

1888: Center

Community is more important than ever. We want to CONTRIBUTE. We want to COLLABORATE. We want to CONNECT with our Southern California neighbors.

With over three million people living in Orange County—the sixth most populous county in the nation—our diverse community is desperately in need of a destination where ideas are encouraged and developed with meaningful opportunities—both online and offline—that will engage, support, and inspire.

This is precisely why we are excited to announce that 1888 is opening a Cultural Center at the heart of the historic District in Old Towne Orange, California. The building, constructed in 1925 and located at 115 North Orange Street, will host a bookshop, gallery, multi-use performance space, and café serving creative beverages crafted by Contra Coffee & Tea.

The brand new 1888: Center will provide a home for curated books, exhibitions, and lifelong learning programs that are both educational and entertaining, including our *Summer Writing Project* that served **597,559** readers and writers from around the world in its first three years, and our weekly podcast that received **46,179** episode downloads as of November 1, 2016.

We need your help supporting our community and building a cultural legacy for future generations.

Contributions support cultural heritage and literary arts programming including collaborative exhibitions, community workshops, educational lectures, and publishing projects.

- Member - \$40+
- Friend - \$100+
- Family - \$500+
- Advocate - \$1,000+
- Associate - \$2,500+

Learn about donor benefits, listen to podcast interviews, watch program videos, and read our *Vision Book* at: www.1888.center/support. 1888 also offers unique opportunities through Corporate Giving and our Founders Group.

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