

Human Rights and Economic Justice - Mexico 2014 Grants List

EDGE Funders Alliance

(Two Year Grant) \$30,000

General Support. EDGE Funders seeks to address the systemic nature of the social, economic and ecological crisis. By supporting reflection and collaboration among members and forging strategic partnerships in and outside philanthropy, we work to increase resources for community well-being and transnational organizing in ways that build lasting, meaningful social change.

Fund for Global Human Rights

(Two Year Grant) \$100,000

Supporting Frontline Human Rights Activism in Mexico. The Fund's Mexico Program seeks to give frontline Mexican human rights activists the financial resources and technical assistance they need to improve human rights conditions on the ground. The Fund's priorities are: 1) promote labor rights; 2) defend the land and resource rights of indigenous communities; 3) promote women's rights; 4) advance sexual and reproductive rights; and 5) challenge impunity.

Global Workers Justice Alliance

(One Year Grant) \$3,000

General support. Our goal in Mexico in the coming year is to reduce recruitment and labor abuses related to U.S.-based employment of Mexican migrant workers by meeting four strategic objectives: (1) educate and support government agencies to provide services to migrants; (2) engage officials to develop recruitment principles; (3) support legal actions of Defenders that challenge abuses on behalf of migrants; and (4) enhance capacity of Defender Network.

Just Associates, Inc

(One Year Grant) \$20,000

Raising the Voice of Women Human Rights Defenders. JASS is dedicated to strengthening the voice, visibility and collective organizing power of women to create a just, sustainable world for all. Our feminist movement-building and popular education strategies combine innovative learning, organizing, communications, and action to equip and energize activists, expand alliances, and mobilize women's movements for greater political influence and to ensure the safety of women human rights activists in Mexico.

Sociedad Mexicana Pro Derechos de la Mujer, A.C.

(One Year Grant) \$35,000

Strengthening Semillas' Labor Rights Program. Semillas is requesting a renewal grant from the Foundation aimed at preparing the next stage of the Labor Rights program. This project aims to improve Semillas' capacity to strengthen women's labor rights organizations and support strategies for collective organizing. The goals and outcomes included in this project will contribute to Semillas' broader goal of improving the labor conditions and quality of life for all Mexican women through collective organizing in favor of women's rights.

Discretionary

Centro de los Derechos del Migrante, Inc.

\$32,000

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General Support. CDM is a transnational migrant workers' rights organization with offices on both sides of the Mexico-US border. CDM supports Mexico-based migrant workers to defend and protect their rights as they move between their home communities in Mexico and their workplaces in the US. Through Outreach, Education and Leadership Development; Intake, Evaluation and Referral; Direct Representation; and Policy Advocacy, CDM addresses the barriers that prevent migrants from exercising their rights.

International Human Rights Funders Group

\$1,500

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