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Call Title:	CALL FROM AGCO AGRICULTURE FOUNDATION
Programme:	AGCO AGRICULTURE FOUNDATION
Objective:	This grant call seeks to receive proposals from nonprofits with a thematic focus to support the next generation of leaders in agriculture helping them to develop innovative solutions for agri-food systems. The innovation program for sustainable agri-food systems should target at least one of these areas: digital agriculture, climate resilience, capacity development, market efficiency, energy for food systems, and lastly, food innovations.
Eligible Activities:	<p>Program implementation must target next-gen within the age bracket of 18-40 years, including young farmers, youth leaders, small and medium-sized enterprises owned by younger persons.</p> <p>Actions must take place in Argentina, Australia, Austria, Brazil, Canada, China, Czech Republic, Denmark, Egypt, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, India, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Kenya, Malaysia, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Singapore, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom, United States and Zambia.</p>
Eligible Applicants:	This Call for Applications for Grant (CAG) is open to all nonprofit organizations registered and recognized as charitable or non-profit organizations under the law.
Total Budget:	€450,000
Deadline:	29/11/2024
More information and official documents:	https://www.agcofoundation.org/grants.html

Call Title:	GRANTS FROM HOROWITZ FOUNDATION
Programme:	HOROWITZ FOUNDATION
Objective:	The Horowitz Foundation for Social Policy was established in 1997 by Irving Louis Horowitz and Mary E. Curtis as a not-for-profit 501(c)(3) organization. Its general purpose is to support the advancement of research and understanding in the major fields of the social sciences. Its specific purpose is to provide small grants to aspiring PhD students at the dissertation level to support the research they are undertaking for their project.
Eligible Activities:	<p>Their aim is to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – To support emerging scholars through small grants; – To promote scholarship with a social policy application; and – To encourage projects that address contemporary issues in the social sciences. <p>Actions must take place in the US or worldwide.</p>
Eligible Applicants:	Applicants must be current PhD (or DrPH) candidates who are working on their dissertation; Applicants must not have a PhD; those who do, are ineligible; Applicants must have defended their dissertation proposal or had their topic approved by their department; Applicants can be from any country and any university in the world. US

	citizenship or residency is not required. Awards are made to individuals, not institutions. If processed through an institution, a waiver for overhead is required.
Total Budget:	\$100,000
Deadline:	01/12/2024
More information and official documents:	https://www.horowitz-foundation.org/faq

Call Title:	CLIMATE & CARE INITIATIVE FUND
Programme:	CLIMATE & CARE INITIATIVE FUND
Objective:	The Climate & Care Initiative, supported by the International Development Research Centre (IDRC) and led by a consortium including the United Nations Research Institute for Social Development (UNRISD), Oxfam Canada, and Fundación Avina in collaboration with the Global Alliance for Care, seeks innovative practices that connect climate and care to promote equitable and sustainable development and a just transition.
Eligible Activities:	<p>This fund is a call to action for those at the forefront of climate and care work to support organizations and initiatives to develop evidence on the importance of integrating these critical areas. They're looking for projects that not only recognize the connection between climate and care, but actively work to transform it. They seek support projects that combine climate action and care work, advancing gender equity and sustainability.</p> <p>Actions must take place in Latin America and the Caribbean, and Sub-Saharan Africa: Argentina, Barbados, Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Ecuador, Guatemala, Jamaica, Mexico, Peru, Panama, Dominican Republic, and Uruguay; Cape Verde, Ivory Coast, Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya, Madagascar, Mauritius, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Sierra Leone, South Africa, Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe.</p>
Eligible Applicants:	The Climate and Care fund is open to grassroots organizations, NGOs, and social movements based in Latin America, the Caribbean, and Sub-Saharan Africa.
Total Budget:	\$600,000
Deadline:	10/12/2024
More information and official documents:	https://climateandcareinitiative.org/fund/

Call Title:	2025 AMBASSADOR'S FUND FOR CULTURAL PRESERVATION GRANT
Programme:	U.S. Mission to Georgia
Objective:	The AFCP Grants Program supports the preservation of archaeological sites, historic buildings and monuments, museum collections, and forms of traditional cultural expression, such as indigenous languages and crafts.

Eligible Activities:	<p>Appropriate project activities may include:</p> <p>Anastylosis: Reassembling a site using its original parts.</p> <p>Conservation: Addressing damage or deterioration to an object or site.</p> <p>Consolidation: Connecting or reconnecting elements of an object or site.</p> <p>Documentation: Recording the condition and important features of an object, site, or tradition in analogue or digital format.</p> <p>Inventory: Listing objects, sites, or traditions by location, feature, age, or other unifying characteristics.</p> <p>Preventive Conservation: Addressing conditions that threaten or damage a site, object, collection, or tradition.</p> <p>Restoration: Replacing missing elements to recreate the original appearance of an object or site, usually appropriate for fine arts, decorative arts, and historic buildings.</p> <p>Stabilization: Reducing the physical disturbance of an object or site.</p> <p>Actions must take place in Georgia.</p>
Eligible Applicants:	The following entities are eligible to apply: Foreign Institution of Higher Education; Foreign-based non-profit organizations/nongovernment organizations (NGO); U.S. Non-Profit Organization (IRC section 501(c)(3)); U.S. Institution of Higher Education
Total Budget:	\$500,000
Deadline:	13/12/2024
More information and official documents:	https://www.grants.gov/search-results-detail/357080

Call Title:	UNWG CHARITY PROGRAMME FOR CHILDREN
Programme:	United Nations Women's Guild Vienna (UNWG)
Objective:	<p>Each year the UNWG financially supports many children's charities in Austria and the developing world. This project-based programme is organised for the sole purpose of benefitting children in need. The UNWG charity programme assists abused children, those having restricted access to education, children with serious health problems, children having no access to clean drinking water, victims of calamity or catastrophe, orphans, children with special needs or children suffering from extreme poverty or starvation. Projects must benefit children no older than 18 (21 if disabled), or mother and child care programmes.</p>
Eligible Activities:	<p>The services of the organisation must be available to all children without discrimination, regardless of race, gender, ethnic origin or religion. Projects must be sustainable and have continuation plans. Requests should address basic needs in health, education, water and shelter, focusing on long term assistance (e.g. clean water supply, sanitation facilities, school construction or repair, classroom furniture, educational or vocational materials/equipment, medical equipment, special needs support.)</p> <p>They are supporting projects in developing countries worldwide.</p>

Eligible Applicants:	Applicant organisations must be registered as charities with their government.
Total Budget:	€100,000
Deadline:	15/12/2024
More information and official documents:	https://unwg.unvienna.org/unwg/de/charity.html

Call Title:	DEVELOPPP VENTURES
Programme:	Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ)
Objective:	With develoPPP Ventures funding, the BMZ is supporting young companies that are already active in a developing or emerging economy and whose business model contributes to sustainable local economic, ecological and social development.
Eligible Activities:	<p>The aim is to scale innovative solutions in order to make them accessible to more people. Therefore, it is important that the proof of concept has already been achieved and first revenues have been generated. Funding the start-up phase via develoPPP Ventures is not possible.</p> <p>The current develoPPP Ventures call for applications (November 15 to December 31, 2024) takes place in Côte d'Ivoire, Kenya, Rwanda and Tanzania.</p>
Eligible Applicants:	The start-up must be privately owned and profit-oriented and must be registered in the target country or register there prior to the funded growth investment. The business model has high development relevance and scalability and thus contributes to the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). There must be proof of concept and initial revenues must have been generated.
Total Budget:	€100,000
Deadline:	31/12/2024
More information and official documents:	https://www.developpp.de/en/application/ventures

Call Title:	2025 U.S. AMBASSADORS FUND FOR CULTURAL PRESERVATION (AFCP)
Programme:	U.S. Mission to Nigeria
Objective:	The U.S. Embassy is pleased to announce the start of the U.S. Ambassadors Fund for Cultural Preservation (AFCP). The AFCP Grants Program supports the preservation of archaeological sites, historic buildings and monuments, museum collections, and forms of traditional cultural expression, such as indigenous languages and crafts.
Eligible Activities:	<p>Appropriate project activities may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Anastylis (reassembling a site from its original parts) b) Conservation (addressing damage or deterioration to an object or site)

	<p>c) Consolidation (connecting or reconnecting elements of an object or site)</p> <p>d) Documentation (recording in analog or digital format the condition and salient features of an object, site, or tradition)</p> <p>e) Inventory (listing of objects, sites, or traditions by location, feature, age, or other unifying characteristic or state)</p> <p>f) Preventive Conservation (addressing conditions that threaten or damage a site, object, collection, or tradition)</p> <p>g) Restoration (replacing missing elements to recreate the original appearance of an object or site, usually appropriate only with fine arts, decorative arts, and historic buildings)</p> <p>h) Stabilization (reducing the physical disturbance of an object or site)</p> <p>Actions must take place in Nigeria.</p>
Eligible Applicants:	The U.S Mission to Nigeria defines eligible project applicants as reputable and accountable non-commercial entities that are able to demonstrate they have the requisite capacity to manage projects to preserve cultural heritage. These may include non-governmental organizations, museums, educational institutions, ministries of culture, or similar institutions and organizations, including U.S.-based educational institutions and organizations subject to Section 501(c)(3) of the tax code.
Total Budget:	\$500,000
Deadline:	10/01/2025
More information and official documents:	https://www.grants.gov/search-results-detail/351054

Call Title:	ACADEMY FOR WOMEN ENTREPRENEURS ZIMBABWE 2025
Programme:	U.S. Mission to Zimbabwe
Objective:	The Public Diplomacy Section invites proposals for the 2025 Academy for Women Entrepreneurs (AWE) program in Zimbabwe. The program aims to develop the skills, capabilities, and resources for women entrepreneurs to fully participate in the private sector.
Eligible Activities:	The AWE program facilitates in-person and virtual sessions to complete the online interactive DreamBuilder course. The program may hold sessions with established Zimbabwean and U.S. entrepreneurs, alumni of U.S.-funded exchange programs, and other experts from different fields to enrich the AWE program. Proposals may include elements from the online curriculum, the Najafi 100 Million Learners Global Initiative, on key topics in entrepreneurship and innovation as part of the proposal. The program may be held in several locations to make it easier for participants. Proposals must have entrepreneurship programming or engagement activities for AWE alumnae from previous years. Actions must take place in Zimbabwe.
Eligible Applicants:	The following organizations are eligible to apply: Not-for-profit organizations, including think tanks, civil society, and non-governmental organizations; Business development

	organizations registered as non-profits; United States government alumni organizations. For-profit or commercial entities are not eligible.
Total Budget:	\$100,000
Deadline:	10/01/2025
More information and official documents:	https://www.grants.gov/search-results-detail/357131

Call Title:	U.S. AMBASSADORS FUND FOR CULTURAL PRESERVATION (AFCP) 2025 GRANTS PROGRAM
Programme:	U.S. Mission to Bangladesh
Objective:	The U.S. Embassy in Dhaka is now accepting Concept Notes for the Ambassadors Fund for Cultural Preservation (AFCP) fiscal year 2023 competition. The deadline for the announcement to submit the concept notes to the U.S. Embassy is 11:59 p.m. Bangladesh Standard Time on Thursday, December 22, 2022. Submissions received after this date will not be considered. Selected applicants will be asked to submit full project proposals shortly after.
Eligible Activities:	<p>Appropriate project activities may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Anastylis (reassembling a site from its original parts) b) Conservation (addressing damage or deterioration to an object or site) c) Consolidation (connecting or reconnecting elements of an object or site) d) Documentation (recording in analog or digital format the condition and salient features of an object, site, or tradition) e) Inventory (listing of objects, sites, or traditions by location, feature, age, or other unifying characteristic or state) f) Preventive Conservation (addressing conditions that threaten or damage a site, object, collection, or tradition) g) Restoration (replacing missing elements to recreate the original appearance of an object or site, usually appropriate only with fine arts, decorative arts, and historic buildings) h) Stabilization (reducing the physical disturbance of an object or site) <p>Actions must take place in Bangladesh.</p>
Eligible Applicants:	The Cultural Heritage Centre defines eligible project applicants as reputable and accountable non-commercial entities that can demonstrate they have the requisite capacity to manage projects to preserve cultural heritage. Eligible implementers may include non-governmental organizations, museums, educational institutions, ministries of culture, or similar institutions and organizations, including U.S.-based education institutions and organizations subject to Section 501(c)(3) of the tax code.

Total Budget:	\$500,000
Deadline:	14/01/2025
More information and official documents:	https://www.grants.gov/search-results-detail/357103

Call Title:	INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT GRANT
Programme:	Adolph and Esther Gottlieb Foundation
Objective:	The Adolph and Esther Gottlieb Foundation has been operating since 1976 with two main purposes. They offer grants to individual visual artists through two programs: an annual Individual Support Grant and a separate program to assist visual artists in cases of catastrophic events through an Emergency Grant program. They also maintain an archive on the art and life of Adolph Gottlieb and organize exhibitions of his art and that of others.
Eligible Activities:	Individual grants are available only to mature individual visual artists. The Foundation defines maturity in this case as having worked for 20 years or more in a mature phase of art. Successful applicants will be able to demonstrate that they have been working in a mature phase of their art for at least 20 years. Maturity is based on the level of intellectual, technical, and creative development maintained over this time period. Artists must show that their primary involvement has been with their artistic goals, regardless of other personal or financial responsibilities. Artists must work in the disciplines of painting, sculpture, or printmaking. Actions can take place worldwide.
Eligible Applicants:	The Gottlieb Foundation does not fund organizations, educational institutions, students, graphic artists, or those working in crafts. The disciplines of photography, film, video, or related forms are not eligible unless the work directly involves, or can be interpreted as, painting or sculpture. The Foundation does not fund exhibitions, installations, or projects of any kind
Total Budget:	€500,000
Deadline:	15/01/2025
More information and official documents:	https://www.gottliebfoundation.org/individual-support-grant-1

Call Title:	CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANISATION (CSO) THEMATIC PROGRAMME IN INDONESIA
Programme:	European Commission (EC) - International Partnerships (IP)
Objective:	The global objective of this call for proposals is to strengthen local CSOs as independent actors of good governance and development in their own right in priority areas of EU-Indonesia cooperation.

Eligible Activities:	<p>The two priorities of this call for proposals are:</p> <p>PRIORITY 1: Just green transition – The specific objective is to strengthen CSOs’ engagement in the just green transition, notably in sectors such as energy, agriculture and forestry, with a focus on regions and populations most affected by the transition, women as well as vulnerable groups.</p> <p>PRIORITY 2: Gender equality and women’s empowerment – There are two specific objectives:</p> <p>2.1 To prevent and respond to gender-based violence in the public and private spheres (offline and online)</p> <p>2.2 To enhance the economic empowerment of women and strengthen their economic and social rights</p> <p>For both priorities, the proposals must foresee capacity development activities (e.g. through training, mentoring and peer support, joint advocacy, etc.) as well as meaningful engagement with all sectors of society, especially women and youth. Proposals contributing to the development of partnerships and networks between EU and Indonesian CSOs are encouraged.</p> <p>Actions must take place in Indonesia.</p>
Eligible Applicants:	<p>In order to be eligible for a grant, the lead applicant must: (1) be a legal person and (2) be non-profit-making and (3) be a specific type of organisation such as: Civil Society Organisation (CSO) and/or its associations constituted in accordance with the legislation in force in the country concerned and (4) be directly responsible for the preparation and management of the action with the co-applicant(s) and affiliated entity(ies), not acting as an intermediary.</p>
Total Budget:	€9,500,00
Deadline:	21/01/2025
More information and official documents:	https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/online-services/#/

Call Title:	THEMATIC PROGRAM: CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANIZATIONS AS ACTORS OF GOVERNANCE AND DEVELOPMENT
Programme:	European Commission (EC) - International Partnerships (IP)
Objective:	<p>The overall objective of this call for proposals is: Facilitate the meeting and coordination between local authorities, civil society and the private sector, promoting actions framed in the strategy EU cooperation in Bolivia (MIP) 2021-2027. The specific objectives of this call for proposals are presented by lot.</p>
Eligible Activities:	<p>Applicants may develop your proposal solely in reference to one of these lots.</p> <p>LOT 1: ECONOMIC REACTIVATION FOR YOUNG PEOPLE IN SECTORS LINKED TO THE CIRCULAR ECONOMY AND CLIMATE CHANGE</p> <p>Specific objective: In line with Priority Area 1 of the MIP, support the economic reactivation of young people, with a focus on environmental sustainability, innovation and gender equity, with special emphasis on private sector participation (SDG 1, 5, 8, 12)</p> <p>LOT 2: LOCAL GOVERNANCE FOR TERRITORIAL DEVELOPMENT</p>

	<p>Specific objective: In line with Priority Area 2 of the MIP, from the Local Development approach Territorial (Territorial Approach to Local Development – TALD), support the strengthening of the governance of local authorities and their dialogue, decision making based on Post-information Census, and articulation with civil society (SDG 3 and 16)</p> <p>Actions must take place in Bolivia.</p>
Eligible Applicants:	In order to be eligible for a grant, the lead applicant must: (1) be a legal person and (2) be non-profit-making and (3) be directly responsible for the preparation and management of the action with the co-applicant(s) and affiliated entity(ies), not acting as an intermediary.
Total Budget: €5,000,000	
Deadline: 27/01/2025	
More information and official documents:	https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/online-services/#/

Call Title:	2025 TO 2026 CONSERVATION FUND
Programme:	Ocean Park Conservation Foundation (OPCF) Hong Kong
Objective:	<p>Regular projects (1 to 2 years) should be geared towards one of the areas whereas Long-term projects (3-5 years) must address both:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Wildlife Conservation <p>Conduct in-situ field studies to enhance the understanding of the target species population, the condition of their habitats and the threats they face in the wild, and/or Collaborate with local communities, institutes, and the government to formulate effective conservation management plans to preserve threatened species and their habitats, and/or</p> <p>Conduct ex-situ studies on the target species to promote and improve in-situ conservation efforts.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Social Science-based Conservation <p>Design and organise in-situ and ex-situ conservation education programmes to raise public awareness of wildlife conservation and to engage locals to change their daily activities and behaviour in support of conservation efforts, and/or</p> <p>Conduct capacity-building programmes or workshops to advance the nature reserve and conservation education teams' knowledge and skills for effective conservation action.</p>
Eligible Activities:	The Foundation solicits proposals worldwide, but the proposed work must be conducted in countries or regions in Asia according to United Nations Statistical Division plus Papua New Guinea, higher priority will be given to projects from Eastern, Southern and South-Eastern Asia. Coastal countries connected to Asia where funding is limited and with threatened wide-ranging Asian species (e.g. Far East Russian western grey whales), will be considered.

Eligible Applicants:	Principal Investigator (PI), Deputy PI and Co-Investigator(s): Each applicant can submit only one application as the Principal Investigator of a project and act as PI in not more than two concurrent projects funded by the Foundation.
Total Budget:	€100,000
Deadline:	31/01/2025
More information and official documents:	https://www.opcf.org.hk/en/conservation-research/research-funding/funding-application

Call Title:	HONG KONG BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION FUND
Programme:	Ocean Park Conservation Foundation (OPCF) Hong Kong
Objective:	As a new initiative to contribute to the local ecology and society, the Foundation has created a funding programme focused on Hong Kong's local biodiversity. Applications are invited for projects which can demonstrate the potential for long term, beneficial impacts on the conservation of Hong Kong's habitats and associated biodiversity. It is anticipated that funded projects will adopt a habitat-approach in conserving biodiversity in Hong Kong's humid subtropical climate landscape.
Eligible Activities:	<p>Funded projects should foster collaboration among various parties, including but not limited to OPCFHK, different universities or educational institutes, non-government organizations, and the wider community:</p> <p>Habitat Conservation: This funding programme is dedicated to the preservation and enhancement of local habitats, with a primary focus on biodiversity conservation.</p> <p>Collaboration and Partnership: We aim to foster collaboration and partnership between multiple organizations, emphasizing a proven history of working together to maximize project effectiveness. The power of partnerships is central to achieving our conservation goals.</p> <p>Education and Outreach for Sustainability: This funding programme shall integrate a strong and clearly defined education and outreach component, aiming to raise awareness about Hong Kong's biodiversity, promote stewardship, and create a lasting impact on the community.</p> <p>The Foundation solicits proposals for Hong Kong.</p>
Eligible Applicants:	Principal Investigator (PI), Deputy PI and Co-Investigator(s): Each applicant can submit only one application as the Principal Investigator of a project and act as PI in not more than two concurrent projects funded by the Foundation.
Total Budget:	\$1,000,000
Deadline:	28/02/2025
More information and official documents:	https://www.opcf.org.hk/en/conservation-research/research-funding/funding-application

Call Title:	ERC PROOF OF CONCEPT GRANT
Programme:	European Commission (EC)
Objective:	The ERC Proof of Concept Grants aim to maximise the value of the excellent research that the ERC funds, by funding further work (i.e. activities which were not scheduled to be funded by the original ERC frontier research grant) to verify the innovation potential of ideas arising from ERC funded projects. The objective is to provide funds to enable ERC-funded ideas to be brought to a pre-demonstration stage where potential commercialisation or societal opportunities have been identified.
Eligible Activities:	The ERC Proof of Concept call aims at supporting ERC grant-holders to establish the innovation potential of their idea during the pre-demonstration phase. This would help among others: (1) establishing viability, technical issues and overall direction; (2) clarifying IPR position and strategy; (3) providing feedback for budgeting and other forms of commercial discussion; (4) providing connections to later stage funding; and (5) covering initial expenses for establishing a company. Actions must take place in EU member states or Horizon Associated Country.
Eligible Applicants:	The ERC actions are open to researchers of any nationality who intend to conduct their research activity in any EU Member State or H2020 Associated Country. Principal Investigators may be of any age and nationality and may reside in any country in the world at the time of the application. ERC Principal Investigators do not have to be based full-time in Europe. The host institution must either be established in an EU Member State or Horizon Associated Country as a legal entity created under national law, or it may be an International European Interest Organisation (such as CERN, EMBL, etc.), the European Commission's Joint Research Centre (JRC) or any other entity created under EU law.
Total Budget:	€30,000,000
Deadline:	18/09/2025
More information and official documents:	https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/opportunities/topic-details/ERC-2025-POC

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