

#### News

# Philanthropy and the Sustainable Development Goals



The United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals strive for global wellbeing through multi-level action. Each of these objectives presents significant challenges, such as poverty, hunger, education, health, social inequalities, employment and the environment. We must aim for a collaborative approach. This newsletter presents certain aspects of sustainable development. Philanthropic action, through its many partnerships with communities, contributes to the improvement of society, while also protecting the planet. This will allow us to live in harmony with the planet for as long as possible. After all, there is only one planet Earth! This special edition, led by PhiLab's Ontario Hub, brings together articles that make the connection between philanthropy and the Sustainable Development Goals.



Editorial: Philanthropy, SDGs and COVID-19

by Manuel Litalien, Ontario Hub



Interview with Andrew Chunilall of Community
Foundations Canada

by Manuel Litalien, Ontario Hub



Interview with Jennifer Brennan of the Mastercard Foundation

by Manuel Litalien, Ontario Hub



Les fondations face à l'ODD 2 « Faim 'Zéro' » à Montréal : une forme de citoyenneté alimentaire ?

by Katia Scherer, Quebec Hub



# Self-Determination and Philanthropy's Response to the UN Sustainable Development Goals and the COVID-19 Pandemic

by Lanyan Chen, Western Hub



# A Conundrum for Sustainability and Evaluating Philanthropy

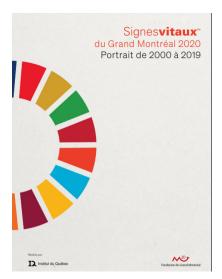
by Garrett Ward Richards, Atlantic Hub



## Recent article by CFC:

Courage and bravery: How can philanthropy step up for the SDGs?

"What is the relationship between the values of the SDGs and the values of philanthropy?"



Fondation du Grand Montréal has recently released their Vital Signs Report using the Sustainable Development Goals framework:

Signesvitaux du Grand Montréal 2020: Portrait 2000 à 2019





Check out this podcast by Community Foundations of Canada: No Little Plans

"No Little Plans is a podcast about the state of SDG progress in Canada, featuring many of the people who are doing the most to help this country succeed."



PhiLab Research Project Introduction:

Ongoing Case Research on Philanthropic innovation for sustainability: A multiple case study on how foundations support Sustainable Development Goals

by Marta Rey-Garcia, International Hub (Spain) and Rosane Dal Magro, Quebec Hub



Mapping the climate philanthropy ecosystem: Foundations' roles and strategies to address SDG 13

by Jacqueline Colting-Stol, Quebec Hub



PhiLab's Quebec Hub has a new central email: philabquebec@uqam.ca. Please

use this email to contact the Quebec Hub as of now.

Diane Alalouf-Hall, Quebec Hub coordinator, is currently managing this email.



Trajectoire de Fondation: La Fondation Lucie et André
Chagnon

With Jean-Marc Fontan and Jean-Marc Chouinard, President of the Fondation Lucie et André Chagnon



Ne sous-estimons pas le capital social de Montréal-Nord

Montreal-North, one of the most underprivileged areas in Canada, is also the neighbourhood with the highest number of COVID-19 cases in Quebec. Faced with the gravity of the situation, how can we support the borough that was hit the hardest? (Article in French only)



Article for PFC by Diane Alalouf-Hall, Ph.D. student in Sociology and PhiLab researcher and Jean-Marc Fontan, codirector of the PhiLab Network.



PhiLab Quebec has a research team working on the Bâtiment 7 project. Check out their most recent pamphlet:

Fabriquer notre autonomie collective

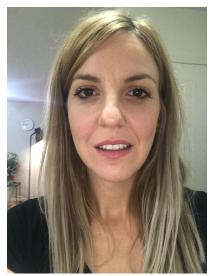


Adam Saifer, a Quebec Hub researcher, has recently published an article in The Journal of Business Ethics:

Philanthropic Nation Branding, Ideology, and Accumulation: Insights from the Canadian Context



The Ontario Hub has a new student:



Isodora G. Sidorovska is a Ph.D. student at the School of Planning at Waterloo University, where she is examining planning process outcomes as competencies for coping with environmental turbulence in third-sector organizations. She has over 10 years of professional experience in community development with an emphasis on good governance, institutional reform and democracy and has collaborated on various initiatives related to youth development and community building in Macedonia and the Balkan Region.

Welcome to the team!



Susan Philips, a member of PhiLab's Ontario hub, has recently hosted a virtual discussion and Q&A:

Resilience and Reinvention: Canadian Philanthropy and Nonprofits Post-Pandemic

"The post-pandemic period will require more than recovery, but a reinvention — of financing and fundraising, services, advocacy and more inclusive engagement with communities."



Des études pour aborder l'après-pandémie seront effectuées à l'Université Nipissing



Ontario Hub's Co-Director Manuel Litalien and research member Natalya Brown were featured in an article by *Radio-Canada Nord de l'Ontario* around his research project on the impact of the pandemic on community organizations in Northern Ontario.



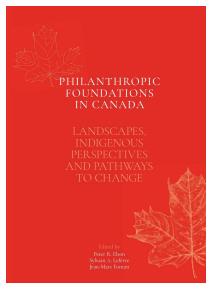
#### The Atlantic Hub has a new student!



Miranda Ivany is originally from Newfoundland and Labrador and is currently working on her MSc in the Rural Planning and Development program at the University of Guelph. Her research with the Atlantic Hub focuses on mapping the current landscape of philanthropy in rural communities across Newfoundland and Labrador, and Atlantic Canada.

Welcome to the team!

# PhiLab's most recent publication



Now available!

PhiLab's most recent book has been published!

Philanthropic Foundations in Canada: Landscapes, Indigenous Perspectives and Pathways to Change

Find the pdf, e-book and printed versions here

Troisième partie Chapitre douze



Le Projet impact collectif de Centraide : la lutte contre la pauvreté à Montréal

Nancy Pole et Myriam Bérubé

Chapter 12 of Philanthropic Foundations in Canada:
Landscapes, Indigenous Perspectives and
Pathways to Change has just recently been
translated to French:

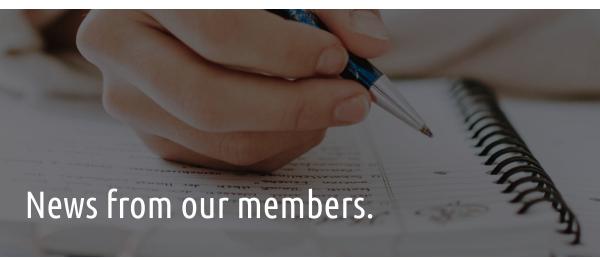
Le Projet Impact Collectif de Centraide : la lutte contre la pauvreté à Montréal



Hilary Pearson, former President and CEO of Philanthropic Foundations Canada (PFC) has written a blog post to introduce our newest book:

Philanthropic Foundations in Canada: What Are We Learning?

" [This book] is a valuable set of contributions to our collective understanding of the history, context, work and culture of modern grantmaking foundations in Canada."







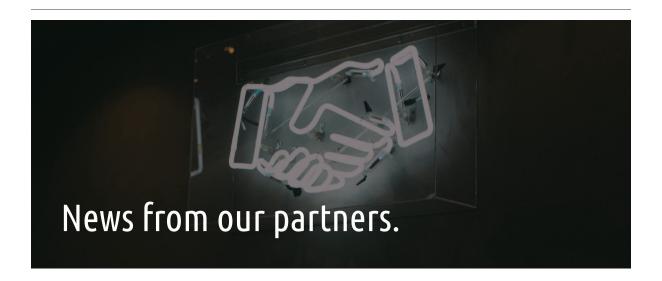


Gestion des catastrophes naturelles en sol québécois : rendre socialement et écologiquement responsables les processus de développement des territoires affligés

"With environmental changes leading to increased climatic variations, we are witness to a multiplication of civil adaptation and security challenges. We are interested in Quebec's management of natural disasters. First of all, we cover the question of Quebec State's legal limitations. Next, we will go over the literature on territorial development. This will allow us to identify the space occupied by prevention when it comes to natural disasters." (Article in French only)

Article by <u>Diane Alalouf-Hall</u> and <u>Jean-Marc Fontan</u> for Diane's Ph,D. thesis.

\*Revue Organisations & Territoires, 29(2), 127-139.



#### Imagine Canada's 2019 annual report is out!



"How do we change the very system in which we operate? How can we ensure that charities and nonprofit organizations thrive?

We do it together – by drawing upon sector voices, insights and talents: our collective strength."

#### Read the report here



Institut Mallet has just announced the creation of an interdisciplinary group on social involvement, the donation of self and philanthropic culture: the «

Groupe Institut Mallet-Université Laval ».

Read their press release here (in French only)





In the context of Indigenous history month, CFC has supported the <u>IPRF Advisory Council</u> in launching a new, entirely Indigenous-led Fund.

## Upcoming webinar



#PFCwebinar Wednesday – COVID-19, Climate Change & Environmental Considerations.

July 22, 2 PM Eastern – Register here

**Past Webinars** 



Tides Canada has recently changed their name to MakeWay

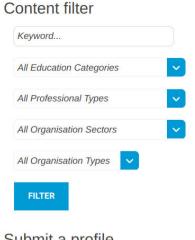
Check out their new website design and learn more about their work here



EDGE Funders Alliance has recently released a very useful resource:

Building Community and Changing Philanthropy for Systemic Alternatives in COVID-19 Times and Beyond

# Add your profile to our new database!



Inspired by the success of our Careers in philanthropy, An overview of the sector in 42 profiles publication, we have created a database on our website.

This database includes the first 42 portraits but also offers the possibility to add your own profile!

Help us shed light on the many actors in the philanthropic sector and the diversity of roles they play by adding yours today.

#### Submit a profile

Submit your profile to become a part of the philanthropy profiles.

SUBMIT YOUR PROFILE

Alliance featured article of the month



As a partner of PhiLab, we are offering a free copy of *Alliance* magazine's issue on Why philanthropy should care about the SDGs.

Guest edited by Heather Grady, Bhekinkosi Moyo and Sevdalina Rukanova , the articles sketch out mechanisms for collaboration on the SDGs or highlight work foundations already do that parallels the SDGs. But they also identify some of the challenges that lie ahead in implementing the Goals



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PhiLab students still have access to the Facebook group which is reserved for them.











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