



# INSPIRING THE NATIVE TRADITION OF GIVING

## POTLATCH FUND



January 10, 2012



### 2012 Capacity Building Program



Heather Miller, Wyandotte,  
Program Coordinator

Heather is committed to supporting Native American communities in their desires to strengthen their organizations and leadership skills in culturally appropriate ways.

Capacity Building trainings a huge part of the work Potlatch Fund undertakes in Northwest Indian Country. We believe that through education, advocacy and granting that Potlatch Fund can make a difference in our Native communities. In order to make a difference we aim to offer 40 workshops and unique learning opportunities to 1,200 participants each year.

In 2011 Heather, and crew, traveled to over 40 different communities across Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana and nationally!

Today we need your help as we plan our Winter and Spring schedules. We would love to come to your community and offer one of our capacity building trainings:

*Journey to Successful Fundraising*  
*Introduction to Financial Management*  
*Nonprofit Startup*  
*Social Media Management*  
*Board Governance Training*

If you are interested in helping bring a workshop to your area please [email](#) or call Heather at 206.624.6076 x12 to further discuss details.



[2011 Leadership Award Video](#)

### 2012 Leadership Awards

In 2005, Potlatch Fund launched its Leadership Awards - named after five outstanding leaders - the awards seek to acknowledge leaders in Northwest Indian Country ([Read More](#)).

Nominate a person making a difference in your community.



[2011 Gala Video](#)



*Join this team of professionals  
making a difference in  
Northwest Indian Country!*



*Quickly schedule monthly  
donations with [Network for  
Good](#) that fit your budget.*

*Your support of Potlatch Fund*

[Nomination Form](#) (self nominations are encouraged)

Nominations are due **Friday, February 24, 2012**

The 2012 Award recipient will be honored at our 10th Annual Gala, Saturday, November 3, 2012 - Tulalip Resort.

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### **Potlatch Fund: Office Manager Wanted**

Potlatch Fund is looking for an Office Manager to assist the Executive Director to ensure the overall efficient and effective management of the operations of Potlatch Fund. This role includes supporting communications, fundraising, budgeting, and financial management. This role has a lead / shared lead role in relation to database management, HR management, other administrative functions and is a key member of the Potlatch Fund leadership team responsible for working together to secure the long-term future for this Native foundation and community-based leadership development organization.

([Full Job Description](#) - [Application](#))

***Deadline to apply: End of business day - Friday, January 13.***

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### **2012 Calendar of Events**

#### **InterTribal Canoe Journey Grant Cycle (2012)**

RFP posted: Monday, February 3

Application postmark date: Friday, March 16

#### **Community Building Grant Cycle (2012)**

RFP posted: Monday, March 5

Application postmark date: Friday, April 13

#### **Native Arts Grant Cycle (2012)**

RFP posted: Monday June 7

Application postmark date: Friday, July 16

#### **2012 Potlatch Fund Gala**

Saturday, November 3 - Tulalip Resort

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### **Your Opportunity to Make a Difference**

You can help Potlatch Fund strengthen Tribal communities and Native organizations through contributions of your time, talent and treasure. Learn more about our mission and how to get involved on our website, or call: 206.624.6076.

[Become a supporter of Potlatch Fund today,  
and make a difference for generations to come.](#)

*will provide support to Native projects making a difference in Northwest Indian Country.*

*All donations to Potlatch Fund are tax deductible: EIN 73-1712905.*

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