

## Case studies: examples of local action

Here are some examples of what community organisations are doing to tackle disadvantage and exclusion in their areas. We will be adding stories regularly to this resource page so please come back later to see more stories and/or tell us about other examples you know about. [Click to see more ...](#)

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### [East End Fair Finance](#)

In 2000, The Environment Trust pioneered a programme of work in deprived areas of East London to tackle financial exclusion.



### [Kiveton Park & Wales](#)

Kiveton Park & Wales Community Development Trust (KPWCDT) was set up in 1997 in response to the closure of the colliery, and to breathe new life into the community. One of their latest projects involves trading on the internet.



### [Acumen Community Enterprise Development Trust](#)

In 2004 Easington (County Durham) was the seventh most deprived district in the whole of the UK. Many families in the area suffered from poor health and unemployment, drug issues, and severe housing problems. For Kate Welch, one of the main issues has been about poverty of aspirations.

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