



GRANTMAKERS
of Oregon and Southwest Washington

GOSW Alumni Connect

GOSW Alumni Connect is a new category of membership at GRANTMAKERS *of Oregon and Southwest Washington* which seeks to provide space for experienced grantmakers who have retired or left the field to remain connected to the field of philanthropy in Oregon and southwest Washington.

Eligibility Requirements

To join GOSW Alumni Connect, prospective applicants must:

- Be a former staff or trustee of a current GRANTMAKERS *of Oregon and Southwest Washington* member organization or a former GRANTMAKERS Board Member.
- Be willing to offer advice, mentoring or expertise to current and new members of GRANTMAKERS, subject to mutual availability
- Be willing to abide by the code of conduct and non-solicitation policies of GRANTMAKERS *of Oregon and Southwest Washington*
- Recognize that they are not acting as a representative of their former organization

Benefits to Alumni

- Continued connection to GRANTMAKERS community
- Networking
- Staying current on philanthropic trends
- Eligible for member registration fees for GRANTMAKERS programs
- Receive all benefits granted to GRANTMAKERS organizational members

Dues & Fees

- GOSW Alumni Connect Members will pay an annual dues payment of \$100
- Additionally, responsible for the registration fees (at the member rate) for all attended programs

GOSW Alumni Connect Membership Application

Name:

Your mailing address:

City:

State:

Zip Code:

Phone:

Email Address:

Preferred contact (select all that apply):

Phone

Email

Mail

Authorization to add to GOSW Email Distribution List:

Yes

No

PLEASE SHARE YOUR EXPECTATIONS FROM MEMBERSHIP IN GRANTMAKERS *of Oregon and Southwest Washington*. "What benefits do you hope to receive from membership?"

PLEASE SHARE THE SKILLS AND/OR ISSUE AREAS WILLING TO ADVISE ON:

Are you willing to be contacted by current members of GRANTMAKERS for advice based on these areas of expertise (based on mutual availability)?

Yes

No

GOSW Alumni Connect Dues \$100

Optional Watershed Support \$

*See accompanying document for information on Watershed

CODE OF CONDUCT: The meetings and activities of the association shall not be used for soliciting grants, attempting to influence the grantmaking decision of members or to solicit for professional services. The foregoing is not intended to stifle networking, collaboration, or special programs offered to the membership by GOSW. It is intended to maintain a comfortable, respectful atmosphere in which professional relationships can be maintained. Therefore, discussions at meetings are to be considered “off the record” unless explicitly stated.

Submitted by*

Date

*I certify that I am eligible for GOSW Alumni Connect membership and recognize the GRANTMAKERS Guiding Principles

Membership is contingent upon approval of the GRANTMAKERS *of Oregon and Southwest Washington's* Membership Committee

GRANTMAKERS *of Oregon and Southwest Washington*

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GRANTMAKERS *of Oregon and Southwest Washington* offers members the opportunity to promote effective philanthropy in Oregon and southwest Washington through enhanced support. Providing Watershed Support is an opportunity to support GRANTMAKERS beyond dues while publicly signaling your organization's commitment to philanthropy in Oregon and southwest Washington.

WATERSHED SUPPORT LEVELS – ENHANCED SUPPORT

Watershed support participants receive the following benefits **in addition** to those offered at each support level:

- Organization name is distinguished in all published instances of GRANTMAKERS *of Oregon and Southwest Washington's* member list, including the website
- Organization name is included in the Watershed Support list on the website
- Organization name is recognized in GRANTMAKERS *of Oregon and Southwest Washington's* monthly newsletter – Philanthropy Post.
- Priority invitations to introduce speakers as appropriate

Columbia Support \$7,500

- Logo/Name in Annual Meeting program and on sponsor signage
- 3 complimentary registrations to the Annual Meeting

Deschutes Support \$5,000

- Logo/Name in Annual Meeting program and on sponsor signage
- 2 complimentary registrations to the Annual Meeting

Rogue Support \$3,500

- Name in Annual Meeting program and on sponsor signage
- 1 complimentary registration to the Annual Meeting

Siuslaw Support \$1,500

- Name in Annual Meeting program and on sponsor signage