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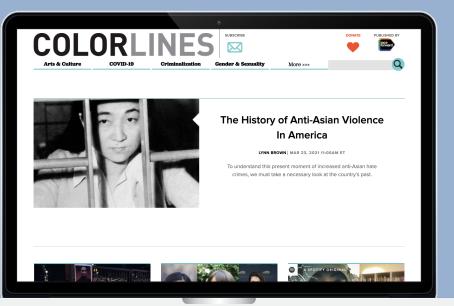
4000 attendees

COLORLINES

reached its highest readership in 6 years

2.9 m pageviews





#### momentum

**A Race Forward Podcast** 

concluded its first season with an

**APPLE TOP50** podcast appearance

nearly **DOWNLOADS** 

### Featured Accomplishments

# **CALLE** membership increased by

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# JURISDICTIONS

Current membership 360+



#### **Developed GARE Foundations to:**

- increase member's access to GARE's training curriculum
- meet the needs of jurisdictions new to racial equity work



**FUND** for grassroots People of Colorled on-the-ground organizations, for distribution during 2021.



### Featured Accomplishments

GRANTS \$10,422,500

INDIVIDUAL DONATIONS \$4,422,250

BUSINESS DONATIONS \$2,924,250

SPONSORSHIPS \$615,250

Raised

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**in contributed revenue**, from foundations, individuals, & businesses.

**35%** increase over 2019

# GARE Member Support

#### RESPONSE TO CRISES AT HAND

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PANDEMIC POLICE KILLINGS OF PEOPLE OF COLOR TRUMP ORDER TO END RACIAL EQUITY TRAINING Provided communications, legal resources, and Toolkit to combat the Trump Executive Order threatening racial equity work.

Provided virtual space for local government racial equity leaders to:

- share strategies for addressing racial inequities in the Covid pandemic, the economic crises, and the criminal justice system.
- focus on the values that guide our work for racial justice.
- confront the harms racism produces.
- work towards a multiracial democracy that advances racial equity.

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# BUILDING RACIAL EQUITY & ORGANIZING RACIAL EQUITY

#### **Provided racial equity training** to more than

5500 people.

#### Offered 59 sessions,

mostly virtual, **an increase from 15** in-person trainings in 2019.





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# Narrative, Arts & Culture

#### Launched the \$1.8m BUTTERFLY LABFOR IMMIGRANT NARRATIVE STRATEGY

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Working with **16 top immigrant justice leaders** 

to change the narrative around migration and immigration.

#### In partnership with 5 other organizations **LAUNCHED THE CULTURAL NEW DEAL**

Calling for an end to racial and cultural injustice and increased investments in arts and cultural ecosystems in communities of color. Signed by more than 2,000 artists, advocates, and culture-bearers.



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# Narrative, Arts & Culture

#### Narrative Arts and Culture

provided training on racial and cultural equity to nearly

individuals in hundreds of arts and cultural organizations, including some of the largest and most influential arts organizations across the United States.









# forward Facing Race Conference

#### pivoted to AVIRTUAL CONFERENCE

for 2020.



The highest conference attendance to date.

#### **KEYNOTE SPEAKER REV DR. WILLIAM BARBER I**

Co-Chair of the Poor People's Campaign: A National Call for Moral Revival, political activist, and author.

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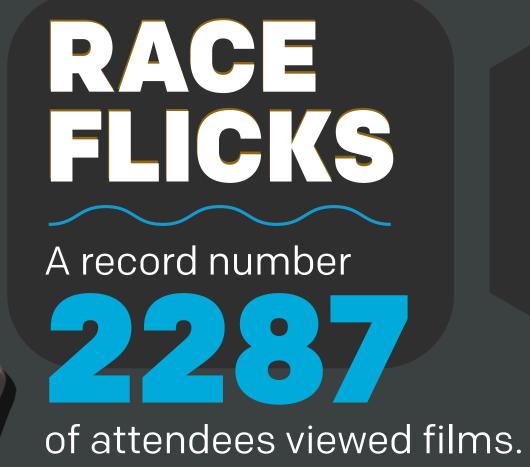
Received a 9.7/10 attendee approval rating.

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#### **3 PLENARIES 45 BREAKOUT SESSIONS**

featuring many prominent racial justice leaders and activists.



# Events #RaceAnd

Introduced a new webinar series to build awareness and analysis of racial justice issues.

# OFFERED 5 events reaching over 3,0000

people

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> #RaceAnd Pandemics

#RaceAnd Building a Movement with Minneapolis Organizers

#RaceAnd the Gender Binary

#RaceAnd Cannabis

#RaceAnd the Vote

# forward Events GARE

#### Led year-long ADVAACIAGAUTY COACTALEQUITY COHORTS with the participation of over 60 jurisdictions

in six states.

#### CONDUCTED 12 INTRODUCTORY WORKSHOPS

Advancing Racial Equity: The Role of Government to **615 participants** across **170 jurisdictions in 33 states** over the course of 8 weeks.

Launched RAPID RESPONSE SESSIONS & A BOOK CLUB to support GARE members. race forward

#### Events

#### Hosted ABOLITION IN OUR TIME: A Gathering of Pacific Islander Asian American Communities

Centered the experiences and perspectives of those of Pacific Islander descent. In partnership with Grassroots Asians Rising and Empowering Pacific Islander Communities and in collaboration with Mass Freedom.





MASS FREEDOM

## Events Monterey County, CA

#### **Co-facilitated a 5-PART RACIAL EQUITY LEARNING SERIES**

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Featuring local organizers and residents who are leading for **racial justice with bold solutions.** 

# MORE 600

community members, local government officials, non-profit, business and clergy leaders came together to deepen their understanding of the local impacts of structural racism and to identify how to more

actively invest in community of color-driven solutions.

# forward Community Support

# PROVIDED OVER 56000K in pass through funding to support

PROVIDED 56010 in mini grants to 26 GRASSROOTS ORGANIZATIONS. Supported organizations leading for **energy democracy and racial justice.** 

Offered space for network-building, learning, and collaboration with local groups and government.

# forward Community Support

Led a project team of five national

#### GRASSROOTS CLIMATE CRAATE STORIZATIONS TO PRODUCE SEEDS, STORIES STRATEGIES

a 3-part web series for climate justice.

# Distributed \$1000K INFUNDS

to families and communities of

**color** to support targeted mutual aid efforts focused on emergency housing, food insecurity, and the barriers to virtual learning **during the pandemic.** 

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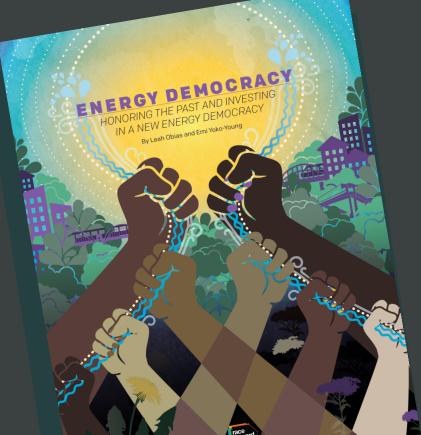
## Research & Reports

#### **Released a new report:**

# **ERGY DEMOCRACY**

that centers the leadership and solutions **from Black**,

Indigeneous, Latinx, and Asian Pacific Islander community leaders.



Administered and analyzed **20 racial equity employee surveys** for GARE member jurisdictions to assess and **measure progress of the knowledge, skills, and experiences of jurisdiction employees related to race and equity.** 

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# Leadership

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#### **2020 BOARD MEMBERS**

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