

April 8, 2025

It is with gratitude to those who brought us here that we take this Giving Pledge. To our families, friends, teachers, and colleagues: Thank you.

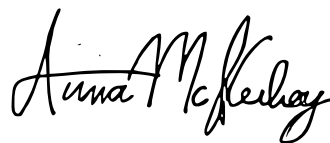
It was our good fortune to be born in countries with democratic governments and free markets. We strongly believe in these systems, despite their imperfections.

The most courageous charities enter areas where governments and markets failed, supported by people with something to give. We now join this support team. Exceptional leaders, researchers and scientists show great individual judgment in triaging the world's needs. We will champion these individuals. Organizations with a deep sense of responsibility focus intently on meaningful outcomes. We now share in this responsibility.

We are honored to join a growing community of givers whose capabilities far exceed what any of us could do on our own.

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Jim McKelvey

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Anna McKelvey". The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping "A" and "M".

Anna McKelvey