CREATE LASTING CHANGE
How TRF Can Help

FOR MORE THAN 28 YEARS, The Resource Foundation (TRF) has been making it possible for corporations, foundations and individuals to support life-changing programs across the Americas and the Caribbean. In today’s interconnected world, donors realize that cross-border giving can make a lasting difference in the lives of poor communities that often just need a hand-up to improve their lives.

At the same time, international grantmaking presents complex obstacles such as compliance, tax and efficiency issues, and cultural and language differences. Donors need a trusted advisor to help select effective local organizations they can support with confidence, and assess the real results and impact of their giving.

Since 1987, TRF has been guiding donors through the grantmaking process in the Americas and the Caribbean from beginning to end. With a multi-lingual staff, regional expertise and dedicated relationship managers, TRF helps donors optimize their impact by offering comprehensive services tailored to your specific needs and priorities:

| STRATEGIZE                              | ✓ Craft customized solutions to meet your philanthropic goals. |
|                                        | ✓ Grantee identification from within or outside of TRF’s network. |
|                                        | ✓ Diverse programmatic portfolio in key sectors of development. |
| TRUST                                  | ✓ Comprehensive due diligence to ensure that prospective organizations meet all U.S. laws and regulations for international grantmaking. |
|                                        | ✓ Ongoing Compliance Checks to determine prospective grantees’ eligibility. |
|                                        | ✓ Transparency & accountability ensured through internal and external processes. |
| SIMPLIFY                                | ✓ Grant management support and tracking by individual relationship managers saves donors valuable time and resources. |
|                                        | ✓ Tax-efficient funds transfer by TRF ensures that your donations are fully tax-deductible as allowed by law. |
| MEASURE                                 | ✓ Ongoing monitoring & evaluation through interim and final reports that are analyzed, translated and sent to donors by TRF. |
|                                        | ✓ Impact tracking by TRF lets donors measure the effectiveness of your support and determine your next steps for giving. |
| COMMUNICATE                             | ✓ Visibility of your philanthropy and impact is ensured by TRF’s close collaboration with donors and local staff. |

Learn more about how you can make a difference:
THE RESOURCE FOUNDATION has been a force multiplier for my charge to identify and fund charities in Latin America. Their dedication to our goals has been a critical component in expanding the J&J Credo of commitment and responsibility to people and communities, and we are using our partnership with The Resource Foundation as a model for increasing our efforts in other regions."

– Dr. Rick Martinez, Director of Latin American Contributions, Johnson & Johnson

TRF’s funding partners include foundations, individuals and corporations, including but not limited to:

Alcatel-Lucent, American Express, Caterpillar, Credit Suisse, Deutsche Bank, Dow Chemical Company, Harley-Davidson, Johnson & Johnson, Kellogg Company, MetLife, Pfizer, Starbucks and Zoetis, among others.

OUR NETWORK

TRF’s network of effective local change agents in 29 countries helps donors achieve their giving objectives:

- Argentina
- Bahamas
- Bolivia
- Brazil
- Canada
- Cayman Islands
- Chile
- Colombia
- Costa Rica
- Dominican Republic
- Dominica
- Ecuador
- El Salvador
- Grenada
- Guatemala
- Guyana
- Haiti
- Honduras
- Jamaica
- Mexico
- Nicaragua
- Panama
- Paraguay
- Peru
- St. Lucia
- Suriname
- Trinidad & Tobago
- Uruguay
- Venezuela

OUR PROGRAM AREAS

TRF helps donors target key local issues across the development spectrum, including:

Sustainable Agriculture, Capacity Building, Cultural Programs, Disaster Relief, Education and Job-Skills Training, Environment, Health Care and HIV/AIDS, Microenterprise, Water and Sanitation, Women’s Empowerment and more.

OUR ALLIANCE

TRF is a founding member of the Alliance for International Giving, a strategic partnership formed in 2007 to facilitate international giving in three key regions: Latin America & the Caribbean (TRF), Europe & Africa (King Baudouin Foundation United States) and Asia (Give2Asia).