

**NEW ENGLAND BIOLABS FOUNDATION  
2016 BOARD-APPROVED GRANTS**

| <b>Project Country</b> | <b>Organization Name</b>  | <b>Project Title</b>   | <b>Grant Amount</b> |
|------------------------|---|--|---------------------|
| <b>All</b>             |   |  | <b>\$513,750</b>    |
| <b>Belize</b>          |   |  | <b>\$23,500</b>     |
|                        | <b>Ya'axché Conservation Trust</b>  | Contributing to biodiversity conservation through community participation within the Maya Golden Landscape of southern Belize  | \$8,500             |
|                        | <b>Blue Ventures</b>  | Crossing the chasm for marine conservation: Building Belize's lionfish market  | \$7,000             |
|                        | <b>Oceana</b>   | Responsible fishing in Belize campaign   | \$8,000             |
| <b>Bolivia</b>         |   |  | <b>\$7,000</b>      |
|                        | <b>Asociacion de Mujeres Unidas para el Desarrollo Sostenible (ASMUDES)</b> | <i>Apoyo a la recuperación y conservación de paisajes y saberes bioculturales en tres comunidades quechuas en el Municipio de Presto, Bolivia</i> (Support for the restoration and conservation of landscapes and biocultural knowledge systems in three Quechua communities in the municipal area of Presto, Bolivia) | \$7,000             |
| <b>Cameroon</b>        |   |  | <b>\$81,400</b>     |
|                        | <b>Sustainable Run For Development (SURUDEV)</b>                            | Promoting agroecology to improve food, nutrition and income security of rural poor farmers in Muyuka   | \$5,500             |
|                        | <b>Forest, Resources and People (FOREP)</b>                                 | Sustainable livelihoods and natural resource management in the forested landscape of South West Cameroon   | \$6,500             |
|                        | <b>Wildlife Conservation Society</b>  | Consolidate and strengthen the reduction of forest degradation and enhance the conservation of the Mbam and Djerem National Park through sustainable farming   | \$8,000             |
|                        | <b>Community Action for Development (CAD)</b>                               | Empowering local hunters in alternative enterprises near Mount Cameroon  | \$6,500             |
|                        | <b>Community Assistance in Development (COMAID)</b>                         | Strengthening community-led governance of the Baba II and Santa Mbei Community Forests in the Bamenda highlands  | \$5,900             |
|                        | <b>Environmental Governance Institute (EGI)</b>                             | Addressing the human dimensions of wildlife conservation in communities around Takamanda National Park   | \$7,000             |
|                        | <b>Environment and Rural Development Foundation (ERuDeF)</b>                | Creation of a Community Forest in Upper Bayang within a biological corridor linking Tofala Hill Wildlife Sanctuary, Morne Forest Reserve, and Takamanda National Park  | \$7,000             |
|                        | <b>Green Development Advocates (GDA)</b>                                    | Securing Rights for forest communities against land grabbing in Ndian and Kupe Manenguba   | \$7,000             |
|                        | <b>Limbe Wildlife Centre/Pandrilus</b>                                      | The Green Leaf Vegetable Scheme: Promoting alternative livelihoods for ex-hunters' families in the communities surrounding Mount Cameroon National Park  | \$8,000             |
|                        | <b>Mfombo Foundation (MfoFou)</b>   | Honeybee pollination: a sustainable conservation tool in the Bamenda Highlands   | \$7,000             |

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|                  | <b>Sekakoh</b>  | The Wild North-West Project in the Kom Forest and Babanki Fringe Forest of the Bamenda highlands  | \$7,000         |
|                  | <b>The Greens</b>   | Biodiversity conservation of the Bamenda highlands through community engagement   | \$6,000         |
| <b>Ecuador</b>   |   |   | <b>\$20,000</b> |
|                  | <b>APRODEK</b>  | <i>Agro-biodiversidad con Identidad Shuar: Recuperación de la Biodiversidad de las Huertas Ancestrales y Gastronomía</i> (Agrobiodiversity with a Shuar identity: Recovering the biodiversity of ancestral orchards and gastronomy) | \$6,000         |
|                  | <b>Cofan Survival Fund</b>  | Fostering Amazonian resilience through biocultural mapping of the Cofán ancestral territories of northeastern Ecuador   | \$7,000         |
|                  | <b>Land is Life</b>   | In support of a pilot Indigenous-led grantmaking initiative in Ecuador  | \$7,000         |
| <b>Ghana</b>     |   |   | <b>\$63,750</b> |
|                  | <b>BATlife Ghana</b>  | Community-driven actions to conserve elephants and improve food security in communities near the Bia-Goaso Forest Block in south-western Ghana  | \$8,250         |
|                  | <b>Agro-Introductions Ghana (AIG)</b>   | Strengthening Indigenous and modern conservation practices for flagship species in the Boabeng-Fiema Monkey Sanctuary   | \$7,500         |
|                  | <b>A Rocha Ghana (ARG)</b>  | Sankofa: Utilizing Indigenous culture and folklore to redeem the dying Lake Bosmotwe  | \$7,500         |
|                  | <b>Ahado Youth Environmental Club</b>   | Strategic Approaches to cultural and bio-heritage conservation of the Matukasa Tribe of Lolobi in the Weto landscape  | \$5,000         |
|                  | <b>Center for Indigenous Knowledge and Organizational Development (CIKOD)</b>                             | Revitalizing the cultural heritage expression of the Forikrom community (Northwestern Ghana): Community engagement in developing a biocultural protocol and protecting sacred caves   | \$7,000         |
|                  | <b>Herp-Ghana</b>   | Muni-Pombadze Community Eco-Hub, a learning center dedicated to expanding biological knowledge at the Muni-Pomadze Ramsar site  | \$6,000         |
|                  | <b>Pan-African Organization for Research and Protection of Violence on Women and Children (PAORP-VWC)</b> | Conservation and Regeneration of Endangered Raffia Palm Groves and Challenging Desertification through Tree Planting  | \$7,000         |
|                  | <b>Simli AiD</b>  | Accelerating environmental sustainability of fetish shrines amongst the Dagomba People of northern Ghana  | \$8,000         |
|                  | <b>Transform Ghana</b>  | Mountain forest protection, biodiversity conservation, and community afforestation for carbon sequestration in the Togo range landscape of Ghana  | \$7,500         |
| <b>Guatemala</b> |   |   | <b>\$24,000</b> |
|                  | <b>Fundación para el Desarrollo del Norte Aq'ab'al</b>  | <i>Compartiendo experiencias, fortaleciendo grupos comunitarios</i> (Sharing experiences, strengthening community groups), working with Q'eqchi' Maya communities near the the Sierra de las Minas Biosphere Reserve, Baja Verapaz  | \$7,500         |
|                  | <b>Fundación Mundo Azul</b>   | Participatory monitoring of sharks and rays in Guatemala's Caribbean  | \$8,500         |

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|                  | <b>FUNDAECO</b>  | Identifying the cultural and economic values of the mangrove ecosystem in the Rio Sarstún Multiple Use Protected Area with the active participation of fishing communities   | \$8,000         |
| <b>Honduras</b>  |  |  | <b>\$7,500</b>  |
|                  | <b>Grassroots International</b>  | Conserving and defending biocultural diversity and lands in the Indigenous Garifuna region of the Honduran Caribbean coast   | \$7,500         |
| <b>Nicaragua</b> |  |  | <b>\$42,000</b> |
|                  | <b>Fundacion Entre Volcanes</b>  | <i>Transformación de productos Agrícolas en la Reserva de Biosfera Isla de Ometepe, Nicaragua. Fase II</i> (Transformation of agricultural products in the Biosphere Reserve of Ometepe Island, Nicaragua. Phase II)   | \$7,500         |
|                  | <b>Global Wildlife Conservation</b>  | Empowering the Indigenous communities of Indio-Maíz to protect their ancestral lands and biodiversity  | \$7,000         |
|                  | <b>Fauna &amp; Flora International</b>   | Integrated ecosystem-based landscape management in the Ometepe Island Biosphere Reserve  | \$7,000         |
|                  | <b>Center for the Justice and Human Rights of the Atlantic Coast (CEJUDHCAN)</b> | Preserving biodiversity and reinforcing Indigenous land rights in Miskito ancestral territories along the Wawa River   | \$6,000         |
|                  | <b>Paso Pacifico</b>   | Linking sea turtle conservation to livelihoods in fishing communities of Rivas on the southern Pacific coast of Nicaragua  | \$7,500         |
|                  | <b>Asociacion Movimiento de Jóvenes de Ometepe (AMOJO)</b>                       | <i>Fortalecimiento de las capacidades de la juventud para la construcción de resiliencia ante el cambio climático en la Reserva de Biosfera Isla de Ometepe</i> (Strengthening the capacity of young people to build resilience against climate change in the Ometepe Biosphere Reserve) | \$7,000         |
| <b>Peru</b>      |  |  | <b>\$51,600</b> |
|                  | <b>Pachamama's Path</b>  | In support of the Andean Legacy project at Kusi Kawsay School in Pisac   | \$8,000         |
|                  | <b>Camino Verde</b>  | Oil polyculture agroforestry systems for tree-planting by farmer guardians of the Peruvian Amazon  | \$8,000         |
|                  | <b>OnePlanet</b>   | Empowering Maijuna Indigenous communities to protect their threatened ancestral territory and biocultural resources in the Peruvian Amazon   | \$7,500         |
|                  | <b>Amazon Conservation Association</b>   | Traditional knowledge, land management, and climate change, a project to support community-led governance of natural resources in the ancestral territory of the Indigenous Japu peoples   | \$7,100         |
|                  | <b>Asociacion Civil Alianza Arkana</b>   | Grow, cook and community engagement, an intercultural education program for Shipibo school children celebrating traditional crops and foods and strengthening cultural pride   | \$8,000         |
|                  | <b>RECOVER</b>   | Workshop to develop a participatory management plan for recovery of the Paiche, Taricaya and Sea Cow in the Regional Conservation Area of Imiria, Ucayali  | \$6,000         |
|                  | <b>American Bird Conservancy</b>   | In support of ECOAN's project to strengthen the management and protection of natural resources by local communities in Peru's Ucayali Watershed  | \$7,000         |

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| <b>USA/North Shore</b>                       |  |  | <b>\$45,000</b>  |
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|  | <b>Massachusetts Audubon Society Inc.</b>                        | Seeking Relief from Sea Level Rise: Student Mapping and Leadership Initiative  | \$5,000          |
|  | <b>Kestrel Educational Adventures</b>                            | Salem public school environmental science programs   | \$5,000          |
|  | <b>Gulf of Maine Institute</b>                                   | Learning to Steward the Gulf, citizen science programming for area schools   | \$5,000          |
|  | <b>Gloucester Stage Company</b>                                  | Gloucester Stage Co. Youth Acting Workshop Program   | \$5,000          |
|  | <b>Ipswich Museum</b>  | Sally's Pond butterfly meadow restoration project  | \$5,000          |
|  | <b>Ipswich River Watershed Association (IRWA)</b>                | RiverWatch citizen science monitoring program  | \$5,000          |
|  | <b>LEAP for Education</b>  | Healthy Harbors educational programming in Salem schools   | \$5,000          |
|  | <b>Northeast Organic Farming Association/Mass (NOFA Mass)</b>    | Soil carbon restoration workshops on the North Shore   | \$5,000          |
|  | <b>Windhover</b>   | Quarry Dance 5, dance program celebrating the quarries of the North Shore  | \$5,000          |
| <b>Other/By Invitation</b>                   |  |  | <b>\$114,650</b> |
| Costa Rica                                   | <b>Guanacaste Dry Forest Conservation Fund</b>                   | Supporting community-based marine conservation in <i>Golfo de Santa Elena</i> (across the border from the southern Pacific coast of Nicaragua) | \$8,000          |
| PNG  | <b>Woodland Park Zoological Society</b>                          | YUS Junior Rangers: Building youth leadership and environmental stewardship on the Huon Peninsula of Papua New Guinea                          | \$7,000          |
| Global                                       | <b>The Creative Action Institute (home of ArtCorps)</b>          | Core operating support and contract services   | \$85,000         |
| Global                                       | <b>New England Aquarium/Anderson Cabot Center for Ocean Life</b> | Marine Conservation Action Fund: Protecting and promoting marine biodiversity through small-scale, time-sensitive, community-based programs    | \$7,500          |
| Tanzania                                     | <b>Nurturing Minds</b>   | Sustainable Campus/Sustainable Community project with SEGA Girls School in Morogoro, Tanzania  | \$7,150          |
| <b>Discretionary Grants (staff directed)</b> |  | Listed separately  | <b>\$33,350</b>  |