



# Groups that Act as Fiscal Sponsors

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The following is a working list of organizations that offer fiscal sponsorship services.

## A.J. Muste Memorial Institute

[www.ajmuste.org](http://www.ajmuste.org)

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New York, NY 10013

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Through sponsorships, the Institute enables organizations to receive tax-deductible contributions for educational work related to peace and justice. This is particularly helpful to organizations that don't have the time, staff or financial resources to pursue and maintain tax-exempt status.

## Alliance for Global Justice

[www.afgj.org](http://www.afgj.org)

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Tucson, AZ 85713

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The Alliance for Global Justice offers fiscal sponsorship services to a wide-breadth of organizations, including humanitarian aid projects, direct service providers, networks and coalitions, racial and social justice organizations, international human rights accompaniment work, and legal defense projects. Their services extend from local to global organizations, including organizations based outside of the United States. For an administrative fee of 7-8% for check and online donations respectively, the Alliance for Global Justice offers fiscal sponsorship for grassroots nonprofits that agree with their vision, mission, and core principles to build a stronger more unified grassroots movement. Please note that the Alliance for Global Justice does not provide fundraising assistance other than advice and is not a grantmaking institution.

## Citizen Action Program

[www.openspaceinstitute.org/what/grassroots-efforts/citizen-action](http://www.openspaceinstitute.org/what/grassroots-efforts/citizen-action)

The Open Space Institute, Inc.

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New York, NY 10018

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The Open Space Institute's Citizen Action program fosters the growth and success of community-based organizations focused on environmental causes. Offering a range of technical and professional support and services, Citizen Action mobilizes newly-formed nonprofits to achieve their mission and meet their organizational goals.

Now in its fourth decade, Citizen Action has mentored, trained and launched nearly 150 grassroots startups in New York City and beyond. With a focus on open space access, outdoors recreation and environmental education, groups under Citizen Action all work in some way to protect the environment. Participants range from community gardens and local land trusts, to environmental educators and promoters of nature-based arts and activities. Many groups have gone on to become independent non-profits.

## FJC

<http://fjc.org/fiscal-sponsorship-program>

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New York, NY 10018

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The Fiscal Sponsorship Program (FSP) at FJC assists domestic projects and organizations that have not yet received their 501(c) (3) determination from the Internal Revenue Service. The FSP also helps foreign organizations. Areas of focus include, but are not limited to: education, inter-group relations, health services, social services, religion, science, arts and culture, and the environment.

## Fiscal Sponsor Directory

[www.fiscalsponsordirectory.org](http://www.fiscalsponsordirectory.org)

Fiscalsponsordirectory.org is a tool created by the San Francisco Study Center to help connect community projects with fiscal sponsors. The information about the fiscal sponsors in this online directory is self-reported by each fiscal sponsor in response to a questionnaire. The directory currently lists 256 sponsors.

## Fund for the City of New York Partner Project Program

<https://www.fcny.org/fcny/core/ip/>

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New York, NY 10013

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The Fund's Partner Project Program provides financial management services, including monthly expense and revenue reports and financial reports for funders and audits. It also provides insurance coverage and a comprehensive array of employee benefits. Being in the incubator program gives you access to a chief financial officer, comptroller, auditor, financial manager, payroll clerk, accounts payable department, human resources experts, lawyer and nonprofit coaches.

## Fractured Atlas

[www.fracturedatlas.org](http://www.fracturedatlas.org)

248 West 35th Street, #1202

New York, NY, 10001

(888) 692-7878

Fractured Atlas is a national nonprofit arts service organization. Their fiscal sponsorship program is open to independent artists and emerging arts organizations nationally working in any artistic discipline. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis and approved monthly. Projects manage a sponsored fund through an online tool kit on their website, and you must have regular access to the internet to participate.

## IFCO/Pastors for Peace

[www.ifconews.org/fiscal-sponsoship/](http://www.ifconews.org/fiscal-sponsoship/)

418 W 145th Street #3

New York, NY 10031

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IFCO provides is fiscal sponsorship of grassroots projects that do not have their own tax-exempt status. IFCO partners with projects that do work which is consistent both with IFCO's progressive mission to support community empowerment and with their 501c3 status. As a fiscal sponsor, IFCO agrees to receive grants and donations which are to be used by the sponsored project to advance its work.

## NEO Philanthropy

[www.neophilanthropy.org/fiscal-sponsorship/](http://www.neophilanthropy.org/fiscal-sponsorship/)

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New York, NY 10018

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As a fiscal sponsor, NEO acts as an umbrella organization for an individual or project's charitable work, and accepts and administers funds on its behalf. Fiscal sponsorship at NEO gives groups a non-profit "home" and allows them to focus on their programmatic work while NEO manages the financial, HR and legal elements, giving the projects the room they need to make a significant impact on the world.

## Philanthropy New York

<https://philanthropynewyork.org/fiscal-sponsorship>

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Philanthropy New York takes care of all the administrative and back office details, so you can focus on your mission. With more than ten years of fiscal sponsorship experience, they have the tools, expertise, and proven track record to help you succeed. They know the rules and regulations that govern the work in the nonprofit and philanthropic sectors. Fiscal projects are assessed a fee of 9% on all income to the project, which covers a wide range of administrative and financial services.

## Tides Center

<https://www.tides.org/solutions/social-change-leaders/>

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Tides offers comprehensive fiscal sponsorship and nonprofit management services that allow new ideas to get off the ground quickly and efficiently, and with less risk. They provide back-office infrastructure, financial management systems, and nonprofit management expertise, backed by experienced team members who share your values. Tides supports over 140 projects with fiscal sponsorship, providing them with 501(c)(3) charitable status (and, thus, the ability to accept tax-deductible donations) as well as financial administration, human resource and benefits management, governance, compliance, and risk management. This allows social change leaders to leave the administration to Tides, focusing their time and energy on bringing their visions to life.