

# **Funding Opportunities for Civil Society Organizations in Moldova**

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This compilation is part of the Refugee Coordination Forum's effort to support local organizations in Moldova to access funding opportunities in line with localization efforts. We have collected information from various sources online and compiled it here for the convenience of local CSOs. However, it is important to note that the RCF is not responsible for these opportunities, nor does it take part in any decision related to them, nor can it recommend organizations for them. If you have any other funding opportunities to contribute or want to share feedback, please write to us (mdachrcf@unhcr.org).

# New Funding Opportunities

**Title of the Call:** Civil Society Policy Forum (Annual Meetings 2024)

Deadline: 19-Aug-2024

Funding Source/Donor: World Bank and International Monetary Fund (IMF)

# **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Civil society organizations (CSOs) and CSO networks from around the world.
- CSOs include non-governmental organizations, community groups, labor unions, indigenous peoples movements, faith-based organizations, professional associations, foundations, think tanks, charitable organizations, and other not-for-profit organizations.
- Representatives from the private sector, academia, or governmental bodies must apply for accreditation through the "Guests" or other respective registration category.

### Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Engaging in dialogue and exchanging views with World Bank and IMF staff, peers, government delegations, and other stakeholders on a wide range of development topics.
- Contributing to a diverse and comprehensive forum that reflects the priorities and perspectives
  of civil society.

For More Details: and to apply, please visit World Bank Group.

**Title of the Call:** Ember Call-Out 2024: Inviting Applications from Community-Based Mental Health Initiatives

Deadline: 20-Aug-2024



# Funding Source/Donor: SHM Foundation (Ember Programme)

# **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Organizations working in the field of mental health
- Initiatives that engage directly with and are deeply rooted in their communities
- Locally led initiatives
- Teams of more than one person (including volunteers)
- Teams with at least one English, Spanish, or Arabic speaker
- Non-discriminatory organizations (faith-based organizations may apply)

### Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Supporting and strengthening the sustainability and growth of community-based mental health organizations
- Addressing global gaps in mental health care and awareness

# Funding Details:

- A 12-month partnership with Ember, customized to support the specific needs of the organization
- An unrestricted stipend of £6,000 GBP for the year, split into two installments
- Potential for additional financial investment after the initial 12-month partnership

For More Details: and to apply, please visit SHM Foundation.

Title of the Call: Training Course on Project Management and Youth Cooperation in Times of War

Deadline: 25-Aug-24

Funding Source/Donor: Youth Department of the Council of Europe

# Eligibility of Entities to Apply:

- Volunteers, board members, or staff of national youth organizations from member states or international youth organizations and networks.
- Mandated by their organization to develop new partnerships in support of young people from Ukraine.
- In a position to transfer knowledge gained during the activities to their organizations.
- Aged between 18 and 30 (exceptions possible).
- Able to work in English.
- Resident in a country signatory of the European Cultural Convention.

- Strengthening skills and capacities in project management within youth organizations.
- Enhancing partnerships between youth organizations from Ukraine and other member states.
- Promoting the values, principles, tools, and resources of the youth sector of the Council of Europe.



Increasing outreach of the EYF special call in support of young people from Ukraine.

# Funding Details:

- Travel expenses and visa fees for accessing Lublin will be reimbursed according to the rules of the Council of Europe.
- Board and lodging will be provided and paid for by the Council of Europe.

For More Details: and to apply, please visit the Council of Europe.

Title of the Call: Civil Society Fund 2024

Deadline: 28-Aug-2024

Funding Source/Donor: Malta Council for the Voluntary Sector

### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Voluntary, self-governing organisations not subject to direction by public authorities, independent of political control, enrolled and compliant with the Commissioner for Voluntary Organisations.
- Social Partners or any other CSO having official recognition under specific laws, regulations, or administrative acts.
- CSOs established to meet needs in the general interest or in line with their mission statement, not having an industrial or commercial character.

# Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Facilitating affiliation with and participation in European and International groupings, associations, federations, confederations, and networks.
- Attending conferences, seminars, and meetings abroad related to affiliations in European and International umbrella organisations.
- Participating in training abroad related to EU and International Policy/Programmes.

# Funding Details:

• The financial contribution from the CSF will not exceed 80% of the total eligible costs and will not exceed €6,000 for any one organisation.

For More Details: and to apply, please visit Malta Council for the Voluntary Sector.

Title of the Call: Unifor Social Justice Fund

Deadline: 2-Sep-24

Funding Source/Donor: Unifor Social Justice Fund

**Eligibility of Entities to Apply:** 

• National and international NGOs



- Community organizations
- Advocacy groups
- Trade unions

# Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Tackling social and economic conditions that contribute to injustice and inequality.
- Improving the lives of workers, families, and marginalized communities in Canada and globally.
- Strengthening democracy and promoting equitable development.
- Providing humanitarian assistance and reducing economic insecurity.
- Supporting human rights and promoting gender equity and women's rights.
- Promoting water justice and supporting access to education.
- Improving health care services and fostering community development.
- Providing emergency aid and disaster relief.

# Funding Details:

• Funds are negotiated during collective bargaining with employers, calculated either on a centsper-hour-per-worker basis or as a lump sum.

For More Details: and to apply, please visit Unifor.

Title of the Call: Mental Health Award: Accelerating Scalable Digital Mental Health Interventions

Deadline: 12-Sep-2024

Funding Source/Donor: Wellcome Trust

#### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Higher education institutions
- Research institutes
- Non-academic healthcare organizations
- Non-governmental research organizations
- Not-for-profits
- Companies

# Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Evaluating and further developing scalable digital interventions for early intervention in depression, anxiety, and psychosis.
- The intervention should target symptoms and/or functional impairments related to these mental health issues.
- Potential interventions include software, AI, web-based programs, mobile apps, chatbots, extended reality, wearable devices, or video games.
- The intervention can be standalone or adjunct to other treatments and suitable for various settings such as healthcare, workplaces, schools, homes, etc.

# Funding Details:



- Funding amount: £3 to 7 million per project
- Funding duration: Up to 5 years

For More Details: and to apply, please visit Wellcome Trust.

Title of the Call: Prepositioning Assistive Products for Humanitarian Emergencies

Deadline: 13-Sep-2024

**Funding Source/Donor:** ATscale Secretariat, hosted by the United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS)

# Eligibility of Entities to Apply:

- International non-governmental organizations (INGOs)
- UN system organizations
- All applicants (including consortium partners, if any) must be legally registered in their headquarters country and have the necessary authorization to use storage facilities in the selected country for AP pre-positioning.

# Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Establishing a stock of prepositioned assistive products at a UN logistics center.
- Responding to urgent needs for priority assistive products during humanitarian emergencies.
- Supporting interventions to strengthen policy, systems, and service delivery for assistive technology (AT) at global and country levels, including in humanitarian settings.

#### Funding Details:

- Grant amount: USD 350,000
- Proposed start date: 1 November 2024
- Expected conclusion: 31 October 2025
- Possibility of a three-month no-cost extension, subject to ATscale approval

# For More Details: and to apply, please visit UNOPS.

Title of the Call: IHRA Grant Program

Deadline: 30-Sep-2024

Funding Source/Donor: International Holocaust Remembrance Alliance (IHRA)

# Eligibility of Entities to Apply:

• Organizations or institutions in the field of education, remembrance, and research of the Holocaust and the genocide of the Roma from around the world.



- Program 1: Safeguarding the record of the Holocaust and the genocide of the Roma: Initiatives focusing on the future of memory, mapping and documentation of sites, and safeguarding archival materials.
- **Program 2: Countering distortion:** Projects preventing and countering distortion in public discourse, education, research, and memorialization.

- Maximum funding amount: €30,000 over 24 months.
- Professor Yehuda Bauer Grant: €50,000 for a project on significant new research on the Holocaust and antisemitism, with no co-funding required.

For More Details: and to apply, please visit IHRA.

Title of the Call: EC offers Grants towards networked Local Digital Twins in the EU

Deadline: 21-Nov-2024

Funding Source/Donor: European Commission (EC)

### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Legal entities (public or private bodies)
- Public administrations (national, regional, and local level)
- Technology developers and suppliers
- Research and academia

#### Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- **Objective 1:** Technical inter-connection of existing Local Digital Twins (LDTs) to create national cloud-based infrastructure and offer advanced digital services.
- **Objective 2:** Creation of new sectoral LDTs based on common needs, addressing urban management areas like urban development, city mobility, climate change mitigation, and water resource management.
- **Objective 3:** Adding new AI-based tools to the EU LDT toolbox to support innovative services like generative AI models, predictive simulations, and enhanced citizen engagement.

# Funding Details:

- Estimated available call budget: EUR 20,000,000.
- Grants will support cascading funding to third parties through a single or several calls.

For More Details: and to apply, please visit EC.

Title of the Call: European Digital Media Observatory

Deadline: 21-Nov-2024



# Funding Source/Donor: European Commission (EC)

# **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Legal entities (public or private bodies)
- Fact-checkers recognized by reputable networks such as EFCNS or IFCN
- Media practitioners, media literacy specialists, experts and researchers working on disinformation

# Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Supporting an independent multidisciplinary community to fight against disinformation.
- Reinforcing the EDMO network by actively participating in its governance structure.
- Detecting, fact-checking, and disclosing harmful disinformation campaigns at various levels.
- Analyzing the impact of disinformation on society and democracy.
- Conducting and supporting media literacy campaigns targeting the general public and vulnerable groups.
- Monitoring online platforms' policies to tackle disinformation within the European legal and policy framework.

# Funding Details:

• The estimated available call budget is EUR 8,000,000.

For More Details: and to apply, please visit EC.

# New Funding Opportunities for Academia

Title of the Call: Research-Practice Partnership Grants Program

Deadline: 13-Sep-24

Funding Source/Donor: Spencer Foundation

# Eligibility of Entities to Apply:

- Principal Investigators (PIs) and Co-PIs with an earned doctorate or demonstrated professional experience
- Non-profit organizations or public/governmental institutions
- Examples: non-profit or public colleges, universities, school districts, research facilities, and other non-profit organizations with a 501(c)(3) determination from the IRS (or equivalent non-profit status outside the U.S.)
- Proposals accepted from the U.S. and internationally (submitted in English with budgets in U.S. Dollars)

- Engaging diverse expertise and perspectives in education research
- Long-term knowledge generation addressing pressing problems of practice and policy
- Improving education for learners, educators, families, communities, and institutions



- Budgets up to \$400,000
- Duration: up to three years

For More Details: and to apply, please visit Spencer Foundation.

# New Ongoing Opportunities Without Deadline

# Title of the Call: Moldova ASSIST: Grant Opportunities for Civil Society Organizations

**Deadline:** Rolling applications until funds are exhausted

Funding Source/Donor: People in Need (PIN), supported by the European Union

### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Legally registered non-profit organizations established in the Republic of Moldova
- Civil society organizations with experience in social services, educational initiatives, social cohesion, and conflict prevention
- Organizations directly responsible for the implementation and management of the proposed project
- Organizations with no political affiliations and no history of illegal or unethical activities

#### Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Strengthening the capacity of civil society organizations (CSOs) for enhanced dialogue with communities and public authorities
- Promoting joint initiatives and collaboration between local communities and public actors
- Supporting participatory processes and preventing conflicts
- Enhancing social cohesion and engaging marginalized and vulnerable populations
- Promoting critical thinking, media literacy, and social cohesion among youth and young adults

#### **Funding Details:**

- Grants of up to 50,000 EUR, depending on the lot and the scope of the project
- Duration of projects ranges from 5 to 12 months, depending on the specific lot.
- Applicants may apply for only one lot at a time.
- Grants cover activities such as capacity-building workshops, community dialogue initiatives, participatory budgeting projects, and media literacy campaigns.

For More Details: and to apply, please visit People in Need



# Previously Announced Funding Opportunities

Title of the Call: MacArthur Foundation 100&Change Grant Competition

Deadline: Aug 15th, 2024

Funding Source/Donor: John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation

### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

• Organizations and collaborations working in any field, anywhere in the world.

### Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Addressing a significant problem with a solution that is impactful, evidence-based, feasible, durable, and just.
- Transformative change in areas such as climate change, nuclear risk, criminal justice reform, and corruption

### Funding Details:

- Grant amount: \$100 million
- One-time grant to fund a single proposal promising real and measurable progress in solving a critical problem.

For more details and to apply, please visit MacArthur Foundation.

Title of the Call: 21st Sérgio Vieira de Mello Award

Deadline: Aug 20th, 2024

#### Funding Source/Donor: Villa Decius Association

#### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Individuals and non-governmental organizations from Poland and abroad.
- Candidates may be proposed by individuals, institutions, diplomatic and consular corps, and non-governmental organizations.
- It is not possible to award both a non-governmental organization and a person related to that organization simultaneously.

### Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

• Promoting peaceful coexistence and cooperation among societies, religions, and cultures.

# Funding Details:

- Laureates receive a statuette of Sérgio Vieira de Mello and a commemorative diploma.
- The Prize may also include a financial component.
- A special Honorary Prize may be awarded for outstanding achievements in human rights.

For More Details: and to apply, please visit Villa Decius Association.



Title of the Call: JWH Initiative: Small Grants for Young Civil Society Leaders in Developing Countries

Deadline: Aug 29th, 2024

Funding Source/Donor: Joke Waller-Hunter (JWH) Initiative

#### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Young individuals (preferably under 35 years of age) affiliated with environmental Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) in developing countries and emerging economies.
- Candidates should show potential for leadership and a strong commitment to environmental and sustainable development issues.
- Applications preferably in English; also accepted in Spanish, French, and Portuguese.
- Excluded countries: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hong Kong, Iceland, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, San Marino, Singapore, Slovakia, Slovenia, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, United Kingdom, United States.

#### Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Strengthening the capacity and efficiency of environmental CSOs.
- Supporting young leaders to expand their knowledge, experience, and training in the environmental sector.
- Embracing sustainable development, gender equality, and climate justice.

#### Funding Details:

• Small grants provided to individuals to support leadership development in the environmental sector.

For More Details: and to apply, please visit JWH Initiative.

Title of the Call: CEI Cooperation Fund

Deadline: Sep 10th, 2024

Funding Source/Donor: Central European Initiative (CEI)

#### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- All public and private entities based and registered in CEI Member States (public/public equivalent bodies, NGOs/CSOs, private entities).
- International Organizations can also apply.
- Individuals cannot apply.
- Applicants must have sufficient capacity in organizing international activities and project management.

- CEI Thematic Agenda:
  - Good governance and institutional development



- Empowering youth, women, and vulnerable groups
- Health and well-being
- Connectivity and sustainable mobility
- Renewable energy, energy efficiency, and energy security
- Circular bioeconomy
- Environmental protection, risk-reduction, and resilience
- Sustainable communities, cities, and territories
- Business environment and entrepreneurship
- Research and innovation through science diplomacy
- Media freedom and pluralism
- Cultural cooperation

- Total Budget: 442,000 EUR
- Segment 2.1: Up to 252,000 EUR for CEI Thematic Agenda activities; additional 90,000 EUR for CEI Flagship Events.
- Segment 2.2: Up to 100,000 EUR for the Focused Section.
- CEI Contribution Ceiling:
  - Segment 2.1: Up to 15,000 EUR
  - Segment 2.2: Up to 25,000 EUR

#### For More Details: and to apply, please visit CEI.

**Title of the Call:** iF Social Impact Prize: EUR 100,000 for Projects Advancing UN Sustainable Development Goals

Deadline: Sep 13th, 2024

Funding Source/Donor: iF Design

#### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Companies, design studios, NGOs, foundations, public and other organizations, social enterprises, and entrepreneurs.
- Student concepts are not accepted.

- Projects must contribute to one or more of the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs):
  - No Poverty
  - Zero Hunger
  - Good Health and Well-Being
  - Quality Education
  - Gender Equality
  - Clean Water and Sanitation
  - Affordable and Clean Energy
  - Decent Work and Economic Growth
  - Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure
  - Reduced Inequalities
  - Sustainable Cities and Communities
  - Responsible Consumption and Production



- Climate Action
- Life below Water
- Life on Land

- Total prize money: EUR 100,000
- Benefits for selected projects include:
  - Prize money
  - Display on iF Design Website
  - Communication support to global design community and media
  - Winner Certificate
  - Opportunity to update project with latest videos, photos, or news

# For More Details: and to apply, please visit iF Design.

Title of the Call: Horizon Europe Framework Programme: Radicalisation and Gender 2024

Deadline: Nov 20th, 2024

Funding Source/Donor: European Commission

# **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Applicants must be established in EU Member States, Overseas Countries and Territories linked to Member States, or countries associated with Horizon Europe.
- Eligible entities include public bodies, international organizations, affiliated entities, and associated partners as per specific call conditions.

# Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Understanding the motivation of women and men for supporting extremist ideologies.
- Analyzing group dynamics in radicalization processes.
- Developing strategies for prevention and de-radicalization.
- Enhancing tools, skills, and training for early detection of radicalization.
- Identifying best practices for community policing and gender-sensitive approaches.

# Funding Details:

- The financial viability check will be done for the coordinator if the requested grant amount is equal to or greater than EUR 500,000.
- Projects' results are expected to contribute to improved tools and methods for tackling radicalization, developing European common approaches, and enhancing citizens' security perceptions.

For More Details: and to apply, please visit the European Commission.

Title of the Call: Grants for Combating Hate Speech Online and Offline

Deadline: Nov 20th, 2024



# Funding Source/Donor: European Commission (EC)

# Eligibility of Entities to Apply:

- Applicants must be established in one of the following countries: EU Member States, Overseas Countries and Territories linked to Member States, and countries associated with Horizon Europe.
- Eligible entities include public bodies, international organizations, affiliated entities, and associated partners as per specific call conditions.

### Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Combating hate speech and hate crime, both online and offline.
- Reinforcing hate crime training and capacity building for police and other relevant security practitioners.
- Enhancing tools and methods for lawful detection, reporting, and analysis of hate speech-related activities.
- Supporting the implementation of the voluntary Code of Conduct on countering illegal hate speech online and other related initiatives.

### Funding Details:

- The check for financial viability will normally be done for the coordinator if the requested grant amount is equal to or greater than EUR 500,000.
- Projects' results are expected to contribute to modern tools and methods for tackling hate speech, developing European common approaches, and enhancing citizens' security perceptions.

# For More Details: and to apply, please visit the European Commission.

**Title of the Call:** Lawful Evidence Collection in Online Child Sexual Abuse Investigations, including Undercover

Deadline: Nov 20th, 2024

#### Funding Source/Donor: European Commission (EC)

#### Eligibility of Entities to Apply:

- Entities from EU Member States, Overseas Countries and Territories linked to Member States, and Horizon Europe-associated countries.
- Eligible entities include public bodies, international organizations, affiliated entities, and associated partners.

- Development of safer justice outcomes through understanding EU-wide legal aspects of online investigations.
- Enhancing legislative frameworks for undercover investigations.



- Creating methods for evidence collection admissible in court, respecting dignity and data protection.
- Providing forensic practitioners and police authorities with guidelines, manuals, and training.

- Funding checks for coordinators requesting grants of EUR 500,000 or more.
- Exceptions for public bodies, international organizations, and low-value grants (EUR 60,000 or less).

### For More Details: and to apply, please visit European Commission.

Title of the Call: Rising Innovators Prize

Deadline: Sep 25th, 2024

Funding Source/Donor: European Commission (EC)

### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Applicants must be established in one of the following countries: EU Member States, Overseas Countries and Territories linked to Member States, and countries associated with Horizon Europe.
- Eligible entities include public bodies, international organizations, affiliated entities, and associated partners as per specific call conditions.

#### Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Celebrating women entrepreneurs behind Europe's game-changing innovations.
- Inspiring other women and girls to realize their full potential as future scientists, innovators, and tech leaders.
- Supporting a culture within research and innovation organizations allowing women to become innovators and entrepreneurs.

#### Funding Details:

• Rising Innovators category: Three prizes of EUR 50,000, EUR 30,000, and EUR 20,000 awarded to the three highest-ranked applications from promising Rising Innovators under the age of 35.

#### For More Details: and to apply, please visit the European Commission.

Title of the Call: Women Innovators Prize

Deadline: Sep 25th, 2024

Funding Source/Donor: European Commission (EC)

#### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

 Applicants must be established in one of the following countries: EU Member States, Overseas Countries and Territories linked to Member States, and countries associated with Horizon Europe.



• Eligible entities include public bodies, international organizations, affiliated entities, and associated partners as per specific call conditions.

# Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Celebrating women entrepreneurs behind Europe's game-changing innovations.
- Inspiring other women and girls to realize their full potential as future scientists, innovators, and tech leaders.
- Supporting a culture within research and innovation organizations allowing women to become innovators and entrepreneurs.

#### Funding Details:

- Women Innovators category: Three prizes of EUR 100,000, EUR 70,000, and EUR 50,000.
- EIT Women Leadership category: Three prizes of EUR 50,000, EUR 30,000, and EUR 20,000.

#### For More Details: and to apply, please visit the European Commission.

Title of the Call: Tech for Good Impact Awards

Deadline: Sep 30th, 2024

Funding Source/Donor: Zendesk Foundation

### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Non-profit organizations seeking to use Zendesk software to directly serve beneficiary communities.
- Applicants should display the ability to adopt new technology and fit within the Foundation's core focus areas of fostering community, promoting resilience in times of crisis, and creating career pathways in tech.

#### Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Foster community: Enable connections that offer support and allow people to thrive.
- Promote resilience in a time of crisis: Safeguard against disaster and reduce human suffering.
- Create career pathways into tech: Close the economic opportunity gap and reduce unemployment.

#### Funding Details:

- The impact awards will provide multiple awards between \$5k to \$50k per organization.
- Zendesk Tech for Good will also provide free product donations.

#### For more details and to apply, please visit Zendesk Foundation.

**Title of the Call:** Development of Social Services for Psychosocial Support & Rehabilitation for Children and their Families

Deadline: Oct 10th, 2024

Funding Source/Donor: European Commission (EC)

**Eligibility of Entities to Apply:** 



- Academia and educational establishments, research institutes, hospitals, expert networks, civil society organizations, associations, foundations, NGOs, private entities (for-profit/not-forprofit), international organizations, Member States' authorities, municipalities, and national authorities in the health domain.
- Consortium must be composed of at least 10 applicant organizations established in at least 5 different eligible countries.
- Eligible countries include EU Member States and listed EEA countries associated with the EU4Health Programme.

# Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Establishing comprehensive psychosocial care in pediatric oncology clinics.
- Supporting the development of organizational structures, training programs, and tools for psychosocial support.
- Assessing existing psychosocial services across Europe to identify best practices, gaps, and opportunities for improvement.

# Funding Details:

- Estimated call budget: EUR 25,400,000.
- Topic budget: EUR 7,400,000.
- Indicative project budget: EUR 3,700,000.
- Expected number of grant agreements: 2.

# For More Details: and to apply, please visit the European Commission.

Title of the Call: World Childhood Foundation Grant Program

Deadline: 15-Oct-24

Funding Source/Donor: World Childhood Foundation

# Eligibility of Entities to Apply:

- Organizations located in Cambodia, Moldova, Sweden, South Africa, Thailand, and Ukraine.
- Organizations must work on projects that aim to end sexual abuse and exploitation of children.

Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Child Supportive Environments & Relationships
- Child Safety Online
- Child Focused Response to Abuse

# Funding Details:

- Grant period starts from either July 1 or January 1.
- Initial grant period is up to 12 months, with the possibility to apply for continuation, extending the project period up to a maximum of six years.

For more details and to apply, please visit World Childhood Foundation.

Title of the Call: Trust for Mutual Understanding Grant Program



#### Deadline: Nov 1st, 2024

# Funding Source/Donor: Trust for Mutual Understanding (TMU)

#### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- American nonprofit 501(c)(3) organizations.
- TMU does not make grants directly to individuals or institutions abroad.
- Individuals or institutions abroad can submit an Initial Inquiry through an American nonprofit as a fiscal sponsor.
- Exchanges must be between adult professionals in the arts and environmental fields.

#### Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Arts
- Environment
- Intersection of Arts & Environment

### Funding Details:

• Grants support costs associated with professional exchanges (both in-person and virtual).

### For More Details: and to apply, please visit TMU.

Title of the Call: Call for Nominations: Rafto Prize for Human Rights and Democracy

Deadline: Feb 1st, 2025

# Funding Source/Donor: Rafto Foundation

# **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- A candidate should be active in the struggle for the ideals and principles underlying the United Nations Universal Declaration of Human Rights
- A candidate's struggle for human rights should represent a non-violent perspective.
- A candidate may be a person or an organization.
- Two or more candidates may share the prize.

# Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Human rights
- Democracy
- Non-violent struggle for ideals and principles of the UN Universal Declaration of Human Rights

For more details and to apply, please visit Rafto Foundation.

Title of the Call: Hilton Humanitarian Prize

Deadline: Apr 30th, 2025

Funding Source/Donor: Conrad N. Hilton Foundation

**Eligibility of Entities to Apply:** 



- Nominees must be established, nongovernmental, publicly supported charitable organizations.
- Nominees must have U.S. IRS tax-exempt status or equivalent for international organizations.
- Legally established for at least five years.
- Own audited financial statements for at least five consecutive years
- Expenditures greater than \$750,000 in the most recent audited fiscal year
- Cannot be a Hilton Humanitarian Prize Laureate or a local office/member organization of a Prize Laureate
- Cannot be local offices/member organizations of parent organizations or fiscally sponsored organizations.
- Cannot be specific programs within organizations or university-based projects.
- Cannot be academic institutions providing educational degrees but can be affiliates with independent tax-exempt status and audited financials.

# Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Health and Wellness: Efforts to improve physical and mental health in underserved communities.
- Education: Initiatives aimed at increasing access to quality education for all
- Economic Empowerment: Programs that support economic self-sufficiency and poverty alleviation.
- Environmental Sustainability: Projects that promote environmental stewardship and sustainable practices.
- Human Rights: Actions to protect and promote human rights and social justice.
- Emergency Response: Initiatives providing disaster relief and humanitarian aid in crisis situations.
- Community Building: Efforts to strengthen community ties and enhance social cohesion.

# Funding Details:

• Total prize amount: \$2.5 million

For more details and to apply, please visit Conrad N. Hilton Foundation

# Previously Announced Funding Opportunities for Academia

Title of the Call: Spencer Foundation Vision Grants Program

Deadline: Aug 14th, 2024

Funding Source/Donor: Spencer Foundation

# Eligibility of Entities to Apply:

- Proposals must be for planning research projects that study education and/or learning.
- Principal Investigators (PIs) and CoPIs must have appropriate experience or an earned doctorate.
- Pls must be affiliated with a non-profit organization or public/governmental institution.



- Non-profit organizations must have a 501(c)(3) determination from the IRS or equivalent status if outside the U.S.
- Proposals are accepted from the U.S. and internationally, in English, with budgets in U.S. Dollars.

# Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Innovative, methodologically and disciplinarily diverse, large-scale research projects.
- Transforming educational systems for equity.
- Collaborative scholarship to develop a new vision of equitable educational systems.

#### **Funding Details:**

- Vision Grants are \$75,000 each.
- Two cycles of this grant program are held annually.
- Grants may not exceed 12 months in duration.
- Vision Grantees may apply for a Transformative Research Grant with budgets up to \$3.5M.

# For More Details: and to apply, please visit Spencer Foundation.

Title of the Call: GENE Global Education Youth Award 2024 – Europe

Deadline: Sep 9th, 2024

### Funding Source/Donor: Global Education Network Europe (GENE)

# Eligibility of Entities to Apply:

- Legally constituted, youth-led organizations at local, national, and international levels in European countries.
- Legally constituted youth-serving organizations (CSOs, LRGs, etc.) with at least 30% of leadership comprised of youth representatives (18-29 years old).
- Initiatives must be ongoing or recently finalized in 2024.

# Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Youth-led initiatives that enable critical reflection on the world and promote social and climate justice, peace, solidarity, equity and equality, planetary sustainability, and international understanding.
- Non-formal education initiatives for and by young people.
- Initiatives focused on global-local challenges, solidarity, sustainability, human rights, global citizenship, and social justice through education.

# Funding Details:

- Recognition and dissemination of innovative youth-led Global Education initiatives.
- Facilitation of learning from these initiatives to improve policy on Global Education and youth across Europe.

For More Details: and to apply, please visit GENE.

Title of the Call: Small Research Grants on Education Program



#### Deadline: Sep 11th, 2024

### Funding Source/Donor: Spencer Foundation

# **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Proposals must be for research projects that aim to study education.
- Principal Investigators (PIs) and Co-PIs must have an earned doctorate in an academic discipline or professional field, or appropriate experience in an education research-related profession.
- The PI must be affiliated with a non-profit organization or public/governmental institution
  willing to serve as the administering organization if the grant is awarded. Examples include nonprofit or public colleges, universities, school districts, and research facilities, as well as other
  non-profit organizations with a 501(c)(3) determination from the IRS (or equivalent non-profit
  status if the organization is outside the United States).
- Proposals are accepted from the U.S. and internationally, but must be submitted in English and budgets proposed in U.S. Dollars.

### Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Education research projects that contribute to the improvement of education.
- Proposals can cover any topic, discipline, design, method, or location related to education.

### Funding Details:

- Budgets up to \$50,000 for projects ranging from one to five years.
- Proposed budgets may not include indirect cost charges.
- Eligible investigators may request additional supplemental funds for a course release.

#### For More Details: and to apply, please visit Spencer Foundation.

Title of the Call: Open Call for ERA Talents Programme

Deadline: Sep 26th, 2024

Funding Source/Donor: European Commission, Horizon Europe Framework Programme (HORIZON)

#### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Affiliated entities are eligible if established in eligible countries.
- Associated partners can participate unless specified otherwise.
- Legal entities established in non-associated third countries can participate as associated partners in 'Coordination and support' actions.
- International European research organizations and international organizations headquartered in a Member State or Associated Country are eligible for funding under specific conditions.

- Training and lifelong learning opportunities for researchers, innovators, and other R&I talents
- Training in skills and competences to improve employability and knowledge access.
- Building R&I support capacity in both academic and non-academic sectors
- Enhancing interoperability of careers and promoting localization
- Increasing social inclusion and gender transformation



- Strengthening health system resilience and responsiveness
- Advancing health sector integration and collaboration

• Grant amount: Requests equal to or greater than EUR 500,000 require a financial check, except for public bodies or grants not exceeding EUR 60,000

For more details and to apply, please visit EC.

# Ongoing Opportunities Without a Deadline

Title of the Call: Travel Grants for Civil Society Organizations

**Funding Source/Donor:** Transatlantic Foundation (TF) in cooperation with the Black Sea Trust for Regional Cooperation program of the German Marshall Fund of the United States

**Deadline:** Ongoing Opportunity

**Eligibility of Entities to Apply:** 

Eligible applicants include:

- CSO representatives including leaders, staff, and volunteers
- Civic activists and leaders
- Representatives of informal groups
- Applicants must be based/active in one of the six Eastern Partnership (EaP) countries (with the exception of exiled CSOs)
- Must be actively engaged in their organization's activities and capable of contributing meaningfully to regional networking events

# Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Facilitating participation in ongoing regional networking activities
- Facilitating the exchange of ideas, best practices, and knowledge sharing among civic actors across the EaP region
- Increasing the visibility of civil society initiatives within the Eastern Partnership

# Funding Details:

- 50 travel grants will be awarded over the next two and a half years
- Maximum grant amount: 1,500 EUR each



 Grants support travel expenses for active participation in regional networking events, forums, and cooperative initiatives

For More Details: and to apply, please visit GMFUS.

Title of the Call: The Pollination Project Daily Grant Program

Deadline: Ongoing Opportunity

Funding Source/Donor: The Pollination Project

### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Open to individuals, groups, and start-up not-for-profit organizations worldwide.
- Projects must serve charitable community purposes without personal gain.
- Applicants must not be previous recipients of TPP's Daily Grant.
- Ability to receive a wire transfer.
- Project budget under \$10,000 USD.
- For organizations: no paid staff (except for occasional professional services), no promotion or advocacy for animal agriculture, and an annual budget under \$50,000.

### Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Open to any charitable work worldwide contributing to positive change.
- Emphasis on community engagement and meaningful impact.
- Inclusive of diverse fields and disciplines aligned with fostering positive social or environmental change.

# **Funding Details:**

- Seed funding of up to \$1,000.
- Opportunities for additional one-time funding, capacity-building support, and connectivity within the global network.
- Possibility of featuring the project in TPP community outreach through articles, social media, or video.
- Post-grant fiscal sponsorship on a per-project basis for accepting charitable donations.
- Assistance in connecting with other funders and donors after initial grant reporting.

# For more details and to apply, please visit The Pollination Project.

# Title of the Call: World Diabetes Foundation Grant Program

**Deadline:** Ongoing Opportunity

Funding Source / Donor: World Diabetes

# Eligibility Criteria:

- Applicants should have a successful track record in diabetes care and prevention or align with locally anchored partners or networks with such a track record.
- Co-funding is expected from applicants, stakeholders, and/or other partners.



- Support from or involvement by local health authorities in the relevant country or area is also expected.
- Collaboration with diabetes associations or similar civil society groups in the field of chronic disease prevention and care is welcomed.

# Interventions & Focus Areas:

- Access to care
- Primary prevention
- Advocacy Eligible Projects: The World Diabetes Foundation supports projects that are:
- Demand-driven
- Locally formulated.
- Integrated into local health systems.

# What They Fund:

- The foundation funds projects dedicated to improving diabetes care and prevention in low- and middle-income countries that are part of the OECD Development Assistance Committee (DAC).
- Project proposals should be locally formulated and owned, offering replicable and sustainable solutions with the potential to prevent diabetes and enhance the lives of people with the disease.

# What They Don't Fund:

- Medication
- Construction of buildings
- Basic laboratory research or exclusive research projects
- Travel grants for conferences and meetings
- Educational grants for long-term basic or specialized training
- Primary health care work without a focus on diabetes prevention and care
- Establishment of parallel structures
- Heavy equipment (unless justified by project design)
- External consultants (unless justified by project design and local context)
- North/South approaches (unless justified by local context)
- A significant project staff component

# For more details and to apply, please visit World Diabetes Foundation.

Title of the Call: Cisco Product Grant Program

**Deadline:** Ongoing Opportunity

Funding Source / Donor: Cisco

# Eligibility Criteria:

- Accepts applications year-round.
- U.S. organizations must be recognized by the IRS as tax-exempt under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3) and classified as a public charity.
- Non-U.S. organizations need to provide relevant documents to establish their equivalence to a U.S. public charity.



- Organizations should serve the wider community.
- Overhead costs for the organization should not surpass 25%.

# Ineligibility Criteria:

- Incomplete or paper-based proposals.
- Organizations or programs that re-grant or loan funds.
- Programs requiring exposure to or conversion to any religious doctrine for beneficiaries (although direct service programs by faith-based entities may qualify).
- New/start-up nonprofits with less than a year of operations.
- Organizations with overhead exceeding 25%.
- Proposals linked to or supporting a product sale.
- Schools, scholarships, foundations, booster clubs, colleges/universities, libraries, museums, hospitals, health care centers, clinics, food banks.
- Requests for third-party equipment (e.g., office furniture, laptops) or third-party services (e.g., installation, design).

### Areas of Focus:

- Cisco Crisis Response (including shelter, water, food, and disaster relief)
- Education
- Economic empowerment
- Climate impact and regeneration

### **Funding Information:**

• Cisco provides a maximum donation of US\$100,000 (list price) of equipment for first-time grant recipients.

# For more details and to apply, please visit Cisco.

Title of the Call: Global Innovation Fund Grant for Non-profit Organisations and Social Enterprises

Deadline: Ongoing

Funding Source/Donor: Global Innovation Fund (GIF)

# **Eligibility Criteria:**

- Any organization type can apply, including social enterprises, for-profit companies, non-profit entities, government bodies, international organizations, and research institutions globally.
- It is advised that individual innovators or researchers apply via an affiliated organization.
- Innovations should be novel, improve upon alternative solutions, be backed by evidence, be widely applicable, have scaling potential, be led by a competent team, be ready for investment, generate new knowledge, have a distinct role for GIF, and be considerate of gender impacts and climate risks.

#### What They Do Not Fund:

• GIF does not fund theoretical research unlinked to real-world projects, country-specific approaches (with exceptions for populous developing nations), political affiliations, broader innovation ecosystem supports like incubators, illegal or internationally banned activities, and



activities related to luxury goods, prostitution, human trafficking, terrorism, prohibited drugs, gambling, or pornography.

### **Funding Stages:**

- Pilot (up to \$230,000): Innovations at an early development phase with a credible implementation and testing plan.
- Test & Transition (up to \$2.3m): Innovations that have shown potential at a small scale and require further validation of operational, social, and financial viability.
- Scale (up to \$15m): Innovations with robust evidence, aiming to reach millions, and have a feasible scaling strategy.

For more details and to apply, please visit visit Global Innovation Fund.

Title of the Call: Rapid Response Window on Women's Participation

**Deadline:** Ongoing Opportunity

**Funding Source/Donor:** Women's Peace and Humanitarian Fund (WPHF)

### Eligibility of Entities to Apply:

- Women peacebuilders, national, regional, and local women's rights organizations, youth focused or young women-led organizations, feminist civil society organizations, and networks of women mediators. Coalitions among CSOs are also eligible.
- Individuals, Informal groups, women's associations, and networks (for Direct Support stream) are encouraged to apply.
- Must be from Official Development Assistance (ODA) eligible countries with a formal ongoing peace process (Track 1 and 2) at national, sub-national, and international levels.
- Women's Rights or Feminist Organizations, Women-Led Organizations, Youth Focused Organizations, and Young Women Led Organizations can apply.
- Ineligible entities include international NGOs with an international scope, government agencies, UN agencies, private sector entities, universities, think tanks, political parties, or local authorities.
- Official Development Assistance (ODA) eligible countries with an ongoing formal peace process at national, sub-national, or international levels.

#### Areas to be covered/thematic:

- Increasing women's influence in national, subnational, and international formal peace processes.
- High-level decision-making processes involving national leadership (Track 1).
- Activities between influential actors intended to influence a Track 1 process (Track 2).

# **Funding Information:**

- Direct Support: up to \$25,000 USD, which includes requests for logistical and/or technical services directly related to peace processes.
- Short-Term Grants: up to \$100,000 USD, for projects that address the objectives of the RRW and supported by an INGO partner.



For more details and to apply, please visit Women's Peace and Humanitarian Fund (WPHF).

Title of the Call: AJA Foundation Grant Program

Deadline: Ongoing Opportunity

Funding Source/Donor: AJA Foundation

#### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Organizations that align with the focus areas of AJA Foundation
- Only one request per organization annually; if declined, eligible to apply again after 12 months

# Target Stakeholders:

- Organizations globally that align with AJA Foundation's focus areas.
- Communities and individuals benefiting from projects in human rights, water, health, and education.

#### **Geographic Focus:**

• Global, with commitment to renewable clean water in rural African villages and health services in developing countries.

### Areas to be covered/thematic:

- Human Rights: Support for organizations that defend human rights, aid refugees, and provide social services, focusing on addressing root causes and structural changes.
- Water: Focus on providing renewable clean water, addressing overall health and other societal impacts like education, employment, and gender equality.
- Health: Grants to organizations offering essential health services to those who can't access or afford it, mainly in developing countries.
- Education: Aid for students from financially disadvantaged backgrounds who excel in school but lack resources, offering tutoring, mentoring, advanced coursework, and scholarships.

#### **Funding Information:**

• Grants vary depending on the program.

#### Additional Criteria:

- Due to funding constraints, only one request per organization can be considered annually.
- If a request is declined, the organization is eligible to reapply 12 months after the declination date.

For more details and to apply, please visit AJA Foundation.

Title of the Call: Apply for Multitudes Incubation and Scaling Grants – Europe

Deadline: Ongoing Opportunity

Funding Source/Donor: Multitudes Foundation



#### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Political change makers based in Europe, both individuals and organizations
- Preference for those not yet supported by other organizations.
- Open to unsolicited proposals
- Targeting those in ideation stages or scaling their impact

### Geographic Focus: Europe

# Areas to be covered/thematic:

- Building more inclusive and human political cultures (e.g., initiatives that work with political parties on electoral lists, building inclusive environments)
- Mobilizing people and communities for political power (e.g., initiatives that support communities to build power between and during elections)
- Preparing new political leaders to run for office (e.g., initiatives supporting candidates from underrepresented communities)

### Funding Information:

- Incubation grants: Up to €50,000 for initiatives or organizations transitioning from voluntary work to sustainable organizations.
- Scaling grants: Up to €100,000 for registered organizations ready to scale their efforts either horizontally (increasing existing work) or vertically (reaching new levels)

For more details and to apply, please visit Multitudes Foundation.

Title of the Call: New Democracy Fund's Flexible Response Mechanism

**Deadline:** Ongoing opportunity

# **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- The call supports a broad variety of civil society actors in the Eastern Neighbourhood Countries (Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova and Ukraine), including human rights defenders, artists and/or cultural non-governmental organizations, journalists and documentarists, trade unions or other non-governmental labor organizations, associations, networks or any other organization that represents a certain voice/group in a society, civil society actors in the Eastern Neighbourhood Countries currently in exile with a previous or existing partnership with a Danish organization.
- Please note, all applicants must have a Danish-based organization as a partner. Consortium member organizations of the New Democracy Fund can be such a partner.

# Areas to be covered/thematic:

• Supports projects that focus on countering restrictions and human rights abuses, overcoming risks and emergencies, reclaiming civic space, using new windows of opportunity and new political openings, providing emergency assistance to individuals of all genders and groups under threat where the support is channelled through a civil society organization.

#### **Funding Details:**

• The total yearly budget for Flexible Response Mechanism is DKK 5,000,000.



• The maximum grant amount awarded is DKK 400,000.

For more details and to apply, please visit Flexible Response Mechanism.

Title of the Call: Catalyst Fund

**Deadline:** Ongoing Opportunity

### **Eligibility Criteria:**

- Individuals, teams, non-profits, or social enterprises operating anywhere in the world, with early-stage ideas or projects addressing global challenges.
- Applicants must be 18 years of age or older, apply in English, include completed responses to all required questions, agree to legal terms and conditions of the grant program, and be able to legally receive grant funding.

**Funding details:** Requests submitted through the Catalyst Fund range from \$2,500 to \$15,000.

For more details and to apply, please visit Catalyst Fund.

Funding Opportunity: Global Fund for Women Grant Program

**Deadline for Application:** Ongoing opportunity

#### **Eligibility Criteria:**

- Be outside of the United States (with some exceptions)
- Use an intersectional feminist analysis and focus on advancing gender justice.
- Embrace collective action and be governed, directed, and/or led by marginalized communities.
- Not be a government entity, political party, or election campaign.
- Not be an international organization proposing projects with local partners.
- Groups do not need to be registered non-governmental organizations (NGOs) to qualify for funding.

For more details and to apply, please visit Global Fund for Women.

Title of the Call: Lush Charity Pot Grant

**Deadline:** Ongoing Opportunity

Funding source: Lush Cosmetics, via the sale of Charity Pot hand and body cream

# **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Small, grassroots groups, having an annual income of less than £350,000.
- Predominantly volunteer-run, not-for-profit.
- Various specific exclusions apply (e.g., organizations involved in cruelty, harboring prejudice, etc.).

Areas to be covered:

• Animal Protection, Environment, Human Rights (including social justice, peace, and equality).



• Targeted funding to create long-term change, support non-violent direct-action groups, provide aid for basic life needs, and support environmental responsibility.

### **Budget:**

- Charity Pot grants range from £100 to £10,000 per project/application.
- The average grant is between £2,000 £4,000.

# Additional information:

- Rarely funds the maximum amount of £10,000.
- Specific criteria for what are and is not funded (e.g., does not fund animal farming, salary)
- Environmental responsibility is central to Lush.

For more details and to apply, please visit Lush Charity Pot Grant.

Title of the Call: Incident Emergency Fund

Deadline: Ongoing Opportunity

Funding Source/Donor: Digital Defenders Partnership

### **Eligibility of Entities to Apply:**

- Targeted towards human rights defenders, journalists, activists, and organizations, especially women, feminist, LGBTQIA+ organizations, land, and environmental rights defenders.
- Applicants should be facing digital threats and attacks and require rapid response support.

#### Areas to be Covered/Thematic Focus:

- Support for immediate risk reduction and impact mitigation from digital attacks.
- Enhancement of physical security measures tied to information management and digital safety.
- Addressing psychological and psychosocial effects stemming from digital threats and attacks.

# Funding Details:

• The IEF provides up to €10,000 for activities up to four months, aiming to respond within two weeks.

For more details and to apply, please visit Digital Defenders Partnership.