

An international funders' collaborative dedicated to protecting the world's five oceans

Who are we

Adessium Foundation Bloomberg Philanthropies Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation David & Lucile Packard Foundation Earth Sense Foundation Marisla Foundation Moore Charitable Foundation Oak Foundation Oceankind Paul G. Allen Family Foundation Paul M. Angell Family Foundation Planet Heritage Foundation Sobrato Family Foundation **Spring Point Partners** Stellar Blue Fund Tiffany & Co. Foundation Waitt Foundation Waterloo Foundation





Grantmaking

- Partners provide \$1 million annually;
 Members at least \$500,000.
- Granted over \$85,000,000 since 2011.
- Supported more than 70 projects involving more than 120 organizations in 50 countries.
- Focuses grantmaking on combating IUU fishing, establishing protected areas and stopping overfishing.





Criteria

- 1. Focus on geographies that are underserved by marine philanthropy without ignoring opportunities in the United States or Europe
- 2. Aligned with our funders' priorities
- 3. Time-bound, policy oriented and opportunistic outcomes
- 4. Globally significant and aligned with Oceans 5 priorities



Strategy

- 1. Collaborative grantmaking involves grantees with preference on national-level and indigenous-led NGOs resulting in unified and focused appeals to decisionmakers
- 2. Oceans 5 pursues opportunities in countries with political feasibility
- 3. Oceans 5 uses its **networks and field expertise** to review and prioritize





Current Priorities

Overfishing and habitat loss are among the greatest threats to the world's oceans.

To address these Oceans 5 currently focuses its work in the following areas:

- 1.Inform fisheries management
- 2.Combat illegal, unreported, and unregulated (IUU) fishing
- 3.Establish and strengthen marine protected areas







