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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 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, corporation 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. For example, those seeking technical assistance may find options among the listings of Consultants and Management Support Organizations (which may either provide TA or link nonprofits to possible resources). Those seeking financial support for capacity building may identify a possible funder in the listing of Foundations (some government agencies, such as the Los Angeles County Arts Commission, also provide funding for capacity building). A number of other listings provide possible resources for assistance, peer-to-peer networking and education.

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
Management Support Organizations - Surrounding Counties
Nonprofit Executive Director Coalitions
Nonprofit Management Higher Education Programs - Los Angeles County
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:


**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 4,900 nonprofit organizations in the San Fernando Valley (see listing in this *Directory*). Established in 2007, VNR is operated through a partnership between California State University Northridge and MEND. 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, contact: valleynonprofitresources@csun.edu.

**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, but based in other areas.

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.
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Provides concierge-style accounting services to nonprofits 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.

Gina Airey Consulting
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Santa Monica, CA 90403
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Specializes in strategic planning, strategic plan implementation, leadership team development, and executive coaching. As thought partners and facilitators, we support leaders to realize their visions for greater strategic impact over the long term. Deep experience with large scale: organizational change management; strategic restructuring (e.g., merger); and inter-organizational initiatives with members from nonprofits, government, philanthropy, university, and business.

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Los Angeles, CA 90069-4120
323/721-0141
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Website: www.ArtsConsulting.com

Provides hands-on interim management, executive search, revenue enhancement consulting, facilities & program planning, and organizational development services for the arts and culture industry. ACG has offices in Los Angeles with offices and consultants located in communities throughout North America.
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Nonprofit/tax exempt specialists working with CEOs, CFOs, Board Leaders, Founders and Trusted Advisors to public charities and private foundations. Benevolent Vision helps nonprofit leaders confront and navigate complex issues on a daily basis. Products and services include: Strategic Plans, Organizational Assessments, Board Development, Board Training, Board Retreats, Succession Plans, Facilitation, Conflict Resolution, Compliance, Capacity Building/Infrastructure, Nonprofit Management, Foundation Management, Grants Management and Back Office Management to Public Charities and Private/Family Foundations. Clients include healthcare, education, disaster relief, child and family services, environment, homelessness, U.S. veterans, the mentally disabled, the physically challenged and animal welfare.

**Berglass Community Investment Counseling**
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Los Angeles, CA 90039
323/665-1020
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Website: www.berglassconsulting.com

Works to strengthen communities by helping grantmakers, nonprofits, businesses and public agencies to work effectively and sustainably with each other and those they serve. With over twenty years engaging clients in creative, robust, vibrant processes that yield excellent outcomes, BCIC provides best-in-class design, management and evaluation of programs, partnerships and social impact initiatives; strategic planning; board and trustee development and training; research and writing; meeting facilitation; development and critical assessment of proposals and initiatives; and social investment advising.

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Accounting practice focused primarily on tax-exempt organizations and charitable giving matters. Services included but not limited to the preparation of Forms 990, 990-PF, 990-T as well as tax consultations. Tax consultation topics include unrelated business income, intermediate sanctions, meeting the public support tests, private foundations excise taxes, political activity, a donor’s viewpoint of form 990, and charitable giving matters.
CNM consultants work closely with hundreds of local leaders each year to set goals, and strategies for moving forward. From data gathering and analysis, to drafting recommendations and implementation plans, CNM consulting services are delivered with the organization's unique goals in mind. The consulting team specializes in strategic planning, evaluation & program development, retreat design & facilitation, executive coaching, succession planning & executive transition, and organizational assessment.

Gary Bess Associates
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Paradise, CA 95969
800/564-3863
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Website: 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. 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. Specialists in FQHC application preparation.

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Website: www.bluegarnet.net
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Provides support for social purpose foundations, nonprofits and companies to achieve their mission by becoming high-performing organizations. Blue Garnet pursues a triple bottom line, blending social mindedness with rigorous standards for management consulting. Services include Philanthropy Consulting, Grantee Initiative Management, Grantee Capacity Building, Strategic Direction and Impact Formula (aka Theory of Change), Business Planning and Market Analysis, Organizational Assessment, Financial Strategy, Impact Assessment, Evaluation Framework and Performance Dashboards, and Coaching.
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Specializes in leadership development to enable individuals and groups realize and sustain change. Services include community engagement, strategic planning, program implementation and executive coaching. Capacity development also is a focus, in areas such as governance, operations, solvency and sustainability, organizational culture, performance accountability, collaboration and effective partnerships between individuals and groups seeking common ground and results. Clients are primarily community and faith-based organizations, municipal governments, schools, foundations, and associations.

Diversity Consulting Group, Inc.
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Website: None

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.

Diversity Research and Consulting Group, Inc.
Contact: Keith A. Baker
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Rolling Hills Estates, CA 90274
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Website: www.diversityrandc.com

Provides a wide variety of research and consulting services nationwide in the following areas: business development, program development, grant writing, evaluation and training. Services include problem definition, data gathering, analysis, recommendations and implementation.

Draper Consulting Group
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Provides capacity-building services to nonprofit organizations and grantmakers through times of dynamic change, to enhance effectiveness and impact. Has over 25 years of experience in providing 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.

**Envision Consulting**  
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Glendale, CA 91203  
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Website: www.envisionnonprofit.com

Provides coaching, planning and staffing tailored specifically to the nonprofit sector. A broad spectrum of services will help increase revenues, expand awareness and strengthen service delivery.

**The Good Affect**  
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Specializes in cause marketing, working with nonprofits, corporations and foundations. Services offered include: brand audit, strategic planning, creative exploration, social and traditional media development, public relations, fundraising, and event/promotional development.

**Growing Health Partnerships**  
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101 Loma Metisse  
Malibu, CA 90265  
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Website: None

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.

**Grantworks Proposal Writing Services**  
Contact: Katherine Kubarski  
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888/312-5010  
Email: kk@grantworks.com  
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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 grant proposal writing 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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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.

**Harder+Company Community Research**  
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Website: [www.harderco.com](http://www.harderco.com)

Works with nonprofit, philanthropic, and public sector clients across Los Angeles County and the nation to reveal new insights about the nature and impact of their work. Specializes in culturally-based evaluation, planning, and consulting services, responding to diverse information needs with technical rigor and approaches that are both flexible and inclusive. Specific services offered include evaluation design and implementation, strategic planning, facilitation, and community needs assessment.

**Janet Levine Consulting**  
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Works with staff and boards of nonprofit organizations to build capacity to meet their mission and serve their community and cause - including fundraising strategies. In addition to consulting and coaching, Janet Levine Consulting facilitates board and staff retreats and workshops.
KED Consultants
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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.

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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.

Law Firm for Nonprofits, PC
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Works with nonprofits to ensure they comply with the myriad laws that control everything they do, so they can focus on their missions. The work encompasses the full range of transactional, tax, fundraising and corporate governance issues that affect nonprofits. These include: mergers, self-dealing transactions and other conflicts of interest, joint-ventures, compensation of board members and other insiders, grant agreements, managing commercial-like activity to avoid UBI, bylaw updates, international philanthropy, nonprofit political activity, board disputes, dissolutions, IRS and Attorney General audits, commercial co-ventures, fiscal sponsorships, etc. For new nonprofits, offers a fixed-fee "Quick Launch" package that takes handles all of the legal steps necessary for a new organization to start-up and obtain its tax-exempt status.

McElwee Group
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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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Topanga, CA 90290  
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Provides consulting services with a human capital and organizational development orientation including: organization performance measurement, identification of key performance indicators and organizational competencies, human capital development programs, program evaluation and measurement of results. Human capital services including development of human capital strategy linked to organizational strategy, performance management linked to organizational goals and results, compensation, benefits, technology for human capital, employee relations and California employment laws, needs analysis and development for training programs.

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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. Focus on personal benefits and public value of the arts, artists and arts organizations; ability, creativity and leadership in changing environments; and earned and contributed income.

**Schulman Consulting**

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Los Angeles, CA 90016  
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Provides advisory services around all aspects of nonprofit fiscal sponsorship, serving both sponsored projects and sponsor organizations to build capacity, navigate key transitions, ensure compliance and streamline operations. For projects, services include sponsor identification and application, transfers and separation planning. For sponsors, services focus on program optimization and improvement in the areas of operations, finance, risk, compliance, marketing, and communications.
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Helps nonprofit and public sector organizations of all sizes achieve their goals through comprehensive grant development services, research, strategic thinking, and evaluation that focuses on realistic data gathering for purposes of program improvement.

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Regional accounting services firm headquartered in Los Angeles with offices in Woodland Hills, Orange County, Monterey Park, San Diego and Silicon Valley. Provides comprehensive array of CPA services for nonprofits including: audits, Form 990 preparation, staff training, IT and accounting systems consulting, cash flow planning and budget preparations.

Slack Global Consulting
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Provides support for nonprofit organizations and foundations engaged in visioning, planning and board development. Concentrates on work with communities of color, coalition building, community organizing, health and/or social justice issues. Services include board assessment and training, inclusive inquiry, proposal review, group facilitation, leadership development and coaching.
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Builds collaboration with small to medium size nonprofits interested in achieving greater organizational effectiveness in the areas of strategic planning, board development and training, executive coaching, and financial fitness and training.

**Special Service for Groups**
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Los Angeles, CA 90021
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Provides program evaluation services to nonprofit organizations and public agencies, including program design, development of evaluation tools and protocols, data management and analysis. Also specializes in conducting local assessments to support program development and strategic planning with a civic engagement approach. Provides technical assistance in building nonprofit organizations’ capacity to conduct research and evaluation. Compiles secondary data from official sources, including the U.S. Census, in tabular, graphic, and/or GIS (map) formats.

**Sponsor Partners**
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Tarzana, CA 91356
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Website: 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.

**Strategic Development Solutions**
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Website: See LinkedIn under David A. Berkus
Specializes in supporting nonprofit executive directors who don’t have the staff or enough time to do everything they’d like. Areas of expertise are: writing LOIs and grant applications, grant research, post grant reporting, marketing including public relations and video production, collaborations, sponsorships, conferences, and strategic development assistance.

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Altadena, CA 91001  
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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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Website: www.wideskyconsulting.com

Offers a full range of grant development and public policy services to community-based organizations and government entities. Grant writing, strategy, and prospect research. Formulation of policy positions, expertly written policy papers, policy research and analysis, program evaluation, and needs assessments.
Foundations - Los Angeles County

**Annenberg Foundation**
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2000 Avenue of the Stars, Suite 1000
Los Angeles, CA 90067
310/209-4560
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Website: www.annenbergfoundation.org

Provides capacity-building support to local nonprofits through two programs. The Foundation’s Alchemy Program is a leadership development program for nonprofit executives and board leaders (who attend together), with a focus on volunteer leadership. Project Grantsmanship is a partnership of the Annenberg Foundation, the California Community Foundation, and The Grantsmanship Center, formed to strengthen community-based organizations by training nonprofit leaders to plan more effective programs and produce compelling proposals for funding.

**California Community Foundation**
Contact: None
221 South Figueroa Street, Suite 400
Los Angeles, CA 90012
213/413-4130 ext. 243
Email: None
Website: 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 in arts, education, human development, health and affordable housing.

**The California Endowment**
Contact: None
1000 North Alameda Street
Los Angeles, CA 90012
800/449-4149
Email: info@calendow.org
Website: www.calendow.org

Grantmaking focuses on expanding access to affordable, quality health care for underserved individuals and communities, and promoting fundamental improvements in the health status of Californians. TCE’s Center for Healthy Communities builds nonprofit capacity by providing conference facilities and offering learning programs on various topics, all aimed at building leadership and capacity within the nonprofit health sector and mobilizing communities for social change.
The California Wellness Foundation
Contact: Amy Scop
6320 Canoga Avenue, Suite 1700
Woodland Hills, CA 91367
818/702-1900
Email: tcwf@tcwf.org
Website: www.CalWellness.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. For updated grants program information, please go to website.

Community Foundation of the Verdugos
Contact: Edna Karinski
111 East Broadway, Suite 200
Glendale, CA 91205
818/241-8040
Email: info@cfverdugos.org
Website: www.cfverdugos.org

Administers gifts and grants to fund hard asset acquisitions for nonprofits in the Verdugo Region to increase growth and capacity to serve.

Joseph Drown Foundation
Contact: Wendy Wachtell
1999 Avenue of the Stars, Suite 2330
Los Angeles, CA 90067
310/277-4488
Email: staff@jdrown.org
Website: 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.

The Durfee Foundation
Contact: Claire Peeps
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Santa Monica, CA 90401
310/899-5120
Email: admin@durfee.org
Website: www.durfee.org

Through the Springboard Fund, provides grants to emerging grassroots nonprofits in Los Angeles County that are tackling innovative solutions to complex challenges. Organizational leaders also receive the support of a mentor during the two-year grant period. Organizations must be less than five old with budgets under $250,000.
**David Geffen Foundation**
Contact: Dallas Dishman
12011 San Vincente Blvd., #606
Los Angeles, CA 90049-4926
310/581-5955
Email: ddishman@geffenco.com
Website: None

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

**The Getty Foundation**
Contact: Katie Underwood
1200 Getty Center Drive, Suite 800
Los Angeles, CA 90049-1685
310/440-7320
Email: GettyFoundation@getty.edu
Website: www.getty.edu/foundation/

Fulfills the philanthropic mission of the Getty Trust by supporting individuals and institutions committed to advancing the greater understanding and preservation of the visual arts in Los Angeles and throughout the world. Through strategic grant initiatives, the Foundation strengthens art history as a global discipline, promotes the interdisciplinary practice of conservation, increases access to museum and archival collections, and develops current and future leaders in the visual arts.

**The James Irvine Foundation**
Contact: Jeanne Sakamoto
865 South Figueroa Street, Suite 2308
Los Angeles, CA 90017
213/236-0552
Website: www.irvine.org

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

**Jewish Community Foundation**
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6505 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 1200
Los Angeles, CA 90048
323/761-8700
Email: For appropriate e-mail address, visit foundation website listed below
Website: 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.
**Liberty Hill Foundation**
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6420 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 700
Los Angeles, CA 90048
323/556-7234
Email: jkabat@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.

**Los Angeles United Methodist Urban Foundation**
Contact: Sandie Richards
714 West Olympic Blvd., Suite 508
Los Angeles, CA 90015
213/749-0212 ext. 12
Email: 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.

**Pasadena Community Foundation**
Contact: Jennifer DeVoll
260 S. Los Robles Ave., Suite 119
Pasadena, CA 91101
626/796-2097
Email: 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.

**The Riordan Foundation**
Contact: Jaime Kalenik
P.O. Box 491190
Los Angeles, CA 90049
310/472-2020
Email: contact@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.
**Dwight Stuart Youth Fund**  
Contact: Wendy Chang  
9595 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 212  
Beverly Hills, CA 90212  
310/777-5050 ext. 106  
Email: wchang@dsyf.org  
Website: 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.

**UniHealth Foundation**  
Contact: Caroline Chung  
800 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1300  
Los Angeles, CA 90017  
213/630-6500  
Email: cchung@unihealthfoundation.org  
Website: www.unihealthfoundation.org

Supports and facilitates activities that significantly improve the health and well being of individuals and communities within the Foundation’s service areas of Los Angeles and Orange Counties. Most grants are made to hospitals.

**Weingart Foundation**  
Contact: Fred J. Ali  
1055 West 7th Street, Suite 3050  
Los Angeles, CA 90017  
213/688-7799  
Email: info@weingartfnd.org  
Website: 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.
Human Resources Provider Organizations -
Los Angeles County

Center for Nonprofit Management, Southern California
Contact: Rachel Fox, Project Coordinator
1000 N. Alameda Street, Suite 250
Los Angeles, CA 90012
213/266-8464
Email: rfox@cnmsocal.org
Website: www.jobscoop.org, www.cnmsocal.org/cb

CNM publishes two primary resources for human resources professionals, as well as offering a number of classes/trainings to help individuals make smarter decisions in the field. Jobscoop.org is California’s premiere nonprofit jobs board, specializing in executive nonprofit positions. The annual Compensation & Benefits Report helps nonprofit professionals determine and assure competitive salaries and benefit packages, as well as stay abreast of HR trends in Southern California.

The Nonprofit Partnership
Contact: Linda Alexander
4900 E. Conant Street, Building 0-2, Suite 225
Long Beach, CA 90808
562/888-6530
Email: info@lbnp.org
Website: https://tnpsocal.org/job-postings/

Provides online job listing services for nonprofit organizations throughout Southern California with an emphasis on the Greater Long Beach area.
Grantseeker Information Centers - Los Angeles County

Los Angeles Public Library
Mid-Valley Regional Branch Library
Contact: None
16244 Nordhoff Street
North Hills, CA 91343
818/895-3654
Email: None
Website: www.lapl.org/branches/Branch.php?bID=66

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

Los Angeles Public Library
San Pedro Regional Branch
Contact: None
931 South Gaffey Street
San Pedro, CA 90731
310/548-7779
Email: None
Website: www.lapl.org/branches/Branch.php?bID=9

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

Santa Monica Public Library
Contact: None
601 Santa Monica Blvd.
Santa Monica, CA 90401
310/458-8600
Email: None
Website: http://smtl.org

Grants research center within a public library, serving as a cooperating collection of the Foundation Center.
Management Support Organizations - Los Angeles County

California Alliance of Information & Referral Services
Contact: Maribel Marin
P.O. Box 726
San Gabriel, CA 91778-0726
Email: contact@cairs.org
Website: www.cairs.org

Provides organizational and individual members with training and support to enhance provision of information and referral services throughout California.

California Association of Nonprofits (CalNonprofits)
Contact: Jan Masaoka
275 Fifth Street
San Francisco, CA 94103
800/776-4226
Email: info@calnonprofits.org
Website: http://www.calnonprofits.org

Brings nonprofits together to advocate for the communities they serve, interacting with government, philanthropy, and the general public. Provides members with access to webinars, print publications and e-newsletters; advocacy on issues affecting the nonprofit community; CalNonprofits Insurance Services; and discounts on business products and services.

Center for Nonprofit Management, Southern California
Contact: Regina Birdsell, President & CEO
1000 N. Alameda Street, Suite 250
Los Angeles, CA 90012
213/266-8484
Email: info@cnmsocal.org
Website: www.cnmsocal.org

Develops new leaders, improves the impact and effectiveness of fellow nonprofit organizations, and acts as a hub for connecting the social sector. Provides a full spectrum of services including training and education; executive coaching and consulting services; published resources; and conferences, such as the 501(c)onference. Also serves adjacent counties to Los Angeles.

Community Partners
Contact: None
1000 N. Alameda Street, Suite 240
Los Angeles, CA 90012
213/346-3200
Email: info@communitypartners.org
Website: www.communitypartners.org
Helps build the capacity of both emerging and established nonprofit projects through its fiscal sponsorship program, manages major philanthropic initiatives, and shares knowledge in support of the sector.

**Dunn Communications**  
Contact: Susan Dunn  
6039 Goodland Avenue  
Valley Glen, CA 91606  
818/762-4708  
Email: susan@dunncommunications.net  
Website: www.dunncommunications.net  

A full service communications firm that provides public relations, branding/messaging, internal communications, crisis communications and cause-related marketing. Specializes in working with nonprofit organizations and can help communications with key stakeholders including funders, board members, public officials, the greater community and the media.

**Executive Service Corps of Southern California**  
Contact: David Factor  
1000 North Alameda Street, Suite 330  
Los Angeles, CA 90012  
213/613-9103  
Email: dfactor@escsc.org  
Website: www.escsc.org  

Empowers nonprofits to achieve their missions through high quality, affordable coaching and consulting provided by trained executive-level volunteers. Tailored services include strategic planning, leadership coaching, board development and fund development.

**The Grantsmanship Center**  
Contact: Cathleen Kiritz  
350 South Bixel St., Suite 110  
Los Angeles, CA 90017  
213/482-9860  
Email: info@tgci.com  
Website: www.tgci.com  

Conducts proposal development, grant management, and social enterprise trainings for nonprofit, academic, and government organizations. Graduates receive follow-up support, including access to databases of funders. Provides customized training upon request. Publishes print and electronic manuals for grantseekers and grant managers.

**HandsOn Santa Clarita**  
Contact: JT Gomez  
25201 Avenue Tibblitts, Suite 202  
Valencia, CA 91355  
661/257-1997  
Email: jgomez@handsonscv.org  
Website: www.handsonscv.org
Provides support and resources to build nonprofit capacity and connect local nonprofit organizations with volunteers, groups, and businesses to meet the needs of the community.

**Jericho Road Pasadena**  
Contact: Melanie Goodyear  
75 South Grand Avenue  
Pasadena, CA 91105-1602  
626/319-6466  
Email: Mgoodyear@JRPasadena.org  
Website: www.jrpasadena.org

Provides pro bono consulting and skills-based volunteer program including free technical assistance to increase the capacity of nonprofit organizations and through them, the communities and cities they serve. Skilled volunteers are placed at nonprofits in the greater Pasadena area at no cost to the organization, in defined projects with clear outcomes.

**Nonprofit Finance Fund**  
Contact: None  
626 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 510  
Los Angeles, CA 90017  
213/623-7001  
Email: LA@nffusa.org  
Website: www.nonprofitfinancefund.org

Provides a continuum of financing, consulting, and advocacy services to nonprofits and funders nationwide. Operates a Nonprofit Sustainability and Effectiveness Initiative in Los Angeles (detailed on the NFF website). In addition to NFF’s regular portfolio of services, this initiative provides local nonprofits facing financial challenges with working capital loans and financial consulting services.

**The Nonprofit Partnership**  
Contact: Linda Alexander  
4900 E. Conant Street  
Long Beach, CA 90808  
562/888-6530  
Email: info@lbnp.org  
Website: www.lbnp.org

Provides consulting services on strategic planning, board development, fund development, financial management, IT, marketing and PR, HR, executive coaching and facilitation. Identifies and implements best practices using specialized and diverse expertise in management consulting, professional development and training to enhance organizational performance.

**NPO Solutions**  
Contact: Warren Riley  
4370 Tujunga Ave., Suite 140  
Studio City, CA 91604  
818/766-8448  
Email: wriley@nposolutions.org
Specializes in expanding the capacity of nonprofit organizations to achieve their missions through strategic development and restructuring, capacity building, and evaluation. NPO Solutions has partnered with over 250 nonprofit organizations in Southern California, supporting a broad range of organizations in achieving greater effectiveness, efficiency, sustainability, and community impact.

Public Counsel Law Center
Contact: Intake Coordinator
610 South Ardmore Avenue
Los Angeles, CA 90005
213/385-2977 x200
Email: cdp@publiccounsel.org
Website: www.publiccounsel.org/practice_areas/community_development

Builds strong foundations for healthy, vibrant and economically stable communities by providing free legal and capacity building services to nonprofit organizations serving people with lower-incomes in the Los Angeles area. Also provides free trainings, clinics and publications on a variety of topics, including: starting a nonprofit, board governance, employment law, fundraising law, and intellectual property.

Public Health Foundation Enterprises
Contact: None
12801 Crossroads Parkway South, Suite 200
City of Industry, CA 91746-3505
800/201-7320
Email: PHFEcontracts@PHFE.org
Website: www.phfe.org

Provides a wide spectrum of nationally recognized infrastructure and support expertise in the areas of Fiscal Sponsorship, Infrastructure Management and Consulting Services, allowing nonprofit and government agencies to reduce administrative overhead, improve accountability and spend more time and funding on programming and service delivery.

Riordan Volunteer Leadership Development Program
Contact: None
244 S. San Pedro Street, Suite 200
Los Angeles, CA 90012
213/680-8011
Email: institute@LAJCC.org
Website: None

Focuses on training and placing business professionals on the boards of nonprofit organizations, and striving to have them commit to being involved with nonprofits during their career. Also trains board leaders to work more effectively with the Executive Director.

Social Venture Partners Los Angeles
Contact: Judy Bamberger
8055 W. Manchester Ave., Ste. 405
Playa del Rey, CA 90293  
818/807-3516  
Email: judy.bamberger@svpla.org  
Website: www.svpla.org

Makes financial investments in local nonprofits, and engages with them through the SVP Partners, who give of their time, expertise, and business contacts to help nonprofits achieve impact. Also operates the Los Angeles program of Encore Fellows, placing as volunteers professionals at the end of their midlife careers into local nonprofits. Fellows commit to 1,000 hours of work over 6-12 months, are paid a stipend and integrated into the nonprofit's leadership team.

**Southern California Grantmakers**  
Contact: Karen Freeman, Vice President, Operations and Government Relations/Chief Administrative Officer, Philanthropy California  
1000 North Alameda Street, Suite 230  
Los Angeles, CA 90012  
213/680-8866  
Email: info@socalgrantmakers.org  
Website: 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.

**Taproot Foundation**  
Contact: Erica Williams  
1000 N. Alameda St., Suite 320  
Los Angeles, CA 90012  
213/988-6271  
Email: losangeles@taprootfoundation.org  
Website: www.taprootfoundation.org

Offers a variety of resources for all nonprofits to access pro bono services, delivered by highly qualified corporate and nonprofit professionals, in the areas of Marketing, IT, Finance, HR and Strategy.

**University of Southern California, Center for Community Health Studies**  
Contact: Michael Cousineau  
1000 S. Fremont Ave., Bldg. A7, Room 7430  
Alhambra, CA 91803  
626/457-4057  
Email: cousinea@usc.edu  
Website: http://communityhealth.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.
Urban Guild Policy Institute
Contact: None
4859 West Saloon, #354
Los Angeles, CA 90056
323/318-0635
Email: info@urbanguildpi.org
Website: www.urbanguildpi.org

Leverages existing capacity building services to enhance the distinctive assets of nonprofit organizations, reduces resource gaps, and promotes their growth and sustainability. Formulating collaborative partnerships, UGPI works with agencies to strengthen their infrastructure, increase their impact, and build fundable projects serving under-resourced communities.

Valley Nonprofit Resources
Contact: Ashley Wright
California State University Northridge
18111 Nordhoff St.
Northridge, CA 91330-8256
818/677-6934
Email: valleynonprofitresources@csun.edu
Website: www.csun.edu/valley-nonprofit-resources

Provides a range of capacity-building services to strengthen the more than 4,900 nonprofits based in the San Fernando region of Los Angeles. Activities include educational workshops, an annual conference on poverty-related issues in Los Angeles (sponsored jointly with MEND), technical assistance, information and referral, knowledge products for free download on VNR website, and special initiatives for communities like Glendale, Burbank, Reseda and Canoga Park. Specializes in strategic planning and services to smaller nonprofits. Operates through a partnership between California State University Northridge and MEND.
Management Support Organizations - Surrounding Counties

Academy for Grassroots Organizations
Contact: Vici Nagel
P.O. Box 293928
Phelan, CA 92329
760/949-2930
Email: vgnagel@yahoo.com
Website: www.academygo.com

Supports and strengthens the Inland Empire's charitable sector through training, resource development, information sharing, and collaboration building. Hosts monthly "IE Resource Network" convenings, workshops, individualized trainings, and Foundation Center Funding Information Network, and conducts The Fundraising Academy for Grassroots Organizations™ and The Grantwriting Academy for Grassroots Organizations™.

Nonprofit Management Solutions
Contact: Lenore Lowe
8265 Vickers Street
San Diego, CA 92111-2106
856/292-5702
Email: npsolutions@npsolutions.org
Website: www.npsolutions.org

Provides management 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.

OneOC
Contact: None
1901 E. 4th Street, Suite 100
Santa Ana, CA 92705
714/953-5757
Email: info@oneoc.org
Website: www.OneOC.org

Provides volunteer, training, consulting and business services to nonprofits in Orange County.
Nonprofit Executive Director Coalitions

Burbank Nonprofit Coalition
Contact: Shanna Warren
2244 N. Buena Vista St.
Burbank, CA 91504
818/842-9333 ext. 10
Email: shannawarrenbgc@aol.com
Website: None

Hosts monthly meetings for executive directors to share resources, ideas and support each other in providing more comprehensive services to the Burbank community.

Glendale Nonprofit Executive Directors Coalition
Contact: Edna Karinski
111 East Broadway, Suite 200
Glendale, CA 91205
818/241-8040
Email: edna@cfverdugos.org
Website: None

Hosts monthly networking meetings for executive directors to share resources, ideas and support each other in providing more comprehensive services to the Glendale community. Membership open to any nonprofit organization serving the greater Glendale area.

Valley Providers Collaborative
Contact: Maria "Alex" Alexander
14549 Archwood Street #221
Van Nuys, CA 91405
818/442-0915
Email: alex@center4living.org
Website: None

Hosts monthly lunch meetings where local social service nonprofits network and share information. Meetings usually feature a guest speaker.
Nonprofit Management Higher Education Programs - Los Angeles County

American Jewish University, Graduate School of Nonprofit Management
Contact: Dean Rhoda Weisman
15600 Mulholland Drive
Los Angeles, CA 90077-1519
310/440-1260
Email: rweisman@aju.edu
Website: http://www.aju.edu/

Founded in 1974, the MBA program is designed for talented current and future leaders throughout the nonprofit sector. Our curriculum focuses on leadership, management, fiscal knowledge, fund development, innovation, and individualized coaching. The program's specialty tracks in social entrepreneurship and fund development ensure MBA graduates have the cutting edge expertise they need to excel in their work. Designed for working professionals, our classes are offered in the late afternoon and evening. Significant financial assistance is provided through ChangeMaker Scholarships (50-80% cost of tuition) to support those who are identified and admitted to the MBA Program.

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
Website: 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.

California State University Northridge, Tseng College of Extended Learning
Contact: Dr. Long Huynh
18111 Nordhoff Street
Northridge, CA 91330-8397
818/677-3332
Email: programs@csun.edu
Website: http://tsengcollege.csun.edu/

Offers a Master of Public Administration, Nonprofit Sector Management option which is designed for purpose-driven individuals who wish to develop professionally by acquiring expertise in budgeting, financial management, advocacy, leadership, stakeholder relations, and strategic planning. By emphasizing conceptual and professional development, the program offers a
well-rounded perspective of philanthropy's role in civil society by focusing on both administrative and managerial issues. 18-unit certificate program in Nonprofit Sector Management is also available.

**Los Angeles Pierce College Extension**  
Contact: None  
6201 Winnetka Avenue  
Woodland Hills, CA 91371  
818/719-6425  
Email: None  
Website: [http://extension.piercecollege.edu/](http://extension.piercecollege.edu/)

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.

**Pepperdine University, Seaver College, Business Administration Division**  
Contact: Rhonda Huddleston  
24255 Pacific Coast Hwy.  
Malibu, CA 90263-4237  
310/506-4237  
Email: Rhonda.Huddleston@pepperdine.edu  
Website: [http://www.seaver.pepperdine.edu/business/contact/](http://www.seaver.pepperdine.edu/business/contact/)

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

**University of California Los Angeles Anderson School of Management**  
Contact: Dr. Judy D. Olian  
Box 951481  
Los Angeles, CA 90095-1481  
310/825-7982  
Email: 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.

**University of California, Los Angeles Extension**  
Contact: Dr. Barry Bortnick  
10995 Le Conte Avenue, #731  
Los Angeles, CA 90024  
310/825-7715  
Email: enroll@uex.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.

**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: ccpp@usc.edu  
Website: 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.

**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  
Email: jhknott@usc.edu  
Website: 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.
Technology Resources - Los Angeles County

**Austin Digital Media**  
Contact: Chaz Austin  
3717 Cardiff Avenue, #206  
Los Angeles, CA 90034  
310/838-3622  
Email: 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.

**Civic Resource Group**  
Contact: Robert McConnachie  
915 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1805  
213/225-1170  
Email: info@civicresource.com  
Website: www.civicresource.com

Provides full service technology solutions to civic organizations and nonprofit agencies. Committed to developing the latest technological solutions as they apply to the special needs of civic organizations. Provides technology strategies, tools and solutions that empower organizations and businesses operating in the civic sector to operate more efficiently, communicate more effectively, and connect with their communities.

**Community Development Technologies Center**  
Contact: Denise Fairchild  
520 West 23rd Street  
Los Angeles, CA 90007  
213/763-2520  
Email: info@cdtech.org  
Website: 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.

**DISKcovery Center**  
Contact: Theresa Wu  
The Far East Building  
353 East First Street  
Los Angeles, CA 90012  
213/621-4158  
Email: diskcovery@ltsc.org
Provides technical assistance to community technology centers and other nonprofits throughout Los Angeles. The Center also provides IT, website development and digital video and film production services, as well as other technology-based trainings for small businesses and nonprofits.

**kapow, inc.**
Contact: Ethan Goldstine
522 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite E
Santa Monica, CA 90401
310/394-5276
Email: info@kapow.com
Website: www.kapow.com

Provides professional website design, development and consulting services for nonprofit organizations, educational institutions and arts groups.

**McQuilling Computer Consulting**
Contact: B. McQuilling
444 West Lexington Drive
Glendale, CA 91203
818/547-1225
Email: b_mcquilling@hotmail.com
Website: None

Provides web design services to nonprofit organizations.

**Metzler Consulting**
Contact: None
10866 Washington Blvd. #335
Culver City, CA 90232
310/558-3151
Website: 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.

**Passion Marketing for Issues & Causes**
Contact: Gary Wexler
6311 Romaine Street, Suite 7232D
Los Angeles, CA 90038
323/460-6697
Email: info@passionmarketing.com
Website: www.passionmarketing.com

Assists nonprofit organizations with website concepts and design, and provides assistance with the development of PowerPoint presentations.
**TechSoup Los Angeles**  
Contact: None  
(no physical address)  
Email: ts_LosAngeles@techsoup.org  
Website: 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.

**University of California, Los Angeles Institute for Neighborhood Knowledge**  
Contact: Charanjeet Singh  
3317 Luskin School of Public Affairs Building, UCLA  
Box 951656  
Los Angeles, CA 90095  
310/825-8886  
Email: charan@ucla.edu  
Website: 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.

**YPI Valley Family Technology Project**  
Contact: None  
13630 Van Nuys Boulevard  
Pacoima, CA 91331  
818/899-5550  
Email: info@ypiusa.org  
Website: 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.

**ZAPtech Solutions**  
Contact: Morice Zelkha  
1171 S. Robertson Blvd., Suite 212  
Los Angeles, CA 90035  
213/739-3400  
Email: morice@zaptechcorp.com  
Website: www.zaptechcorp.com

Strictly focuses on providing IT solutions for nonprofits throughout LA County. A comprehensive support package provides support for servers, workstations and users (including regular maintenance, troubleshooting and 24/7 remote monitoring) for a fixed monthly cost.
Volunteer Centers - Los Angeles County

Inland Valley Volunteer and Resource Center
Contact: None
436 West Fourth Street, Suite 221
Pomona, CA 91766
909/623-1284
Email: ivvrcoffice@gmail.com
Website: www.ivvrc.com

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

Santa Clarita Valley Resource Center
Contact: None
20880 Centre Pointe Parkway
Santa Clarita, CA 91380-2890
661/250-3720
Email: None
Website: None

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.

Volunteer Center of Monrovia
Contact: None
119 West Palm Avenue
Monrovia, CA 91016
626/256-8187
Email: None
Website: None

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

Volunteer Center of San Gabriel Valley
Contact: None
300 E. Walnut St. Room 209 (Inside the Pasadena Court House)
Pasadena, CA 91101
626/844-3410
Email: None
Website: www.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.
The Volunteer Center South Bay - Harbor - Long Beach
Contact: Sara Myers
1230 Cravens Avenue
Torrance, CA 90501
310/212-5009
Email: Sara@volctr-sobay.org
Website: www.volcenter.org

Provides services, including but not limited to court referral programs, that connect individual volunteers or volunteer groups to appropriate projects and nonprofit organizations in the community.

Volunteer Los Angeles
Contact: Rafael Castellanos
1360 N. St. Andrews Place
Los Angeles, CA 90028
323/450-5080; Fax 323/450-5081
also: 8134 Van Nuys Boulevard, Suite 200
Panorama City, CA 91402
818/908-5066
Email: rcastellanos@volunteerlosangeles.org
Website: www.VolunteerLosAngeles.org

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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