
THE DAVID ROCKEFELLER
BRIDGING LEADERSHIP AWARDS
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ABOUT

The David Rockefeller Bridging Leadership Awards is Synergos' flagship global event — and this year, the centerpiece of our historic 40th Anniversary celebration. The evening will celebrate four decades of achievement while honoring extraordinary leaders who build the trust and collective action needed to solve the world's most pressing challenges.

Two hundred of the world's foremost philanthropists, investors, business leaders, and changemakers will fill the room — a rare concentration of people who move real resources toward real problems.



From left: Peggy Dulany, Synergos founder and board chair; Farwiza Farhan, 2026 Honoree and leader of Forest, Nature & Environment Aceh (HAkA); Peter Bakker, 2026 Honoree and President & CEO, World Business Council for Sustainable Development (WBCSD); and Camille Massey, Synergos President & CEO.

2027 HONOREES



Jesper Brodin
Former CEO, Ingka Group I IKEA;
Chair, The B Team



Hala Al-Karib
Regional Director, SIHA Network



Juan Manuel Santos
Former President of Colombia

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WHO WE ARE

Synergos, a global 501(c)(3) nonprofit, works to bridge divides across sectors, cultures, and levels of power to find solutions to some of the world's most persistent problems.

Our signature Bridging Leadership methodology, grounded in inclusive collaboration, inner work, and systems thinking, has shaped how we convene and work alongside communities in more than 30 countries for four decades. It represents a fundamental shift in how leadership is practiced: redistributing power, elevating marginalized perspectives, and unlocking solutions no single actor could achieve alone.







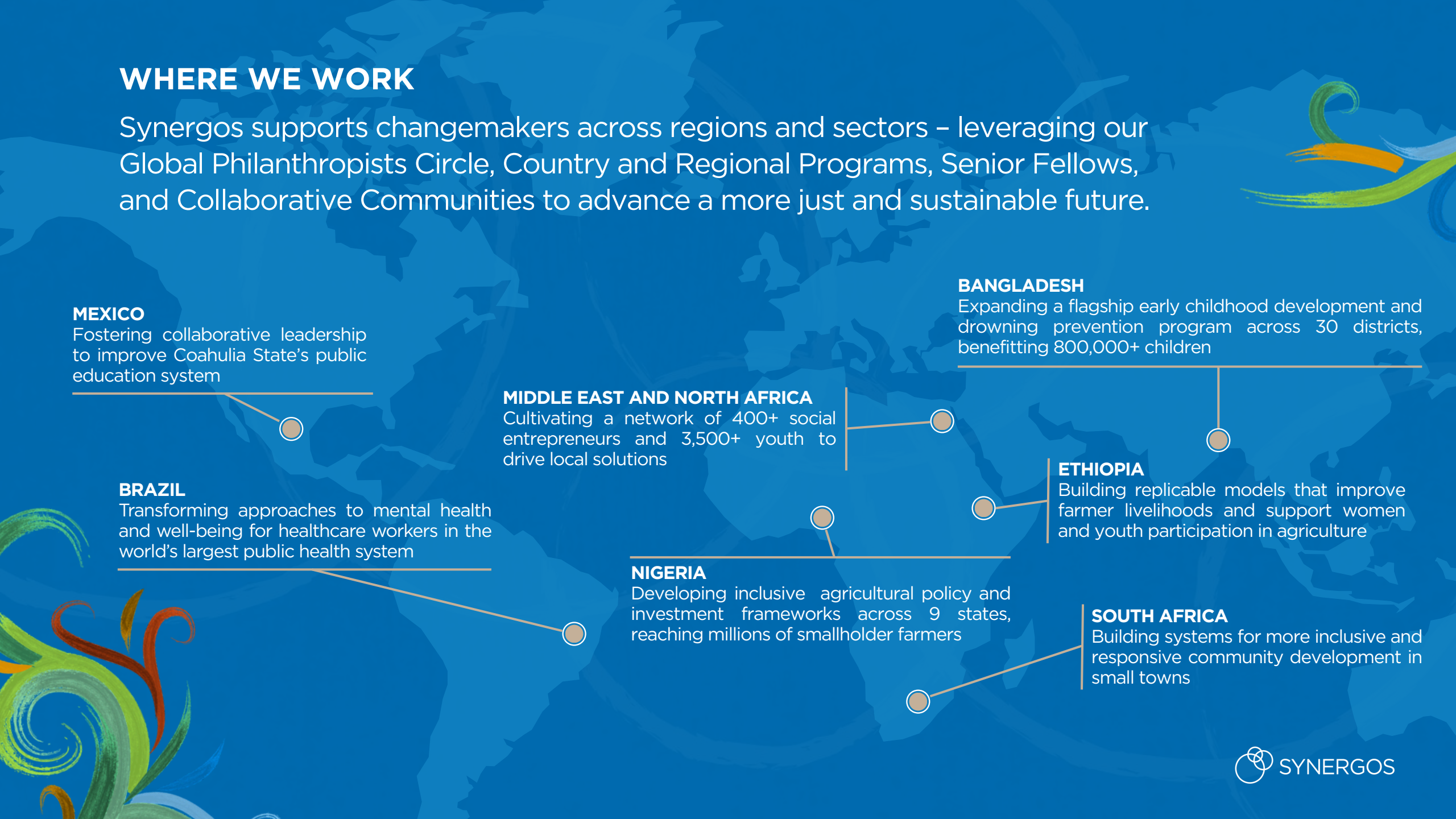






WHERE WE WORK

Synergos supports changemakers across regions and sectors – leveraging our Global Philanthropists Circle, Country and Regional Programs, Senior Fellows, and Collaborative Communities to advance a more just and sustainable future.



MEXICO
Fostering collaborative leadership to improve Coahulia State's public education system

BRAZIL
Transforming approaches to mental health and well-being for healthcare workers in the world's largest public health system

MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA
Cultivating a network of 400+ social entrepreneurs and 3,500+ youth to drive local solutions

NIGERIA
Developing inclusive agricultural policy and investment frameworks across 9 states, reaching millions of smallholder farmers

BANGLADESH
Expanding a flagship early childhood development and drowning prevention program across 30 districts, benefitting 800,000+ children

ETHIOPIA
Building replicable models that improve farmer livelihoods and support women and youth participation in agriculture

SOUTH AFRICA
Building systems for more inclusive and responsive community development in small towns

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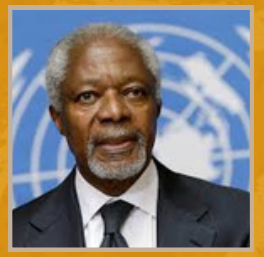
First presented in 2003 to David Rockefeller Sr., the Bridging Leadership Awards stand apart from typical fundraising galas by **emphasizing connection and community**, a hallmark of all Synergos events.

“Working together with others – creating effective partnerships – has been at the center of my business career and all of my civic involvements. I believe it is the only realistic way to achieve positive and enduring change.”

— David Rockefeller

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Over the years, Award honorees have come from the **highest levels of civil society, public and private sectors**, each embodying the Bridging Leadership approach through their actions and impact.



Kofi Annan
7th Secretary General, United Nations



HRH Rania Al Abdullah
Queen, Jordan



Peter Bakker
President & CEO, World Business Council for Sustainable Development



Rev. Dr. William Barber II
Co-Chair, Poor People's Campaign



Michael Bloomberg
Mayor, New York City



Farwiza Farhan
Leader of Forest, Nature & Environment Aceh



Christiana Figueres
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HRH Aga Khan
Chair, Aga Khan Development Network



Nelson Mandela
Former President, South Africa



Paul Polman
CEO, Unilever



Dr. Mary Robinson
Former President, Ireland



David Rockefeller



Darren Walker
Former President, Ford Foundation



Ratan Tata
Former Chairman, Tata Group



Corazon Juliano-Soliman
Former Minister of Social Development, Philippines



Ellen Johnson Sirleaf
Former President, Liberia

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Make Your Mark

Your sponsorship goes far beyond this memorable evening. Your contribution substantially supports **Synergos' Collective Action Fund, backing the work of its collaborative communities** with impact in Shifting Food Systems, Education and the Whole Child, the Care Economy, and AI for Good.

For more information, please contact Ashley Gosnell Mody (agosnell@synergos.org)

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