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## Social Equity & Educational Development (SEED) Grant Fund

### ROUND 1 APPLICATION FORM

**APPLICATION DIRECTIONS:** This year's SEED Grant application cycle will have TWO (2) rounds of applications. If selected to move to Round 2, finalists will be notified by email and provided a copy of the Round 2/Final extended application. The Round 2/Final application will be available for preview and download via the [SEED Grant Fund webpage](#) by November 20, 2020.

All applicants must answer all required questions in this Round 1 application (shown in red). Application responses are required in a basic typed font (e.g. Arial or Times New Roman), no less than 10pt and no more than 14pt. Handwritten and/or incomplete applications will not be considered. **Completed Round 1 applications must be submitted via email by Friday, October 30, 2020 at 5PM PST.**

*IMPORTANT NOTE: If you are applying in partnership with other organizations, as a cooperative or consortium, please provide information for all applicants, but specifically highlight the designated fiscal sponsor organization for the proposed project or program.*

#### **Applicant(s) information**

1. **Entity name(s):** *(Please list all entities involved in this proposed project or program.)*
2. **Has any entity ever applied to the SEED Grant Fund (formerly Cannabis Social Equity Grants) in the past?**  
 Yes  No  
A) If Yes, please indicate what year(s):
3. **Lead Entity Address:** *(Please list only the designated fiscal sponsor or Lead Applicant address for this proposed project or program.)*
4. **Lead Entity Tax ID number:** *(Please list only the fiscal sponsor address for this proposed project or program.)*

5. Individual SSN number: *(ONLY IF APPLICABLE – an individual SSN is required for applicants that have not yet received a business tax ID or have not finalized a fiscal sponsor.)*
  
6. **Lead Contact Name:** *(First and Last Name)*
  
7. **Lead Contact Email & Phone:** *(Email is required for results notification.)*
  
8. **Project Principals and/or Leadership Team:** *(Please provide first & last name and brief bio of <250 words; Optional: In order to accurately track the impact of this initiative, please include race, ethnicity, preferred pronouns, and/or any past direct history with cannabis-related criminalization.)*

## **Proposed Project or Program Information**

1. **Project/Program Title:**
  
2. **Requested funding option:** (Note: Round 2 notifications will also identify the applicant's best funding option)  
  
 One-Time (\$75,000 total)  
 Two-Year (\$250,000 total; \$125,000 per year)
  
3. **Is this a project/program that has received funding from the SEED Grant Fund (*formerly the Cannabis Social Equity Grants*)?**  
  
 Yes  No  
  
A) If yes, please indicate what year(s):
  
4. **Project/Program Summary:** (*<1000 words; Please include details about WHAT the project/program will do, WHO specifically the project/program will service, WHY the project/program is needed, and HOW the project/program fulfills the objectives of the SEED Grant Fund, as outlined in the [SEED Grant Funding Opportunity Announcement](#).*)