over 25 years, serving in development roles with KQED, Inc., and the Asian Art Museum of San Francisco before leading the first capital campaign for Cal Performances at UC Berkeley as Director of Development. Tim went on to serve as Director of Development and Gift Planning at American Conservatory Theater (A.C.T.) where he conducted a \$35 million endowment campaign while also growing the theater's annual fundraising programs. Tim then served as Director of Individual Giving at the San Francisco Symphony, raising over \$25 million annually in support of the internationally renowned orchestra.

Recognized as a creative, resolute leader and a highly effective fundraiser, Tim is currently the Chief Development Officer at Save the Redwoods League, the land conservation organization whose mission is to protect and restore California's iconic redwood forests and connect people to their peace and beauty.

Under Tim's leadership, Save the Redwoods League recently completed Forever Forest: The Campaign for the Redwoods, a 5-year comprehensive fundraising campaign with a goal of \$120 million. The campaign exceeded its goal, raising \$143 million in support of forest conservation across the redwood range.

Tim has been active in the Association of Fundraising Professionals Golden Gate Chapter, serving on the Board of Directors and as Chair of the Board in 2018. During his tenure on the Board Tim played key roles in strategic planning and fundraising for the annual National Philanthropy Day celebration, and he was co-chair of the event last year.



The **HANK ROSSO
OUTSTANDING
FUNDRAISING
PROFESSIONAL AWARD**

honors an individual fundraising professional who practices their profession in an exemplary manner.

Children's Health Guild

OUTSTANDING FUNDRAISING VOLUNTEER



The **OUTSTANDING FUNDRAISING VOLUNTEER AWARD** is presented to an individual(s) who has demonstrated exceptional leadership in coordinating groups of volunteers in support of major fundraising efforts for more than one nonprofit organization.

Children's Health Guild (CHG) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit comprised of approximately 55 volunteers who dedicate their time and talents to raising funds for UCSF Benioff Children's Hospital Oakland (UCSF CHO) and George Mark Children's House (GMCH) with the goal of giving every child access to the full range of pediatric medical care. Since CHG was founded in 2011, they've raised over \$2,800,000 for their beneficiaries.

As a Pediatric Level 1 Trauma Center, UCSF CHO serves over 240,000 patients annually. They are at the forefront of emerging technology and research and one of only a few hospitals able to treat rare illnesses and health problems in children.

GMCH is the first freestanding pediatric palliative care house in the U.S. and offers end-of-life, transitional and respite care for children with life-limiting illnesses. It's a special place for children and their families who are seeking specialized yet compassionate medical care and support.

Both of CHG's beneficiaries are revered medical institutions both here in the Bay Area and nationwide. The critical funding CHG provides helps ensure UCSF CHO and GMCH can continue offering premier services for a child's full circle of life, regardless of a family's ability to pay.

The Kelsey Civic Center

IMPACT AWARD

The Kelsey is a San Francisco-based nonprofit that advances disability-forward housing solutions that open doors to more affordable homes and opportunities for everyone. They develop affordable, accessible, inclusive housing communities designed to scale as well as lead organizing and advocacy to create market conditions so inclusive housing becomes the norm. What started with Kelsey, an advocate for access and community, has become a movement towards an inclusive housing future co-led by people with and without disabilities.

The Kelsey Civic Center will be a vibrant urban community offering 112 homes for people with and without disabilities of all incomes. Across from City Hall and central to the San Francisco arts district, this fully accessible and inclusive-designed building will provide programming for residents and neighbors with the goal of fostering a mutually supportive environment rooted in the ethos of interdependence and informal support networks.



The Kelsey

The **IMPACT AWARD**, a new award, is presented to a collaboration between Bay Area-based nonprofits, activists, funders, and volunteers that uniquely advances a community solution through shared vision and resources with an equity lens.

Chris Larsen, LLCCF

OUTSTANDING PHILANTHROPIST



The **OUTSTANDING PHILANTHROPIST AWARD** is presented to an individual or family with a record of exceptional generosity who has demonstrated outstanding civic and charitable leadership.

Chris Larsen is Executive Chairman, co-founder and former CEO of Ripple, the leader in enterprise blockchain and crypto solutions with 600+ employees globally. Ripple is building next generation payment technology using blockchain and digital assets to transform how the world moves, manages and tokenizes value.

Prior to Ripple, Chris cofounded and served as CEO of Prosper, a peer-to-peer lending marketplace, and E-LOAN, a publicly traded online lender. During his tenure at E-LOAN, he pioneered the open access to credit scores movement by making E-LOAN the first company to show consumers their FICO scores.

Chris has been active in consumer privacy issues for over two decades. His efforts include founding Californians For Privacy Now, which backed a ballot initiative for financial privacy that secured 600,000 signatures and eventually resulted in the passage of SB1, providing the strongest financial privacy rights in the country. He is a board member of Electric Privacy Information Clearinghouse (EPIC), a DC based privacy rights organization. Chris also serves as Board of Directors to RippleWorks, Coil Technologies and GiveCrypto.

Chris is the co-founder of RippleWorks, a philanthropic organization that provides expertise to promising start-ups in the developing world as well as under-resourced communities in the US. The 20 person team has completed over 125 projects since 2015 reaching over 200 million people. Chris is also involved in the SafeCity program to support Community Benefit Districts in San Francisco among a wide range of other philanthropic efforts.

Chris is an alum of Stanford Business School ('91) and San Francisco State University where he was named alum of the year in 2003.

Roma Guy, MSW

LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT

Roma Guy, MSW, is a social justice activist and policy leader for public health, homelessness, poverty, incarceration, LGBTQ+ and women's rights. She has been involved in numerous projects protecting women's health and reproductive justice, many in the San Francisco Bay Area. A founder of San Francisco Women Against Rape, the Women's Building, the California Women's Agenda (universal health care & women's reproductive justice—UN Conference on Women priorities), James Hormel Room (LGBTQ) Room at SF Public Library, La Casa de las Madres and the CA Women's Foundation. She served as lecturer and Director of the Bay Area Homelessness Program, Department of Health Education and lecturer at SFSU's School of Social Work for thirteen years, and served on Health Commission, City/County of SF for twelve years.

Currently, she serves as a community and policy advocate for Taxpayers for Public Safety focused on alternatives to incarceration; on the Board of Directors of SF Metta Fund; member of Treatment on Demand Coalition; SF Financial Justice Coalition, Women's Housing Group; and LYRIC's Capital Campaign to expand its footprint and TAY LGBTQ+ services.



The **LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD**

honors an individual with an enduring record of accomplishment in philanthropy, fundraising or grantmaking, and who has demonstrated exceptional civic and charitable leadership.

Spirit of Philanthropy

Congratulations to our many

Spirit of Philanthropy Award

recipients who are being
honored today!



RECIPIENT: Rehana Abbas
SPONSOR: CCS Fundraising

Ms. Abbas brings more than 15 years of nonprofit experience to her role as San Francisco Foundation’s Chief Philanthropy Officer. At the Foundation, she utilizes her expertise in fundraising and strategy to engage donors around the topic of deeply-rooted commitment to racial equity and economic inclusion. Before joining the Foundation, she served as the Chief Philanthropy Officer at the Oakland Museum of California, where she was deeply engaged in diversity, equity, inclusion, and access work. Prior to the Oakland Museum of California, she worked as SFMOMA’s Senior Director of Individual Giving during its \$610 million campaign where she led the re-envisioning and implementation of SFMOMA’s donor engagement groups. She serves on the board of Children’s Council San Francisco and also volunteers as an IDEA Fellowship Mentor in support of the AFP Golden Gate chapter’s program.



RECIPIENT: Julie Ambrose
SPONSOR: Fred Levin, The Shenson Foundation

Julie Ambrose is recognized for her remarkable fundraising stewardship of donors, volunteer management, and arts administration. Julie has a skilled and innate ability to cultivate deep and lasting relationships with donors. She has shepherded donors at all levels, assisting them with their concert tickets and seating, accompanying them during events, helping guide their philanthropic impact, and being a kind, genuine, and generous connection whenever needed. Julie’s success can be measured in the very significant funds she has raised over her career, but her impact is much deeper than that and will be felt for generations to come. Julie joined the San Francisco Symphony in 2003. During her tenure she has held the positions of Major Gift Officer and Stewardship Manager. Prior to joining the San Francisco Symphony, Julie was the Director of Major Gifts at the San Francisco Ballet (1996-2002).



RECIPIENT: William F. Ausfahl
SPONSOR: UC Berkeley

William “Bill” Ausfahl is a Cal legend whose devotion to UC Berkeley is absolutely true blue. The UC Berkeley community is enlivened and uplifted by Bill’s tireless efforts, eternal optimism and fierce love of Cal and its place in the world. Mr. Ausfahl is retired group VP and CFO, and member of the BOD of The Clorox Company in Oakland. Bill’s UC Berkeley affiliations have included the Memorial Stadium Renovation Project fundraising chair, the Bear Backers BOD, the Order of the Golden Bear, the Haas Pavilion Fundraising Committee, chair of the Alumni Engagement Task Force, member of the Athletic Director’s Advisory Committee, and co-chair of the Athletics Gender Equity Committee. He is the former chair of the UC Berkeley Foundation Board of Trustees, a Berkeley Fellow, a Builder of Berkeley and the recipient of numerous awards.



RECIPIENT: **Daniel Bernal**
SPONSOR: **LYRIC: Center for
LGBTQQ+ Youth**

Dan Bernal is Chief of Staff for Speaker of the House Nancy Pelosi and a longterm supporter of LYRIC and the entire LGBTQQ+ community. He has dedicated his career to public service, having served in the White House under President Bill Clinton and as a presidential appointee at the U.S. Department of Education. As Congress debated the Affordable Care Act, he supported Speaker Pelosi's efforts to build support for the legislation in California by convening diverse stakeholders and coordinating activities among Bay Area Members of Congress. He continues to serve as a valuable resource to the California Democratic Congressional Delegation, key policy makers, and advocates. He was key to LYRIC receiving federal funds to support the center's renovation and capital campaign.



RECIPIENT: **Rebecca
Bowman**
SPONSOR: **Justice Outside**

Every nonprofit organization has champions who've supported it from day one. For Justice Outside, one of those champions is Rebecca Bowman. Since 2017, Rebecca has not only donated regularly to Justice Outside to sustain our mission of making the outdoors safe and accessible for Black, Indigenous, and People of Color, she also works as an informal ambassador for the organization. She's called on her colleagues at The Clorox Company to match her gifts and offer in-kind contributions to Justice Outside. Rebecca has supported Justice Outside by raising \$23k—which includes annual corporate matches from Clorox. She's spoken on behalf of the organization at events and board meetings. She has attended events and gathered community to join us. She's one example of what a dedicated person can do for a cause. We honor all the ways in which Rebecca shows up for Justice Outside, helping us show up for our communities.



RECIPIENT: **Marilyn
Campbell**
SPONSOR: **Larkin Street Youth
Services**

Marilyn Campbell has been a world-class fundraising volunteer and leader of fundraising volunteers for Larkin Street Youth Services, supporting our work to end youth homelessness in the Bay Area since 2007. Marilyn is our "Connector in Chief" and her greatest fundraising strengths are her long-time personal donor relationships and commitment to stewardship. Innumerable times, she has achieved superb results and has prevented disasters because of her relationships, sensitivity, and sound judgment. Another of her other invaluable offering is helping coordinate our Honorary Board of over fifty retired BOD members. We simply would have no active Honorary Board without Marilyn. For many years, Marilyn also nurtured and enhanced Larkin Street's relationships with the Friends of Larkin Street young professionals volunteer group, including the Friends' annual Ice Skating Party fundraiser. We all at Larkin Street say to her, "We love you, Marilyn!"



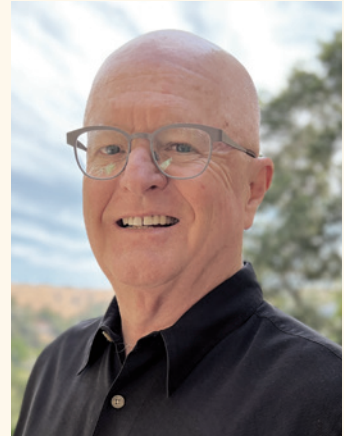
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RECIPIENT: **Richard Dong**
SPONSOR: **California Academy of Sciences**

Richard Dong, a retired engineer, feels that the California Academy of Sciences develops critical thinking skills that help bridge the natural world with the greater spiritual realm better than any traditional education can. Richard strongly believes that if people held a more complete understanding of the transcendence of life, humanity would behave better overall to preserve life today for the future. He has authored two books addressing the connection between the physical and spiritual worlds to help expand the understanding of our purpose on Earth. He has pledged \$1M to establish the Richard G. and Mae F. Dong Endowment Fund for Education at the Academy to support the development of critical thinking skills in young people in perpetuity. The Academy is grateful to Richard for his generosity, vision, and support to inspire for many generations to come.



RECIPIENT: **Andy Eber**
SPONSOR: **Partnership Resources Group**

Andrew Eber, Senior Associate at PRG, began raising funds in 1970, so that Los Angeles inner-city kids could participate in Scouting and escape to summer camp. For 16 years, Andy served as the Executive Director of the Marin Community Health Foundation and for 6 years, he served as Director of Development for Guide Dogs for the Blind, managing a program that generated \$20-25m in annual operating revenue. Andy has served as counsel to successful multi-million campaigns for Social Advocates for Youth (SAY), Marin Community Clinics, Catholic Charities, the Redwood Empire & Yolo County Food Banks, Habitat for Humanity and scores of other nonprofits large and small. He is also a dedicated volunteer leader serving as board member of the Petaluma Gap and volunteering for several North Bay organizations such as Redwood Trails Alliance, Sonoma County Parks Foundation and Petaluma Floathouse.



RECIPIENT: **Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria**

SPONSOR: **Save the Redwoods League**

The Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria are leaders in philanthropy, providing transformational support for universities, museums, nonprofits, and Native students enrolled in colleges and universities throughout California. The tribe is also a strong supporter for the expansion of parks and open space, protection of sacred sites, and environmental education. The tribe has been a powerful catalyst to increase and diversify visitation in redwood parks, inspiring a new generation of young people to be the caretakers of our redwoods and the landscapes that sustain them. The Graton Rancheria community is a federation of Coast Miwok and Southern Pomo groups whose ancestral territories include all of California's Marin and southern Sonoma counties. As the land's first inhabitants, the tribe has long lived on and cared for its redwood forests and, today, they continue to be a fearless and compassionate force for these ancient trees.



RECIPIENT: **Meg Garlinghouse**

SPONSOR: **KQED**

KQED is proud to recognize board member Meg Garlinghouse for her deep spirit of philanthropy and commitment to public media. Meg's North Star is connecting talent with opportunity in order to create lasting positive social impact. Meg serves on the Executive Committee and as co-chair of the Development Steering Committee. For KQED's recently concluded Campaign 21, Meg served as a co-chair and was instrumental in the success of this \$140 million initiative to expand the KQED team and modernize its headquarters. Meg has served many organizations with her inspiring vision and leadership. KQED CEO Michael Isip shares, "Meg's perspectives and experience between the nonprofit and corporate sectors has enabled KQED to more strategically connect and communicate with a broader network of supporters who believe in the power of media and the importance of trusted journalism. Congratulations and thank you, Meg, for sharing your Spirit of Philanthropy."



RECIPIENT: **Judy Guggenime**

SPONSOR: **San Francisco General Hospital Foundation**

Judy's advocacy and awareness for public health through San Francisco General Hospital Foundation (SFGHF) and Zuckerberg San Francisco General Hospital (ZSFG) have been transformative. She is a lifetime director, past Board Chair for the Foundation, and one of SFGHF's most active and longest-serving volunteers. Judy envisioned SFGHF's annual Hearts in SF event to engage the SF community and continues to help raise millions to support clinical programs at ZSFG. ZSFG CEO, Dr. Susan Ehrlich, has worked on a multitude of fundraising initiatives with Judy. Given the dramatic transformation the hospital has undergone, Dr. Ehrlich shared: "Over nearly two decades of commitment to the ZSFG, Judy has repeatedly and consistently demonstrated that she is a humble and understated leader who inspires all of us to push beyond our boundaries and to do what others think impossible."



RECIPIENT: **Chelsea M. Kohler**

SPONSOR: **Planned Parenthood Action Fund**

Chelsea is the Chief Marketing Officer at Favor, a leading digital contraceptive care platform. She is a seasoned PR, policy and operations leader who has developed and executed strategic campaigns for some of the world's best-known brands (Uber, Facebook, Google and YouTube) and reproductive rights champions (Secretary Hillary Rodham Clinton). She is a member of the Planned Parenthood Federal PAC Committee and lives in San Francisco with her husband, two children and boisterous dog.



RECIPIENT: **Esther Landau**

SPONSOR: **Cook Silverman Search**

Esther Landau, CFRE, is passionate about social change, inclusion, creativity, and community. Esther attended the Oberlin Conservatory and the San Francisco Conservatory where she majored in flute performance. She performed with City Winds, a wind quintet, for 15 years, and early on, began fundraising for the ensemble's commissions and performances. Esther moved into professional fundraising in 2004 at The Walden School, where she helped fund that program's unique approach to teaching musicianship. She moved on to lead development efforts at Pomeroy Recreation & Rehabilitation Center where she fell head over heels for the remarkable disability community there. Now the Senior Director of Advancement at The Arc San Francisco, she works to keep the voices of people with disabilities front and center. Esther lives in San Francisco with her wife and their small, anxious dog.



RECIPIENT: **Barbara J. Meislin, The Purple Lady**

SPONSOR: **Ploughshares Fund**

Known as The Purple Lady by the Bay, Barbara Meislin believes in peace, community and the healing power of music and the color purple. Throughout her life, Barbara has been an author, musician, singer/songwriter and committed philanthropist. Following the sudden death of her seven-year-old daughter, Lori, she wrote a song, "No One Can Ever Steal Your Rainbow," which became the inspiration for an award-winning book of the same title. Barbara's deepest concern is that we avoid destroying each other through nuclear war. Our urgent need, she believes, is to communicate with our adversaries in a way that is strategic, intelligent, loving and hopeful. At Ploughshares Fund, we are profoundly grateful for The Purple Lady's longtime support and advocacy for our mission to eliminate nuclear weapons. It is a pleasure to honor her with our Spirit of Philanthropy Award and to recognize her spirit of hope.



RECIPIENT: **Kymerly Miller**
SPONSOR: **Theresa Nelson & Associates**

Kymerly Miller joined Children's Fairyland in August of 2019 as its third Executive Director, after an 11+ year career at Girl Scouts of Northern California. We congratulate Kymerly on her track record of success in the support and development of experiences supporting children, families and their networks. Kymerly skillfully guided Children's Fairyland through the complicated year of COVID closure and built the organization's fundraising results. She is passionate and excited about delivering satisfying services by working with communities and meeting people where they are. She prioritizes investments in her staff, supporting learning, skill building, and job satisfaction - all of those are essential ingredients she views as needed for organizations to thrive. Kymerly loves to learn, and her approach is that of curiosity, and supporting high-functioning teams where metrics, people, and hearts converge to produce results.



RECIPIENT: **Mollie Stone's Markets**
SPONSOR: **Bon Air - Greenbrae**

Making a difference in people's lives through food since 1986, Mollie Stone's Markets is locally and family-owned. With nine Mollie Stone's Markets in the Bay Area and 700 employees, they are committed to working with local growers and brands around the greater Bay Area, surpassing customer expectations with superior customer service, exciting variety, and quality products in a fun and positive environment for their customers and employees. Mollie Stone's Markets is committed to serving their communities by helping to strengthen them - especially during times of need. Whether there is a pandemic, fire, power outage, or investing in the future of their communities, they strive to help by donating to local hospitals, food banks, schools, first-responders, and various non-profits in the community through direct financial support, food, PPE, time volunteered and customer match programs.



RECIPIENT: **Sarah Moore**
SPONSOR: **Mission Minded**

As Partner and Director of Brand Strategy at Mission Minded, Sarah is responsible for the caliber of the strategic product of all clients, and the continuing development of the incredibly talented Mission Minded team of strategists. She joined Mission Minded in 2011 and has skillfully led the re-branding efforts for high-impact nonprofits, including Village Movement California, Marin Academy, Blue Shield of California Foundation, and OLE Health. A serial Board member, Sarah has served on several nonprofit boards. Many other nonprofit organizations and community programs have benefitted from Sarah's warmth, generosity, expertise and care. She is a model business and community leader, humble in her giving and dedication to serving others. Prior to Mission Minded, Sarah was a senior executive at some of the world's largest advertising agencies. Thank you, Sarah. You amplify the good for all of us, every day.



RECIPIENT: **Maija Muncy**
SPONSOR: **St. Anthony Foundation**

By day, Maija Muncy is chief of staff at Marqeta, an Oakland-based provider of card-issuing and payment solutions. In her spare time, she serves in the critical role of board secretary for St. Anthony Foundation. Maija first came to St. Anthony Foundation as a corporate volunteer serving in the dining room. It wasn't long before she started to volunteer on her own time. She impressed the staff so much that she was asked to be on the board's development committee to provide the voice of a dedicated volunteer. A year after that, she joined St. Anthony Foundation as a full-fledged board member. In addition to being a regular volunteer in the dining room, Maija has participated in, and even chaired, many of St. Anthony's fundraising and community events.



RECIPIENT: **Belinda Muñoz**
SPONSOR: **Planned Parenthood Action Fund**

Belinda Muñoz is the Executive Director of the Susie T. Buell Foundation, a private foundation fostering women's leadership locally, nationally, and globally, as well as supporting activism to combat the climate crisis. She also oversees the political operation of the Office of Susie T. Buell & Mark Buell. During the pivotal 2018 election, Belinda organized a series of fundraisers for key first-time congressional candidates who won their elections and helped Democrats win the U.S. House back. Additionally, she serves as the editor of The Rising and The UpRising, the Buell Office's spirit-raising weekly newsletters, and her writings have appeared in various publications and lifestyle websites. She has served on numerous committees and boards for various progressive nonprofit and political organizations. During her downtime, Belinda can be found exploring parks and museums with her husband and son.



RECIPIENT: **Theresa Nelson, CFRE, MBA**
SPONSOR: **Oakland Children's Fairyland**

Theresa Nelson has 30+ years of experience advising nonprofit organizations and public agencies. Recent consulting clients include the California Academy of Sciences, Homeless Prenatal Program, Center for Elders' Independence, S.F. Friends School, Earthjustice, Summer Search, S.F. Ballet, and Greenbelt Alliance. Theresa was Director of Development and the capital campaign at Chabot Space & Science Center, Director of Membership/Marketing/ Life Endowment for Sierra Club, and held other director of development positions. She is the co-founder and served as the first Executive Director of Humanities West. Theresa is President of the Board of Children's Fairyland in Oakland, and serves on the Board of Directors of Humanities West. She is a former Commissioner on Oakland's Parks & Recreation Advisory Commission, Board Member for AFP Golden Gate, as well as Rockridge Community Planning Council, and chaired the \$2.5 million campaign for Frog Park in Rockridge.



RECIPIENT: Kyriell Noon
SPONSOR: GlavinJacobson, Inc.

Kyriell Noon is the CEO of Hamilton Families—the leading nonprofit service provider to families experiencing homelessness in the San Francisco Bay Area. Kyriell Noon joined Hamilton Families as the CEO in October 2020. Prior to Hamilton Families, Noon served for 20 years in the SF non-profit sector at Juma Ventures, Youth and Family Enrichment Services, STOP AIDS Project, San Francisco AIDS Foundation, and GLIDE. As Chief Impact Officer at GLIDE, he oversaw the organization's Programs, Church, Center for Social Justice, and Data, Strategy, and Evaluation teams. As part of their Senior Leadership, he provided critical strategic leadership on matters related to GLIDE's community-facing programming. Originally from New York City, Noon attended Vassar College and Harvard University.



RECIPIENT: Michael Parish
SPONSOR: Trust for Public Land

Trust for Public Land is honored to recognize Michael Parish for his years of service as a leader, board member, and champion of public parks and land conservation. Michael has served as Co-Chair of our California Advisory Board for the past three years and as a Director since 2013. He also serves on our National Board. During his tenure as Co-Chair in California, the Trust for Public Land protected more than 75,000 acres across the state and built 10 parks serving nearly 200,000 Californians. Michael is currently serving on the Campaign Cabinet for India Basin Shoreline Park – a partnership that will transform a former shipyard into a world-class park in the heart of the Bayview. He is an avid skier, hiker and mountain biker. Our staff, board and public land users across California thank Michael for his spirited leadership and generosity.



RECIPIENT: JR Pershall
SPONSOR: Preemptive Love

JR Pershall was Preemptive Love's Chief Growth Officer for seven years, during which he made a profound and lasting impact on the lives of staff, community members, and the regions we serve. In his role, JR provided leadership and development to a team of colleagues worldwide. In his work, JR was able to make significant contributions to the processes and growth of our organization and to our goal of stopping the spread of violence. He not only led a marketing and growth campaign that greatly expanded our organization's reach, but he also took on the responsibility of guiding us through significant challenges. Despite all the difficulties, our Relief Programs and Jobs Creations teams did not stop their work on the ground, and through his dedication, we kept working to create life-saving solutions.



RECIPIENT: **Tucky Pogue**
SPONSOR: **MarinHealth Foundation**

MarinHealth Foundation is tremendously grateful to Tucky Pogue for her commitment and generosity to MarinHealth. We are deeply honored to nominate Tucky for a 2022 Spirit of Philanthropy Award. Tucky is a longtime, dedicated friend of MarinHealth. She and her husband, John, have committed generous gifts to support MarinHealth for more than 30 years, with their first gift made in 1990. Through her time and talent, Tucky has served both the Foundation and Medical Center in many capacities. Since 2013, Tucky has served on the MarinHealth Foundation BOD and, most recently, was Gala Chair, along with her husband, of our MarinHealth Foundation 2022 Gala. Tucky was instrumental in helping the Gala raise nearly \$1M for Pediatric Emergency Services. Tucky also served on the MarinHealth Medical Center Board of Directors from 1996 to 2005.



RECIPIENT: **Patricia Rivette**
SPONSOR: **The Arc San Francisco**

Patricia Rivette moved from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania to San Francisco in 1979, and worked in the Title industry for nearly 40 years. She currently works for the City in the Assessor's Office. Her son, Ryan Rivette, was born in 1987 and was a participant at The Arc San Francisco for many years. Ryan was part of The Arc San Francisco's workforce development program and was an integral part of the Arc community from 2006 until his death in 2021. Long an appreciator of the Arc's services, Patricia decided to redirect her savings for Ryan's future to have an impact on the future of others in the Arc community. Her gift to The Arc is made in Ryan's memory.



RECIPIENT: **Duncan Robertson**
SPONSOR: **San Francisco Foundation**

Duncan has been a member and past chair of the board of trustees of the San Francisco Foundation since 2012, where he and his husband also maintain a donor advised fund and are active annual supporters of SFF's Bay Area Leads Fund. Duncan has called the Bay Area home for the past thirty years but continues to support various non-profit organizations in his native Cape Town, South Africa. Duncan is co-founding partner of Bridger Holdings, LP, a private investment firm, which he joined in 2015, and was previously the chief financial officer at OpenTable, Inc. and was on the board of directors of Care.com, Inc. Duncan holds an M.B.A. from the University of Chicago Booth School of Business.



RECIPIENT: Frieda Saenz
SPONSOR: San Francisco Campus for Jewish Living

Frieda is a lead beautician and hairdresser at the Jewish Home & Rehab Center, located on San Francisco Campus for Jewish Living. In November 2022, Frieda will celebrate 50 years, serving as our longest-serving staff member. Frieda is the most appreciated employee, held near and dear by over 100,000 “clients” over the decades. Frieda attends to the personal grooming of our patients and residents in the warm, relaxed atmosphere of the beauty salon, but, truly she does so much more. The salon is a hub of activity, with residents, patients, families, volunteers, and staff coming together for friendship, laughter, and camaraderie. From the snip of the scissors or the setting of a favorite style, to a smile that is constant, Frieda Saenz remains an intrinsic part of both our heads (of hair) and hearts!



RECIPIENT: Ann Schmitt
SPONSOR: Grace Cathedral

Ann Schmitt’s spirit of philanthropy is being recognized by Grace Cathedral for her steady support of, contribution to, and participation in the Cathedral’s activities and programs. Her enthusiasm for Grace Cathedral comes from her personal experience with the Cathedral and its inclusive support of the spiritual, societal, educational and artistic needs of all people of all ages and needs. She has served on the board of the Junior League of Palo Alto - Mid-Peninsula as well as chairing the Membership committee, completing a term as Corresponding Secretary and as a member of the Placement committee. At the YWCA of Walla Walla Ann presided over the Board as president and served as secretary. Terms on the Vestry and Endowment committee deepened her relationship with Walla Walla’s Saint Paul’s Episcopal Church.



RECIPIENT: Barry Taylor, CFP
SPONSOR: Horizons Foundation

Barry has volunteered his time with Horizons Foundation for more than 10 years, is currently a sitting Board Member, and is the founder and former co-chair of the Horizons Professional Advisors Council (PAC). He also chaired Horizons’ Inaugural Pro Bono Day. Barry embodies the concept of philanthropy by donating his time, money, experience, skills, and talent to help create a better world. Through his Donor Advised Funds, Barry generously has supported organizations whose work tackle issues ranging from health, youth, arts, and culture to social justice and advocacy, both in the LGBTQ community and society at large. Barry has made significant financial contributions to Horizons. Horizons Foundation and the community it serves would like to thank Barry not only for his support but also for his commitment to diversity, inclusion, equity and belonging.

In Tribute

We remember the donors, volunteers, and nonprofit and foundation staff who passed away between **September 1, 2021 and August 31, 2022**. The following individuals represent the many who contributed throughout their lifetimes to the Bay Area philanthropic community.



Nancy Hellman Bechtle
1937 – 2022

Nancy Bechtle was a pillar of the San Francisco philanthropic community, serving as a volunteer board member to vital organizations throughout the city, including the San Francisco General Hospital Foundation, where she co-founded the Hearts in San Francisco public art project; the Presidio Trust; the San Francisco Opera; the National Parks Foundation; UCSF Foundation; and the War Memorial and Performing Arts Center. Nancy found her true passion supporting the San Francisco Symphony, joining the Board of Governors in 1984, serving as president from 1987 until 2001, and continuing her dedication to the Symphony through 2021. A fifth-generation San Franciscan, Nancy proudly served her community, carrying on her family's legacy of philanthropy through her own dedication to supporting the performing arts.



Richard Blum 1935 - 2022

A friend of the Dalai Lama and an adviser to multiple presidents, Blum leveraged his success as an investment banker to better the world. A humanitarian and champion of peace and human rights, Blum was especially dedicated to the people of the Himalayas, founding the American Himalayan Foundation. He also served as co-chairman of the World Conference on Religion and Peace and as trustee of The Carter Center. Blum was also very committed to higher education. For nearly two decades, he served as a member of the University of California Board of Regents and founded the Blum Center for Developing Economies at UC Berkeley, which is focused on addressing global poverty.



Kit Cole 1940 - 2022

Kit Cole was a pioneer in the Bay Area financial community and a champion of women's empowerment. The founder of Cole Financial Group, New Horizons Savings & Loan, Tamalpais Bank, and chairwoman emeritus of Novato Community Bank, Ms. Cole offered seminars in financial literacy to women and co-founded Wednesday Morning Dialog and Marin Forum. A Girl Scout leader for 17 years, she served on the Bay Area Girl Scouts Council. She was on the boards of United Way and Mill Valley Film Festival and was vice chair of Marin Women's Commission and co-chair of its Economic Resource Committee. In 1997, she was named to the Marin Women's Hall of Fame.



Linda Crayton 1948 - 2022

Linda Crayton was a mentor, storyteller, activist, and fashion icon. She was Senior Regional Director of Government Relations at Comcast, where an internship for high school students was established in her name. For 23 years and three mayoral administrations, she was a Commissioner on the San Francisco Airport Commission. She served on the boards of Oakland Ballet, East Oakland Youth Development Center, Greater Sacramento Urban League, San Francisco Black Chamber of Commerce, and was president of San Francisco District V Mental Health Advisory Board. Ms. Crayton was recognized by groups including San Francisco Alliance of Black Educators, NAACP, LWV, National Coalition of 100 Black Women, and California Legislative Black Caucus.



Andrew (Andy) Cresci 1940 - 2022

Andy was devoted to family and friends and a constant source of strength, support, inspiration, guidance, and unconditional love. Born and raised in San Francisco, Andy graduated from St. Anne's Elementary School, Sacred Heart Cathedral Preparatory High School, and Heald's College. Following college, he worked for Sunstream Homes/Standard Building Company as a draftsman and architect and concluded his successful career as President of the company, retiring in 1992 at age 52. Andy served and contributed to numerous Boards of Directors, including Carl Gellert and Celia Berta Gellert Foundation, Sequoia Hospital Foundation, Notre Dame de Namur University, and St. Patrick's Seminary & University. He leaves a legacy of excellence and incomparable professional and personal accomplishments.



Carolyn Evans 1938 - 2022

After graduating from the University of Wisconsin in the early 1960s, Carolyn was drawn to the Bay Area and moved to San Francisco. In 1977, she was hired as California Coordinator of the National Endowment for the Arts Dance Touring Program. This experience provided Carolyn with experience that led her to establish the California Arts Council Touring and Presenting Program. For many years Carolyn worked with and supported many arts and culture organizations in the Bay Area, with 20 years of experience as a program manager, performing arts producer and presenter, technical assistance provider, researcher and evaluator. Her last position was as Arts Program Officer for the Marin Community Foundation, managing a budget of almost two million dollars and overseeing upwards of 75 grants.



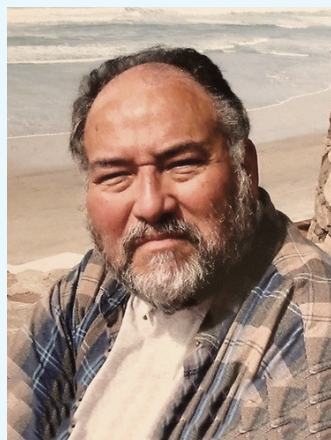
Marge Evans 1940 - 2022

Marge's caring heart led her to co-find the Anderson Valley Food Bank and Anderson Valley Farmworker Housing. After moving to Sonoma, Marge volunteered at the Wilmar Center for bereaved youth and Hanna Boys Center. Marge was an advocate for the homeless, tirelessly involved with Housing for the Homeless and Sonoma Overnight Support. Marge created and donated quilts as auction items to raise funds for numerous nonprofits. Along with her husband Todd she helped launch Seeds of Learning and more recently the End World Hunger Foundation.



Frankie Jacobs Gillette 1925 - 2022

Frankie Jacobs Gillette, and her husband Maxwell, led lives guided by the words of theologian Howard Thurman, "Ask what makes you come alive and go do it." Both served on the San Francisco-Abidjan, Cote d'Ivoire Sister City Committee, which Ms. Gillette chaired, and were active with Bethel A.M.E. Church. She was trustee of the Fine Arts Museums, founding board member of Museum of the African Diaspora, commissioner of San Francisco Human Rights Commission, and member of San Francisco Convention and Visitors Bureau. While serving in 1984 as National President of Negro and Professional Women's Clubs, Ms. Gillette was named by Ebony one of the "100 Most Influential Black Americans."



James E. Gonzales II 1946 - 2022

James was an attorney and community activist. He graduated from the UCLA School of Law in 1974 and started his career with California Rural Legal Assistance in El Centro, CA, where he worked on poverty law and immigrant rights cases. As an organizer with United Farm Workers, James helped organize the first successful contract campaign among grape workers. In addition to serving as an attorney for the federal government, Stanislaus County, and the City of Fremont, James co-founded and led several community and civic organizations, starting with a MEChA chapter during his college years, the Mexican American Political Association in Hayward and the Modesto Peace Life Center. He never stopped believing in the power of working for change and was fond of saying "Never give up."



Grant Muir Inman
1941 - 2022

Grant Muir Inman was one of the early pioneers in the field of venture capital, with Hambrecht & Quist and with his own firm Inman & Bowman. An alumnus of UC Berkeley with an MBA in Finance, he brought his spirit of mentorship to many organizations, private companies, nonprofits, and most especially to UC Berkeley. He served as a Trustee of the UC Berkeley Foundation, and for decades supported the Haas Business School and the UC Berkeley Athletic Department. He received the UC Wheeler Oak Award and Chancellor's Award for his leadership in fund development and Berkeley campaigns.



Maurice Kanbar
1929 - 2022

Maurice Kanbar was a high-energy, fast-witted personality, often seen zooming about on his trademark red scooter. Kanbar was an inventor all his life. His most successful business—Skyy Vodka—emerged from his desire to reduce the headaches experienced when enjoying a martini. The name and trademark blue bottle are references to the San Francisco sky. Kanbar often quoted Andrew Carnegie that it was “easier making the money than giving it away intelligently.” He supported many causes worldwide, including regional organizations Kanbar Cardiac Care Center at CPMC, American Heart Association of San Francisco, the Exploratorium, KQED, Salvation Army, SF Symphony, SF Girls Chorus, SF Film Society, JCCSF, and many more.



Ken Kramarz 1952 - 2022

Ken was the visionary leader of Camp Tawonga, the beloved Jewish overnight camp that recently celebrated its 97th season. Ken's first job at Tawonga was as a unit head in 1981. He was named Executive Director in 1984, a role that spanned until 2016. Ken's leadership was praised by his colleagues, who applauded his ability to see the best in people, step aside to let others lead, mentor staff, and nurture talent. Under his leadership, Tawonga embraced diversity and inclusion, progressively far ahead of its peers. In addition to being a nonprofit leader, Ken was a musician, a naturalist, and a passionate advocate for sharing the stories of the Miwok people. He considered his greatest accomplishment creating a community that is built on values, guided by a Canon of Ethics rather than a policy handbook.



Terry Levin 1952 - 2022

Terry's energy and positivity, combined with her deep sensitivity to persons with disabilities, informed and led much of her philanthropy. She co-founded and grew the program for persons with disabilities at the Jewish Family & Children's Services from the seed of an idea 15 years ago to a thriving program today that continues to serve thousands of people annually. She also served as Director of the Bay Area Discovery Museum at its founding, was a Founding Director of Canine Companions for Independence, Trustee of the Jay and Rose Phillips Family Foundation of California, and was deeply engaged and involved at Stanford University, with Stanford Athletics and the Terry Levin Fund for Excellence in Medical Care.



**James A. McCarthy
1935 - 2022**

James A. McCarthy passed away Tuesday, April 5th, in San Francisco, survived by his wife, June, six children and sixteen grandchildren. Born in Buffalo, New York, Jim attended Canisius High School, Canisius College, and earned his MBA at NYU. In 1998, Jim, June and Arthur Rock formed the BASIC Fund, a humanitarian nonprofit organization to advance education equity for low-income families by helping offset the cost of tuition at private schools in the Bay Area, which rapidly expanded to include over 300 schools. Twenty-five years later, the BASIC Fund has provided over \$145 million in scholarship support, helping more than 26,000 Bay Area children attend their school of choice.



Starr Piner 1949 - 2022

Starr Piner was instrumental in driving many key-initiatives forward at Queen of the Valley Hospital Foundation in Napa, serving on the board from 2000-2011. After 2011, Starr became an Honorary Trustee and member of the Foundation's Investment Committee. Whatever Foundation event was being planned or a committee spot that needed filling, Starr was there to help to add extra sparkle. Her many contributions enhanced health care for her community. In addition to her commitment to quality health care for all, Starr served in many capacities at her church.



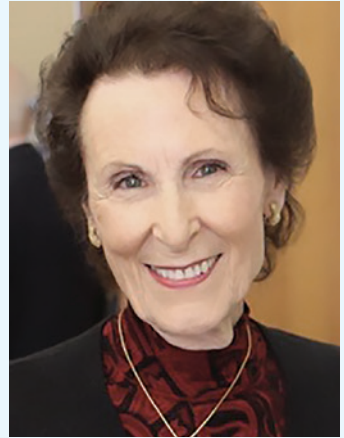
Alice Philipson 1947 - 2022

Forty years ago, a small group of gay pro bono lawyers in San Francisco wrote wills and estate plans for gay men dying of AIDS. This volunteer service grew into the AIDS Legal Referral Panel. Challenges like AIDS triggered a variety of responses in the LGBT community, and no one better exemplified the positive response than attorney Alice Philipson. Understanding the challenges, Alice said yes to nearly every case presented to her, and advocated for her clients with unmatched courage, clarity and tenacity. Alice was incredibly effective, winning a long string of legal victories with over a decade of volunteer advocacy for her clients. Every social challenge produces a hero. For people with AIDS in the 1980s and 1990s, Alice was a hero.



Thomas Rohlen 1940 - 2022

Tom's commitment to philanthropy was both deep and humble. In addition to large national and international organizations, Tom supported a variety of grassroots groups that he believed would make the world a better place. In the Bay Area, Tom devoted himself to the San Francisco General Hospital Foundation, where he co-founded Solid Start, an interdisciplinary wraparound program for pregnant people, children, and families. Tom's respect for the arts and expertise in Asian culture manifested in support of organizations including the Japanese Tea Garden, the San Francisco Botanical Garden, the Asian Art Museum, the Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco, and decades of support for Stanford University.



Jane Lang Scheiber 1937 - 2022

Jane Lang Scheiber was a historian, educator, author, and development leader. During her more than 25 years as Director of Development and Assistant Dean of College Relations at UC Berkeley's College of Chemistry, she led teams in development, alumni affairs, and public affairs to raise more than \$165 million for scholarships, endowed chairs, fellowships, and buildings. Upon her retirement she received the Berkeley Citation, the University's highest honor, and was appointed Research Associate at UC Berkeley Law School. She co-authored *Bayonets in Paradise: Martial Law in Hawai'i During WWII* with her husband Harry Scheiber and edited or co-edited numerous books in various fields of contemporary interest



Sharon Shlegeris

1943 - 2021

Richard (Dick) Shlegeris

1943 - 2022

Sharon and Dick Shlegeris were lifelong lovers of the outdoors. After retiring to Sonoma County, they quickly became involved with several hiking clubs. Dick volunteered his time organizing hikes in partnership with the Sonoma Land Trust to iconic places such as Little Black Mountain and Jenner Headlands on the Sonoma coast. Dick and Sharon gave generously to the Sonoma Land Trust and served as role models about giving now and in the future. A sizable percentage of their estate will protect land in Sonoma County forever.



Charlotte Mailliard

Shultz 1933 - 2021

The long-reigning chief of protocol and unofficial aide to 10 mayors, Shultz assisted consuls general and promoted San Francisco with visiting dignitaries. She organized public events, including Super Bowl and World Series parades and the 50th anniversary of the Golden Gate Bridge. Her Board service included the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, the SF Opera, the SF Symphony, the SF Ballet, the SF War Memorial & Performing Arts Center, the Commonwealth Club, Grace Cathedral, and the Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco. Governor Newsom called her an "exceptional civic leader... (who) helped make the city of San Francisco the vibrant, international city it is today."

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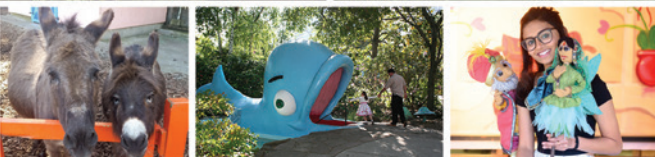
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 2019: Dolby Laboratories
 2018: Blue Shield of California Foundation
 2017: Oracle
 2016: Salesforce.org
 2015: Zendesk
 2014: Pacific Gas and Electric Company
 2013: Macy's
 2012: JP Morgan Chase & Co.
 2011: Shartsis Friese LLP
 2010: Borel Private Bank & Trust Company
 2008: San Francisco Chronicle
 2007: Sports Basement
 2006: Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP
 2005: Kaiser Permanente
 2004: The McKesson Foundation
 2003: Hilton San Francisco
 2002: Give Something Back: Business Products
 2001: Mervyn's and Target Stores
 2000: Wells Fargo Bank
 1999: The Clorox Company Foundation
 1998: AT&T
 1997: Charles Schwab & Co., Inc.
 1996: Transamerica Corporation
 1995: The Chevron Companies
 1994: Franklin/Templeton Group of Funds
 1993: Shaklee Corporation
 1992: Bank America Foundation
 1991: Levi Strauss Foundation
 1990: Hewlett-Packard Company
 1989: Pacific Gas & Electric Company

1988: The Clorox Company Foundation
 1987: Pacific Telesis Foundation
 1986: Chevron Corporation

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2021: Cathy Cha
 2020: Daranee Petsod
 2019: Hannah Kahn
 2018: Linda Wood
 2017: Kathleen Odne
 2016: Aimee Durfee
 2015: Richard Avanzino
 2014: Mary G. F. Bitterman
 2013: Mario Diaz
 2012: Retha Robinson
 2011: Sandra R. Hernandez, MD
 2010: Marcia M. Argyris
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 2007: Woody Carter, PhD
 2006: Carole Watson
 2005: Carol Lamont
 2004: Drummond Pike,
 2003: Michael Howe
 2002: Bruce Sievers, PhD

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2021: The New Breath Foundation
 2020: City Hope
 2019: Child Care Law Center
 2018: Insight Prison Project
 2017: YES Nature to Neighborhoods
 2016: Lend A Hand Foundation
 2015: Beyond Differences
 2014: Performing Arts of Marin
 2013: Brothers on the Rise
 2012: Kristi Yamaguchi's: Always Dream Foundation
 2011: BAYCAT
 2010: Mujeres Unidas y Activas (MUA)
 2007: Children's Book Project
 2006: HIP Housing (Human Investment Project)

2005: Charlotte Maxwell Complementary Clinic
 2004: Literacy for Environmental Justice (LEJ)
 2003: Family Violence Law Center
 2002: The San Francisco Court Appointed Special Advocate Program (SFCASA)
 2001: Operation Dignity
 2000: St. Anthony Foundation
 1999: The Mary Ann Wright Foundation
 1998: National Institute of Art and Disabilities
 1997: Positive Direction Equals Change, Inc.
 1995: East Bay Legal Services Collaborative
 1994: Homeless Action Center
 1993: Dolores Street Community Services
 1992: Contact-Care Center, Inc.
 1991: Bay Area Crisis Nursery
 1990: Oakland Independence Support Center
 1989: Coalition for Immigrant and Refugee Rights and Services

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 2020: Katherine Bella
 2019: Sandy Drew
 2018: David Madson, ACFRE
 2017: Janelle Cavanagh
 2016: Barbara Darrow-Blake
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 2014: Traci Eckels
 2013: Patricia Stirling
 2012: Lori Fogarty
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 2010: Claire Axelrad, JD, CFRE
 2008: Cheri Bryant

2007: Mary M. Schmidt
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 2004: Mal Warwick
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 2001: Martha J. Bauman
 2000: John M. Cash, PhD
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 1998: Kim Klein
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 1996: Jerry W. Mapp
 1995: Robert M. Fisher, PhD
 1994: Gwyneth J. Lister, MBA, CFRE
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 1989: Barbara H. Marion, CFRE
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 1987: Ernest W. Wood, EdD, CFRE
 1986: Lyle E. Cook, CFRE
 1985: Henry A. Rosso, CFRE

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2021: Amador Valley High School Leadership Committee
 2020: Kylie Frame
 2019: Hollis Belger
 2018: Keystone Club, Boys & Girls Club of San Francisco
 2017: Freya Erikson
 2016: Michelle Gonzalez
 2015: Wyeth Coulter
 2014: Katie Easterly and Paige Blake
 2013: Giovanni Garcia
 2011: Paddy O'Brien
 2008: Youth United for Community Action
 2007: Deeba Haider
 2006: Peninsula Jewish Community Teen Foundation; Abdullah Hussein

2005: Christian Ramos; Community Jewish Youth Foundation of the East Bay; A Home Away From Homelessness – Youth Leadership Program; Peter Yim

OUTSTANDING FOUNDATION OR GRANTMAKING ORGANIZATION

2021: Eat. Learn. Play. Foundation
 2020: West Contra Costa Public Education Fund
 2019: American Muslim Fund
 2018: Y & H Soda Foundation
 2017: Dean & Margaret Leshner Foundation
 2016: Akonadi Foundation
 2015: The Kenneth Rainin Foundation
 2014: The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation
 2013: S. D. Bechtel, Jr. Foundation
 2012: Tipping Point Community
 2011: Asian American/Pacific Islanders in Philanthropy
 2010: SPARK
 2008: The California Wellness Foundation
 2007: The California Endowment
 2006: Agape Foundation
 2005: Horizons Foundation
 2004: VanLobenSels/ RembeRock Foundation
 2003: The INNW Fund
 2002: Peninsula Community Foundation
 2001: Evelyn & Walter Haas, Jr. Fund and Colleen and Robert Haas for Crissy Field
 2000: The Richard and Rhoda Goldman Fund
 1999: Columbia Foundation
 1998: The Junior League of San Francisco
 1997: Rosenberg Foundation
 1995: The Wallace Alexander Gerbode Foundation
 1994: East Bay Community Foundation

1993: S.H. Cowell Foundation
 1992: Vanguard Public Foundation
 1991: San Francisco Foundation
 1990: Zellerbach Family Fund
 1989: Peninsula Community Foundation
 1988: The James Irvine Foundation
 1987: The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation
 1986: Evelyn and Walter Haas, Jr. Fund

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 2020: Lynne Benioff
 2020: Mark Buell
 2020: Randi Fisher
 2019: Diane Goodhue
 2018: Priscilla Geeslin
 2017: Josefina C. Baltodano, J.D.
 2016: Nancy Livingston & Fred Levin
 2015: Carlota Texidor Del Portillo
 2014: Mark Buell
 2013: Nancy Hellman Bechtel
 2012: Carla Betts
 2011: Julie Parish
 2010: Patricia Sughrue Sprincin
 2008: Sheryl Wong
 2007: Phillip H. Tagami
 2006: Hilary Newsom Callan
 2005: Judith Kanter
 2004: Narsai David
 2003: Linda Meier
 2001: Herman Gallegos
 2000: Genelle Relfe
 1999: Adele Corvin
 1998: Warren Berl
 1997: Beatrice C. Wong
 1996: Charlene C. Harvey
 1995: Brooks Walker, Jr.
 1994: Charles Q. Forester
 1993: Carroll T. Richardson
 1992: Robert L. Bridges and E. Morris Cox, Jr.
 1991: Theodore Saenger

1990: Madlyn Day
 1989: Clarence J. Woodard
 1988: Eugene F. Trefethen, Jr.
 1987: Charlotte Maillard Swig Schulz
 1986: Robert B. Shetterly

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2021: Bruce Braden
 2020: Regan Pritzger
 2019: Akiko Yamazaki & Jerry Yang
 2018: Arthur Rock & Toni Rembe Rock
 2017: Franklin & Catherine Johnson
 2016: John and Marcia Goldman
 2015: Randi and Bob Fisher
 2014: Kat Taylor and Tom Steyer
 2013: Robert Haas
 2012: Maurice Kanbar
 2011: William Draper & George Zimmer
 2010: Richard Gibbs, MD & Patricia H. Gibbs, MD
 2008: Joyce and Larry Stupski
 2007: William K. Bowes, Jr.
 2006: Roger W. Hoag, MD
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 2004: Sharon and Barclay Simpson
 2003: Chris and Warren Hellman
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 1998: Barbro and Bernard Osher
 1997: Lois DeDominico
 1996: James C. Hormel
 1995: Louise and Claude Rosenberg, Jr.
 1994: Carlos Santana
 1993: Cornell Maier
 1992: Alfred and Diane Wilsey
 1991: Gordon Getty

1990: Bill Graham
 1989: Phyllis C. Wattis
 1988: Fritz and Lucy Jewett
 1987: Richard and Rhoda Goldman

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2021: Alvin H. Baum, Jr.
 2021: Lois De Domenico
 2020: Kay Sprinkel Grace
 2020: Mary Barbara Schultz
 2019: Mal Warwick
 2019: James C. Hormel
 2018: Roselyne Chroman Swig
 2017: Ann & Gordon Getty
 2016: Ira S. Hirschfield
 2015: Barbro and Bernard Osher
 2013: Barbara & Gerson Bakar
 2012: Helen Diller
 2010: Rolland C. Lowe, MD
 2008: Janice Gow Pettey, CFRE
 2006: Richard N. Goldman
 2002: William R. Kimball
 2001: Mimi and Peter Haas
 1998: Phyllis C. Wattis
 1996: The David and Lucile Packard Foundation
 1993: Melvin W. Swig
 1990: Louise M. Davies

DISTINGUISHED ACHIEVEMENT

2008: California Academy of Sciences and Contemporary Jewish Museum
 2007: Jeannik Méquet Littlefield
 2005: Diane B. Wilsey and Harry S. Parker III
 2003: Chong-Moon Lee, Johnson S. Bogart, and Judith F. Wilbur
 1996: Marjorie G. Stern
 1995: Steve Silver, The Reverend Cecil Williams, Cyril Magnin, James W. Graves



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