

Knowledge Work in Today's Philanthropy: Beyond the Grantmaking Buzz

Knowledge work in philanthropy is not new. However, it is getting increased attention. More and more people are relating to the idea of knowledge building. There are also greater numbers of grants professionals with specific roles related to collaborative research, learning systems, knowledge management, information technology and many more variations.

If we take out the jargon and focus on knowledge as “shared meaning making,” we can deepen our understandings and build promising knowledge practices intended to advance social change.

Join Dr. Angela Frusciante of *Knowledge Designs to Change* to explore a brief history of knowledge work in the social sector; learn about entry points for aligning knowledge work with grant strategies; and discuss questions and possibilities for embracing shared meaning making in your organizational and community context.

This one-hour session includes informational materials and resources along with ample time for questions and facilitated group discussion that will surface the emerging knowledge efforts of participants.

Use this session to increase general awareness amongst your peers or networks, to invite partners into a creative equity-driven knowledge project you want to test, or to kick-off a new knowledge function inside your foundation.

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