

Directory of Social Enterprise Directories

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[Social Enterprise Shopping Guide*](#) <http://bit.ly/qsDUzN> profiles ~40 online ventures that provide training and employment for disadvantaged individuals, deliver needed supplies to underserved communities, or address critical environmental issues. Shop SE!

[Social Enterprise Dining Map*](#) <http://bit.ly/niLeCX> lists 108 social enterprise cafes, restaurants, coffee shops, ice cream stores, bakeries, and catering services in the US and Canada. Support SE by eating at one!

[Social Enterprise Directory](#) <http://bit.ly/tNcOmA> from Community Wealth Ventures is a "directory of nonprofits with business ventures and strategic alliances." It was created almost ten years ago and thus is dated but still sometimes useful. It covers the US.

[Social Enterprise Database](#) <http://bit.ly/uIXmfw> from Give To Get Jobs (a new organization) aspires to include "everything from sustainable non-profits and L3Cs to B Corporations and soon FPCs and everything in between." It currently lists 1200 US organizations.

[Canadian Social Enterprise Marketplace](#) <http://bit.ly/vESvml> from the Social Enterprise Council of Canada, provides a useful tool for researching SEs in Canada.

US STATE DIRECTORIES

[Buy With Heart](#) <http://bit.ly/oCRaRA> from Social Venture Partners/Rhode Island, presents more than 100 social enterprises in Rhode Island.

[Colorado Social Enterprise Map*](#) <http://bit.ly/pOpPgU> created by SEA Colorado chapter presents more than 100 SEs.

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[Latest L3C Tally](http://bit.ly/uSRfa8) <http://bit.ly/uSRfa8> from interSector Partners L3C indicates more than 500 firms that have achieved L3C status.

[B Corp Directory](http://bit.ly/v6XoIf) <http://bit.ly/v6XoIf> from B Lab lists almost 500 certified B Corps.

INTERNATIONAL

[BuySE](http://bit.ly/swkeZs) <http://bit.ly/swkeZs> This UK Social Enterprise Directory organizes its list into about 25 searchable categories.

[Social Enterprise Business2Business](http://bit.ly/vgkPie) <http://bit.ly/vgkPie> is a business to business directory of more than 300 SEs in the UK.

[SE Finder](http://bit.ly/uoCwDh) <http://bit.ly/uoCwDh> from Social Traders is an online directory of SE goods and services from around Australia. Click on "Explore" tab for a quick list of SEs from "down under."

[iuMap](http://bit.ly/rK10to) <http://bit.ly/rK10to> from Next Billion lists 450 social enterprises employing market based solutions to poverty in 65+ developing countries.

[Social Venture Conferences](http://bit.ly/vXLySL) <http://bit.ly/vXLySL> and **[Socially Responsible/Sustainable Business Plan Competitions](http://bit.ly/uaMpNY)** <http://bit.ly/uaMpNY> are two directories maintained by the William James Foundations.

[Directory of Social Enterprises](http://bit.ly/st9r1a) <http://bit.ly/st9r1a> was created by ClearlySo in the UK and currently offers more than 2700 companies, including 167 from the US and 327 from Canada.