



Anja Shafer

Member, Board of Advisors

Anja Shafer is a global development and inclusion professional with 20 years of fundraising, strategic, and operational achievements. She has successfully secured partnerships and resources for development programs worldwide. Anja is a skilled strategic advisor, team builder, and motivator with a proven track record, deep knowledge, and commitment to providing opportunities for low-income people.

A mission-driven consensus builder and leader of high-performing teams, Anja currently serves as Vice President for Global Development Partnerships at SOURCE Global where she leads community water access projects around the world. Prior to joining SOURCE, she was the Deputy Chief Development Officer at Accion International and was responsible for setting fundraising direction, meeting yearly revenue goals, and leading the development team to support activities and operations across the organization.

Ms. Shafer has also served as a board member and volunteer with local and international nonprofit organizations where she is lending her expertise in fundraising and management. She has worked on fundraising and communications projects around human rights, women's literature, hunger, refugee resettlement, conflict reconciliation, and social justice. Anja joined the Board of Advisors in May 2024.

Ms. Shafer holds an M.A. from Columbia University in Economic Development and Human Rights and a B.A. from Brigham Young University in International Relations and Economics.