



Photo: Acumen Partners at a the Technical Assistance Summit in Nairobi, Kenya

ACUMEN
THE HUMILITY
TO SEE THE
WORLD AS IT IS,
THE AUDACITY
TO IMAGINE
THE WORLD AS
IT COULD BE

ACUMEN PARTNERS

Changing the way the world tackles poverty requires all of us. When you give to Acumen, you become more than just a donor—you become our partner in solving society's toughest challenges.

WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A PARTNER

Our Partners share our commitment to standing with the poor and our vision of building a world based on dignity. Like us, they believe in the power of innovation to catalyze solutions that enable the poor to transform their lives.

As an Acumen Partner, you join our global community of individuals, entrepreneurs, corporations and foundations dedicated to eradicating poverty. The deeper the engagement, the greater the impact we can make together.

PARTNER BENEFITS

- + Our annual Partner Gathering, an exclusive all-day immersion into Acumen's work and an opportunity to connect with our global ecosystem.
- + Field visits where you will join our entrepreneurs on the ground to experience firsthand what it takes to build sustainable social enterprises.
- + Global and Regional Fellows celebrations, where you will hear from the next great generation of social leaders.
- + Private events, such as salons with Acumen advisors and breakfasts and roundtables with entrepreneurs, in various cities.
- + Annual report, newsletters, conference calls with Acumen entrepreneurs and team members, and more.

WAYS TO SUPPORT ACUMEN

- + **Unrestricted:** We will determine where your gift will have the greatest impact
- + **Restricted:** Designate your gift by geography, sector or function:
 - + *Geography:* Africa, India, or Latin America
 - + *Sector:* Agriculture, Education, Energy, Health, Housing or Water & Sanitation
 - + *Function:* Impact, Global and Regional Fellows or +Acumen
- + **Underwriter:** Your gift helps cover our operating costs so we can fulfill our long-term mission
- + **Post-Investment Support:** Operational and capacity building support to help our companies scale

COMMITMENT LEVELS

- + **Stewards** (\$5,000,000+)
- + **Leadership Partners** (\$1,000,000+)
- + **Keystone Partners** (\$500,000+)
- + **Sustaining Partners** (\$250,000+)
- + **Senior Partners** (\$100,000+)
- + **Associate Partners** (\$50,000+)
- + **Development Partners** (\$10,000+)

As a 501(c)(3) nonprofit registered in the U.S., all donations to Acumen are tax deductible.

BECOME A PARTNER

For more information:
Amrita Bhandari
Head of Business Development
abhandari@acumen.org · T: +1 646 747 3687

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- + Margo Alexander, formerly
UBS Global Asset Management
- + C. Hunter Boll, Source Audio, LLC
- + Stuart Davidson, Labrador Ventures
- + Julius Gaudio, D.E. Shaw & Co.
- + Nate Laurell, NewFrontier Holdings
- + Cristina Ljungberg, The Case For Her
- + Pat Mitchell, TEDWomen & Pat Mitchell Media
- + Kirsten Nevill-Manning, Teachers
Pay Teachers
- + Jacqueline Novogratz, Acumen
- + Thulasiraj Ravilla, Aravind Eye Care
- + Shaiza Rizavi, Gilder, Gagnon, Howe & Co.
- + Andrea Soros Colombel, Trace Foundation
- + Kathleen Chew Wai Lin, YTL Corporation Berhad

ADVISORY COUNCIL

- + Chris Anderson, TED
- + Jawad Aslam, Ansaar Management Company
- + Syed Babar Ali, LUMS (Advisor Emeritus)
- + Diana Barrett, The Fledgling Fund
- + Seth Berkley, GAVI Alliance (Advisor Emeritus)
- + Tim Brown, IDEO
- + Peter Cain, former Finance Executive
- + Niko Canner, Incandescent
- + Jesse Clarke, Distributed Power Fund
- + Beth Comstock, Author & formerly GE
- + Rebecca Eastmond, Greenwood Place
- + Paul Fletcher, Teach for All
- + Katherine Fulton, formerly Monitor
Deloitte Consulting
- + Anand Giridharadas, Author &
New York Times Columnist
- + Seth Godin, Best-Selling Author
& Entrepreneur
- + Peter Goldmark, Independent Consultant
- + Allen Grossman, Harvard Business School
(Advisor Emeritus)
- + Jon Haidt, New York University
Stem School of Business
- + Per Heggemes, IKEA Foundation
- + Katie Hill, Liquid Telecom
- + Arianna Huffington, Thrive Global
- + Jill Iscol, IF Hummingbird Foundation
- + María Ángeles León López,
Open Value Foundation
- + Lord Mark Malloch-Brown, Smartmatic
- + Federica Marchionni, Secoo Group
- + Felipe Medina, Transforming
Philanthropy Initiative
- + Susan Meiselas, Magnum Photos
- + Catherine S. Muther, Three Guineas Fund
(Advisor Emeritus)
- + Craig Nevill-Manning, Sidewalk Labs
- + Sally Osberg, formerly Skoll Foundation
(Advisor Emeritus)
- + Noor Z. Pahlavi, Acumen Young Benefactors
- + Jan Piercy, Enclude (Advisor Emeritus)
- + Paul Polman, IMAGINE
- + Maria Popova, Brainpickings.org
- + Bryan Stevenson, Equal Justice Initiative
- + Kerry J. Sulkowicz, Boswell Group LLC
- + Vikki Tam, Bain & Company
- + Mark Tercek, The Nature Conservancy
- + Colonel Patrick E. Tierney, Freeport McMoRan
- + Krista Tippet, The On Being Project
- + Daniel R. Toole, formerly UNICEF
- + Hamdi Ulukaya, Chobani
- + Naeem Zamindar,
Pakistan Board of Investments

Partners have single-year or ongoing pledges
to Acumen as of December 31, 2019.

PARTNERS

Acumen Stewards (\$5,000,000+) The Elma Foundation • IKEA Foundation • MetLife Foundation •
The Sapling Foundation

Leadership Partners (\$1,000,000+) Anonymous (2) • Barclays • The Bernard and Anne Spitzer Charitable Trust
• Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation • Kathleen Chew Wai Lin & Yeoh Seok Hong • Ricardo Cisneros • Dalió
Foundation • Essar Foundation • FMO Finance for Development • Futura Foundation • Giving Wings • Hashoo
Foundation • Martin Dow • Craig & Kirsten Nevill-Manning • The Page Family Foundation Donor Advised
Fund • Prana Foundation • Shaiza Rizavi & Jon Friedland • Robert Wood Johnson Foundation • The Rockefeller
Foundation • Mahvash & Jahangir Siddiqui Foundation • Skoll Foundation • Andrea Soros Colombel & Eric
Colombel • Malin Stroman & Sebastian Knutsson • The Three Dogs Foundation • UBS Optimus Foundation •
UK Department for International Development • USAID

Keystone Partners (\$500,000+) Anonymous (1) • American Express • Autodesk Foundation • Diana Barrett •
Distributed Power Fund • Facebook • Lucille Foundation • MAVA Foundation • Pfizer, Inc. • PwC Charitable
Foundation • Safaricom • Signify Foundation • Woodcock Foundation

Sustaining Partners (\$250,000+) Anonymous (1) • The Amit J. and Vicky L. Patel Foundation • IKEA • Mustafa
Kassam • Nate Laurell & Kris McCoy • Merrill Lynch • The Robert & Kate Niehaus Foundation • Omidyar
Network • Open Value Foundation • The Resnick Foundation • Steven Ross & Shelley Scherer • UNDP

Senior Partners (\$100,000+) Anonymous (4) • The Alexander Family Foundation • Allied Bank Ltd • C. Hunter
Boll • Shawn & Brook Byers • Capital One • Colhoun Family Foundation • Shirin Sultan Dossa Foundation
• The Edelman Family Foundation • Ford Foundation • Four Acre Trust • Fahad Ghaffar • Gulab Jaman
Foundation • Akhil Gupta • Hazon Holdings • Imago Dei Fund • Irving Foundation • Peter & Seimie Kim •
Moody's • Optimizer Foundation • Peter Cundill Foundation • Verdele Polson • SAP • Select Equity Group
Foundation • Sayuri Sharper • M K Reichert Sternlicht Foundation • Surdna Foundation • Matthew &
Anupama Tate • The Tiffany & Co. Foundation

Associate Partners (\$50,000+) Anonymous (2) • Ainslie Foundation • A-Spark • Brinson Foundation • Crabby
Beach Foundation • Rebecca Eastmond • Helena & Gustav Eriksson • The Hershey Corporation • Krupa Family
Foundation • Lubetzky Foundation • Moxie Foundation • Stephen & Melissa Murdoch • Sean Phelan & Audrey
Mandela • QBE Foundation • Rudy & Alice Ramsey Foundation • Safera Foundation • Stiller Family Foundation
• Tamar Capital • Jeanne Flynn & Randy Work

Development Partners (\$10,000+) Anonymous (5) • Abacus Wealth Partners, LLC Philanthropic Fund • Kamran
Amouzegar • Angels of Impact • Argosy Foundation • David & Keira Barry • Adam Bendell & Tracy Masington
• Amrita Bhandari & Amit Aggarwal • Suzanne Biegel & Daniel Maskit • Blue Yak Foundation • Pamela Tanner
Boll • Karen Brown Charitable Fund • Georgia & Rick Bullitt • Wahid Butt • Carmen Caneda & Richard Gilfillan
• Cristian Cardoner • Jennifer Cast and Liffy Franklin • Laura Catalino • Ninan Chacko • James Chowdry • The
CO3 Fund • Katherine Collins • Elizabeth Comstock • Tom & Mary Cooper • Coup de Foudre Winery • Laura &
Christopher Cummings • Murray Dalziel • Thomas Darden • Daniel Darling • Andy Darrell • Roberta & Steve
Denning • Daniel Duggal • Eurocapital Advisors • EY • First Dollar Foundation • Minal & Sheryl Fofaria • Bert
& Candace Forbes • Simon Forsyth • Fossil Foundation • Ken Fox & Ana Tanic • Ann & Tom Friedman • Ian
Gazard • Joe Gebbia • Georgetown Day School • GFP Real Estate • Godley Family Foundation • Golden Bottle
Trust • Addie Guttag • Jeanne and Louis Hanover • Hans und Irmgard Müller Stiftung • Hinduja Foundation
• Hive • Peter & Elisabeth Holland • Holzer Family Foundation • The HOPE Charitable Foundation • Jill & Ken
Iscol • The Jain Family • Warren & Susan Jason • Marshall & Carlyle Jones • Randy Kaufman • Elias Kefaldis
• Amjad Ali Khan • David Knapp • LA+Acumen Impact Circle • The Lampl Family Foundation • The Lawrence
Foundation • Lucy Foundation • Ann MacDougall & Jules Kaufman • Kimberly Marshall • Robert McCarthy
Jr. Fund • Alli McCartney • David McCormick • The McNulty Prize Catalyst Fund at the Aspen Institute •
Neeraj Mehta & Jennifer L. Mehta • Arch & Shelly Meredith • Murray Metcalfe • The Metta Giving Foundation
• Taylor Milsal & Danny Hillis • Mitsubishi Corporation • Jeff & Mickie Nagel and Family • NEC Foundation •
Newmark Knight and Frank • Nike Foundation • Sam Nolley & Maureen O'Brien • NY+Acumen Impact Circle
• Aysecan Ozyegin Oktay • JP & Claire Paquin • Matthew and Natalie Petersen • Michael & Sarah Peterson •
Scott M. Pinkus • The Ring Family • Doug & Christine Rohde • Peter Rosenbauer • Fred Roses and Deidre Brown
Charitable Fund • Martine & Bina Rothblatt/United Therapeutics Corp • Dianne Rudo • S & P Goodwill Fund •
Malik Sarwar • Madeleine Schachter • Darren Schluter • Beverly See • Kaustuv Sen • Ricky Seung • Elizabeth
A Sheehan Charitable Fund • David and Dianne Shen • Susan M. Sherrerd • Steve Silberstein • The Sine
Family • St. Matthews Healthcare • Craig & Jennifer Staub • Margaret & David Stewart • Mark & Amy Tercek
Foundation • Dan Toole & Beth Verhey • Toronto+Acumen Impact Circle • Stephen Trask • Travelex • Unilever
• Asiff Hirji & Sarah Wigglesworth • Michelle Wilson • Daniel Richard Wolfe Household • Yayasan Hasanah •
Jack Yeung • Janet Zobel

A1F Partners Matthew Garrison • Nina & Veer Gidwaney • Vinay Gidwaney • Rory Gopaul • Marc Muinzer •
Donna Rolf

Founding Partners Anonymous • The Alexander Family Foundation • APEX Foundation • C. Hunter & Pamela
T. Boll • Charles & Roberta Katz Family Foundation • Cisco Systems Foundation • Andrea Soros Colombel &
Eric Colombel • Laura & Gary Lauder • Lodestar Foundation • Jennifer McCann • Catherine S. Muther • The
Novogratz-Caceres Family Foundation • Phalarope Foundation • The Rockefeller Foundation • The Sapling
Foundation • Lindsay & Brian Shea • Sigrid Rausing Trust • TOSA Foundation • George W. & Patricia A. Wellde •
W.K. Kellogg Foundation • William H.A. Wright II

In-Kind & Pro-Bono Partners AlphaSights • Dan Ariely • Ashnil Hotels and Somak Safaris • AT Kearney • Cleary
Gottlieb Steen & Hamilton LLP • Angela Duckworth • Emily Esfahani Smith • Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher LLP
• Elizabeth Gilbert • Global Innovation Fund • Adam Grant • McCann Worldgroup • Debbie Millman • Nixon
Peabody LLP • NovoEd Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP • Paul Hastings LLP • Sharon Ruwart • Salesforce.com
Foundation • SAP AG • Krista Tippet • White & Case LLP

Legacy Partners Warren & Susan Jason