

Jewish Fund for Justice, Inc.

(New York, NY)

Faith-based Community Organizing Initiative

Total Award: \$165,000 over 14 months

To support the Faith-based Community Organizing (FBCO) Initiative in its work to engage the Jewish community in systemic social change by advancing synagogue participation in Faith-based Community Organizing networks. The FBCO Initiative will raise the visibility of FBCO within the American Jewish community through conferences, meetings with "gatekeepers," press coverage, and strategic distribution of its manual; provide technical and financial assistance to synagogues and FBCO networks in target cities and states; work with Interfaith Funders to pilot FBCO training in seminaries; and educate funders about FBCO as a powerful vehicle for engaging the Jewish community in social change.

Program Contribution Breakdown:

\$165,000 Jewish Life and Values/Contemplative Practice Program: *Goal I, Objectives 1, 2, 3, & 4*