If not now, when? If not us, who?



# 2020

### EARTH COMPANY Annual Report





## **OUR MISSION**

In today's world, prosperity often comes at a cost of someone or something else's well-being. If we continue this way of life, we simply rob our children of their futures.

At Earth Company, we aim to reverse this and create a world the next generations deserve.

To do so, we support inspirational changemakers in the Asia Pacific

to further expand their work, inspire companies and schools along

their sustainability transformation journeys, and run a regenerative business in Bali

to walk the talk. In short, we are creating a paradigm shift.





# **FOUNDERS'** MESSAGE

### Onwards to 2021 with a stronger team!

Founders Aska & Tomohiro Hamakawa If we had to describe 2020 in one word, it everyone involved in this journey. Our team during a difficult year. Through this process, would be "soul searching". Over the members who work everyday with pure the camaraderie was strengthened, staff course of the year we asked ourselves a satisfaction improved. In fact, staff surveys intentions, high aspirations and bottomless series of questions: enthusiasm. Our Impact Heroes who indicated the highest satisfaction ever since What is our unique value considering founding - despite the crisis! This was continue to stand by the most vulnerable (despite) the pandemic restrictions? What even in the face of the pandemic. Our moving, fascinating, and uplifting all at is the world we want to pass on to the once. We are a team that thrives on supporters and partners who continue to believe in the work and make tangible adversity. With these members, we are future? What is our role? What is the message we want to convey? contributions despite the current confident that Earth Company can It was a year in which we held numerous overcome anything. Hopefully our circumstances. On a personal note, we discussions within our team. Because of this achievements in 2021 will be proof of this! have been impressed with the growth of our identity has became much clearer. the team, especially over the past year. We look forward to continuing to work The biggest realization for us was that the Every member has shown flexibility and together this year and beyond for the sake soul of Earth Company is the people of the next generations! creativity leading to new ideas for survival





# EARTH COMPANY'S YEAR IN REVIEW 2020

Feb.

#### Jan.

Jun.

A study tour program for Japanese foundation at Mana Earthly Paradise A study tour program for a Japanese sustainability community (greenz) at Mana Earthly Paradise

- A Japanese midwifery program in collaboration with Bumi Sehat Outbreak of COVID-19 pandemic
- Fundraising for Wai Wai Nu (Impact Hero 2019) to cover her organization's operating expenses

Sep.

and Mana's reservations cancelled until 2021

Mar.

Extensive discussions
with Wai Wai
for her organizational
strategy

Online webinar series with the Well-being Planet Foundation Impact Hero 2021 call for applications

Mana Earthly Paradise 1st Anniversary Event Start weekly market at Mana Earthly Paradise to provide opportunities to local vendors affected by the pandemic

Total amount of funds raised for Impact Hero 2020

usd 71,000

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Total number of beneficiaries in 2020 through the Impact Heroes

77,222



#### HOW DID COVID-19 AFFETCT US?

# HOW THE PANDEMIC AFFECTED US

#### Facing and overcoming the financial crisis

The covid pandemic had a critical impact on billions of people and millions of businesses worldwide; Earth Company was no exception.

Number of Impact Bali programs cancelled



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Estimated loss in income

62% down

% down

Mana Earthly Paradise year-on-year revenue

#### **IMPACT HERO**

Much of the work of past and current Impact Heroes were suspended, and as a result they faced severe financial challenges. Similarly at Earth Company, business revenue dropped by 60%.

#### IMPACT ACADEMY

Cancellation of all Impact Bali programs scheduled from March 2020 onward. Its income was decimated to 10% of annual projections, thus pointing to the need to explore online program opportunities.

#### **IMPACT CONSULTING**

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Clients and potential clients faced similar financial difficulties, making it difficult to promote consulting services such as Operation Green.

#### MANA EARTHLY PARADISE

Since March, restrictions imposed on the entry of tourists to Bali. All reservations at Mana that had previously been made until the end of the year had to be cancelled. Thus Mana's eco villas essentially became dormant starting April.



# **RESPONSE TO COVID-19**

Everyone worked as a team to come up with countermeasures and deal with the situation while agreeing to pay cuts. This helped us substantially minimize the overall deficit!



#### Continued to provide support to Impact Heroes to the extent possible

Given the emergency situation, we decided to extend support to past Impact Heroes and connect them with potential donors, resulting in a total of US\$23k for covid relief.



Covid-relief raised for Impact Heroes USD 258,000

#### 無料オンライン講座 Stay at home, Eco at home

「家からエコをはじめよう」 每週木曜日開催!





#### Sustainability webinars by Operation Green

Because most organizations were focused on survival, not sustainability, we decided to shift our focus on awareness-raising and educational activities and held a total of 8 free online sessions on the theme of sustainability at home. 985 people participated in the series, with a whopping satisfaction rate of 96%.







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SUPPORTER 100人募集

#### Monthly supporter campaign in Japan

We held fundraising campaigns in April and November to solicit recurring donations. In the midst of the pandemic, we managed to gain 195 new recurring donors. Thank you!



Number of new monthly supporters

## 社会変革のスタートラインに立つプログラム **IANGE MAKE**



#### Online SDGs trainings

65

Earth Company started to develop online programs by consolidating its partnerships with Impact Heroes who are at the forefront of SDGs and leveraging its experiences managing a regenerative business in Bali.

Number of online SDGs trainings



Participant satisfaction rate



# WHAT WE DO

## IMPACT HEROES

Empower inspirational changemakers in the Asia Pacific to further expand their paradigm-shifting work



## IMPACT ACADEMY

Nurture the next generation to become the change they themselves want to see

## MANA EARTHLY PARADISE

Create a successful regenerative business in Bali to walk the paradigm-shifting talk

## A Paradigm-Shift for the Next Generations

## **IMPACT CONSULTING**

Inspire companies along their sustainability transformation journeys

### **Operation Green**

Advise organizations to walk their sustainable talk





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## WHAT WE DO IMPACT HEROES

Support the dramatic acceleration of the paradigm-shifting work of exceptional changemakers



From a developing country in the Asia Pacific region, we select one one-of-a-kind changemaker a year to accelerate his/her work through the provision of comprehensive support including fundraising, marketing, and business development.



# **OUR IMPACT HEROES**



**IMPACT HERO 2021** Arief Rabik (Indonesia)

Forest Regeneration



**IMPACT HERO 2019** Wai Wai Nu (Myanmar)

Peace building

Ongoing Support

End of Support Period End of End of Support Period Support Period IMPACT HERO 2016 **IMPACT HERO 2017 IMPACT HERO 2015** Kathy Jetñil-Kijiner **Robin Lim Bella Galhos** (Marshall Islands) (Timor-Leste) (Indonesia)

Climate Change





Healthcare



Environmental Education





# OUR IMPACT

With your support, we were able to accomplish the following activities in 2020. We can't thank you enough for your support.

- Provided US\$23,000 to past Impact Heros for covid relief
- Provided US\$6,000 for emergency flood relief for Bella Galhos (Impact Hero 2015) in Timor Leste, specifically supporting 327 flood victims in Dili.
- Provided US\$31,000 to Wai Wai Nu (Impact Hero 2019) for marketing support and core funding.



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Selected Impact Hero 2021 and 9 finalists from a total of 65 candidates



Total number of beneficiaries in 2020

77,222



Total funds raised for Impact Heroes in 2020

USD 71,000





## **IMPACT HERO 2019** Wai Wai Nu

After seven years in prison, a Rohingya woman aims to create a peaceful Myanmar without ethnic barriers

Wai Wai Nu was born in Rakhine State, Myanmar. In 2005, when she was a university student, she was suddenly arrested and imprisoned because her father was a politician involved in the democratization movement, and was forced to spend seven years in prison. As she listened to the stories of many women in prison, she learned of the harsh conditions women face as a result of social inequality, and she was determined to build a society where the rights and dignity of women and ethnic minorities are protected. After her release in 2012, she established the Women's Peace Network, which aims to provide empowerment opportunities for women. Since then, she and her team have been delivering grassroots educational projects in Yangon for youth accross various ethnic groups, as well as support in Rohingya refugee camps in Bangladesh. She also actively

advocates at the highest levels of government and international organizations on human rights and ethnic minorities in Myanmar.



## IMPACTHERO 2019





## IMPACT HERO 2019

### **SUPPORT FOR Wai Wai**

In 2020, Wai Wai's activities were also affected by the covid pandemic. While she faced difficulties in fundraising for her own organizations, she raised donations to provide covid relief to the Rohingya refugees and launched a new online education program for the youth.

#### • Covid relief for Rohingya Refugees

In response to the pandemic, Wai Wai's team distributed support packages in the refugee camps that included hygiene products and food to 2,200 women including the elderly and widows that were in particularly difficult situations in the camps in Bangladesh.

#### Online Training Program for Youth

In response to the pandemic, the Yangon Youth Leadership Center developed a new online training program and held a six-day human rights leadership training around the World Human Rights Day on December 10.

In July, Earth Company held a three-day online bootcamp to discuss how to more effectively manage and fund Wai Wai's diverse activities, We reviewed the organization's vision and mission, branding, and the positioning of its ongoing projects, and official registration as an NGO in the US. We also transferred a total of US\$30,000 for her team's operations and core funding.

#### Advocacy Activities

Women's Peace Network (WPN) published a report titled "Universal and Periodic Review" on the current human rights violations against Rohingya and the Myanmar military governmen that was submitted it to the UN Human Rights Council in July. WPN held two network meetings with leaders of civil society organizations involved in peace-building activities in Myanmar. Wai Wai herself has been actively disseminating information, mainly through social media, and has taken the stage 128 times in the year, including testifying before the US Congress and the UK Parliament.

> Provided management and marketing support

USD 33,700

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## Selection of Impact Hero 2021! Arief Rabik

10,000 bamboo villages in 10 countries! A restorative industry and economy that replace wood with fast-growing bamboo, solving four problems simultaneously: climate change, land degradation, poverty, and gender disparity

Arief Rabik was raised by his mother Linda Garland, a bamboo legend who devoted herself to environment conservation and community development. She founded the Environmental Bamboo Foundation (EBF), and since Arief was a teenager, he has memorized the 1,000 different bamboo species. After his mother passed away, Arief became the president of EBF, following his mother's footsteps. He also launched the "1000 Bamboo Village" initiative to support the recovery of the devastated natural environment and to encourage economic independence of village communities throughout Indonesia and beyond.





### Bamboo may save the earth.

It may sound a bit exaggerated, but is not far from the truth. Indonesia has one of the largest tropical rainforests in Asia, covering about half of the country. However, due to economic development, the forest is experiencing the second largest decline in the world. When forests are destroyed, a large amount of greenhouse gases are released from them. In fact, deforestation and forest degradation account for about 32% of the total amount of CO2 emitted by human activities, making Indonesia the world's fifth largest CO2 emitter.

Shockingly, 25% of the world's land has already been devastated, affecting 40% of the world's population. And most of them are farmers in rural areas and the poorest people in the world. At this rate, 95% of the earth's land area can be devastated by 2050. Tropical rainforests are the foundation of the earth's life support system. Without healthy forests, human beings cannot survive.

Stopping the loss of forests is a way to save the ecosystem and humanity.



#### Arief Rabik's Life Mission 1000 Bamboo Village Project

Arief's life mission is to create 1,000 bamboo villages in Indonesia and to expand the model to 10 countries around the world. By using innovative technologies to process bamboo into building materials that can replace wood and by recycling the by-products as pellets, the villages will bee able to produce sustainable building materials and fuel at the same time. In addition, the market value of bamboo is expected to increase as a fiber for clothing and foodstuff, and the entire process of planting, processing, and selling bamboo in each village will revitalize the local industry and contribute to solving the following the four issues at the same time.

If 1,000 Bamboo Villages could be created in Indonesia...



IMPACT HERO 2021

#### **Forest Restoration**

Rehabilitating 8% of Indonesia's degraded equivalent to 16% of jobs in Indonesian and land and restoring the Indonesia's greenhouse quadrupling the income women by prioritizing ecosystem

#### **Climate Change**

Absorbing CO2 gas emissions



**Rural development** Creating over 1 million per household



#### **Women Empowerment**

Providing employment opportunities for 210,000 their involvement in the bamboo economy



## IMPACT HERO 2021 Finalists

In the Impact Hero 2021 call for applications, we received 65 applications from 16 countries in the Asia-Pacific region, from Afghanistan to Fiji. Below are profiles of the nine finalists that were selected:



#### Kristin Kagetsu (India)

Social entrepreneur who aims to solve menstrual poverty with sanitary

napkins that return to nature







#### Rhea Mazumdar Singhal (India)

India's sustainability pioneer aiming to solve two environmental challenges simultaneously with a focus on using

agricultural waste





young leaders

A former refugee and a talented innovator matching social issues with









#### Patima Tungpuchayakul (Thailand and others)

A daring human rights activist nominated for the Nobel Peace Prize who has rescued over 5,000 slaves

from fishing boats in Thailand

tourism



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#### Somsak "Pai" Boonkam (Thailand)

A promising youth saving Thai villages from poverty through sustainable





#### Nguyen Thi Van (Vietnam)

A super businesswoman with severe disabilities who has developed an image editing business for the

handicapped





#### Muhammad Noor (Malaysia)

An IT-based Rohingya activist using digital ID to help refugees without nationalities



#### Sagufta Salma Janif (Fiji)

A Pacific Island, Gen-Z eco-leader practicing zero waste and upcycling



#### Randi Julian Miranda (Indonesia)

A Borneo-local hero saving his island from deforestation through an ethical





# IMPACT HERO 2021 - Finglists -



### **IMPACT HEROES IN 2020**

Earth Company's covid-relief support to past Impact Heroes





**IMPACT HERO 2015 Bella Galhos Environment, LGBTI, Political Activist** Timor Leste

**IMPACT HERO 2016 Robin Lim** Midwife, Indonesia

Fundraising support for Bella Galhos, who provided emergency assistance to households affected by the flood in Dili, the capital of Timor Leste. In March, donations of US\$10,000 were sent to support the flood victims, as welll as to cover operating expenses for a youth environmental education program. While imports were halted and rice supply short due to covid-related restrictions, we managed to provide food and materials that supported 327 people directly affected by the flood.

At four midwifery clinics in Indonesia and Philippines, Bumi Sehat continued to provide healthcare services while taking thorough covid measures and assisted in a total of 723 births. At the midwifery center in Papua, which was built with the support of Earth Company, Bumi Sehat has created an place where even covid patients can give birth. In Bali, Earth Company supported food assistance to poor households that had been economically affected by the pandemic.





#### **IMPACT HERO 2017** Kathy Jetnil-Kijiner Climate change activist and po Marshall Islands



After Earth Company's support ended, Kathy has been actively raising grants and donations and her organization Jo-Jikum has been steadily growing. She and her team were able to overcome the temporary financial difficulties caused by covid with emergency support from Earth Company and have already secured funds for their programs in 2021! Jo-jikum has doubled the number of programs from three to six and has introduced new initiatives such as cultural preservation and activities to increase food self-sufficiency.

# IMPACT HERO 2015 - 2017



## WHAT WE DO IMPACT ACADEMY

A transformational program nurturing the next generation of changemakers



Our future is created by the individual decisions and actions of each and every one of us. In other words, the aggregate of our existence at each moment is the future.

Impact Academy is an academy for students and professionals to become the next changemakers by learning from our Impact Heroes and Mana Earthly Paradise. To date, more than 580 people from 23 countries have participated in

the program.



### **IMPACT ACADEMY**

We started deliveirng online educational programs featuring the circular and regenerative measures implemented at our eco hotel Mana Earthly Paradise so that anyone anywhere can learn from Mana's progressive practices and lessons learned. Many people from elementary school students to working professionals have participated in these programs.



#### **Exploring nature**people harmony at Mana Earthly Paradise

A 4-day program with social entrepreneur and organic cotton pioneer Ms. Chieko Watanabe to discover the essence of a circular and sustainable lifestyle through an immersive experience in Ubud, Bali.



#### Inspirational **Midwifery Training** on Gentle Birth



Co-organized with Ibu Robin Lim and her team at Bumi Sehat, the 4-day program covered practical contents on childbirth, as well as deeper questions around the roles, mindset, and value of midwives.





#### Exploring coexistence and mutuality in Bali





#### Number of programs held in 2020

7 online programs 3 online programs

#### Number of program participants in 2020

**163** (108 in person 55 online)



#### **Online Social Innovation Program**

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Co-organized with Habataku, the fully online program launched at the beginning of the pandemic aimed to share the life stories and life work of Earth Company's Impact Heroes and, through them, experience the pressing challenges in the Asia Pacific.



## WHAT WE DO IMPACTOR OF CONSULTING INFORMATION OF CONSULTING

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Impact Consulting delivers advisory services to organizations interested in or already committed to sustainability, working with senior executives on sustainaiblity visions and inspiring employees to connect the challenges of today's world with their daily work. Our services include corporate training programs, strategic workshops, and guidance on practical actions.



## **IMPACT CONSULTING**

Earth Company supports companies in articularing their purpose and deepening their impact, and, in 2020, delivered sustainability-related professional development programs to various clients including Sigmaxyz Inc., Plan. Do. See Indonesia, and Pasona Panasonic Business Service.

### **Operation Green**

Funded by the Global Environment Fund of the Japanese Ministry of Environment, Operation Green (OG) pushes organizations - companies, schools, and government facilities - to walk their sustainability talk. OG started from a research phase in 2018 and entered a pilot phase in 2020 involving a total of five companies and schools as partners in the implementation of circular measures in their operations such as energy, water, and waste management practices. Given the challenges associated with the pandemic, the OG team also held a number of free online sustainability events to raise awareness and expand the network, which resulted in the participation of a total of 671 individuals.









WHAT WE DO - MANA EARTHLY PARADISE

## WHAT WE DO NCENCE ECITED FOR CONCE

## A next-generation eco hotel embodying

ircularity and regeneration



Established in 2019, Mana Earthly Paradise was founded to reimagine and redefine sustainability in business, especially in the tourism industry, which constitutes 80% of the Balinese economy. Solar power is used for lighting, rainwater filtered for drinking water and toilets, wastewater circulated to nurture plants, food waste returned to the soil, pesticide-free vegetables grown in our garden, and villas built without cutting down a single new tree. With its cutting edge eco-tech, sustainable environmental practices, and a locally responsible business model, Mana represents a leap forward for regenerative tourism in Bali and Indonesia.

### Mana Earthly Paradise

Due to the covid pandemic, tourism dried up in Bali from April 2020 onwards, forcing many hotels and restaurants to temporarly close and even shut down for good. In the months prior to the pandemic, Mana's occupancy rate was on the up - even as high as 70% for summer 2020 - but then quickly fell to 0 and stayed flat for the rest of the year. Despite the depressing context, the Mana team stay determined to survive and even improve its operations including a shift in targeting domestic tourists.

#### Pandemic countermeasures initiated in 2020

- Market analysis to shift target segmentation
- Fundraising, planning and designing for upgrades
- Official opening of Mana Market and start of product delivery
- Improvement of restaurant menu for new target segments
- Start of food delivery
- Repair of eco technologies
- Introduction of tools to measure environmental impact
- Revamp of the Mana brand
- Strengthen marketing and social media strategies
- Organize collaborative events with other organizations

To provide business opportunities for local vendors severely affected by the pandemic, the Mana team started an outdoor Sunday market in the garden area, inviting 10-15 vendors each week from from a long list of 90 stores with a wide variety from vegetables, fruits, baked goods, clothes, to accessories.







While Earth Company had already e m b r a c e d th e digital transformation prior to the pandemic, we pushed ourselves to make our events and programs all online making them more accessible to a global audience.



## **SEMINARS AND LECTURES**

In 2020, the Earth Company team was invited to speak at 26 events, seminars, and workshops hosteed by schools, companies, and foundations in Indonesia, Japan and beyond, directly impacting about 950 individuals and indirectly reaching many more thousands.

Seminar/Event	Organizer	
Theory and Practice of International Cooperation	Waseda University	
Five Years of 100% Telework Implementation Revealed! The Secrets and Challenges of Diverse Work Styles	HAPIC2020(JANIC)	
Earth Company & Mana Overview	Stenden University	
What is Earth Company Business, "Operation Green project" and Abundance?	Keio Chutobu Junior Hig	gh School
I want to open the door to this country series $\sim$ The Door to Bali (Future Vision Leader Training) $\sim$	Ritsumeikan Uji Junior Hig	gh School
The State of the Social Ecosystem in Asia	SIGMAXYZ Inc.	
At the Forefront of SDGs in Asia	The Graduate School o Project Design	f
SCI-Japan Webinar "Circular & Ecology 3-Hour Special"	Smart City Institute Japa	n
Our Environment and Our Future	Plan $\cdot$ Do $\cdot$ See Indones	ia
Thinking about Smart Cities in the Age of Coexistence with COVID-19	Smart City Institute Japa	an
The Source and Birth of Life Nurtured on Earth	TaiYou Symphony	
Ritsumeikan High School GL Special Lecture	Ritsumeikan High Schoo	)

Seminar/Event	Organizer	
Earth Company & Mana Overview	Stenden University	
Sustainable consumption and production in tourism Opportunities and challenges with COVID-19	UNEP	
Meeting to learn a lot from Monday	Graduate volunteers of the Graduate School of Management, Globis University	
Our {Earthly} Efforts Creating a Future for the Next Generation	Earth Music Harvest Festival	
Earth Company's Business	The Graduate School of Project Design	
The forefront of the SDGs and what companies need to do in the future	Pasona Panasonic Business Service Co., Ltd.	
The 8th Environmental Symposium"COVID-19 and the SDGs: Social Transformation in the Era of COVID-19	The Resona Foundation for Asia and Oceania	
Earth Company & Mana Overview	Stenden University	
Garbage problem & Mana's zero-waste	Hirama Elementary School, Kawasaki City	
High School Entrepreneur Week	Surabaya-based international school	
Regional Dialogue Driving Mechanisms for Eco-Design in Asia	Switch Asia	
International Cooperation SeminarTalk by Tomohiro Hamakawa, Co-founder of Earth Company	Kokusai Kyoryoku Salon	
Guidance and advice for overseas field study	Osaka University, Division of Transdisciplinary Innovation	
Sustainable venture's Challenge: A Zero-Waste Society	CityLab Ventures	



# FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Due to the covid pandemic, all the scheduled educational programs in Bali were cancelled, resulting in a revenue loss of no less than US\$100k. In order to overcome this financial crisis, our core team volunteered to work at reduced salaries and decided to make every effort to minimize the deficit. Looking to 2021, we aim to strengthen the cashflow by increasing grants and donations as well as rollling out new revenue-generating services.

Balance Sheet			
Assets			
Account	Amount	Account	
[Current assets]	15,158,004	[Current Li	abilities]
Cash and deposits	13,657,730	Account p	bayable
Inventories	46,308	Accrued e	expense
Prepaid expense	18,636	Income ta	xes pay
Accrued revenue	1,435,330	Advance	receive
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#### Income statement

As of December 31, 2021 (Yen)

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Donations received			34,314,036	
	Grants			3,517,302
	Program revenue	Training program re	venue	3,576,304
		Consulting revenue		513,000
		Other program reve	enue	553,740
	Ordinary income	То	tal	42,474,382
		Donations paid		7,432,770
		Subcontract expens	ses	21,905,693
		Honoraria payment		71,200
		Directors' compense	ations	2,268,000
		Salaries and allowa	nces	8,110,620
	Payroll taxes expense			1,523,477
		Advertising expense	<b>)</b>	115,780
Meeting expenses Traveling expense		7,146		
		779,516		
		Communication exp	oenses	1,300,677
Supplies expenses		69,813		
Library expense		26,755		
		Membership fee		60,178
		Commission fee		1,939,333
		Taxes and dues		73,500
Training expenses   Operating expenditures Total			74,077	
		45,758,535		
Change in ordinary income during the period				△ 3,284,153
		Interest income		126
		Miscellaneous incor	ne	2,339,628
	Non-operating revenue Total		2,339,754	
	Ordinary Expense	s 1	ſotal	0
Change in net assets before tax				<b>∆944,399</b>
Corporate, inhabitant and enterprise taxes			70,010	
Total changes of net assets for the year			△1,014,409	
Net assets carried forward from the previous fiscal year			1,082,284	
Net assets carried forward to next fiscal year				67,875

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# OUR **SUPPORTERS**



Fundraising Advisor: Sotaro Tsunagi, Operation Green volunteer: Hidefusa Kagami, Operation Green volunteer: Yuta Terada Design volunteer: Yasuho Oshima, Translation volunteers: Takashi Otomo, Ai Sahara



# Bridge to 2021

## Further Collaborations with Impact Heroes

A negative impact of the covid pandemic is the surfacing, exacerbation, and complication of existing socio-economic issues. In Myanmar, Wai Wai Nu's home country, the military regime continues its oppresion and injustice. The climate crisis has not found any major breakthroughs. With only 9 years until 2030, whether the SDGs will be achieved is still far from certain. While many people are beginning to realize that now is the time to change, some are naturally feeling lost as to where and how to start...

Earth Company strongly believes that the inspiring work of Impact Heroes, who dedicate their lives to addressing pressing challenges and struggle daily on the front lines of the SDGs, holds keys to the future of our planet. Therefore, going forward Earth Company will not only support and empower Impact Heroes, but also launch an online academy to learn from them their paradigm-shifting work. Through this academy, our aim is to mobilize as many people as possible to be motivated emotionally and equipped mentally to tackle challenges as heroes of their own narratives



# PROSPECTS



#### **Empowering a cohort of** Impact Hero finalists

Starting in 2021, Earth Company will expand support not only to Arief Rabik, Impact Hero 2021, but also to the nine finalists who are equally impressive and effective in addressing socio-environmental challenges in different corners of the Asia Pacific region. Also, in the final year of support for Wai Wai Nu, Impact Hero 2019, we are committed as ever to supporting her and her team's effort to help achieve inclusive futures and democracy in Myanmar.



### Launch of an online SDGs platform called Impact Academy

In 2021, we will restructure our existing educational and training programs to build an online platform that enables companies and schools to learn about sustainability and circularity from the Impact Heroes. Consisting of two key parts, Impact Academy is a hybrid online-offline program that follows a behavioral science approach starting with emotional connection, moving to introspective exploration, then translating everything into action.



#### Building an even more resilient business model for the post-covid world

Given the uncertainty around crossborder travel, the Mana team strives to be fully prepared and ready to welcome guests by upgrading the entire property including improving the restaurant menu, refurbishing villas, and repairing eco technoloies, as well as training staff and developing new activities for in-house guests.



#### MESSAGE FROM TEAM

For those that did not give up on the world when they themselves were hurting and struggling, I am forever thankful.

Mami Sato Japan Representative

Donations from every one of you are the power to change our society! We still have a long way to go, but we can build a better future together!

Aska Hamakawa Founder

Your support gave me a huge encouragement and a sense of connection even if we were apart.

So Shimada Program Officer

We couldn't have survived this challenge called covid without all the supporters and believers of Earth Company. Thank you, thank you, thank you.

Tomo Hamakawa Founder



Thank you for supporting our activities with your thoughts for the future. You always encourage us!!

I appreciate your huge warm support even though the world has been facing a difficult time we've never experienced.

Noriko Komatsu

Communication Director



Tomoko Shimomoto Donor Relation Manager

Words can' 1 express my gratitude for those who had supported us during this difficult time. Let' s pave the way to the future for the next generation!

Yo Watanabe Operation Manager



Your support is what allowed us to continue making social changes even in this difficult time. Thank you for being an integral part of Earth Company!



"We do not inherit the earth from our ancestors. We borrow it from our children."



## EARTH COMPANY

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Based in Japan and Indonesia, Earth Company is an impact-driven social enterprise that offers transformational support to change-makers, delivers inspiring educational programs, provides professional consulting services, and manages a next generation eco hotel in Ubud, Bali.

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