

Is there a “right time” to start thinking about exiting a relationship with a grantee?

If things are working, the grantee is consistently delivering and achieving results, why think of ending the relationship?

How to exit “responsibly” (from a grantee relationship and from a field)?

How to reconcile the long term needs of a grantee or a field with a funder’s inevitable need to exit?

As funders, what we want is to catalyze a process that will build and ripple through society, ultimately creating change. How can we ensure that the work that will lead to change will persist even after we leave?

Is it useful to have policies or principles to guide exits?

Capacity building: could it be seen as a possible strategy to maximize the sustainability chances of a successful grantee? *Do we have a panelist that can speak to this?*

Is the current economic downturn creating new pressures when it comes to managing the end of a funding relationship?