Voice of Witness Consulting and Services

Tailored support for nonprofit and service organizations, educators, and advocates.

Voice of Witness (VOW) is a human rights oral history organization that offers expert storytelling and program support to nonprofits, social justice advocates, foundations, educators, and more. We work with clients to develop customized projects, workshops, and activities, using VOW’s award-winning oral history methodology to advance their missions and promote positive social change.

VOW consultancies harness the power of sharing stories and promote empathy, understanding, and action by building strong connections between organizations and communities. Participants will cultivate both professional and personal skills, including:

- Communication and active listening
- Ethics-driven interview techniques
- Comfort with public speaking
- Writing and editing for storytelling
- Strategies for collaboration and partnership
- Social and cultural awareness and empathy

Participants often experience a renewed sense of purpose and connection to their work after partnering with Voice of Witness. Incorporating storytelling allows organizations to connect more deeply with those they serve and to become better advocates for their constituents.

“Voice of Witness does incredible work. I have personally seen transformation in people who have been trained and educated by VOW.”

~ Jeff Steinberg, Founder and Executive Director of Sojourn Project

Workshops and Trainings:
Voice of Witness offers facilitated workshops or full-day, hands-on trainings to help your organization with:

- Guided oral history-based activities to promote empathy, active listening, and inclusion in your work
- Storytelling projects to partner with and amplify the voices of your constituents
- Development of advocacy, communications, and fundraising materials that best share your organization’s story and mission

In-depth Engagements and Projects:
Voice of Witness offers high impact consultancies to organizations seeking to amplify the voices of the people and communities they serve. We will collaborate with you to develop and implement creative, personalized in-depth storytelling projects that are tailored to your strategic goals.

Note: To account for the current difficulties posed by COVID-19, VOW is able to adapt offerings and consultancies to operate virtually. Please contact us for more information.

Visit our website for more information: voiceofwitness.org/education/training-consulting