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- April 8, 2014 -



Native Professional and Friends Night at the HUB Seattle

Native Professionals and Friends Night

Wednesday, May 28 - The HUB Seattle

Potlatch Fund invites you to join us for Native Professionals and Friends Night at the HUB Seattle, for an evening of delightful conversation, delicious appetizers, and refreshments.

We recognize the importance of bringing people together to share our stories and experiences. Our intent is to generate deeper connections and conversation among Native professionals and the extended community.

The HUB Seattle

220 2nd Avenue South
6:00PM ~ 7:30PM

[Web Page](#)

All are welcome to attend and build relationships with Seattle's Native community. (*This event is 21+.*)

\$25.00 suggested donation will benefit Potlatch Fund and support the work we undertake in Northwest Indian Country.

*This event is co-sponsored by:
Sealaska Corporation.*

[Register online here.](#)

Potlatch Fund's Grantmaking Program

Spring and Fall Opportunities



*Moose at Arlee Pow-wow
Pat Pierre speaking and
recorded by Chaney Bell*

The grantmaking program at Potlatch Fund is designed to honor what our Native and Tribal members believe will transform and strengthen our communities. This year, our grant programs offer up to \$5,000 of financial support to groups and individuals.

Native Arts Projects that are working to revitalize endangered Native art forms, practices, and knowledge through inter-generational opportunities (only grant where individuals may apply).

Language Preservation & Education Projects that are working to preserve, document, and teach Native languages and education based initiatives.

Community Building Projects that nurture a sense of community

*The Salish Institute
2013 Awardee (Language
Preservation & Education)*

among Native people with priority given to applications that establish leadership opportunities for youth.

	Spring Cycle	Fall Cycle
OPEN	Tuesday, April 29	Tuesday, June 24
CLOSE	Friday, June 6	Friday, July 25
Award Checks	Issued in early August	Issued in early October
Information Sessions		
1st (by phone)	Monday, May 19 10AM ~ 12PM	Friday, July 11 10AM ~ 12PM
2nd (by phone)	Friday, May 30 10AM ~ 12PM	Friday, July 18 10AM ~ 12PM

Nonprofit Management Cohort Northern Quest Resort - Tuesday, April 1



*Nonprofit Management Cohort
Participants at the
Northern Quest Resort*

“I feel I’ve gained spirited momentum,” a description Mariana Harvey, Native Youth Leadership Alliance, gave of the recently completed two-day kickoff training at the Kalispel Tribe’s Northern Quest Resort and Casino near Spokane, WA. The training is part of the Potlatch Fund’s Capacity Building program’s Nonprofit Management Cohort. This is a 9 month learning cohort composed of 2013 Potlatch Fund grantees. There are 17 members representing 12 organizations in this inaugural 2014 learning cohort. The participants will receive additional trainings over the coming 9 months. The two-day training topics included fundraising and media management. In addition to the training received, and a major part of the cohort learning model, is building networks within the participant organizations. Connecting Native nonprofits to each other increases their collective capacity by facilitating the sharing of experiences and knowledge.

Our aim, in the Capacity Building program, is to significantly increase the impact that we have on Native nonprofits that we work with by creating a delivery model that captures our past experiences into a more efficient use of our limited resources. In order to provide deeper investment Potlatch Fund has gone to a cohort training model. Participants are selected from current or past grantees. Increasing philanthropy in Northwest Indian Country requires education of philanthropic entities as well as Native-led nonprofits. The Capacity Building program is about our people, empowering emerging leaders and developing sound strategies in nonprofit management, fundraising and grant writing to increase organizational capacity of Native-led organizations. Increased nonprofit development catalyzes the expansion of philanthropy within Tribal Nations and Native communities in the Northwest.



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