

**NEW ENGLAND BIOLABS FOUNDATION  
2017 BOARD-APPROVED GRANTS**

<b>Project Country</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Project</b>	<b>Amount Awarded</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>				<b>\$ 682,658</b>
<b>Belize</b>				<b>\$ 47,000</b>
	Sarstoon Temash Institute for Indigenous Management (SATIIM)	P.O Box 127 Punta Gorda Town Toledo District, Belize C.A.	Mayan communities caring for "Mother Trees" in southern Belize: Training indigenous communities to map forest inventories, standardize forestry practices, and build a network of community foresters. Two-year grant.	\$ 17,000
	Sarteneja Alliance for Conservation and Development (SACD)	North Front Street Sarteneja Village Corozal District, Belize C.A.	The Community Researcher Programme: Empowering youth through leadership opportunities for the better stewardship of the natural resources and ecosystem services of Corozal Bay Wildlife Sanctuary. Two-year grant.	\$ 17,200
	Sea to Shore Alliance	4411 Bee Ridge Road #490 Sarasota, FL 34233 USA	Enhancing livelihood opportunities for Belizean communities through manatee protection and ecotourism	\$ 5,800
	Sustainable Harvest International	104 Main Street Ellsworth, ME 04605 USA	Sustainable agriculture extension and reforestation in two communities in northern Belize (Chunox and San Luis)	\$ 7,000
<b>Bolivia</b>				<b>\$ 7,500</b>
	Instituto Politecnico Tomas Katari (IPTK)	Calle Nataniel Aguirre # 560 Sucre, Oropeza, Casilla postal 158 Bolivia S.A.	<i>Disminución de los riesgos del cambio climático y preservación del medio ambiente en 12 comunidades del municipio de Pocoata/Reduction of the risks of climate change and preservation of the environment in 12 communities in pocoata</i>	\$ 7,500
<b>Cameroon</b>				<b>\$ 64,700</b>
	Cameroon Gender and Environment Watch	Manchok Oku Bui, North West Region, Cameroon	Forest education through native tree nursery development and forest regeneration by children and bee farmers in Ijim Forest	\$ 6,000
	Centre for Nursery Development and Eru Propagation (CENDEP)	Samco Junction Bondadikombo Mile 4 Limbe, South West Region, 742 Cameroon	Strengthening community-led family farms and food security in Mbven Subdivision, North West Region, Cameroon	\$ 7,500
	Environmental Governance Institute (EGI)	Paramount Street Molyko, Buea S.W. Region Cameroon	Addressing the human dimensions of wildlife conservation in communities around the Takamanda National Park in Cameroon: An initiative to support the participation of Kalumo, Akwa, Okpambe, Atinta, and Atolo villages in park management decisions	\$ 7,000
	Forest and Agroforestry Promoters (FAP)	Long Street Ndop Bamenda/Ndop North West Region, 237 Cameroon	Tree planting and bee keeping for water catchment protection and conservation in the Mount Cameroon Region	\$ 6,500
	Geo-Environmental Resource Association (GERAS) Cameroon	Administrative Quarter, Up Station Kumba, South West Region, 237 Cameroon	Climate change workshop for young people: A project engaging youth between the ages of 8 and 16 in tree planting activities in Kumba, South West Region	\$ 4,700

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	Meg Wah (My Earth)	Kawah Street Bomaka, Buea, South West Region Cameroon	Harnessing and scaling up a proven local panacea to deforestation and pressure on wildlife habitat: Promoting sustainable cocoa farming practices in the communities around Tofala Hill Wildlife Sanctuary	\$ 4,500
	Nature-Care-Cameroon (N-CARE)	P.O Box 121 Kumbo, 32, Cameroon	Agroforestry promotion for livelihood enhancement and biodiversity sustainability of the Mbiame Community Forest, Northwest Cameroon	\$ 7,000
	Pan African Sanctuary Alliance (PASA)	3426 SW Arnold Street Portland, OR 97219 USA	Cameroon conservation education program: Wildlife education for schoolchildren in South West Cameroon	\$ 7,000
	Resource Centre for Environment and Sustainable Development (RCESD)	Cheif Street Bomaka P.O Box 30 Buea, South West Region, 00237 Cameroon	An integrated community-led model for sustainable livelihood: Developing a resilient, market-driven agricultural system in the Bonakada community adjacent to Mount Cameroon National Park	\$ 8,000
	The Greens	Teken Quarter, Mile 4 Nkwen Bamenda, North West Region P.O.Box 5112 Cameroon	Forests-people leasing partnership for the conservation of the Bamenda Highlands Forests: Supporting a partnership in which local farmers lease their land for conservation and to carry out alternative income-generating, forest-friendly activities	\$ 6,500
<b>Ghana</b>				<b>\$ 60,000</b>
	A Rocha Ghana	Post Office Box KN 3480 Kaneshie, Accra Greater Accra Region, 00233, Ghana	Biocultural educators as the best bet for our present and future culture and natural resources: The case of Bobiri Forest Reserve and Butterfly Sanctuary	\$ 8,000
	Accelerated Rural Development Organisation (ARDO)	P.O. Box 359 Hohoe, Volta, +233, Ghana	Conservation, protection, and promotion of the Weto Sacred Site at Goviefe Todzi for the enhancement of the lives of people: A project incorporating participatory mapping, tree-planting, and training in bush-fire management	\$ 7,400
	Agro-Introductions Ghana (AIG)	P.O. Box Ct 1095 Cantonments, Accra, Ghana	Enhancing community resource management in the Wechiau Hippopotamus Sanctuary	\$ 8,000
	Centre for Indigenous Knowledge and Organizational Development (CIKOD)	Firestone-Madina opposite AGRIMAT House No. 5 P.O. Box CT 4131, Accra, Ghana	Forikrom bio-cultural heritage and social expressions: Implementation of a two-year action plan designed to revitalize and safeguard Forikrom culture and community	\$ 8,000
	Centre for Sustainable Rural Agriculture and Development (CSRAD)	P.O. Box 67 Esiama, Ellembelle District Western Region, Ghana	Greening and integrating youth through creative approaches to strengthen conservation of Amanzule Wetland for generational benefits	\$ 6,600
	Ghana Wildlife Society	Accra Conservation Center Efua Sutherland Children's Park Accra, Greater Accra, 00233, Ghana	Promoting community participation in natural resource management: A public education program involving the communities around Mountain Afadjato	\$ 7,000
	Greenglobe Ghana	P.O. Box HP 1343 Ho, Volta Region, +233+, Ghana	Community institutional capacity building for natural resource management in Saviefe Agorkpo	\$ 7,000
	Herp Conservation Ghana (Herp-Ghana)	Plot 58 Block H Krapah, Kumasi, Ashanti, Ghana	Towards the establishment of a community-based amphibian sanctuary in the Togo-Volta Hills	\$ 8,000

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<b>Guatemala</b>				<b>\$ 30,800</b>
	Asociación de Productores Organicos para el Desarrollo Integral del Polochic (ADOPIP)	Aldea Campur La Tinta, Alta Verapaz, 16001 Guatemala C.A.	<i>Fortalecimiento de capacidades de las productoras y productores de APODIP en agroforestal/</i> Strengthening the capacities of APODIP producers in agroforestry: A project to strengthen agro-ecological approaches to farming, including environmentally friendly production of coffee, cacao, and honey	\$ 7,000
	Asociación Maya Probienestar Rural del Área Sarstún (APROSARSTUN)	Aldea Barra Lámpara Livingston, Izabal, Guatemala C.A.	Supporting sustainable livelihoods investments for fishing communities in the Rio Sarstun Protected Area	\$ 7,000
	Fundación Mundo Azul	Bulevar Landívar 10-05 Paseo Cayalá, Zona 16 Guatemala City, 01016 Guatemala	Participatory solid waste management at a shark-fishing community on Guatemala's Caribbean Coast	\$ 8,800
	Fundación ProPetén	Calle central Flores, Petén, Guatemala C.A.	<i>Fortalecimiento a la gobernanza comunitaria para la gestión de los recursos naturales y culturales/</i> Strengthening community governance for the management of natural and cultural resources around Naj Tunich Archaeological Park	\$ 8,000
<b>Honduras</b>				<b>\$ 51,240</b>
	EcoLogic Development Fund	12 Kimball Road, Unit 2 Watertown, MA 02472 USA	Empowering rural communities for landscape-level conservation in Honduras: An ongoing initiative to strengthen the capacity of two local community groups and a municipal government to conserve forests. Two-year grant.	\$ 20,000
	Grassroots International	179 Boylston Street, 4th Floor Boston, MA 02130 USA	Conserving and defending biocultural diversity and lands in the Indigenous Garifuna Region of the Honduran Caribbean Coast: Expanding the agroecological, land preservation, and organizing skills of the community. Two-year grant.	\$ 15,000
	MarAlliance	32 Coconut Drive San Pedro, Belize, C.A.	Working with Honduras' future decision-makers to create ambassadors for sharks and rays and their habitats	\$ 8,740
	Mesoamerican Development Institute	1 University Avenue Lowell MA 01854 USA	Local capacity building for the Yoro Biological Corridor Initiative: Support to ensure local youth are able to continue mapping integrated open canopy (IOC) farms and conducting the carbon sequestration assessments	\$ 7,500
<b>Nicaragua</b>				<b>\$ 36,000</b>
	Asociación Movimiento de Jóvenes de Ometepe (AMOJO)	Del puerto de Moyogalpa Oficinas de ROCO Municipio de Moyogalpa Isla de Ometepe, Rivas, Nicaragua C.A.	<i>Cuidando la Reserva de Biosfera Isla de Ometepe, cuidó mi vida y mi seguridad y la de los demás/</i> By caring for the Ometepe Island Biosphere Reserve, I care for my life, my safety, and that of others	\$ 7,000
	CANTERA Center for Communication and Popular Education	De plaza el sol, dos cuadras al sur, 1 cuadra arriba Casa #8 Managua, Nicaragua C.A.	Strengthening agroecological practices and seed banks on the Pacific Coast of Nicaragua: An initiative in eight communities in Rivas to work toward sustainable food production for local consumption	\$ 8,000
	Earth Island Institute, Guías Unidos	2150 Allston Way, Suite 460 Berkeley, CA 94704 USA	Guías Unidos: Improving the resources for and expanding the work of local guides on Ometepe Island, Nicaragua	\$ 7,000
	Fauna & Flora International	The David Attenborough Building Pembroke Street, Cambridge CB2 3QZ, United Kingdom	Integrated ecosystem-based landscape management in the Ometepe Island Biosphere Reserve	\$ 7,000

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	Foods Resource Bank	4479 Central Avenue Western Springs, IL 60558 USA	Children flourishing in safe and food secure communities: A holistic approach to food security in 17 Miskito and Mayagna communities along the Coco River	\$ 7,000
<b>Peru</b>				<b>\$ 69,000</b>
	Acaté Amazon Conservation	P.O. Box 15895 San Francisco, CA 94115 USA	The Matsés Indigenous mapping initiative: Defining ancestral landscapes, renew cultural connection to land, and empower rainforest protection	\$ 6,500
	Alianza Arkana	Jr Aquaytia #560 Yarinacocha, Pucallpa, Ucayali, Peru	Sustainable livelihoods, food sovereignty, and reforestation in the Shipibo community of Santa Clara	\$ 8,000
	Asociación Minga Peru	Calle Sargento Lores 469 Iquitos-Loreto Lima 18, Peru S.A.	<i>Proyecto de liderazgo de mujeres y preservación bio-cultural</i> /Women leadership and bio-cultural preservation project. Two-year grant.	\$ 19,000
	E-Tech International	231 Las Mañanitas Santa Fe, NM 87501 USA	Development of Indigenous expertise to protect andean watersheds from extractive industries	\$ 7,500
	OnePlanet	9764 High Water Court Burke, VA 22015 USA	Using stingless beekeeping as a sustainable development tool in Maijuna Lands, Peruvian Amazon	\$ 7,500
	Planeta Oceano	Malecon Armendariz 199 dpto. 201 Lima 18, Peru S.A.	Connecting schools and promoting young leaders in marine conservation: Facilitating online conversations with peers from distinct geographies that will catalyze knowledge exchange and mobilize community action	\$ 7,000
	Red de Conservación Voluntaria de Amazonas (SPDA, as fiscal agent)	Jr. Asunción 1340, Jr. La Merced 802 Barrio La Laguna, Chachapoyas, Perú	<i>Creando promotores de conservación y turismo sostenible para contribuir a la sostenibilidad financiera y al relevo generacional de la Red de Conservación Voluntaria de Amazonas</i> /Creating promoters of conservation and sustainable tourism for the financial sustainability of the Amazon Voluntary Conservation Network	\$ 6,000
	Saphichay	Psje Raymond 189 Huancayo, Junin, Peru S.A.	<i>Talpunanchicñam</i> : A project that works with schoolchildren and their parents in Huancayo, located in the central Andes, to revitalize their connection to seeds, soil, native diet, language, and identity through bio-cultural conservation	\$ 7,500
<b>USA</b>				<b>\$ 80,000</b>
	Backyard Growers	269 Main Street Gloucester, MA 01930 USA	School and youth community garden program expansion in Gloucester, MA	\$ 5,000
	Cape Ann Farmer's Market	P.O. Box 1458 Gloucester, MA 01931 USA	Improving fresh food access and supporting local farms and sustainable fisheries on Cape Ann	\$ 5,000
	Cape Ann Trail Stewards	PO Box 690 Essex, MA 01929 USA	Enhancing trail access on Cape Ann through collaborative management with municipalities	\$ 5,000
	Essex County Trail Association	P.O. Box 358 Hamilton, MA 01936 USA	Willowdale culvert replacement: Piloting a new technology for improved flow in Willowdale State Forest	\$ 5,000
	Essex National Heritage Commission	10 Federal Street, Suite 12 Salem, MA 01970 USA	Teacher professional development in place-based service learning: A program that empowers Essex County teachers to work with community partners to embed local resources and service opportunities into curriculum development and implementation	\$ 5,000

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	Gloucester Stage Company	267 East Main Street Gloucester, MA 01930 USA	Youth acting workshop program: Creative and educational programming in the dramatic arts for local schoolchildren aged 6-18	\$ 5,000
	Ipswich Museum	54 S. Main Street Ipswich, MA 01938 USA	Sally's Pond Butterfly Meadow: Continued support to restore and improve an existing butterfly and native pollinator meadow	\$ 5,000
	Ipswich River Watershed Association (IRWA)	P.O. Box 576 Ipswich, MA 01938 USA	Creation of an enhanced citizen-based water-quality monitoring model	\$ 5,000
	LEAP for Education	35 Congress Street, Suite 102 Salem, MA 01970 USA	Healthy Harbors: Marine science service-learning programs for middle-school students in Salem, MA	\$ 5,000
	Lynn Shelter Association	91 Liberty Street Lynn, MA 01901 USA	Art therapy workshops for adult homeless individuals	\$ 5,000
	Merrimack River Watershed Council (MRWC)	60 Island Street, Suite 211-E Lawrence, MA 01840 USA	(En)rolling on the river — The Merrimack as learning lab and community partnership with faculty and students of the River Valley Charter School in Newburyport to further develop place-based curriculum focused on the Merrimack River and its watershed	\$ 5,000
	Museum Institute for Teaching Science (MITS)	1354 Hancock Street, 302 Quincy, MA 02169 USA	Investigating ecosystems and assessing human impact: Teaching STEM in elementary and middle school: A summer professional development institute for teachers on the North Shore	\$ 5,000
	Raw Art Works, Inc.	37 Central Square Lynn, MA 01901 USA	Art of Words: Free creative writing, performance, and publishing programs for underserved youth	\$ 5,000
	Salem Sound Coastwatch	12 Federal Street Salem, MA 01970 USA	Acidic Waters: Sustaining a North Shore citizen scientist monitoring program	\$ 5,000
	seARTS	P.O. Box 1476 Gloucester, MA 01930 USA	Interpretations of gloucester marine microbiology: Three local artists will create organza panels depicting marine micro-biological species collected by local school children	\$ 5,000
	Seaside Sustainability	79 Eastern Avenue Essex, MA 01929 USA	Expansion of Seaside's education adventure program and drain smART Initiative	\$ 5,000
<b>Global</b>				<b>\$ 200,000</b>
	New England Aquarium/Anderson Cabot Center for Ocean Life	Central Wharf Boston, MA 02110 USA	Marine Conservation Action Fund: A micro-granting program addressing critical needs in the marine conservation field, including support for early-stage projects led by emerging conservation leaders in developing countries. Two-year grant.	\$ 20,000
	The Creative Action Institute (CAI)	240 County Road Ipswich, MA 01938 USA	Core operating support. Three-year grant.	\$ 180,000
<b>Discretionary</b>			<i>Listed separately</i>	<b>\$ 36,418</b>