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## New Opportunities

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| <b>Call Title:</b>                              | <b>IMPACT FUND 2025 TO 2026</b>   |
| <b>Programme:</b>                               | <b>British Embassy Zagreb</b>   |
| <b>Objective:</b>                               | British Embassy Zagreb invites organisations to submit proposals by 14 April 2025 for projects demonstrating impact in areas of strengthening inter-community relations in Southeast Europe. The British Embassy in Zagreb is inviting organisations to submit project proposals for funding from their Impact Fund. As the name suggests, the purpose of the fund is to achieve impact, so they're looking for projects that make a real difference in the highlighted priority areas. Project proposals which strengthen and nurture relationships between Croatian and UK people and organisations are particularly welcome. |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b>                     | <p>This year, the call will focus on organisations, projects and activities, which link to the following thematic areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Regional stability and development: connecting and strengthening societies in Southeast Europe</li> <li>• Innovation for growth: building and nurturing UK-Croatia research &amp; innovation, science, technology, and business partnerships</li> <li>• Energy and climate: promoting green growth and energy transition</li> </ul> <p>Actions must take place in Croatia.</p>  |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                     | There are no details on eligibility.  |
| <b>Total Budget:</b>                            | <b>€100,000</b>   |
| <b>Deadline:</b>                                | <b>14/04/2025</b>   |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b> | <a href="https://www.gov.uk/government/news/british-embassy-zagreb-invites-bids-for-impact-fund-2025-to-2026">https://www.gov.uk/government/news/british-embassy-zagreb-invites-bids-for-impact-fund-2025-to-2026</a>   |

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| <b>Call Title:</b>          | <b>TOGETHER FOR LGBTQI+ EQUALITY</b>  |
| <b>Programme:</b>           | <b>Centre for Civic Education</b>   |
| <b>Objective:</b>           | The project Together For LGBTQI+ Equality is implementing the Centre for Civic Education (CCE/CGO), in partnership with ERA – LGBTI Equal Rights Association for Western Balkans and Turkey, Queer Montenegro, Queer Center Skopje, Tuzla Open Center, Open Mind Spectrum Albania, and Center for Social Group Development from Kosovo. The project is financed by the European Union.  |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b> | <p>Project proposals should promote equality and inclusion of LGBTIQ persons in all spheres of public and private life by strengthening the capacities of civil society. This includes advocacy, public awareness-raising, alliance-building, and strategic litigation to help repeal discriminatory laws, policies, measures, and practices against LGBTIQ persons, as well as contribute to policy-making in the area of non-discrimination.</p> <p>Actions must take place in Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo, Montenegro, North Macedonia and Serbia.</p> |

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| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                     | In order to be eligible for a grant, CSOs must fulfil criteria as follows: be a legal person; be non-profit-making; be a civil society organisation; be registered in one of the WB countries (Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo, Montenegro, North Macedonia and Serbia) at least 12 months before the deadline for submission of project proposals; be directly responsible for the preparation and management of the project. |
| <b>Total Budget:</b>                            | <b>€300,000</b>  |
| <b>Deadline:</b>                                | <b>17/04/2025</b>  |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b> | <a href="https://cgo-cce.org/en/2025/03/17/call-for-proposals-together-for-lgbtqi-equality/">https://cgo-cce.org/en/2025/03/17/call-for-proposals-together-for-lgbtqi-equality/</a>  |

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| <b>Call Title:</b>                              | <b>CALLS TO COLLECTIVE ACTION 2025</b>  |
| <b>Programme:</b>                               | <b>Healthy Food Healthy Planet (HFHP)</b>   |
| <b>Objective:</b>                               | HFHP is pleased to invite civil society organisations based in Europe to participate in its open Calls to Collective Action. This is an exciting opportunity to bring forward innovative ideas and collaborate with partners to shape healthier, just and sustainable food environments. Our Calls to Collective Action are open to partnerships of two or more organisations working together to change food environments. They welcome proposals from organizations with diverse experiences and perspectives, particularly those who work with grassroots groups or affected communities. They seek projects in three areas of focus, developed in collaboration with our civil society network. |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b>                     | <p>The focus areas are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Strengthening Subnational Leadership and Elevating Local Impact: Bridging Local Initiatives to National and European Food System Transformation</li> <li>• Strengthen communities against the harms of industrial livestock production to public health and justice.</li> <li>• Accelerate corporate accountability in food systems towards mandatory mechanisms</li> </ul> <p>Actions must take place in Europe.</p>  |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                     | This Call to Collective Action seeks proposals from coalitions or alliances that include grassroots organisations and aim to address the public health, environmental, and social harm caused by industrial livestock production, including industrial fish farming.  |
| <b>Total Budget:</b>                            | <b>€2,000,000</b>   |
| <b>Deadline:</b>                                | <b>18/04/2025</b>   |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b> | <a href="https://www.hfhp.eu/">https://www.hfhp.eu/</a>   |

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| <b>Call Title:</b> | <b>GROWING SUSTAINABLE PRACTICES IN SCHOOLS</b> |
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| <b>Programme: ENABEL</b>                        |  |
| <b>Objective:</b>                               | The general objective of this call is to contribute to the promotion of green cities in Palestine through resilient urban planning, green inclusive services, and green buildings, taking into account the needs of vulnerable groups (women and youth). The Specific objective of this call for proposal is: To enhance information and raise awareness on environmental and climate issues, promoting behaviour change in Palestinian schools, with a focus on gender-sensitive approaches that address the unique experiences and contributions of both girls and boys in sustainable practices.  |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b>                     | <p>The main outcome of this assignment is enhancing information and sensitization on environment and climate as to promote behaviour change, through developing the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Students' awareness of environmental challenges is increased, with attention to gender- specific perspectives and experiences</li> <li>• Green coverage is increased in targeted schools.</li> </ul> <p>The selected applicant will work closely in 4 governorates in the West Bank (Hebron, Bethlehem, Tubas, and Nablus) to develop 12 new environmental clubs, 13 school gardens and green houses in addition to the other listed activities.</p> |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                     | In order to be eligible for a grant, the lead applicant must: (1) be a legal person and (2) be a non-profit private entity or a foundation; and (3) be established in Palestine.   |
| <b>Total Budget: €250,000</b>                   |  |
| <b>Deadline: 21/04/2025</b>                     |  |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b> | <a href="https://www.enabel.be/content/enabel-grants">https://www.enabel.be/content/enabel-grants</a>  |

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| <b>Call Title:</b>                            | <b>WORLD FOOD PRIZE</b>   |
| <b>Programme: WORLD FOOD PRIZE FOUNDATION</b> |   |
| <b>Objective:</b>                             | The World Food Prize is the foremost international honor recognizing – without regard to race, religion, nationality, or political beliefs – the achievements of individuals who have advanced human development by improving the quality, quantity or availability of food in the world. The World Food Prize is awarded for a specific, exceptionally significant, individual achievement at any point along the full range of the food production and distribution chain. Fields of achievement include, but are not limited to: (1) soil and land; (2) plant and animal science; (3) food science and technology; (4) nutrition; (5) rural development; (6) marketing; (7) food processing and packaging; (8) water and the environment; (9) natural resource conservation; (10) physical infrastructure; (11) transportation and distribution; (12) special or extraordinary feeding programs; (13) social organization and poverty elimination; (14) economics and finance; (15) policy analysis; and (16) public advocacy. |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b>                   | The World Food Prize emphasizes the importance of a nutritious and sustainable food supply for all people. By honoring those who have worked successfully toward this goal, The Prize calls attention to what has been done to improve global food security and to what can be accomplished in the future.  |

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|   | Actions can take place worldwide.  |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                     | Eligible is: (1) someone who is making exceptional progress in the quality quantity and availability of food; (2) someone who is creating waves within the world of agriculture and food production to enhance the quality, quantity and availability of food. |
| <b>Total Budget: €500,000</b>                   |  |
| <b>Deadline: 01/05/2025</b>                     |  |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b> | <a href="https://www.worldfoodprize.org/en/nominations/the_world_food_prize/">https://www.worldfoodprize.org/en/nominations/the_world_food_prize/</a>  |

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| <b>Call Title:</b>                              | <b>EMPOWER CIVIL SOCIETY AS DRIVERS OF CHANGE</b>   |
| <b>Programme:</b>                               | <b>European Commission (EC) - International Partnerships</b>  |
| <b>Objective:</b>                               | The global objective of this call for proposals is to enhance the capacity and resilience of Armenian civil society organisations as trusted, independent and effective actors.   |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b>                     | <p>The priorities of this call for proposals are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To enhance the capacity of independent media outlets and journalists in Armenia to operate freely, ethically, and professionally by providing training, legal support, and technological tools that improve investigative journalism and counter disinformation.</li> <li>To enhance the capacity, sustainability, and impact of Armenian civil society organizations (CSOs) by strengthening their institutional capacities, financial resilience, and ability to engage effectively in policy dialogue, advocacy, and service delivery.</li> </ul> <p>The call will be divided into two lots:<br/>         LOT 1: Freedom and Professionalism of Media<br/>         LOT 2: Strengthening civil society in Armenia</p> <p>Actions must take place in Armenia.</p> |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                     | 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 non-governmental organisation.  |
| <b>Total Budget: €3,970,000</b>                 |   |
| <b>Deadline: 05/05/2025</b>                     |   |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b> | <a href="https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/online-services/#/">https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/online-services/#/</a>   |

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| <b>Call Title:</b> | <b>SUPPORT FOR CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANISATIONS IN THE REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA IN 2025</b> |
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| <b>Programme: European Commission (EC) - International Partnerships</b> |  |
| <b>Objective:</b>   | The global objective of this call for proposals is to strengthen the participation and contribution of Moldovan civil society to the democratic, economic and social development of the country in the context of the EU accession process. This action aims to support inclusive, resilient and democratic society by capacitating CSOs to participate in the implementation and monitoring of reforms related to the EU accession, to engage in open and structured policy dialogue with public authorities, promoting citizens active civic participation in social and economic life, ensuring fair and equal development opportunities for all.   |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b>   | <p>The specific objectives and priorities of this call for proposals are:</p> <p>Lot 1 specific objective: Strengthening the capacities of civil society organisations to participate and contribute to the EU accession process of the Republic of Moldova.</p> <p>Lot 2 specific objective: Strengthening the capacities of civil society organisations to better perform their role as community mobilisation actor in the context of the EU integration process.</p> <p>Lot 3 specific objective: Enabling CSOs to meaningfully contribute to the strengthening of the child protection system in the Republic of Moldova in the context of EU accession.</p> <p>Actions must take place in the Republic of Moldova.</p> |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>   | 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 non-governmental organisation.   |
| <b>Total Budget: €6,000,000</b>   |  |
| <b>Deadline: 05/05/2025</b>   |  |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b>                         | <a href="https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/online-services/#/">https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/online-services/#/</a>  |

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| <b>Call Title:</b>  | <b>SUPPORT FOR THE CREATION AND MANAGEMENT OF THE PROTECTED MARINE AREAS IN SÃO TOMÉ AND PRÍNCIPE</b>   |
| <b>Programme: European Commission (EC) - International Partnerships</b> |   |
| <b>Objective:</b>   | The general objective of the programme for this call for proposals is: The sustainable and integrated use of marine resources is improved and stimulates inclusive economic growth.   |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b>   | <p>The specific objective of the programme concerning this call for proposals is: The foundations for an effective system for the long-term maintenance of natural capital, biodiversity and marine and coastal ecosystem services shall be established.</p> <p>In addition, project proposals should be structured around 3 main pillars: Conservation, Blue Economy, Governance.</p> <p>Actions must take place in in the islands of São Tomé and Príncipe.</p> |



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| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                     | 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 non-governmental organisation. |
| <b>Total Budget:</b>                            | <b>€2,000,000</b>  |
| <b>Deadline:</b>                                | <b>06/05/2025</b>  |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b> | <a href="https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/online-services/#/">https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/online-services/#/</a>  |

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| <b>Call Title:</b>                              | <b>ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND SUPPORT TO NATURAL RESOURCES AND TOURISM VALUE CHAINS</b>  |
| <b>Programme:</b>                               | <b>European Commission (EC) - International Partnerships</b>   |
| <b>Objective:</b>                               | The global objective of this call for proposals is: Relaunching tourism as a driver for sustainable growth and the creation of decent, sustainable and inclusive green jobs. The specific objective of this call for proposals is: Promote an approach that integrates environmental protection and the development of sustainable, inclusive and gender-sensitive value chains.   |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b>                     | <p>The priorities of this call for proposals are:</p> <p>A-General priorities: The objectives of the proposed actions must be consistent with those of the programme.</p> <p>B-Specific priorities : The action must respond to the 2 main outputs expected from the programme, namely: (1) The regulatory framework and natural resource management systems for strengthening the protection of the environment and biodiversity (including the promotion of human rights and gender equality) are consolidated; and (2) Development of sustainable, inclusive and high-quality tourism, targeting especially women and young people, based on ecosystem services, and based on: 2.1- sustainable and responsible tourism offering green, decent and gender-sensitive jobs for communities in protected areas and their peripheral areas, and 2.2- vocational training for private stakeholders in the tourism sector (eco and agro-tourism, cultural tourism, scientific tourism), in accordance with the gender perspective and the guiding principles on business and human rights.</p> <p>Actions must take place in in the islands of São Tomé and Príncipe.</p> |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                     | 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 non-governmental organisation.   |
| <b>Total Budget:</b>                            | <b>€3,500,000</b>  |
| <b>Deadline:</b>                                | <b>06/05/2025</b>  |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b> | <a href="https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/online-services/#/">https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/online-services/#/</a>  |

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| <b>Call Title:</b>                              | <b>THEMATIC PROGRAMME FOR CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANISATIONS AND HUMAN RIGHTS AND DEMOCRACY IN LIBERIA</b>   |
| <b>Programme:</b>                               | <b>European Commission (EC) - International Partnerships</b>  |
| <b>Objective:</b>                               | <p>This call for proposals is divided into TWO LOTS:</p> <p>LOT 1 – Human Rights and Democracy</p> <p>Lot 1 – Specific Objective 1: Business and Human rights – Support civil society organisations, duty-bearers and right-holders’ participation in the implementation of national and international regulatory frameworks on Business and Human Rights.</p> <p>Lot 1 – Specific Objective 2: Human Rights Defenders – Support the recognition, promotion and protection of human rights defenders in Liberia.</p> <p>Lot 1 – Specific Objective 3: Transitional Justice – Support transitional justice processes in Liberia as a crucial step for the promotion of human rights, justice, peace and security, good governance, and development.</p> <p>LOT 2 – Support to Civil Society in Partner Countries</p> <p>Lot 2 – Specific Objective 1 – Promote good governance by strengthening Liberian civil society organisations’ (CSOs) and community-based organisations’ (CBOs) capacities to ensure informed and inclusive access to land and equal land-related economic opportunities.</p> <p>Lot 2 – Specific Objective 2 – Strengthen Civil Society Organisations working for the inclusion of vulnerable and marginalised youth</p> |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b>                     | Actions must take place in Liberia.   |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                     | 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: a non-governmental organisation or civil society organisation 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.   |
| <b>Total Budget: €1,915,000</b>                 |   |
| <b>Deadline: 12/05/2025</b>                     |   |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b> | <a href="https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/online-services/#/">https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/online-services/#/</a>   |

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| <b>Call Title:</b>          | <b>RASKOB FOUNDATION GRANTS</b>  |
| <b>Programme:</b>           | <b>RASKOB FOUNDATION</b>   |
| <b>Objective:</b>           | <p>The Raskob Foundation is an independent, private family foundation. The mission of the Raskob Foundation is to support domestic and international projects from institutions and organisation identified with Catholic church. Their international program is funding various topics such as education, governance and human rights, health, economic empowerment and business trainings, water and sanitation, income generation and disability.</p> |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b> | <p>Sample projects that they have funded in the past include: youth leadership and peacebuilding in Ecuador, income generation activities in Ethiopia, feeding programs in Haiti, women empowerment in India, medical aid to the poor in Gaza, childhood</p>   |

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|   | <p>education program in Jordan, ending child labour in Malawi, program for disabled mothers in Palestine, improve water and sanitation in South Sudan.</p> <p>They are funding projects in any country in Asia, Africa, America and Europe.</p>  |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                     | <p>If the requesting organisation is located in the US, it must be tax- exempt 501 (3) with public charity status and be catholic (listed in the P.J. Kenedy Official Catholic Directory). If the requesting organization is located outside the US, it must have a non-profit, non-governmental status equivalent to a public charity as found in the United States and be catholic as verified by Ordinary of the Diocese.</p> |
| <b>Total Budget: €2,000,000</b>                 |  |
| <b>Deadline: 15/05/2025</b>                     |  |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b> | <a href="https://www.rfca.org/giving">https://www.rfca.org/giving</a>  |

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| <b>Call Title:</b>          | <b>Digital Energy Challenge 2025</b>   |
| <b>Programme:</b>           | <b>Digital Energy</b>  |
| <b>Objective:</b>           | <p>The 2025 Digital Energy Challenge for Start-ups will reward 3 to 4 Start-ups that are developing digital innovative projects aimed at accelerating access to energy, boosting the energy transition and improving the operational efficiency of players in the energy access and grid services in Africa.</p>   |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b> | <p>Themes</p> <p>The three themes for the 2025 call for projects are:</p> <p>Universal electricity access and mini-grids</p> <p>Digital innovations in the field of mini-grids to maximize their efficiency and impact: energy management systems for the optimal use of clean and renewable energy; software and hardware technologies for an efficient integration of productive use assets; storage systems and algorithms minimizing the use of fossil fuel generators; tools to facilitate interconnections with the main grid and with other mini-grids; systems and algorithms for building-up nanogrids; geospatial data analytics for power demand evaluation and/or credit risk assessment</p> <p>Efficient grid management</p> <p>Digital services and products ensuring a proper operation of the power grid, with a focus on: information availability and communication systems; streamlining Business-As-Usual grid operational management practices of the power system; increased power availability and service quality.</p> <p>Resilience and decarbonation of power systems</p> <p>Digital-based solutions enabling the development of a greener and more resilient power infrastructure (encompassing generation systems as well as the grid): additional renewable capacity; grid stability and flexibility; energy savings at the end-user level (Commercial &amp; Industrial as well as households).</p> |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b> | <p>Eligibility Criteria</p> <p>The Start-up must meet the following criteria:</p> <p>Created less than 10 years ago</p>  |

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|   | <p>Be in the pre-seed/early-stage financing phase i.e. less than €1M funding raised</p> <p>Annual turnover of less than €1M</p> <p>Employ between 1 and 99 people full-time.</p> <p>NGOs can apply under the Start-up category if the project meets one of the additional following criteria:</p> <p>The project is set up as a company as a branch of the NGO</p> <p>The project has a dedicated team and business plan, and clearly targets business sustainability/profitability (e.g. plans to spin off as an independent entity).</p> <p>Finally the Start-up's project must adhere to one of the three above-mentioned themes and be:</p> <p>Digital i.e. based on a telecom, computer or cloud-based technology</p> <p>Innovative, either intrinsically or compared to the local market</p> <p>Local i.e. headquartered or with project management activities in the country of the project</p> <p>Eligible countries:</p> <p>Algeria, Angola, Benin, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cabo Verde, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo Democratic Republic, Congo Republic, Côte d'Ivoire, Djibouti, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Eswatini, Ethiopia, Gabon, The Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Kenya, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Malawi, Mauritania, Mauritius, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Nigeria, Rwanda, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Africa, South Sudan, Sudan, Tanzania, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe.</p> |
| <b>Total Budget: €150,000</b>                   |  |
| <b>Deadline: 16/05/2025</b>                     |  |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b> | <a href="https://digital-energy.eu/en/digital-energy-challenge-for-start-call-projects">https://digital-energy.eu/en/digital-energy-challenge-for-start-call-projects</a>  |

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| <b>Call Title:</b>          | <b>Africa's Business Heroes (ABH) Prize Competition 2025</b>  |
| <b>Programme:</b>           | <b>JACK MA FOUNDATION</b>   |
| <b>Objective:</b>           | <p>Applications are now open for the ABH Prize Competition. ABH is not just a competition; it's a community of changemakers. Beyond the prize money, the ABH Prize connects you to a network of entrepreneurs, investors, mentors, and global thought leaders who can help take your business to the next level.</p> <p>The competition is just the beginning of their journey together, and they are focused on long-term growth, community, and lasting impact, not just short-term rewards.</p> <p>They also provide all finalists with several other benefits throughout the competition they can leverage to improve their business.</p> |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b> | <p>These benefits include:</p> <p>Access to the ABH Network. Their finalists will also have the opportunity to become a part of the ABH Network where they can tap into valuable entrepreneurship resources such as mentorship, exclusive training resources – such as investment readiness coaching, and more. They will also have the opportunity to network with a wide range of business leaders and other like-minded entrepreneurs and be given access to exclusive ABH events tailored to help them refine and grow their businesses.</p>  |

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|   | <p>Feedback from Industry experts. Throughout the interview and evaluation process, their finalists will have the opportunity to engage with their highly-qualified judges who will offer finalists advice.</p> <p>Publicity: They will provide their finalists a platform to tell their stories through their website and social media channels. They also issue press releases at each stage of the competition to ensure the stories of their finalists gain exposure across Africa and the world.</p>  |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                     | <p>Eligibility Criteria</p> <p>The ABH Prize is for ALL businesses. From tech startups to social enterprises, they're looking for businesses that solve real-world problems. Whether you're tackling health, education, agriculture, fintech, or the environment, if your business has a positive impact on your community or beyond, they want to hear from you!</p> <p>Applicants simply need to meet a strict, but simple set of criteria:</p> <p>Applicant is of African origin. You should have African citizenship and/or a parent or grandparent has African citizenship.</p> <p>The company is legally registered. The business should be registered with the government in at least 1 African country. It should have a business license to operate.</p> <p>The company is Africa-based. The business is headquartered in an African country and primarily operates in Africa.</p> <p>The company is in a post-idea stage. The business has been operational for at least 3 years and has at least 3 years of revenue history that can be provided.</p> |
| <b>Total Budget: \$1,500,000</b>                |  |
| <b>Deadline: 23/05/2025</b>                     |  |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b> | <a href="https://africabusinessheroes.org/en/the-prize/application-guidelines">https://africabusinessheroes.org/en/the-prize/application-guidelines</a>  |

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| <b>Call Title:</b>          | <b>NORMAN BORLAUG FIELD AWARD</b>   |
| <b>Programme:</b>           | <b>World Food Prize Foundation</b>  |
| <b>Objective:</b>           | <p>The Dr. Norman E. Borlaug Award for Field Research and Application, endowed by the Rockefeller Foundation, is presented every October in Des Moines, Iowa, by the World Food Prize Foundation. This \$10,000 award recognizes exceptional, science-based achievement in international agriculture and food production by an individual under the age of 40. Awardees emulate the same intellectual courage, stamina and determination in the fight to eliminate global hunger and poverty demonstrated by Dr. Norman Borlaug as a young scientist working in Mexico in the 1940s and '50s.</p>   |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b> | <p>Dr. Judith Rodin, former President of The Rockefeller Foundation, announced during the 25th World Food Prize Laureate Award Ceremony in 2011 that her Foundation would commit \$1 million to endow this annual award in honor of Dr. Norman E. Borlaug, whose early work in Mexico was supported by The Rockefeller Foundation. The individuals chosen to be recipients of the Borlaug Field award are selected by an anonymous international jury, chaired by Dr. W. Ronnie Coffman of Cornell University. Dr. Coffman, who was Dr. Borlaug's only doctorate student, serves as a member of the World Food Prize Council of Advisors.</p> |

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|   | Actions can take place worldwide.   |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b>                     | Nominees must be under the age of 40 (40th birthday not reached before World Food Day, October 16, of the year in which the award is presented). Nominees must be actively working in the discipline, research area, position, or on the project(s) for which they are being recognized. They may be associated with a public or private educational, research or development organization or related entity. |
| <b>Total Budget: €100,000</b>                   |   |
| <b>Deadline: 01/06/2025</b>                     |   |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b> | <a href="https://www.worldfoodprize.org/en/nominations/norman_borlaug_field_award/">https://www.worldfoodprize.org/en/nominations/norman_borlaug_field_award/</a>   |

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| <b>Call Title:</b>          | <b>FEMINIST EVENTS DEDICATED TO THE 16 DAYS OF ACTIVISM AGAINST GENDER-BASED VIOLENCE</b>   |
| <b>Programme:</b>           | <b>Women's Fund Armenia</b>   |
| <b>Objective:</b>           | The 16 Days of Activism is an annual international campaign that begins on November 25 (the International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women) and concludes on December 10 (Human Rights Day). Launched in 1991 by the Center for Women's Global Leadership, the campaign aims to raise awareness about gender-based violence and inspire actions to end all forms of such violence. Governments, NGOs, and individuals worldwide organize various events, including seminars, marches, and social media campaigns, focusing on preventing gender-based violence, restoring justice, and empowering survivors.   |
| <b>Eligible Activities:</b> | <p>The initiative highlights the connection between gender inequality and violence, calling for systemic change.</p> <p>As part of this call, grants will support feminist gatherings and a variety of events and actions dedicated to feminist goals, community empowerment, and inspiring change. They welcome applications that align with their mission and focus on raising awareness about domestic violence, addressing and preventing it, reflecting on its gendered dimensions, amplifying the voices of systemically ignored groups in the context of domestic violence, and challenging patriarchal structures.</p> <p>Actions must take place in Armenia.</p> |
| <b>Eligible Applicants:</b> | They invite a wide range of applicants, including: Feminist self-organized groups, Researchers in academia and beyond, Artists and creative initiatives, Local and community-based feminist activists, Civil society organizations and coalitions, Student groups.  |

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| <b>Total Budget: \$500,000</b>                  |   |
| <b>Deadline: 01/11/2025</b>                     |   |
| <b>More information and official documents:</b> | <a href="https://womenfundarmenia.org/open-call-for-funding-feminist-initiatives-2025/">https://womenfundarmenia.org/open-call-for-funding-feminist-initiatives-2025/</a> |

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