# 2017 CHILE CALIFORNIA COUNCIL ANNUAL REPORT





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## CCC MISSION

Established in 2011, the Chile-California Council (CCC) is a bi-national nonprofit organization that promotes mutually beneficial relationships and knowledge sharing between Chile and California

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BOARD MEMBERS



PROJECTS BY FOCUS AREAS



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## LETTER FROM THE **CHAIRMAN**

Lovell (TU) Jarvis

Dear Councilors, Associates, and Friends:

Thank you for the contributions and assistance you have provided to the Chile California Council's activities during 2017-18. Your efforts facilitated important collaborations and exchanges, and contributed to improvements to our organizational structure and procedures. These activities, described in detail in this Report, include:

Our Annual Board Meeting in 2017 featured a panel of movie producers, actors, agents and critics to discuss development of Chilean cinema and Chilean artists in Los Angeles. Partners Veronica Cortinez and Sergio Torres-Letelier subsequently organized a workshop at UCLA featuring Chileans resident in LA throughout the arts.

The Annual Board Meeting also featured presentations by the governmental institutions in California and Chile tasked with the prevention and/or management of natural disasters such as forest fires, earthquakes, and tsunamis. The Directors of CALFIRE, CONAF, CAL OES and ONEMI discussed progress achieved via the exchange of technical information, strategies and staff and their growing ties.

California experts from the Fire Departments of Goleta and Santa Barbara trained 40 members of Chile's National Civil Protection System to prepare volunteers as Community Emergency Response Teams (CERT) for disaster preparedness and response.

We facilitated agreements between the National Zoo of Chile and the Zoo of San Francisco, the San Francisco

Recreation and Parks Department and the Santiago develop additional financial resources, design and Municipal Park, and Santiago's Chagual Botanical implement additional projects with its collaborators, Garden and the Botanical Gardens of the University improve its communications and achieve greater of California, Berkeley and San Francisco, for the engagement from all its councilors. In response, the exchange of species and technical information. Council developed a new communications strategy, redesigned our website, and created new informational We organized a two-day workshop on the Effects of Landmaterials. The Council developed new procedures and documentation regarding the nomination of councilors and the creation of a new Advisory Board to the Council. I want to express gratitude to the Chilean government, which employs and seconds to us our Executive Director and provides an annual financial contribution that is crucial to our operations. We are also grateful for the significant donations from our Councilors, friends and supporting institutions that allow us to expand our activities.

Sea Interactions on the Coastal Marine Environment in Chile, seeking to identify policies to improve the marine environment. Our partners included The Catholic University, University of California, Davis, and the Wildlife Conservation Society. The Catholic University hosted a public conference to disseminate the results. We initiated the Zero Waste Project, in Conchali, a poor suburb of Santiago, to achieve collaboration among public schools, community and local government agencies to improve municipal waste management, improve elementary schools' physical environments, Our continued success depends importantly on the and increase community environmental awareness. efforts of our councilors and associates. I hope that We are organizing a major Clean Energy Conference each of you will continue to identify attractive areas to share information essential to the development of where the Council can have positive impact and lead renewable energy and electromobility in Chile and programs in these areas. It is an honor and pleasure to California. work with you.

The Council's Executive Committee (Barbara Saavedra. Dan Green, Rafael Friedmann, Tu Jarvis, Jake Leraul, and Isabel Valdes) meets monthly and its members have played active and crucial roles in the implementation of these and other activities. In addition, I want to recognize the exceptional contributions this year of councilors and councilors-to-be Ralph Benson, Eduardo Ergas, Agustin Huneeus, Francisco Letelier, Helen Lopez, Tomas McKay, Tatiana Molina, Marcelo Tokman, Cristian Sjogren, and Susanne Stirling.

During its Annual Board Meeting, councilors discussed longer-term strategy, agreed that the Council should

- Sincerely,
- Lovell (Tu) Jarvis
- Chair

# OUR HISTORY

#### 2008

Launch of the Chile California Plan. The Chile California Plan was created as a result of the memorandum of Understanding between Chile's President Michelle Bachelet and California's then Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger.

#### 2012

The CCC starts operations, appoints Executive Director and organize the board into 5 committees, Environment, Innovation, Education, Trade and Society

#### 2014

The CCC Board of Councilors Approved a Strategic Plan for the Next 4 Years, emphazising functional areas such fundraising, communications and finance.

### 1963

Inception of the Chile California Program. In the early 1960's, Chile and California signed an agreement as part of John F. Kennedy's Alliance for Progress Program.

### 2011

Incorporation of the Chile California Council as a 501 (c) (3) non-profit on the occasion of President Sebastian Piñera's visit to California, bringing together representatives from both public and private sectors.

### 2013

Chile and California Renew Agreement for Collaboration. Lt. Governor Gavin Newsom gives keynote address during CCC Annual Meeting Highlighting the importance of technology in governance.

#### 2015

President Bachelet and Governor Brown sign a historic Joint Declaration in Climate Change. Launch of the New UC Davis Chile Life Science Innovation Center.

#### 2016

The CCC expanded its influence in Chile and California by facilitating support and collaboration between CONAF-CALFIRE on wildfires prevention and control, and between Chile's Oficina Nacional de Emergencia (ONEMI) and California's Office of Emergency Services (CAL OES) on disaster management.

#### 2017

The CCC focus to three areas: Natural Resource Management, State and Society and Technology and creates Chispa-Spark Funding, a lean platform to finance initial stages for mutually beneficial projects in Chile and California. 9

## <sup>10</sup> ANNUAL BOARD MEETING

In 2017, we celebrated the sixth anniversary of the Chile California Council's incorporation as a non-profit organization in California. To mark the occasion, we had a two-day annual convention, congragating Chile's Ambassador to the United States, Juan Gabriel Valdes, the US Ambassador to Chile, Carol Perez, CCC councilors, industry experts and supporters at the Los Angeles's City Club.

This year, the main themes for the meeting were: *Emergency Management* and the *Entertainment Industry*. The two panels, open to the public, had prominent figures in the field including: Mark Ghilarducci (CAL OES); Ken Pimlott (CAL FIRE); Ricardo Toro, (ONEMI), Aaron Cavieres (CONAF) as well as Pedro Pablo Cabrera (Chilean Director); Lorenzo Soria, (Hollywood Foreign Press Association (Golden Globes Award)); Gary Shapiro (Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Science) and Loreto Caro (Chilean Filmmaker).













US Ambassador to Chile, Carol Perez, highlighted the anti-corruption efforts, thriving democracy and safety of Chile in discussing the current US trade surplus with Chile and the growing trade

Chile's Ambassador to the United States, Juan Gabriel Valdes, highlighted the importance of Chile California Council's work in contributing to the cooperation, stability and friendship between both countries. Adherence to rules in trade, successful bilateral agreements and a commitment to collaboration and stability distinguish this relationship but above all the strength of our respective civil societies. He also spoke of the remarkable transformation in the role of women, which has transformed Chile's economic sector and provides another source of collaboration for our countries.





Carol Pérez US Ambassador to Chile



Agustin Huneeus CCC Founder and Quintessa Winery Founder



Alan Bennett Executive Director UC Davis-Chile



Bernardita Mendez President, Fundación Ciencia & Vida



Harley Shaiken Director of the Center for Latin American Studies at UC Berkele



Barbara Saavedra Director, Wildlife Conservation Societ



Carlos Valderrama Senior Vice President for Global Initiatives at the Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce



Carolyn Schuetz
Director and Treasurer, COANIQUEM



Daniel Green Secretary of the Board of Councillors, Chile-California Council; Partner at Gunderson Dettmer



Treasurer Chile-California Cour Attorney at O'Melveny & Myers



**Jose Luis Nazar** Businessman, Land of the Free L.P



Eduardo Bendek Researcher at NASA



Eduardo Ergas President, Eco-science Foundation



Erin Cubbison Sustainable Design Leader at Gensler SF



Francisco Letelier Creative Director, The Phelps Group





Mike Leatherbee Academic Director of the Evidence-based Innovation Research Lab and Assistant Pr





Helen Lopez International Liaison for the Internationa Affairs Office



**Isabel Valdés** VP Chile California Council



Juan Ibañez Director Corporate Legal Sustainability Initiative at Universidad Católica de Chile School of Law



Marcelo Tokman C.E.O. ENAP



Nicholas Shea Founder & CEO Start Up Chile Oz Erikson, Chairman of Emerald Fund



**Oz Erikson** Chairman of Emerald Fund.





Pablo Valenzuela Founder, Chiron Corporation and Fundacion Ciencia y Vida



Rafael Friedmann
Strategic Analyst at PG&E



Ricardo San Martin Professor, Universidad Catolica de Chile Visiting Professor UC Berkeley



ovost, Universidad de Chile



Susanne Stirling Vice President of International Affairs California Chamber of Commerce



Tatiana Molina Executive Director of the Chile-US Energy business Council at AMCHAM



Victoria Hurtado Chief of Innovation, Microsystems, Chil



Tu Jarvis Chairman of the Chile-California Council; UC Davis Professor, and Director of the Richard Blum Center for Developing Economies at UC Davis

## CHILEAN GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES



Juan Gabriel Valdés Ambassador of Chile to the U.

Gabriel Rodríguez Director, Department of Science and Technology, Ministry of Foreign Affairs





Enrique Barriga Consul General of Chile in San Francisco

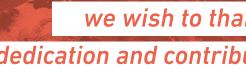
## TEAM

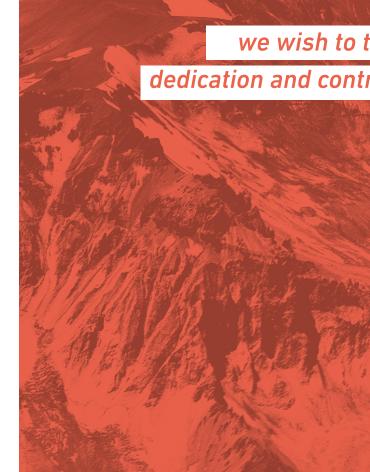


Ricardo Rodríguez Executive Director



Ángeles Roy Operations Manager





## we wish to thank our councilors and team for their dedication and contributions to our mission and programs.





By sparking collaboration and interfacing of people between Chile and California, the CCC is proud to deliver to the world, innovative, relevant, and effective solutions to some of the current paradoxes affecting the economy, environment and societies of both of our countries. We do this by:

- government agencies, foundations, and others.

Facilitating knowledge exchange between high level thought leaders and change makers in academia, corporations,

Igniting bi-regional collaborations that address these challenges through matchmaking of experts and/or funding.

Sponsoring conferences and programs that helps equip the public at large with the tools to address these challenges.

## NATURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

## Natural Resource Management

Chile and California share similarities in geography and climate that makes them perfect partners in areas like land and marine conservation, water management, natural disaster preparedness and sustainable practices. These areas are becoming increasingly critical due to the effects of climate change.

#### PROJECTS

#### ABM EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PANEL

Emergency Management has been one of the most fruitful CCC led collaborations in our history. In light of the threat that global warming represents today, panelists discussed their work to decrease casualties in spite of the rise in the number of natural emergencies and the rapid responses developed by localities with the support of regional governments. This panel concluded with the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between Chile's Oficina Nacional de Emergencia (ONEMI) and Chile California Council, cementing once again their successful partnership.



#### PARQUE METROPOLITANO'S DIRECTOR MAURICIO FABRY VISITS SAN FRANCISCO

The Chile California Council in partnership with the Chilean Consulate San Francisco hosted two important guests, Mr. Mauricio Fabry, Director of Parquemet and Ms. Antonia Echenique, Director of Jardin Botanico Chagual. Both met with their counterparts at San Francisco's Golden Gate Park, Mr. Dennis Kern, Eric Andersen, Dave Iribarne and Matthew Stephens. Both parties were able to exchange experiences and ideas on park maintenance, plant cultivation, sustainability and other important topics. Also in attendance, CCC's Vice-President in California Ms. Isabel Valdes, CCC's Executive Director Ricardo Rodriguez and Consul General of Chile in San Francisco, Mr. Enrique Barriga. Mr. Fabry also visited his counterparts at the University of California Botanical Garden at Berkeley's Director Eric Siegel and Associate Director Vanessa Handley for a warm reception and knowledgable exchange of ideas with Mr. Mauricio Fabry (Parquemet) and Ms. Antonia Echenique (Jardin Botanico Chagual).











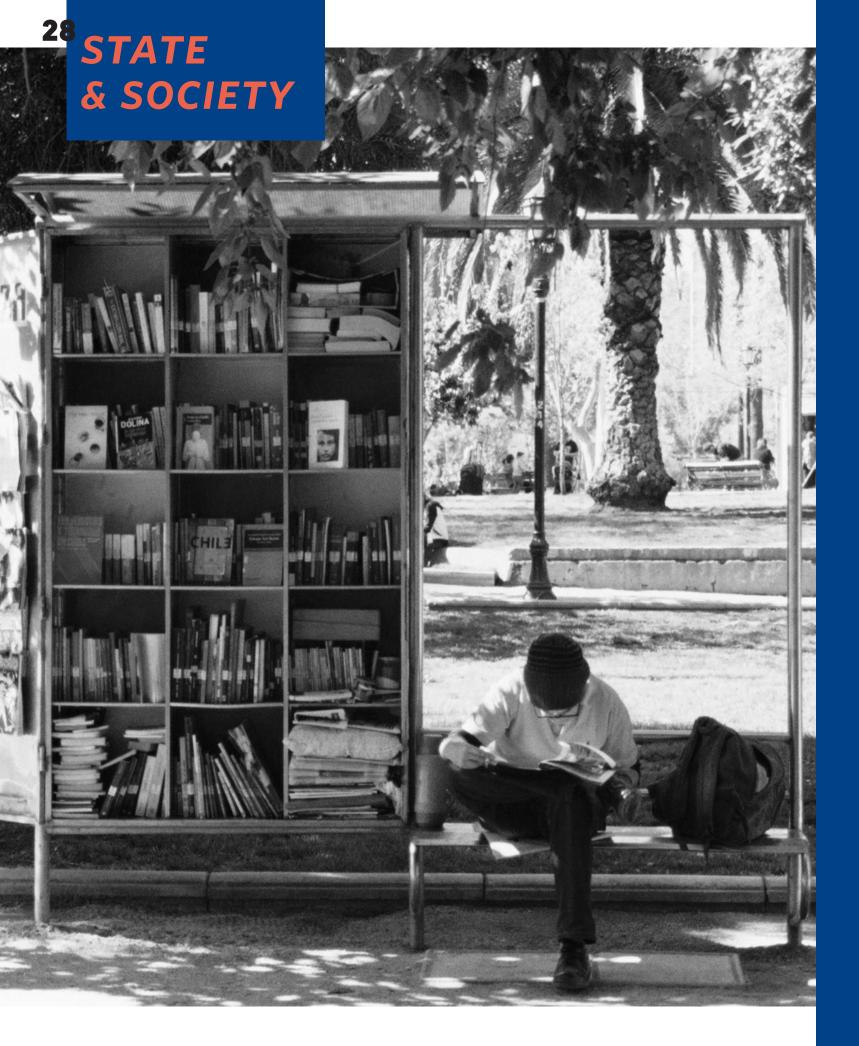
#### CHILE CALIFORNIA CONSERVATION CONFERENCE

The conference brought 24 Chilean conservation leaders (a legislator and legislative staff, land owners, NGO and foundation staff) to Sonoma County, California to meet with 44 conservation and other professionals from California and throughout the United States September 25–28, 2017.

Over the course of the conference the participants took field trips The sites were venues for learning about natural land management in California.

A key achieved goal of the Conference was to facilitate a robust, useful dialogue on issues of concern among Chilean and California land conservation leaders.





Chile and California have evolved differently regarding values of collaboration and inclusiveness, where California has taken certain steps to become a world leader in social inclusion. The engagement and involvement of our civil society is decisive to reduce this breach by meeting some of the needs not addressed by either the public or private sectors.



## State & Society

#### ENTERTAINMENT INDUSTRY PANEL

CCC organized a panel of Chilean and US film industry experts in Los Angeles to discuss challenges and opportunities given the shifting paradigm brought by streaming video, social media and new sources of entertainment.

Speakers, including Oscar award winning film producer, Juan de Dios Larrain, concluded that critical aspects in this industry are tax incentives, funding options, talent availability and preparedness, distribution, competition with LATAM countries, film location opportunities, innovation impacts in the industry and training needs.





#### COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM (CERT) TRAINING IN CHILE

Chile-California Council's Impact: Between October 24-30, Irma Herrera and Suzette Bricker, two certified CERT instructors (Community Emergency Response Team) trained over 40 members of the Chilean Nacional Civil Protection System at the training facilities of Cuerpo de Bomberos de Chile (Chile's Firefighter Department). Special thanks to our partners Helen Lopez, Assistant Director Cal OES; Ricardo Toro Tassara, National Director ONEMI; and Liliana Encinas, State Coordinator CERT CaliforniaVolunteers for making this initiative a success!

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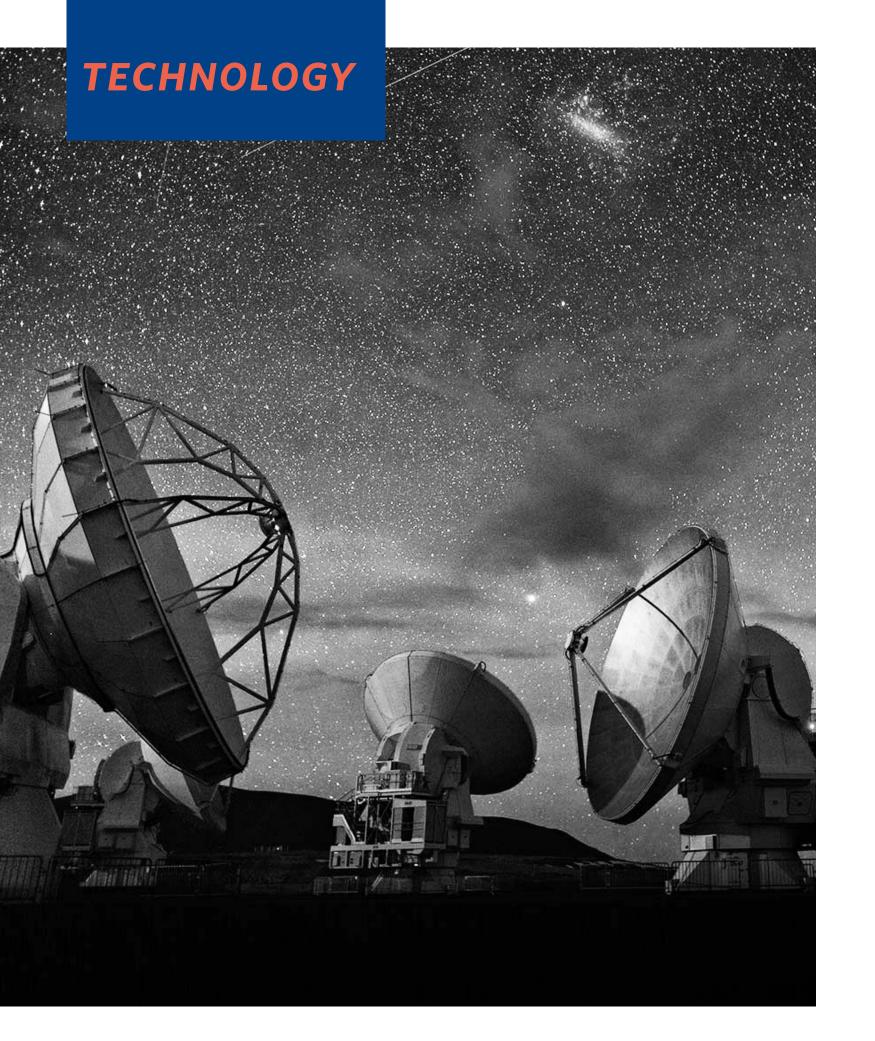


#### AMCHAM'S PUBLIC-PRIVATE MISSION TO THE BAY AREA

The Chile-California Council supported AMCHAM's private and public mission "Exploring Collaborative Evolution in California", which visited the Bay Area (October 2-6) to learn about philanthropy, technology, policy implementation, and conservation.

During this week-long mission, members of AMCHAM, led by its President Guillermo Carey and CCC Councilor Tatiana Molina, visited the Energy Foundation; Packard Foundation; Google Campus; Stanford University; the Ecology Center and Rio Tinto Mining Company among others.





brought societies enormous benefits, including increased productivity, clean technologies, such as renewable energy, and a knowledge-based economy, but also a great challenge to ensure each person in the world enjoys the benefits of technology and the fundamental changes to work and other social structures.

## Technology

#### **BIOTECH EXCHANGE**

Together with Chile Global and CORFO, CCC participated in several meetings in San Diego to promote collaboration and exchange between Chilean scientists based in California and biotech start-ups in Chile.

In this meeting, one of the most recurrent challenges identified for this group was early stage financing and collaborative working spaces for applied sciences in Chile. CCC, CORFO and Chile Global will be addressing these challenges during 2018.



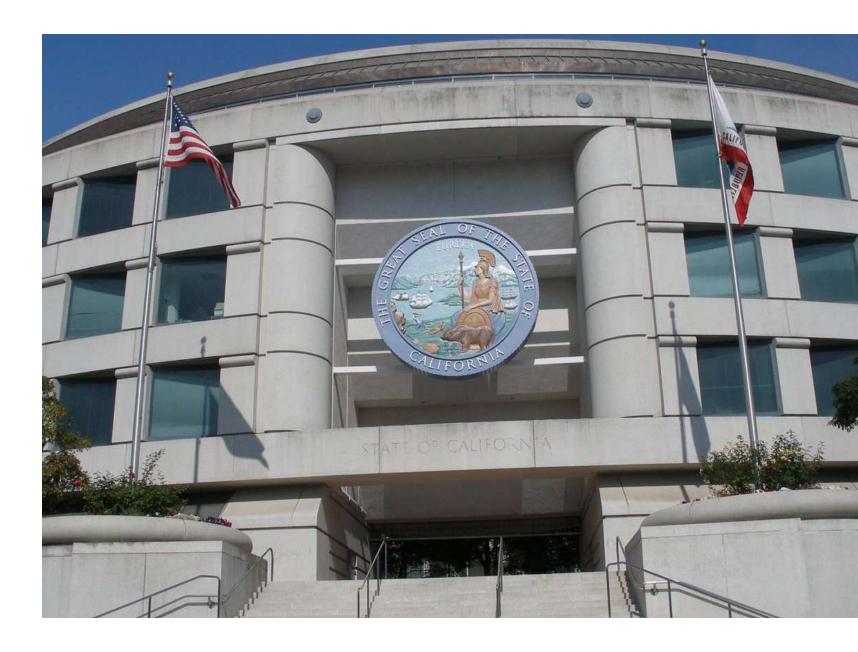


#### SUPPORTING CHILE'S NATIONAL PRODUCTIVITY COMMISSION

CCC The Chile-California Council supported the research trip of the Chilean National Productivity Commission to find case studies and evidence for their study about disruptive technologies.

This trip included visits to peer-to-peer sharing platform leaders like Airbnb, Uber and Lyft and also to FinTech and telemedicine companies.

CCC also facilitated meetings with California's regulatory agencies including the California Public Utilities Commission.



# CHISPA-SPARK PROGRAM

To respond to the demands of a rapidly changing world, the CCC created CHISPA-SPARK Funding Program, where small amounts of funds (from US\$500 up to US\$15,000) are offered strategically to help initiate collaborative projects that then leverage the initial funds to obtain further funding and grow organically after the CCC intervention.

CHISPA-SPARK Funding allows CCC to create expeditious alliances in diverse industries and fields. This small seed capital, in addition to access to an influential network of thinkers and leaders, is a fruitful combination for our partners to ignite solutions to tackle public interest issues.

#### PROJECTS

#### CONCHALÍ ZERO WASTE

Conchalí, a socially vulnerable community in Santiago, Chile is facing severe environmental challenges. As in many other underserved districts, there are stubborn "open micro dumps" on the streets, that generate health and qualityof-life problems for the inhabitants.

The objective of Conchalí Zero Waste is to lay the foundation to transform Conchalí into a zero-waste commune, with a long-term view, through the collaborative action of public schools, the community, and local government agencies.



On April 29, 2018, we will close our ambitious crowdfunding campaign, leveraging our nonprofit status, to raise \$15,000 for a zero-waste education program, building a rain garden, and management costs for a pilot with Escuela Sol Naciente de Conchalí.

#### PROJECTS

#### CHILEAN ARTISTS IN LOS ANGELES

After the last ABM held in Los Angeles, the CCC has explored different avenues to support Chilean artists in California. Under the guidance of Councilor Francisco Letelier, Jorge Tagle and music producer Sergio Torres Letelier, we are supporting the regular gathering of these artists by helping them promote their work through the development of a website and an artist's showcase.





# FINANCIALS 2017

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## Chile California Council Statement of Activities 2017

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<b>INCOME</b> DONATIONS GRANTS	<b>TOTAL</b> 23170 \$94.877,30	
TOTAL INCOME EXPENSES NON-PERSONNEL ANNUAL MEETING BANK CHARGES INSURANCE OFFICE EXPENSES	<b>\$118.047,30</b> 12.410,83 733,60 4.251,50 3.554,11	INCOME PROJECTS BIOTECH CERT TRAINING CONSERVATION CONFERENCE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ENTERTAINMENT INDUSTR PARKS & BOTANICAL GARDENS TOTAL PROJECTS
POSTAGE & DELIVERY PRINTING & REPRODUCTION	610,92 4.250,11	TOTAL EXPENSES
STAFF & TRUSTEE MEETINGS TRAVEL WEBSITE	1.261,95 5.041,11 874,90	NET OPERATING INCOME OTHER INCOME
TOTAL NON-PERSONNEL	\$32.989,03	IN-KIND DONATIONS TOTAL OTHER INCOME
<b>PERSONNEL</b> PAYROLL SALARIES & WAGES PAYROLL TAXES	62.700,00 4.355,45	OTHER EXPENSES IN-KIND LEGAL & PROF. SVC. IN-KIND RENT
TOTAL PERSONNEL INCOME	\$67.055,45 Total	IN-KIND SALARY TOTAL OTHER EXPENSES NET OTHER INCOME
PROJECTS BIOTECH CERT TRAINING CONSERVATION CONFERENCE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ENTERTAINMENT INDUSTRY PARKS & BOTANICAL GARDENS TOTAL PROJECTS	1.067,52 4.999,75 207,56 2.450,90 5.417,86 1.369,29 \$15.512,88	NET INCOME
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$122.235,13	



#### TOTAL

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## Chile California Council Balance Sheet

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 201

	TOTAL		TOTAL
ASSETS		LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	
CURRENT ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
BANK ACCOUNTS		CURRENT LIABILITIES	
DONATIONS	13.074,40	PAYROLL LIABILITIES	1.826,44
PAYPAL	342,00	LEGAL SETTLEMENT	10.115,00
TOTAL BANK ACCOUNTS	\$13.416,40	TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	\$11.941,44
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	\$13.416,40	TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$11.941,44
		EQUITY	
		OPENING BALANCE EQUITY	0,00
		UNRESTRICTED NET ASSETS	15.777,79
		OTHER EXPENSE	-10.115,00
		NET INCOME	-4.187,83
		TOTAL EQUITY	\$1.474,96
TOTAL ASSETS	\$13.416,40	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	\$13.416,40

