

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 over 50 funding sources, including various platforms and grant programs from national and international institutions, UN, NGOs, foundations, and the private sector.

The document is **updated regularly**. Funding opportunities will also be circulated via email.

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ABOUT

In an effort to assist national NGOs and Refugee-led organizations (RLOs) in identifying funding opportunities for 2025 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.

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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
- <u>Fundusze Europejskie dla NGO</u>: Facebook group on various opportunities
- NGO.PL: Resource website for Polish NGOs and civil society organizations.

Other funding sources (successfully accessed by Polish NGOs)

Global Giving: Match-making service for NGOs and donors.

PART 2 - New funding opportunities¹

#	Name	Website	Туре	Eligibility (non-exhaustive)	Description	Benefits	Start of applications	Deadline
					National Government			
1.	Fundusze Europejskie Rozwoju Społecznego (FERS 4.18)	<u>& Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	 public administration scientific and educational institutions social organizations and religious associations enterprisers public services 	The aim of this competition is to integrate members of migrant groups particularly vulnerable to exclusion into Polish society by developing systemic solutions for all interested entities.	Pool of funds: 15 000 000 PLN Maximum level of funding: 100%	01.09.2025	31.10.2025
2.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Świętokrzyskiego (RP 10.8)	<u>& Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	all entities, excluding natural persons (does not apply to natural persons conducting business or education activities on the basis of separate regulations)	Types of projects: 1) Diagnosing training needs and professional development opportunities in the region and implementing programs covering one or more of the following forms of support: a. Career/psychological counseling b. Training/courses leading to the improvement, supplementation, or change of professional qualifications and/or the acquisition of new skills c. Postgraduate studies d. Job placement e. Additional support depending on identified needs 2) Implementation of programs aimed at improving access to employment for disadvantaged people by raising awareness and competence among employers/trade unions on how to prevent discrimination and create friendly work environment 3) Support for employers in introducing flexible forms of employment, including remote working, though, among other things: a. Training or counselling at the employer's premises, enabling employees to adapt to changes.	Pool of funds: 10 919 387 PLN Maximum level of funding: 90%	08.09.2025	22.10.2025

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.

#	Name	Website	Туре	Eligibility (non-exhaustive)	Description	Benefits	Start of applications	Deadline
					including reconciling work and private life b. Training to facilitate the use of flexible forms of employment, including the introduction of remote working			
3.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Lubelskiego (RP 8.3)	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	Local government units and their organizational units Unions and associations of local government units Social assistance and integration institutions Social service providers Social economy entities Reintegration entities Labor market institutions Non-governmental organizations Churches and religious associations, as well as legal entities of churches and religious associations entrepreneurs	Project type 1: support for the integration of third-country nationals, in particular economic migrants, into the labour market and the entrepreneurs who employ them, including the establishment and operation of an Integration Center. Project type 2: services that will enable better functioning in Polish society, including Polish language courses, training in Polish values and culture, vocational training, provision of practical information on various aspects of life in Poland, including legalization of residence and rules for admission to universities, assistance in finding accommodation and employment, support in contacts with local institutions and the local community, psychological support, and interpreter support	Pool of funds: 20 030 460 PLN	16.09.2025	20.10.2025
4.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Podlaskiego (RP 9.4)	<u>& Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	 Public administration Scientific and educational institutions Social organizations and religious associations Partnerships Enterprises Public services 	Project type 5: support for the active social integration of people at risk of poverty or social exclusion, aimed at seniors, including through: • support for the creation and operation of social integration venues for seniors in the form of senior clubs that counteract isolation and social exclusion • additional support provided as a supplement to basic support through activities aimed at integrating older people, taking into account the participation of the older people's environment, and organizing intergenerational events and meetings for the exchange of experiences and mutual education	Pool of funds: 1 750 000 PLN Maximum level of funding: 95%	22.09.2025	04.11.2025
5.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Podlaskiego (RP 9.3)	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	 Public administration Scientific and educational institutions Healthcare insitutions Social organizations and religious associations 	Under this call for proposals, support will be provided for projects of the following type: 1. Development of care services, including specialized care services for people who need support in their daily lives	Pool of funds: 2 000 000 PLN	22.09.2025	30.10.2025

#	Name	Website	Туре	Eligibility (non-exhaustive)	Description	Benefits	Start of applications	Deadline
				EnterprisesPublic services	 Development of assistance services supporting social, educational, or professional activity for people who need support in their daily lives, in particular for people with disabilities 	Maximum level of funding: 95%		
6.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Wielkopolski (RP 6.10)	<u> </u>	Regular call for applications	NGOs Trade unions	Projects may include activities aimed at raising awareness of anti-discrimination laws and policies, cooperation with local communities and civil society to combat discrimination: a) Organizing promotional and communication activities, workshops, and training courses on non-discrimination and diversity management, promoting systemic solutions among employers that support equal treatment and non-discrimination, including among people of different sexual orientations and gender identities; b) Cooperating with local communities, civil society (including NGOs) and social partners to combat discrimination, e.g. promotional activities, information campaigns and information initiatives involving 'ambassadors' (persons who are recognized and respected in the target community); c) Directly combating all forms of discrimination – creating a support system for people who are discriminated against (e.g., victims of hate speech or violence based on sexual orientation, ethnic origin, disability, and other grounds)	Pool of funds: 27 992 920,41 PLN Maximum level of funding: 95%	15.09.2025	07.11.2025
7.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Świętokrzyskiego (RP 10.5)	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	all entities, excluding natural persons (does not apply to natural persons conducting business or education activities on the basis of separate regulations)	The aim of the competition is to reduce gender segregation in the labor market by raising awareness among NGOs, social partners, and civil society organizations about existing inequalities in the labor market and discrimination. The aim is to increase the sustainable participation of women in employment and development, reduce segregation in the labor market, increasing gender equality in education and training, and promoting work-life balance. Project types: Enhancing the capacity of social partners and non-governmental organizations performing public tasks, particularly in the area of employment (e.g., campaigns to combat	Pool of funds: 4 763 187 PLN Maximum level of funding: 95%	24.09.2025	04.11.2025

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					gender stereotypes and prevent discrimination in the labor market, networking activities, activities undertaken by non-governmental organizations and social partners)			
			<u>'</u>	International: Govern	ments/Bilateral/Institutional			
8.	RIZA	<u>Ø Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	NGOs: Established in an EU Member State Minimum 1 year of activities Annual budget under 300 000 EUR Equal representation of women in governance and leadership	RIZA is a four-year EU co-funded initiative aimed at strengthening the capacity of 99 small scale grassroots NGOs across EU Member States to uphold, protect, and promote EU values and fundamental rights. Thematic priorities and activities: • support and capacity building of migrant and refugee women • advocating for the fundamental rights of migrant and refugee women • promoting the role of migrant women in democratic dialogue, community cohesion	Pool of funds: 3 060 000 EUR In the first cycle, 33 grants will be awarded, divided as follows: 15 micro grants: 17 778 EUR 12 small grants: 32 778 EUR 06 medium grants:	01.09.2025	31.10.2025
				NCO ₂ o	nd Foundations	60 000 EUR		
9.	RITA program	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	Associations Foundations Organizations established on the basis of agreements between the state and the church	The RITA program is an initiative of the Polish-American Freedom Foundation, implemented by the Education for Democracy Foundation (FED). The program aims to support democratic and systemic change in Easter Europe, the South Caucasus, and Central Asia by sharing Poland's experience in this area and helping to shape new leaders and elites capable of working for democracy, a market economy, and civil society.	Up to 60 000 PLN for projects implemented in partnership with entities from Eastern Europe countries Up to 63 000 PLN for projects implemented in partnership with entities from the	Ongoing	15.10.2025

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						South Caucasus and Central Asia Minimum own contribution: 10% of the total project value (in the form of a financial, material, or personal contribution)		
10.	Grants for exchange of experience – Equal Rights Program (Program Równych Praw)	<u>Ø Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	 Foundations Associations Church legal entities with public benefit status Country Women Associations 	The aim of the competition is to enable mutual learning and the exchange of skills and solutions between two organizations with different levels of experience in the field of human rights and/or the rule of law, organizational development, team building, etc.	Grants range between 10 000 and 20 000 PLN Own contribution is not required	18.09.2025	30.10.2026 or until funds are exhausted
11.	Rapid response grants – Equal Rights Program (Program Równych Praw)	<u>& Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	 Foundations Associations Church legal entities with public benefit status Country Women Associations 	The aim of the competition is to support civil society organizations' activities in response to sudden events or new circumstances that have arisen no earlier than six months prior to the date of submission of the application and which require a rapid and decisive response.	Grants range between 20 000 and 40 000 PLN Own contribution is not required	18.09.2025	15.08.2026 or until funds are exhausted
12.	Roots of tomorrow – PKO BP Foundation	<u>Ø Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	• NGOs	The competition helps non-governmental organizations put down strong roots that will enable them to face the social challenges of the future. Instead of supporting individual entities, the Foundation invests in the entire organization – its structure, team, competencies, and long-term development. Thanks to institutional grants, organizations can, among other things: • Strengthen their financial and operational stability • Develop team competencies and invest in training • Modernize infrastructure and work tools • Build and organizational strategy and plan activities with a long-term perspective	Pool of funds: 15 000 000 PLN	16.09.2025	15.10.2025, 16:00

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				(non-exhaustive)			applications					
	Private Sector ²											
13.	Global Impact Cash Grant Program - Cisco	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	 nonprofit organizations nongovernmental organizations 	Global Impact Cash Grants go to nonprofit organizations and nongovernmental organizations that address a significant social program. Cisco is looking for programs that fit within their investment sectors, focus on the underserved, and use technology to improve the reach and efficiency of services. Organizations and programs must focus on at least one of Cisco's social investment sectors: crisis response, education, economic empowerment, and/or climate impact and regeneration.	Maximum grant: 75 000 USD	Application s are accepted year-round	Applications are accepted year-round				

PART 3 - Previously shared funding opportunities

#	Name	Website	Туре	Eligibility (non-exhaustive)	Description	Benefits	Start of applications	Deadline
					National Government			
14.	Support for NGOs in the area of accessibility and social inclusion, Fundusze Europejskie dla Rozwoju Społecznego (FERS 4.7)	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	• NGOs	The subject of the competition is the selection of projects for co-financing, focused on the implementation of FERS projects Strengthening the Impact of NGOs from Key Industries on Public Policy.	Pool of funds: 21 000 000 PLN	02.08.2025	30.09.2025
15.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Łódzkiego (RP 7.5)	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	 NGOs Social economy entities Labor market institutions, integration and social assistance institutions, non-public integration and social assistance entities Local government units, organizational units acting on behalf 	The following type of projects may be financed under the call for proposals: • programs involving instruments for social, professional, health, educational, and cultural and recreational activation	Pool of funds: 25 000 000 PLN Maximum level of funding: 95%	25.08.2025	06.10.2025

² The private sector list does not constitute an official endorsement or approval by the UNHCR of any Web site, product, or service.

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16.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Świętokrzyskiego (RP 10.10)	<u> </u>	Regular call for applications	of local government units Chambers of commerce, employers' organizations, trade unions Universities, schools, and other educational institutions, adult education centers Non-public cultural institutions, churches and religious associations, cultural institutions Sports clubs, sports centers, non-public sports institution, SMEs, large enterprises all entities, excluding natural persons (does not apply to natural persons conducting business or educational activities on the basis of separate regulations).	Types of projects: 1) Identification of training needs and opportunities for professional development in the region and implementation of programs covering one or more of the following forms of support: a. Career/psychological counseling b. Training/courses leading to the improvement, supplementation, or change of professional qualifications and/or acquisition of new skills c. Postgraduate studies d. Job placement e. Additional support depending on identified needs (e.g., medical consultations, personal trainer support, legal counseling, etc.) 2) Implementation of programs aimed at improving access to employment for disadvantaged people by raising awareness and competence among employers/trade unions on how to prevent discrimination and create a friendly work environment	Pool of funds: 7 813 299 PLN Maximum level of funding: 95%	25.08.2025	06.10.2025
17.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Kujaw i Pomorza (RP 6.8)	<u>& Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	The project application should be submitted by an eligible Applicant and partners belonging to one of the following groups:	Support will be given to projects on the following project: construction, reconstruction, renovation, equipment of facilities for the purpose of running	Pool of funds: 30 856 838,23 PLN	02.07.2025	31.10.2025

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				 In the case of investments in infrastructure for training or assisted housing: a. Local government unit In the case of investments for the operation of housing with services or with support a. Local government unit or its organizational unit Non-governmental organization 	training or assisted housing or with services or with support.	Maximum level of funding: 95%		
18.	Interreg NEXT Poland – Ukraine	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	 At least one partner from Poland and one partner from Ukraine NGOs institutions that organize or provide services for vulnerable groups, institutions providing care for migrants and refugees. 	The specific objective of the COOPERATION priority under which the Fund is implemented is "Building mutual trust, in particular by supporting activities that facilitate interpersonal contacts." The Fund is intended to strengthen the potential of local communities and develop cross-border partnerships. Small projects that bring measurable benefits to residents and institutions on both sides of the border will be eligible for funding.	Pool of funds: 2 000 000 EUR Maximum level of funding: 90%, 90 000 EUR	29.07.2025	17.10.2025
19.	Equality and integration – II edition of Łódź Equality Grants	<u>& Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	• NGOs	The aim of the competition is to support local initiatives related to diversity, human rights equality, and civil liberties, with an activating, educational, and community-integrating character	Pool of funds: 60 000 PLN	Ongoing	30.11.2025
20.	Fundusze Europejskie dla Rozwoju Społecznego (FERS 1.4)	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	Large enterprises Chambers of commerce Scientific entities SMEs NGOs Non-governmental tourist organizations Kindergartens and other forms of preschool education Schools and other institutions of the educational system Universities	The goal of the call is to develop and disseminate 318 freely available and free e-materials for vocational education. The produced e-materials for vocational education, consisting of multimedia and didactic components, will be made available on the Integrated Educational Platform, enriching the repository of e-materials, which is currently insufficient and needs to be expanded. Activities also include collection of good practices; analysis of the situation in the voivodeships, especially in the context of the significant influx of children from Ukraine; and preparation of recommendations for the regions and proposals for possible legislative changes. The study will use already existing reports, studies and newly collected data.	Pool of funds: 59 619 276 PLN Maximum level of funding: 100%	21.05.2025	31.10.2025
21.	Program Rozwoju Organizacji Obywatelskich na lata 2018-2030	<u>& Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	 NGOs The conditions required to obtain a grant are that the applying 	As part of the open competition, eligible organisations can receive support of up to £20,000 in each track, for: Track 1- Emergency assistance:	Up to 20 000 PLN	03.03.2025	30.11.2025 14:00

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	PROO, Priorytet 5 Wsparcie doraźne, Edycja 2025			organisation demonstrates that it has no other way of funding the purpose of the grant (e.g. by presenting past activities) and that the need for the task is plausible in the context of the entity's activities (e.g. by providing a link to publicly available information on the situation described, attaching documents proving it).	To cover expenses resulting from the urgent needs of the organisation arising from unforeseen situations and events that may have a significant impact on the effectiveness of the organisation's operations and the achievement of its statutory objectives. It is the applicant's responsibility to have documentary evidence of unforeseen situations. Track 2- Public life: Covering the costs of participation of the organisation's representatives in public life events - e.g. conferences, seminars, study visits - of national, supra-regional, as well as international character, relevant from the point of view of the non-governmental sector or related to the sector in which the organisation operates. Track 3 - Membership: Coverage of costs related to membership in foreign NGO entities (e.g. unions, federations, networks, associations, societies) of international character (e.g. costs of membership fees, costs of participation in bodies and meetings resulting from membership in the organisation) relevant from the point of view of the non-governmental sector or related to the sector in which the organisation operates.		аррисаціонѕ	
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	Fighting discrimination against LGBTIQ people and promoting LGBTIQ equality – European Commission	<u> </u>	Regular call for applications	In order to be eligible, the applicants (beneficiaries and affiliated entities) must: • be legal entities (public or private bodies). • be established in one of the eligible countries Proposals must be submitted by a consortium of at least two applicants: i.e. one coordinator and at least one partner	Looking for projects that focus on one or more of the following: • Addressing the challenges LGBTIQ people face in areas where they are particularly disadvantaged (e.g. education, health care, housing) LGBTIQ people in the most vulnerable situations, such as transgender and intersex people and those experiencing intersectional discrimination; and rainbow families	Pool of funds: 13 200 000 EUR (combined with other priorities)	15.07.2025	23.10.2025, 17:00
23.	Fighting against discrimination and racism, xenophobia and other forms of intolerance, including antigypsyism, anti- Black and anti-	<u>& Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	In order to be eligible, the applicants (beneficiaries and affiliated entities) must: • be legal entities (public or private bodies). • be established in one of the eligible countries	Looking for projects that focus on: multisectoral cooperation between civil society organizations, public and private organizations and local authorities to address systemic and structural racism in areas related to access to quality housing, employment (i.a. skills, vocational training) and social inclusion (fight against poverty, etc.)	Pool of funds: 13 200 000 EUR (combined with other priorities)	15.07.2025	23.10.2025, 17:00

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	Asian racism – European Commission			Proposals must be submitted by a consortium of at least two applicants: i.e. one coordinator and at least one partner	the reporting, rights-awareness, protection, advocacy and interest representation of victims the diversity of Roma, with a specific focus on the political participation of Roma youth, the health of Roma women, the early childhood development and care of Roma children and environmental justice			
24.	Fighting against antisemitism – European Commission	<u> </u>		In order to be eligible, the applicants (beneficiaries and affiliated entities) must: • be legal entities (public or private bodies). • be established in one of the eligible countries Proposals must be submitted by a consortium of at least two applicants: i.e. one coordinator and at least one partner	This priority aims at supporting civil society organizations to prevent and combat all forms and manifestations of antisemitism, offline and online, and at supporting civil society organizations to foster Jewish life. Looking for projects that focus on: • raising awareness on contemporary antisemitism and its impact on society in general, and on specific target groups such as multipliers (educators, journalists, policy makers) and raising awareness about Jewish life to counter antisemitism • improving the monitoring of antisemitic incidents, encouraging reporting and strengthening cooperation with the police at local level • strengthening leadership capacities within Jewish communities to counter antisemitism, especially by developing professional networks, thus contributing to fostering Jewish life • building bridges between Jewish and other minority groups in the common fight against intolerance and discrimination	Pool of funds: 6 800 000 EUR (combined with other priorities)	15.07.2025	23.10.2025, 17:00
25.	Fighting against anti-Muslim hatred – European Commission	<u> </u>		In order to be eligible, the applicants (beneficiaries and affiliated entities) must: • be legal entities (public or private bodies). • be established in one of the eligible countries Proposals must be submitted by a consortium of at least two applicants: i.e. one coordinator and at least one partner	Looking for projects that focus on:	Pool of funds: 6 800 000 EUR (combined with other priorities)	15.07.2025	23.10.2025, 17:00

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					 improving the monitoring of anti-Muslim hatred/racism, encouraging reporting and strengthening cooperation with the police at the local level and authorities 			
26.	Migration, de- colonisation, slavery and multicultural European societies – European Commission	<u> </u>	Regular call for applications	In order to be eligible, the applicants (beneficiaries and affiliated entities) must: • for lead applicants (i.e., the "Coordinator"): be non-profit legal entities (public or private bodies) or an international organisation. • for co-applicants: be non-profit or for profit legal entities (public or private bodies). Organisations which are for profit may apply only in partnership with public entities, private non-profit organisations or with international organisations be established in one of the eligible countries	Projects under this topic could focus on: Exploring the legacy of colonialism and its ongoing impact on contemporary multicultural European societies, with a view to contributing to the objectives of the EU Anti-Racism Action Plan 2020-2025, including addressing topics such as discrimination and racism Raising awareness of Roma history and culture to contribute to strengthening multicultural European societies, in line with the EU Roma Strategic Framework for equality, inclusion and participation Examining common European experiences of migration linked to historical events such as wars, transition moments, colonization and de-colonisation, economic impact, or persecution	Pool of funds: 4 700 000 EUR	19.07.2025	01.10.2025, 17:00
27.	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
28.	Portal Funduszy Europejskich	<u>⊗ 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
29.	EEA and Norway Grants	<u>& Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications and ad-hoc	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. 	Depending on grant	Ad hoc	Ad hoc

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			funding opportunities	(non-extractory)	Prioritizes the funding to what is most relevant in each country.		аррисасіонз	
30.	Visegrad fund	<u>Ø Link</u> Language: ENG	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
31.	Embassy of Japan to Poland: Grant programme "Assistance for Grass-roots Human Security Projects GGP"	<u>Ø 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 Relevant documents: presentation and essential information	Up to 300,000 PLN	Rolling	Rolling
32.	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

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33.	Global Fund for Community Foundations	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	Community philanthropy organizations Community foundations Women's funds National public foundations Grassroot grantmakers Any other kind of organization that identifies with the concept and practice of community philanthropy	Grants support activities that: Strengthen the efforts of community philanthropy organizations to respond to, change mindsets around and build support for complex, sensitive or apparently intractable issues at the community level (e.g. social cohesion and other community divisions, environmental issues, women's, youth, other minority rights, marginalized and vulnerable communities etc.) Strengthen the overall durability and effectiveness of community philanthropy organizations as trusted and rooted vehicles for people-led, people-owned development (whether around grantmaking systems, governance and management structures, fund development and sustainability, communications platforms, etc.)	7 000 - 20 000 USD	Ongoing	Ongoing
34.		<u>& Link</u> Language: ENG	Regular call for applications	• NGOs	The Foundation makes grants to not-for-profit organisations across the globe that aim to make the world a safer, fairer and more sustainable place to live. Each programme has its own strategy, funding criteria, and geographic scope. The Foundation provides grants to organisations that work in the programme areas: 1. Environment 2. Housing and Homelessness 3. International Human Rights 4. Issues Affecting Women 5. Learning Differences 6. Prevent Child Sexual Abuse 7. Special Interest Grant applications are initiated in three ways: 1. Direct invitation 2. Letter of inquiry • Request for proposals	Grants range between 25 000 USD to 10 000 000 USD	Ongoing	Rolling basis
35.	"Rozwój dla każdego" – Fundacja Totalizatora Sportowego	<u>& Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	 Associations Foundations Schools Kindergartens Sports clubs Local government units Ecclesiastical legal persons 	The main objective of the programme is to support projects responding to current social challenges related to further education and vocational activation, covering a wide range of activities aimed at acquiring new skills and improving the labour market situation for both Polish citizens and refugees.	Proposals up to 20 000 PLN - own contribution is not required, but in the content- related	14.04.2025	Until funds are exhausted

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				Museums Community centres Libraries Other cultural institutions Medical entities Orphanages	The programme envisages the implementation of initiatives that will support vocational guidance, acquisition of additional qualifications enabling participants to obtain the necessary information and skills to successfully navigate the labour market. The programme will provide comprehensive support and enable participants to gain practical work experience. •	evaluation, the declared value of own contribution will be taken into consideration Proposals above 20 000 PLN - own contribution must amount to at least 25% of the total value of the project		
36.	"Odpowiedzialni Społecznie – III Edycja" – Fundacja Totalizatora Sportowego	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: PL	Regular call for applications	 Associations Foundations Schools Kindergartens Sports clubs Local government units Ecclesiastical legal persons Museums Community centres Libraries Other cultural institutions Medical entities Orphanages 	The main objective of the Programme is to undertake and support philanthropic activities, including the provision and support of social assistance and welfare, as well as to support society in ongoing social challenges dictated by currently emerging needs. Given the ongoing conflict in Ukraine and its long-term effects, the Programme's objectives also include matters related to assisting those affected by the conflict at various levels. •	Proposals up to 20 000 PLN - own contribution is not required, but in the content-related evaluation, the declared value of own contribution will be taken into consideration Proposals above 20 000 PLN - own contribution must amount to at least 25% of the total value of the project	Ongoing	01.12.2025
37.	Stefan Batory Foundation	<u>⊗ 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. 	Depending on the project	Ad hoc	Ad hoc

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					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).			
38.	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
39.	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, selfdetermination, 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 80,000 PLN	Depending on type of grant: January/Se ptember/ Rolling	Rolling or as announced
40.	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. Unanticipated urgent need	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
41.	Draper Richards Kaplan Foundation	<u>& Link</u> 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 	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	\$300,000 in total distributed over 3-years	Rolling	Rolling

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				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.	advancing justice, equity, diversity, inclusion and belonging for all. • Prioritizes organizations who are designed to realize their impact at scale.		аррисасіонз	
42.	Rotary Club	<u> </u>	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
43.	LIFELINE	<u> </u>	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: 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	Depending on grant	Rolling	Rolling

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					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: Link			
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44.	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 2. Entrepreneurship facilitation 3. Capacity building Program pipeline – Ongoing initiatives: IT Skills 4 U Mentoring programme for Ukrainian refugee women Entrepreneurial skills bootcamps	In 2022 alone, the Fund raised EUR 33 300 000 for SME support activities in Ukraine and those countries affected by the war.		To receive information, ask questions, or apply, please write an email to KnowhowPL @ebrd.com or EfratiL@ebrd .com
45.	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
46.	Google.org	<u>Ø 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

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47.	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.	No minimum, max. is 5000£	Rolling	Application deadlines: 28 February 2025, 30 June 2025, and 30 September 2025
48.	Smurfit Kappa Foundation: Grants programme	<u> </u>	Regular call for applications	NGO, registered in one of the countries of operation of Smurfit Kappa (which includes Poland) 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.	 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. 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. 	Depending on the project, but min. €10,000	Rolling	Annually, Rolling/ applications reviewed in February, May, September and November
49.	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
50.	Google Ad Grants	<u>⊗ Link</u> Language: ENG	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		Rolling

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51.	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