

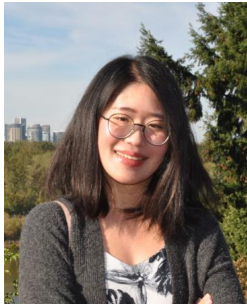
# In Livable Cities is Preservation of the Wild



UGI envisions the region as a place where nature is our common language and human and natural communities can thrive as healthy, interconnected, and equitable systems.



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## The Urban Greenspaces Institute made important progress in urban greenspaces policy and partnerships in 2020-21. Our accomplishments include:

- Launching ‘Connecting Canopies’ to accelerate regional urban forestry and develop a diverse green workforce.
- Advocating for new green infrastructure and urban design guidelines that relax parking requirements and create more space for urban trees.
- Speaking out for community-centered urban forestry, and a City-wide green infrastructure strategy in Portland.
- Improving Clackamas County stormwater design guidelines, and integrating tree conservation with middle housing reform in Milwaukie, Beaverton, and beyond.
- Developing the east Multnomah County Parks District campaign and securing an imperiled urban forest in Gresham’s under-natured Centennial neighborhood.
- Engaging in the \$475-million Metro regional parks and nature bond refinement process.
- Nurturing and leading equity initiatives in regional collaborations to improve conservation outcomes for imperiled oak, wildlife habitat connectivity, and urban trees.
- Spearheading a partnership with Portland Community Reinvestment Initiatives to identify green infrastructure improvements at affordable home sites.
- Mentoring three student interns from Portland Community College and Pacific University.
- Supporting greenspace conservation innovators: Treekeepers of Washington County, Trees for Life Oregon, Brentstock Incubators, and Friends of Liberty Hill Camas Bluff.
- Co-hosting the 19th Annual Urban Ecology & Conservation Symposium.

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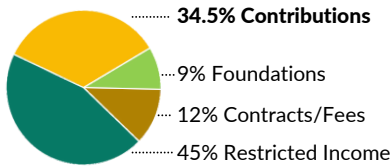
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2020-21 Expenditures: \$176,449

