

Funding Opportunities for Polish NGOs

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THIS DOCUMENT IS:

A non-exhaustive but comprehensive list of sources for regular or ad-hoc published funding opportunities related to refugee issues, to support national NGOs and RLOs to access funding opportunities.

Currently consists of **35+ funding sources**, including various platforms and grant programs from national and international institutions, UN, NGOs, foundations, and the private sector.

A working document **updated regularly**. Funding opportunities will also be circulated via email, through the Inter-Agency monthly newsletter.

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ABOUT

In an effort to assist national NGOs and Refugee-led organizations (RLOs) in identifying funding opportunities for 2024 and beyond, the UNHCR Inter-Agency Team in Poland has put together this overview. The criteria guiding the inclusion of a funding source in this list are:

(1) Eligibility: National Polish Organizations and/or RLOs are eligible to apply. (2) Relevance: Available funds should be applicable to activities, programs, or organizations primarily addressing refugee-related issues.

STRUCTURE OF THE LIST

PART 1: Introductory page, including links to (1) frequently used funding portals in Poland, and (2) "other sources" for funding.

PART 2: Comprehensive list new funding opportunities. These opportunities are categorized into the following categories according to the type of funding source:

- Government Funds (National)
- Government/Institutional Funds (International)
- NGOs, Associations & Charities
- Private Sector
- UN Funds
- Funds related to Protection from Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (PSEA)

PART 3: List of previously shared funding opportunities, categorized into the above categories.

All funding opportunities in the second part of this document include the following details to help the reader prioritize the various opportunities:

- Name of funding source
- Link and language of the website
- Type of funding (e.g. regular call for applications, ad-hoc, etc.)
- Eligibility (non-exhaustive)
- Description
- Benefits (size of available funds)
- Application start date (if available)
- Next Application deadline (if available)

Given the complexities and different requirements, we recommend all applicants to pay attention to upcoming application deadlines and eligibility criteria.

PART 1 - Funding Portals and other sources

Funding Portals

- Konkursy dla NGO: Facebook page on various opportunities.
- Granty.pl: Facebook page on various opportunities
- Fundusze Europejskie dla NGO: Facebook group on various opportunities
- NGO.PL: Resource website for Polish NGOs and civil society organizations.

Other funding sources (successfully accessed by Polish NGOs)

- NGOs for Ukraine: Matching-Service of NGOs and donors in Ukraine and neighboring countries.
- Global Giving: Match-making service for NGOs and donors.

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PART 2 - New funding opportunities¹

#	Name	Website	Туре	Eligibility (non-exhaustive)	Description	Benefits	Start of applications	Deadline
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1.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Mazowsza (proj. 8.3)	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	 Civil society organization (alone or in partnership) Social partner organization (alone or in partnership) 	Funding for: Activities implemented by organizations belonging to the group of social partners and civil society organizations, in support of the principles of the European Pillar of Social Rights, the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union, non-discrimination and diversity management in the field of education, labor market, social inclusion and health, in the form of, among others, educational, activation, promotion, advocacy, watchdog and intervention activities; activities aimed at strengthening the organization's institutional capacity, which will contribute to enhancing its ability to effectively and efficiently implement the project's objectives, as well as its mission.	Pool of funds: 10 375 429,59 PLN Maximum level of funding: 95%	21.10.2024	29.11.2024
2.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Podkarpacia (proj. 7.15)	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	 Public administration Social organizations and religious associations Partnerships Public services 	Comprehensive social and professional activation programs for people at risk of poverty or social exclusion, including, among others, people with disabilities, implemented in supported i.e. existing or newly created social and professional reintegration entities such as Occupational Therapy Workshops (WTZ), Occupational Activity Works (ZAZ), Social Integration Centers (CIS) and Social Integration Clubs (KIS)	Pool of funds: 22 234 843,00 PLN Maximum level of funding: 95%	14.10.2024	22.11.2024
3.	Fundusze Eruopejskie dla Kujaw i Pomorza (proj. 8.20)	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	 A local government unit or its organizational unit having a legal capacity A social economy entity referred to in the Act of August 5, 2022 on social economy having legal personality 	Types of projects that can receive fundings: 1) Active integration: a) Active integration services of a social, educational, health, vocational nature for individuals and families at risk of poverty or social exclusion implemented as part of local programs that include support for entire marginalized communities; b) comprehensive activities based on an individual path of reintegration of economically inactive persons with the use of	Pool of funds: 19 177 929,41 PLN Maximum level of funding: 85%	01.10.2024	12.11.2024

¹ This is a non-exhaustive list of opportunities, with non-exhaustive details on e.g. eligibility criteria. We encourage to visit the opportunities' websites for more comprehensive and up-to-date information. If you are aware of any missing, relevant funding opportunity, we would highly appreciate to hear about it.

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4.	Fundusze Europejskie dla	<u>Ø Link</u>	Regular call for	 Municipalities Schools and education 	active integration services aimed at their entry or return to the labor market; c) socio-professional activation of participants of existing reintegration entities aimed at their entry or return to the open labor market; d) creation of new reintegration entities or new places in existing entities within the framework of comprehensive projects assuming social and professional activation; e) socio-professional activation programs for people with disabilities tailored to their personal preferences and the type of disability, including with the use of supported employment services such as job coaches; f) complementary to types a-e necessary social services, activities resulting in improvement of housing conditions of project participants (without transferring funds to them), strengthening of competencies in leisure and recreation and participation in culture directed mainly to children and their parents/guardians in order to strengthen ties. The projects will finance only health services that are necessary for full participation of persons meeting the requirements of the target group, including activities of a diagnostic or preventive nature, e.g. necessary examinations (diagnostics) for participation in reintegration forms whether professional or social Types of activities: • Support for primary and secondary education	Pool of funds: 17 535 149,25	31.10.2024	07.01.2025
	Lubelskiego (Skuteczna Edukacja FELU.10.01-IZ.00- 001/24)	Language: PL	applications	institutions • Public administration	Support for primary and secondary education (excluding infrastructure) Support for adult education (excluding infrastructure)	PLN		
5.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Warmii I Mazur (proj. 9.7)	<u>Ø Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	Entities eligible to apply for funding are all entities operating on the basis of statutory provisions or other documents (e.g., KRS, certificate of entry in the register of business activity) in the sphere of social assistance and	The scope of support includes, in particular: Services for people in crisis of homelessness, affected by exclusion from access to housing or at risk of homelessness, taking into account the local specificity of the phenomenon.	Pool of funds: 20 000 000 PLN Maximum level of funding: 95%	24.10.2024	04.12.2024

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6.	Expanding Cooperation with Civil Society in the Eastern Partnership Countries and Russia programme	<u>Ø Link</u> Language: PL and ENG	Ad hoc opportunities	integration, family support, vocational and social rehabilitation of persons with disabilities or the labor market, excluding individuals (does not apply to persons conducting business or educational activities on the basis of separate regulations) The participation of Polish civil society is possible – joint German-Polish projects with one or more partners in the program countries (Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Republic of Moldova, Russia) are welcome	The programme Expanding Cooperation with Civil Society in the Eastern Partnership Countries and Russia helps civil society to play its part as a key player in democratic development and to support the ongoing transformation processes in the countries where it operates. All projects must pursue at least one of the following overarching objectives: 1. Strengthening pluralism and resilience – in order to promote pluralism of opinion and the media and to tackle disinformation. 2. Promoting the discussion of values and human rights – with a view to deepening mutual understanding 3. Generating prospects and democratic transformation – to strengthen democracies, tackle corruption, work towards closer relations with the EU and facilitate educational opportunities 4. Supporting dialogue and rapprochement – confidence-building measures to overcome regional conflicts in the future	Minimum grant is 50 000 EUR	applications 14.10.2024	08.11.2024
					and Foundations			
7.	Connect for Global Change	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL and ENG	Ad hoc opportunities	 Small and medium- sized NGOs 	"Connect for Global Change" is a new international program that will award grants for global education projects in 11 European countries. In Poland, the grant program will be implemented by the Zagranica Group. The aim of the grant program is to support projects that will build in Polish society – especially among young people – knowledge of global phenomena and interdependencies, as well as responsibility for the modern world and readiness to act for social justice, equality and sustainable development	Grants between 5 000 and 10 000 EUR Maximum level of funding: 100%		25.11.2024 at 14:00

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8.	Engaging Central Europe	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Ad hoc opportunities	Civil society organizations in Poland	The Engaging Central Europe program, led by the German Marshall Fund of the United States (GMF), is launching a special call for proposals. The purpose of this call is to support civil society organizations in Poland that: • Promote civic participation and implement innovative forms of public participation (online of offline) at the local, regional or national level • Support youth or adults in developing civic competencies, strengthen pro-social attitudes and promote involvement in democratic process • Increase the participation of women, minorities and vulnerable groups in public debate and democratic process	Grants between 10 000 and 30 000 USD		18.11.2024

PART 3 - Previously shared funding opportunities

#	Name	Website	Туре	Eligibility (non-exhaustive)	Description	Benefits	Start of applications	Deadline
					National Government			
9.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Kujaw i Pomorza (proj. 8.24)	¿ Link Language: PL	Regular call for applications	• NGOs	The types of projects that may receive funding are: 6) Development of services in training or supported housing; 10) Services for people in crisis of homelessness or at risk of housing exclusion, including in the form of community support, support based on the "housing first" model, complementary active integration services. At the same time, an obligatory measure is the implementation of services in training or assisted housing. Active integration services for people in crisis of homelessness or at risk of housing exclusion, who are provided with support in housing, can be implemented as an element of comprehensive support defined on the basis of individual diagnosis of project participants.	Pool of funds: 33 514 435,29 PLN Maximum level of funding: 85%	16.09.2024	12.11.2024

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10.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Wielkopolski (proj. 6.16)	<u> </u>	Regular call for applications	 Public administration; Institutions of science and education; Social organizations and religious associations; Social partners; Enterprises pursuing public purposes. 	Under the call, services can be implemented for people in crisis of homelessness, affected by exclusion from access to housing or at risk of homelessness, including: (a) support for community-based services, including, but not limited to, streetworking, therapeutic services, access points to hygiene services (e.g., laundry facilities, bathhouses); (b) support for homelessness prevention including, but not limited to, education, counseling, legal assistance on debts, introduction of debt relief programs; c) support for crisis intervention services, including the creation and development of crisis intervention centers and points, and access to services for people in crisis situations (e.g., consultation, counseling, legal assistance support groups, intervention housing or other accommodation); (d) support for the creation and operation of training and assisted housing and other solutions combining social and housing support with support services, including, among others, implementation of housing programs based on the assumptions of the "Housing First" method.	Pool of funds: 47 500 000,00 PLN Maximum level of funding: 95%	13.09.2024	08.11.2024
11.	Program "Pomoc obywatelom Ukrainy z niepełnosprawnoś cią"	<u> </u>	Regular call for applications	non-governmental organizations and entities listed in Article 3 paragraph 3 of the Act of April 24, 2003 on public benefit activity and volunteerism: 1) having a statutory provision on conducting activities for the benefit of people with disabilities; 2) conducting activities for the benefit of people with disabilities for at least 12 months	Implementation consists, in particular, in: 1) preparation of an Individual Action Plan (IPD), i.e. a plan of activity of the Program Beneficiary for the acquisition or improvement of competencies and change of his/her professional situation, which will enable him/her to achieve the set goals. The IPD, prepared on the basis of the assessment, must show what the rehabilitation needs of the Program Beneficiary are, what measures should be taken against him and what effects (results) will be achieved as a result of the applied measures; 2) providing the services of an interpreter from Ukrainian or Russian into Polish and a sign language interpreter; 3) providing vocational counseling, specialized vocational counseling and job placement services aimed at preparing Program Beneficiaries for active job search and maintaining employment;	Unknown		30.06.2025

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12.	Rządowy Program Rozwoju Organizacji Obywatelskich na lata 2018-2030 PROO, Priorytet 5 Wsparcie doraźne	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	NGOs More eligibility criteria available here •	4) organizing and conducting trainings, courses, workshops, community support groups - professionally activating Program Beneficiaries; 5) organizing professional internships; 6) legal counseling on their rights and obligations in the context of becoming professionally active; 7) psychological support aimed at raising self-esteem, increasing psychosocial skills, increasing motivation to seek work and take up employment; 8) support of a job coach Within the framework of the open competition, organizations may obtain support for: • covering expenses resulting from the emergency needs of the organization, arising from the occurrence of unforeseen situations and events that may have a significant impact on the effectiveness of the organization's operations and the implementation of its statutory objectives - EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE, • covering the costs of participation of the organization's representatives in public life events of national, supra-regional, as well as international character, relevant both from the point of view of the non-governmental sector or related to the industry in which the organization operates - PUBLIC LIFE, covering costs related to membership in entities bringing together non-governmental organizations of an international character (among others, costs of membership fees, costs of participation in bodies, meetings and other events resulting from membership in the organization) relevant both from the point of view of the non-governmental sector or related to the	Up to 10 000 PLN	30.04.2024	30 November, 14:00 or until the funds allocated for the Competition are exhausted
					industry in which the organization operates - MEMBERSHIP.			
				International: Gover	nments/Bilateral/Institutional			
13.	European Commission	<u>& Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	Depending on grant, Polish organizations are eligible.	 Main database of funds and tender opportunities issued by the European Commission. Can be searched by "Programme / Programme group". Several of these are relevant, notably the "Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund" (AMIF). 	Depending on grant	Ad hoc	Ad hoc

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14.	Portal Funduszy Europejskich	<u>Ø Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	Depending on grant, but these are Poland-specific grants and may target national NGOs	A platform, where EU-related funding opportunities for Poland are regularly shared. Has comprehensive resources on how to apply for EU-funds. Publishes regularly training opportunities regarding specific funds.	Depending on grant	Ad hoc	Ad hoc
15.	EEA and Norway Grants	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications and ad-hoc funding opportunities	Depending on grant, but Poland-specific grants are targeting national NGOs and CSOs.	 Funding projects in 15 countries in Europe, including in Poland. Funding a large variety of topics, ranging from climate change and energy to cultural cooperation and civil society support. Prioritizes the funding to what is most relevant in each country. 	Depending on grant	Ad hoc	Ad hoc
16.	Visegrad fund	<u> </u>	Regular call for applications	Small civic group focused on the local community, or an experienced, nation-wide organization located in one of the Visegrad countries, like Poland. The organization's project should be based on your core mission and reflect on common regional challenges. Additional grants have specific criteria regarding multi-country partnerships, including with organizations based in Moldova and Ukraine.	Seeks to advance innovative ideas that address shared challenges by high quality regional cooperation projects. Supports activities in various area, e.g.: Crossborder projects / social cohesion; European Culture & Common Identity strengthening projects, Social Development; and Education & Capacity Building. Supports also small cross-border projects that strive to improve mutual understanding in the border areas to multilateral initiatives with potential to benefit people across the whole region.	Up to 100% of project budget with 15% for overheads	Rolling	01.02, 01.06, 01.10
17.	Embassy of Japan to Poland: Grant programme "Assistance for Grass-roots Human Security Projects GGP"	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL, ENG, JP	Regular call for applications and ad-hoc funding opportunities	Any type of non-profit organization can apply (non-profit organizations and local governments) Japanese NGOs, federal government authorities and NGOs less than 2-years of establishment cannot apply. Projects need to be based on Basic Human Needs (BHN)	Financial assistance to the development projects offered by the Government of Japan is aiming at supporting the Ukrainians taking refuge in the adjacent countries and reduce the burden of the receiving countries. This scheme known as GRANT ASSISTANCE FOR GRASSROOTS HUMAN SECURITY PROJECTS (GGP) – referred to also as Programme Kusanone – supports projects proposed by various organizations, nongovernmental institutions and local authorities. Questions and project ideas can be addressed to economy@wr.mofa.go.jp or via phone. When applicable, application for will be shared	Up to 300,000 PLN	Rolling	Rolling

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					Relevant documents: <u>presentation</u> and <u>essential</u> information			
18.	German Marshall Fund	<u>& Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	Depending on grant, but Poland-specific or regional grants that target national NGOs and CSOs.	Runs several grant programmes relevant for national NGOs in Poland. The Engaging Central Europe grant programme provides grantmaking and capacity-building support to civil society organizations (CSOs) and initiatives in the eight Central European countries of Bulgaria, Croatia, Czechia, Hungary, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, and Slovenia. Cross-country projects are also funded, e.g. in relation to the Ukraine crisis.	Depending on the project	Ad hoc	Ad hoc
	<u>'</u>	'	<u>'</u>	NGOs	and Foundations	·		
19.	AJA Foundation	<u>& Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	one request per organization annually. If your request is declined, your organization will be eligible to apply again 12 months after the date of your declination.	AJA Foundation supports a wide variety of organizations globally that defend human rights, aid refugees and provide social services. Whether helping an individual or a particular community, the Foundation is particularly interested in combatting injustice and inequality by supporting solutions that address the root causes and/or address structural change. Other areas of focus: Water	The grants vary depending on program	All year round	All year round
					Health Education			
20.	Totalizator Sportowy Foundation "Socially Responsible Program"	<u> </u>	Regular call for applications	Need to be registered in Poland, but can be active in both Poland and abroad. NGOs, associations, foundations, schools, kindergartens, sports clubs, local government units, church legal persons, museums, community centers, libraries, other cultural institutions, medical entities, orphanages and other organizations/institutions.	 Education Supports initiatives related to integration, charity, strengthening communities and local communities, social welfare, development of entrepreneurship as well as various types of humanitarian activities. Due to the ongoing armed conflict in Ukraine, the foundation pays special attention to activities aimed at helping refugees, victims of the ongoing conflict. The main objective of the Program is to undertake and support activities in the field of charity, including providing and supporting social assistance and social care, as well as supporting the society in current social challenges dictated by current needs. 	Depending on the project	Rolling	Rolling
21.	European Programme for Integration and Migration	<u>& Link</u> Language: ENG	Ad hoc opportunities	 NGOs registered as non-profit and non-governmental organizations. Additional criteria depend on the call for proposal. 	EPIM supports civil society organizations in their work on migration and integration through grantmaking, capacity development, knowledge support and connecting actors across the field. Usually organizes free webinars on specific call for proposals.	Depending on grant	Ad hoc	Ad hoc

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				Partnerships or consortium application may qualify too depending on grant.	Provides additional support to NGOs on grantmaking and organizational development.			
22.	Stefan Batory Foundation	<u>Ø Link</u> Languages: PL, ENG	Frequent ad hoc opportunities	Depending on grant, but Poland-specific or regional grants are targeting national NGOs and CSOs.	 Supports civil society organisations working to enhance civic participation and public activism. Grants can be used to fund core activities, projects and to strengthen and develop your organisation. Grants are awarded through open grant competitions (Active Citizens Fund - National) as well as through non-competitive procedures (Women's Rights Fund, Youth Climate Fund). 	Depending on the project	Ad hoc	Ad hoc
23.	Polish-American Freedom Foundation	<u>& Link</u> Languages: PL, ENG	Regular call for applications	Polish NGOs and CSOs operating in Poland or/and Ukraine.	Programs in various categories are offered: "Initiatives in Education", "Development of Local Communities", "Sharing the Polish Experiences in Transformation"	Depending on the project	Ad hoc	Ad hoc
24.	FemFund	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL, ENG	Regular call for applications	NGOs that are active within a specific local community and outside large urban centers (i.e. not in Łódź, Kraków, Poznań, Tricity, Warsaw, Wrocław) They are close to feminism based on social justice, intersectionality, inclusiveness, self-determination, solidarity Conduct non-standard feminist activities and represent a new approach to solving various problems.	 Under three grant programs, groups, collectives, and organizations can receive money for the implementation of any feminist idea Several grant opportunities, both for everyday needs and for urgent actions. Two of these programs also have extended versions, in which cooperation with the Fund can be extended by several years. 	3,000 PLN to 60,000 PLN	Depending on type of grant: January/Se ptember/ Rolling	Rolling or as announced
25.	Urgent Action: Fund for Women's Human Rights	<u>& Link</u> Language: ENG, RUS	Regular call for applications	Women/Transgender persons Women or Trans Human Rights Focus – the actions proposed will promote the advancement of women's or trans human rights using nonviolent tactics or strategies.	 Urgent Action Fund's Rapid Response Grants resource the resilience of human rights and gender justice movements by supporting the security and advocacy interventions of activists when a swift response is needed. Provides two types of Rapid Response Grants: (1) Security: and (2) Opportunity. Urgent Action Fund accepts applications in any language using online, text and mobile funding applications 365 days of the year, responding to applications within 24 hours of submission. 	Max \$8000	Rolling	Rolling

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26.	Draper Richards Kaplan Foundation	¿ Link Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	 Organizations addressing a critical social or environmental issue as the focus of their work. Founders who intend to expand their impact significantly over time. Organizations operating in Africa, Europe, India, Latin America, and the United States. Fiscally sponsored organizations in select cases where there is a plan to spin out Post-pilot, pre-scale organizations. This typically means: a) Your program, product or service is already in the market or in the field. b) You have early indication that your model is having its intended impact. c) Your organization is 3-5 years old (this is not a rule, but a guidepost). Organizations with one or more founders who are fulltime or intend to be. 	 DRK prioritizes evidence of focused alignment, systemic social change, data-based decision making. Prioritizes leaders who are continually learning and iterating and welcome a deep working relationship with DRK for 3 years. Leaders who intimately understand the opportunity and the communities they serve. Leaders committed to advancing justice, equity, diversity, inclusion and belonging for all. Prioritizes organizations who are designed to realize their impact at scale. 	\$300,000 in total distributed over 3-years	Rolling	Rolling
27.	Rotary Club	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	Depending on grant.	This Rotary Grants presentation provides an overview of all four grant types. The Learning Center offers training resources on a wide variety of topics, including grant management. Rotary grants staff are available to help Rotary members through every step of the grant process.	Depending on grant	Rolling	Rolling
28.	LIFELINE	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	Depending on grant, but LIFELINE confirmed national NGOs and CSOs in Poland are eligible to apply.	The Lifeline Embattled CSO Assistance Fund provides emergency financial assistance to civil society organizations (CSOs) under threat or attack and rapid response advocacy and resiliency grants to support CSOs in responding to broader threats against civic space, with 3 types of grants:	Depending on grant	Rolling	Rolling

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				(non-exhaustive)	 Emergency Assistance, Rapid Response Advocacy Grants, Rapid Response Resiliency Grants Lifeline is currently supporting CSOs in pushing back against opportunistic civic space restrictions accompanying the COVID-19 Pandemic Lifeline also prioritizes support to civil society organization that face additional layers of vulnerability and restrictions, including women's rights and women-led organizations and indigenous, land rights, and environmental CSOs In addition, LGBTQI+ defenders can apply for support from our dedicated sister fund Dignity for All: S Link 		applications	
29.	II edycja programu grantowego "Odpowiedzialni Społecznie"	<u>Ø Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	 entities working for the public good, not operating exclusively for the purpose of profit, registered in the territory of the Republic of Poland and operating in the territory of the Republic of Poland or outside its borders. They can be, among others: associations, foundations, schools, kindergartens, sports clubs, local government units, ecclesiastical legal entities, museums, community centers, libraries, other cultural institutions, medical entities, orphanages and other organizations/institutions. 	The main objective of the Program is to undertake and support activities in the field of charity, including the provision and support of social assistance and social welfare, as well as to support society in ongoing social challenges as dictated by currently emerging needs. Given the ongoing war Ukraine, the objectives of the Program also include matters related to assisting those affected by the war at various levels. •	Depending on the project	10.02.2024	31.12.2024
					vate Sector ²			
30.	Stronger Together: EBRD's support programme for Ukrainian refugees	<u>& Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	To receive information, ask questions, or apply, please write an email to KnowhowPL@ebrd.co m or EfratiL@ebrd.com	EBRD support to refugees is part of its mandate of promoting private and entrepreneurial initiative and is aimed at improving the resilience of local economies affected by crises. 3 pillars: 1. Skills development and employment facilitation	In 2022 alone, the Fund raised EUR 33 300 000 for SME support activities in		To receive information, ask questions, or apply, please write an

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					 2. Entrepreneurship facilitation 3. Capacity building Program pipeline - Ongoing initiatives: IT Skills 4 U Mentoring programme for Ukrainian refugee women Entrepreneurial skills bootcamps 	Ukraine and those countries affected by the war.		email to KnowhowPL @ebrd.com or EfratiL@ebrd .com
31.	Cisco Product Grant Program	<u>Ø Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	Organizations outside the United States (U.S.) must provide information and documents to determine whether the organization is the equivalent of a U.S. public charity. Organizations must serve the community at large. An organization's overhead must not exceed 25%	Cisco donates networking technology to qualified nonprofit organizations to help them realize significant gains in productivity, scalability, and cost efficiency. The Cisco Product Grant Program focuses on the same social investment areas as the cash grants: Cisco Crisis Response (which includes shelter, water, food, and disaster relief); education; economic empowerment; and climate impact and regeneration.	The maximum request amount for first-time grant recipients is \$100,000 (list price) of equipment.	All year round	All year round, grants are reviewed on a quarterly cycle
32.	Google.org	<u>& Link</u> Language; ENG	Ad hoc opportunities	Depending on call for applications, but Polish organizations have received larger amounts of funding in the past.	 Through Google.org Impact Challenges, Google awards community-driven nonprofits and social enterprises with support to make their community — and beyond — a better place. Google also created a found dedicated for Polish NGOs and their work related to refugees from Ukraine. Polish organizations have received funds from Google. 	Depending on the project	Ad hoc	Ad hoc
33.	DWF Foundation	<u>⊘ Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	Registered as a charity Located in a country with office presence of DWF, which is the case for Poland. The DWF Foundation will only fund charitable causes.	The DWF Foundation supports registered charities with an impact in one or more of the following areas: Homelessness; Health and wellbeing; Employability; Education; and Environment and Sustainability. Provides regular, online grant application workshops. DWF does not require your project to be located in the community of the DWF office in Poland, it can be anywhere in Poland.	No minimum, max. is 5000£ (ca. \$6000)	Rolling	Rolling, but applications reviewed quarterly: March, September, and December
34.	Smurfit Kappa Foundation: Grants programme	<u>⊘ Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	NGO, registered in one of the countries of operation of Smurfit Kappa (which includes Poland)	The Smurfit Kappa Foundation's vision for the Foundation is to positively impact the lives of underprivileged people in the communities where Smurfit Kappa Group operates.	Depending on the project, but min. €10,000	Rolling	Annually, Rolling/ applications reviewed in

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				 (non-exhaustive) Must be in the areas of Health& Nutrition, Education or Basic care. Must be supportive of a least one of the below UN Sustainable Development Goals: 1, 2, 3,4,5 or 10. 	 Supports projects in 36 countries. Financially supports sustainable projects that positively impact the lives of underprivileged people through health and nutrition, education and basic care. 		applications	February, May, September and November
35.	LifeBus Fundacja	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	Future and current teachers of Polish as a second language.	 This is a donor-individual grant, but may be helpful for NGOs involved in language activities, e.g. on funding gaps. The teacher sets the hourly rate and costs for anything else like teaching material. The Foundation will sign agreements with JPJO teachers who can conduct classes in the following cities: Białystok, Bydgoszcz, Katowice, Kielce, Kraków, Lublin, Poznań, Rzeszów, Tri-City or Warsaw. Stationary or online. 	Salary, teaching material, eventually room-rental.	Rolling	Rolling
36.	Fundacja ZPP	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL, ENG	Regular call for applications and ad hoc opportunities.	For any organization with a project in Poland within the aim of the foundation.	 The ZPP Foundation was established in January 2022 by the Association of Entrepreneurs and Employers. Finances projects in the field of in various field of social economic development in Poland. Finances educational, business and social projects. 	Depending on the project	Rolling + specific calls for proposals	Rolling + specific calls for proposals
37.	Google Ad Grants	<u> </u>	Regular call for applications	A Google account for Non- Profit Organizations can be applied for by all nonprofit organizations with a current statute and an extract from the National Court Register.	Google Ad Grants helps nonprofit organizations inform the world about their mission. Through the program, you can promote initiatives, the organization's business, attract donors, help your cause, recruit volunteers, and implement new projects.	\$10,000 USD of in-kind advertising from Google each month to create text-based ads, and get access to tools to help build effective campaigns that can display on Google Search when people look for information related to the nonprofit.		Rolling

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38.	UN Trust Fund to End Violence against Women		Regular call for proposals	 NGOs, especially Womenled Organizations Organizations with a local community-level reach are preferred Girl-led and girl-centered organizations are also particularly encouraged to apply. 	 Awards grants to governments and NGOs, the recipients then engage diverse individuals, groups and sectors to take action to stop violence against women and girls. Those engaged to take action include women's, adolescents' and youth groups; indigenous communities; religious and traditional leaders; human rights organizations; and the media. An updated detailed application guide is published every year to reflect priorities along with some additional information to support applications. 	Depending on the project	2024	2024*
39.	UN Women's Peace & Humanitarian Fund	<u>& Link</u> Language: ENG	General source	Women-led or women's rights organization Other criteria depending on grant	Supports local women's civil society organizations on a wide range of projects contributing to peacebuilding and humanitarian action. Local, community-based organizations are particularly encouraged to apply for new funding opportunities.	Depending on the project	Rolling or as announced	Rolling or as announced

^{*}Tentative dates