



Dear [name],

Can we achieve Liberation in a Generation?

We were recently asked this repeatedly in a radio interview. Of course we answered yes, each time, but it's not because of easy faith. Liberation in a Generation is possible because of you, our partners, in imagining, building, advocating for, and determining an economy we have never seen. Setting a path toward economic liberation within this generation is admittedly ambitious. We hear the call of our ancestors, our current comrades, and our descendants to co-create a vision for the future that is bold and comprehensive, yet pragmatically grounded in the needs of Black, Latine, Indigenous, Asian, Pacific Islander, and Arab people today.

Our collective liberation depends on deep relationships across our organizations. Building the trusted partnerships to probe the deeply racist assumptions built into our economy, to imagine a new reality, and most importantly to set a bold course forward is the not-so-secret sauce of the work of Liberation in a Generation. Collaborations and partnerships were the hallmarks of our 2022.

In partnership, we set out to answer the question “What is the role of corporations in a Liberation Economy?” creating tables to have deep conversations about the path to ending the oppression that corporations wield in our economy and democracy. We also reimagined our economy with hundreds of grassroots leaders as they both dreamed for the future and set near-term plans for childcare advocacy, campaigns to end gun violence, organizing on guaranteed income, and a host of other topics.



Next year, we are eager to be in community, hearing from partners, and sharing our thoughts on Guarantees for Liberation, a set of economic policies that help pave a path toward our collective economic liberation. As a Black-led organization with an entire staff of color, LibGen like many POC-led organizations faces the same risks of being under-resourced. We're grateful for your commitment to this work, and hope that you can continue growing this movement by [including us in your year-end giving or becoming a monthly donor to LibGen](#). Your investment will ensure that we go even further in our journey toward a Liberation Economy in 2023!

With continued gratitude and wishes for peace and joy this holiday season,

Solana & Jeremie  
Founders & Co-Executive Directors



MOVEMENT SUPPORT

- We supported 10 national organizations and nearly 80 local organizations, including helping groups and coalitions set collective direction, helping to establish policy agendas and narrative frames that engage a base, and delivering popular education that readies a base for action.
- It is a joy and honor to support the [Homes Guarantee Campaign](#) in readying their base of tenants with policy analysis, power mapping, and political strategy to advance a [National Tenants' Bill of Rights](#) directly with administration officials.
- We were also honored to partner with grassroots groups like [Communities for a New California](#) for a second year. Through a series of workshops translated into Spanish, we supported them to create a 16-point [policy agenda](#) with environmental justice, housing, policing and immigration, and sustainable jobs/livable wage recommendations that are responsive to the needs of the communities they represent.

POLICY DEVELOPMENT

- Through our “Big Business Economy to a Liberation Economy” (Big Biz) work, we engaged 60 national and grassroots partners in the development of a policy and research agenda to curb corporate power and center communities of color in anti-monopoly policy and decision-making processes.
- We released policy papers on three of our seven Guarantees for Liberation, including [Guaranteed Income](#), [Guaranteed Housing](#), and [Debt-Free College](#).
- Our Co-ED, Jeremie Greer, was invited by the U.S. House Financial Services Committee for a [hearing](#) titled “[The End of Overdraft Fees? Examining the Movement to Eliminate the Fees Costing Consumer Billions](#).”
- We partnered with the Congressional Caucus on Black Women and Girls (CCBWG) to publish [An Economy for All: Building a Black Women Best Legislative Agenda](#) and the accompanying [BWB Seal of Approval Scorecard](#). These resources demonstrate a visionary policy agenda — and help put policymakers, organizers, and advocates on the path to actualized equity and liberation.

AMPLIFYING A COMMON NARRATIVE

- Our Co-Executive Director Solana Rice collaborated with [Inequality Media](#) to produce [a video](#) using the [Black Women Best framework](#) to explain the need to confirm Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson to the Supreme Court, and [a video](#) explaining why child poverty is a policy choice.
- We published [27 hard-hitting stories](#) that center people of color as the experts of economic (in)justice in the “Heed Us for Economic Justice” column from LibGen and *NextCity*.
- Our sister organization, Liberation in a Generation *Action*, published two full seasons of its podcast, [Racism Is Profitable](#), hosted by Jeremie and Solana and featuring guests like Tracey Corder of the Action Center on Race and the Economy, Lauren Jacobs of PowerSwitch Action, and Maurice Mitchell of the Working Families Party.
- We teamed up with [Common Future](#) to launch our [new Radical Pragmatism framework](#). [Radical Pragmatism](#) is a framework whose principles define and guide all of LibGen’s work and aims to upend systems of oppression.

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