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#### **GENI Foundation Annual Report for 2012 - 2013 year**

Dear GENI Friend

Thank you to all our Sponsors and Supporters in furthering the GENI Solution this past year!

- To all our Sponsors and Pledgees of the GENI Foundation. We thank you for your ongoing commitment and sincere contributions to the GENI Foundation. With your support we are able to fund our monthly reports and mailouts, our fundraising events and keeping the VIPs up-to-date with our global GENI information.
- To the Trustees of the GENI Foundation. To Charles Kovess for his passion and energy and support with the GENI Foundation. The Youtube videos are awesome! To Dr. Graeme Edwards for his unending support and to Ruanna Segal for all the hours working behind the scenes.
- To Peter Meisen and his team in San Diego for keep the GENI vision alive. We thank you and congratulations on your 25 years of commitment to the cause. Thank you for your support in connecting us with the Bucky Fuller Institute around the GIG event.
- To Willem and Tracey for their love and support with all the logistical and creative expertise, for the flyers, for the business cards, for the website and for the new GENI Banner. And for inviting us into your space to hold the regular GENI team meetings. To Julie Parker for your valuable time, support in typing up of the minutes.
- To our Volunteers that support us no matter what new brain storm idea we come up
  with, without them they wouldn't work. To Alex Sprunt thanks for your commitment
  and time to working in the GENI office, and to Helen Sprunt for just being there and
  playing the game with us. To Danny Tiomkin with his critical eye and feedback. To
  Jerry Speiser for contributing valuable support and giving us many distinctions.



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- We had the opportunity to run a test event of the Global Integration Game (GIG) in November 2012. We used this game to check the viability of playing the game in today's world. We also used this event to fundraise for GENI and created a bigger team to assist us in marketing the event for when we performed it again for our annual UN World Environment Day in June 2013. This was a very big learning experience for the team and we loved every minute of it!
- For the UN World Environment Day this year we had the opportunity to play the Global Integration Game again, we are very honoured to play a game that Bucky Fuller created over 50 years ago. Over 120 participants played this game and we are very privileged to have been a part of this event in Melbourne. Last time we played this event was February 1999. From this event we have raised a lot more awareness of how the world works and the benefits the GENI Solution offers, we have also added over 100 more names to the GENI database, made a profit and we have new Sponsors. We would like to acknowledge and thank all the participants and logistics and the many supporters in making the GIG event a reality.
- The monthly newsletter called GENI-us is still ongoing. This is our frequency of interaction as Bucky Fuller likes to call it. We have over 400 interested people on our mailout list now and they receive regular updates about GENI in Australia and GENI worldwide.
- We acknowledge Willem Oudyk for his ongoing love and commitment to the updating the GENI Foundation Webpage. Please check out the Home page, you will see the GENI Foundation's Vision and Mission Statement this is what we all align too, you will also notice a whole heap of Logo's of our Sponsors. www.genifoundation.org.au
- We also acknowledge Charles Kovess for creating over 10 GENI Youtube videos.
   Please go to the multimedia page on GENI Foundation website and watch one of the many ideas and solutions of the GENI initiative and you are welcome to leave your comments.



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- To Alex and Helen Sprunt for Your Healthy Planet.com for volunteering your time and expertise to come into the GENI office every Wednesday afternoon and assisting Ruanna Segal wit all admin duties. To Isenia for coming into the GENI office to work on the financials.
- To save our resources we are doubling up on the monthly mailouts, so our Sponsors receive 2 reports at the one time. This has allowed us to purchase new stock, so if you are interested in any of Bucky Fullers Books, please call the office to see what we have available.
- Thank you to all our GENI staff and supporters that attend many of the Environmental Conferences, Symposiums and other organizational meetings on our behalf.
- I have also included the Renewal Membership Form. I invite you to become a regular financial Sponsor of the GENI Initiative and/or pledge a small amount each month, all the details are on the Support Form. We use Bucky's birthday 12 July as the renewal date every year. We welcome your continued support...thank you!

Ruanna Segal Trustee of the GENI Foundation