

So I've started my research into the systems map and first wanted to find out what others have published already.

http://effective-altruism.com/ea/1if/viewing_effective_altruism_as_a_system/

Term: Meta-EA (see EA as an interactive system)

- some parts may make others more effective (synergy)

Movement building / guidance of EA movement

- Center for Effective Altruism (CEA)
- Local Effective Altruism Network (LEAN)

Spreading Ideas

- Effective Altruism Global
- EAGx('s)
- Local EA groups
- EA Forum
- EA facebook groups

Recruiting new EA's

- Local EA groups
- Students for High-Impact Charity (SHIC)
- 80,000 hours

Thinking more clearly

- Less Wrong
- Center for Applied Rationality

Prioritising (research)

- Global Priorities Institute
- Future of Humanity Institute
- Center for the Study of Existential Risk
- Foundational Research Institute
- Wild Animal Suffering Research

Prioritising (concrete)

- Givewell
- Open Philanthropy Project
- Animal Charity Evaluators

Career advice

- 80,0000 hours

Funding for EA organisations

- Open Philanthropy Project
- Giving What We Can (pledge)
- Founder's Pledge
- Effective Altruism Funds
- Raising for Effective Giving
- CEA (local groups)
- Effective Altruism Funds (smaller projects)

- Givewell Incubation Grants (new top charities)
- Charity Science (incubation of new top charities)
- Make a system map of this part, of how they influence each others
- see end of the post for 2 examples
- 'standardize' what the interactions are (e.g. help, advice, money, talent, etc)

http://effective-altruism.com/ea/1e5/ea_survey_2017_series_cause_area_preferences/
<https://www.givingwhatwecan.org/causes/>

The second (more interesting) part is a systems map of the cause areas.

Animal Welfare

Cause Prioritisation

Meta???

Environmentalism

AI

Far Future (non-AI)

Poverty

- parasitic worms (SCI)
- economic empowerment (GiveDirectly)
- Macronutrients Deficiencies (Hellen Keller)
- malaria (/tropical diseases) (AMF / Malaria Consortium)

Rationality

Politics

- tobacco control (/health)

Happiness

- mental health (stronger minds)

Ageing/Health

- cancer
- anti-ageing (SENS)
- tobacco control (/politics)
- dementia (Alzheimers)

-- think about time-frame (interactions), about money flows, about intended consequences, and unintended consequences, etc