

The Work

for a thriving, just and healthy democracy

We believe this is a pivotal moment in the democracy movement and now is the time to strengthen our democratic values and practices. Bridge Alliance is uniquely prepared to leverage this opportunity to scale, network, amplify, and facilitate collaboration in our work.

The following is a list of Bridge Alliance Education Fund programs focused on Networking, Collaboration, Amplification and Scaling (NCAS).

NETWORK:

FORGE DEEP, RICH TRUST-BASED RELATIONSHIPS WITH THE LEADERS IN THE CIVIC RENEWAL, REFORM AND GOOD GOVERNANCE ECOSYSTEM TO IDENTIFY THE HIGHEST LEVERAGE OPPORTUNITIES TO SUPPORT HEALTHY DEMOCRACY.

MEMBER ORGANIZATIONS:

Committed to strengthening democratic ideals through their own organizational missions.

WEBINARS: Encouraging and equipping leaders/organizations in the democracy field towards expansion of diverse, inclusive and equitable practices.

MASTERMIND ALUMNI: A mutual aid network of persons connected by their love of democracy. These bi-monthly gatherings offer space for creative and collaborative support of new and “messy ideas” towards strengthening the field and its practitioners.

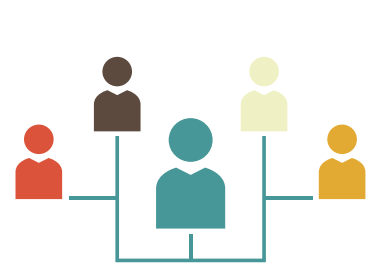
COLLABORATE:

IDENTIFY THOSE STRATEGIC OPPORTUNITIES THAT NECESSITATE COLLABORATION AMONG MOVEMENT LEADERS; STRUCTURE AND SUPPORT THOSE EFFORTS AND SECURE THE NECESSARY RESOURCES TO SUCCEED AT SCALE.

JDE FUND: Justice, Diversity, Equity fund resources work of community activists, organizers and emerging leaders through intentional financial investment and programming, in partnership with community and family foundations

ANNUAL DIVERSITY REPORT: Enlarging our understanding of what is important to our fellow Americans and enlarge our definition of the field so we may become the movement which represents all people.

MASTERMIND COHORT: A six-session cohort exchange designed to jumpstart your social concept and enterprises ...progressing from idea to initiative. Co-learners engage design thinking-inspired techniques and perspectives encouraging ignition of their unique “practice of change”.



AMPLIFY:

ENSURE THAT ALL CITIZENS BECOME AWARE OF AND SEE THEMSELVES HAVING A ROLE IN THE IMPORTANT WORK BEING DONE BY OUR COMMUNITY; NEIGHBORHOOD, CITY, STATE AND NATIONAL LEVELS.

THE FULCRUM: A digital news platform where insiders and outsiders to politics are informed, meet, talk, and act to repair our democracy and make it live and work in our everyday lives.

THE CIVVYS: A national awards program highlighting best practices in civic collaboration and collective action that put community and nation before party, ideology and narrow interests. continues to highlight outstanding initiatives working to collaborate across divides at the national, local and youth levels.

THE DAILY RESOURCE: One minute overview of top stories for the public about Bridge Alliance members sent out several times each week.

PUBLIC RELATIONS: Nevins & Associates of Baltimore, MD works with Bridge Alliance itself and all Bridge Alliance members to reach local and national media outlets, draft and disseminate press releases, media training materials and social media consultation.

SCALE:

CREATIVELY USE TECHNOLOGY AND SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP TO EXPAND CITIZEN INCLUSION AND ACHIEVE THE TIPPING POINT NECESSARY FOR A THRIVING, JUST AND HEALTHY DEMOCRACY.

CITIZENCONNECT.US: A non-partisan platform dedicated to helping Americans find ways to heal our political divides and strengthen our democracy. The best way to do that is to make it easy for citizens to find civic and reform organizations and events that matter most to them. The just released platform is developed and iterating and needs a strong marketing push to attract millions of citizens.

For more information, visit the Bridge Alliance Education Fund website here:

