VENTURE PHILANTHROPY ORGANIZATIONS

Venture philanthropy uses the concepts of venture capital finance and strategic business management, dedicating long-term investment to growing philanthropic organizations. There are many variations of venture philanthropy, ranging from highly engaged grant-making to straightforward capital allocation.

Acumen Fund
Acumen Fund is a non-profit global venture fund that invests in enterprises that serve the poor. Investments focus on delivering affordable, critical goods and services—like health, water, housing, energy, and agricultural inputs and services—through innovative, market-oriented approaches.

www.acumenfund.org

Children’s Investment Fund Foundation
Children’s Investment Fund Foundation is an independent, nonprofit, philanthropic grant-making organization that uses private equity to make high impact investments to improve the lives of children living in poverty in developing countries.

www.ciff.org

New Profit
New Profit is a national venture philanthropy fund designed to provide the necessary resources for social entrepreneurs to achieve their visions.

www.newprofit.com

NewSchools Venture Fund
NewSchools Venture Fund is a national nonprofit venture philanthropy firm that seeks to transform public education—particularly for underserved students—by supporting education entrepreneurs, helping them grow their organizations to scale, and helping to connect their work to broader systems change.

www.newschools.org

Robin Hood Foundation
Robin Hood finds, funds, and partners with programs that have proven they are an effective remedy to poverty and are a consistent force for good in the lives of New Yorkers in need.

www.robinhood.org

Social Venture Partners
Social Venture Partners (SVP) works to build capacity of non-profit organizations and develop their knowledge and skills as philanthropists.

www.svpi.org

Venture Philanthropy Partners
Venture Philanthropy Partners is a philanthropic investment organization that invests in high-potential nonprofit organizations serving the core developmental, learning, and educational needs of children from low-income families in the Washington, DC area.

www.venturephilanthropypartners.org