

Rockefeller Philanthropy Advisors, Inc.
(New York, NY)
Carbon Disclosure Project

Total Award: \$100,000 over 1 year

Program Contribution

Environment Program, \$75,000

Interprogram Initiatives for Social and Economic
Justice, \$25,000

Presidential Authority Grant

To support the Carbon Disclosure Project (CDP), a project of Rockefeller Philanthropy Advisors, which aims to create a lasting relationship between shareholders and corporations with regard to the investment risk and business implications presented by climate change. CDP has grown to become the single largest ever collaboration of institutional investors - \$9.2 trillion in assets - to survey companies on a corporate responsibility issue. The successful launch of the CDP 2002 report last year and the scheduled launch of the CDP 2003 report in June 2004, has allowed CDP to leverage the relationship between investors and corporations to act as a catalyst to facilitate carbon abatement. For the 2004 report on corporate responses to the survey -- which asks companies what steps they are taking to minimize financial and legal liabilities related to global warming -- CDP will be working to 1) secure the support of 150 investment institutions representing \$15 trillion in assets; 2) broaden the investor base with a particular focus on the U.S.; 3) secure a 95% response rate; 4) produce a report analyzing the data received; 5) launch the report globally in April 2005 with significant key-note speakers in London, New York, and Hong Kong; and 6) broadly disseminate the CDP message.

Environment Program: *Objective I, Strategies 1 & 2*

Interprogram Initiatives for Social and Economic Justice: *Objectives I & II*