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CULTURE, CREATIVE & PERFORMING ARTS

Call for Ideas: 8th Edition of Mentorships for Audacious Minds

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 20-Jan-2023**
Deadline Date: 26-Feb-2023
- ❖ **Donor Name: Forecast**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$1000 to \$10,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://forecast-platform.com/open-call/>**

Forecast offers artists and creative thinkers from anywhere in the world the chance to work with accomplished mentors toward bringing their projects to fruition. For each edition, Forecast selects six mentors from various disciplines who offer selected participants their expertise in specifying and realizing project ideas. There are no restrictions or requirements regarding disciplines or genres and no overarching theme. However, they strongly advise applicants to reflect on the mentor's approach to creative production before applying, as well as on the public nature of the Forecast Forum and Festival, which requires that you convey your project to an audience. Anyone from anywhere who is working creatively in a field that they consider connected with one of the mentors in this year's edition, or in related practices. They recommend looking at the mentors' statements and familiarizing yourself with their work before deciding whether to apply, and with what project.

Call for Projects: UNESCO-Aschberg Programme for Artists and Cultural Professionals

❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 09-Jan-2023**

Deadline Date: 28-Feb-2023

Donor Name: UNESCO

Grant Size: Not Available

❖ **Category: Grant**

❖ **Reference URL: <https://en.unesco.org/creativity/calls/call-projects->**

The United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO), with funding from the Kingdom of Norway, launches a call open to governments and public institutions of UNESCO Member States, as well as to civil society organizations, to support initiatives aimed at protecting and promoting artistic freedom, including the status of the artist.

This call for projects under the UNESCO-Aschberg programme aims to support initiatives by governments and civil society organizations whose objective is to protect and promote artistic freedom, including the status of the artist, in the broad sense, that is to say:

- The right to have artistic work supported, distributed, and remunerated.
- Artists' right to freedom of movement.
- Artists' right to freedom of association.
- The protection of the social and economic rights of artists.
- Everyone's right to participate in cultural life.
- The right to create without censorship.

HUMANITIES & EDUCATION

Pulitzer Center's Gender Equality Grants Program

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 15-Jun-2021**
Deadline Date: Ongoing
- ❖ **Donor Name: Pulitzer Center**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$1000 to \$10,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://pulitzercenter.org/gender-equality-grants>**

The Pulitzer Center is inviting applications for the Gender Equality Grants Program. It is designed to help journalists take to a new level the reporting on issues related to gender equality and the empowerment of women and girls. Women and girls are disproportionately affected by global crises and face discrimination and violence worldwide. In the fight against the disparities they endure, they show resilience, strength, and leadership. They aim to support teams that reflect the communities they report on. They hope the Gender Equality Grant can help their partner organizations advance their diversity, equity, and inclusion goals and commitments.

Pulitzer Center, a non-profit organization that supports independent global journalism is seeking applications for investigative data-driven projects on issues related to gender equality and the empowerment of women & girls

Motorola Solutions Foundation Annual Grant Cycle

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 12-Dec-2022**
Deadline Date: 02-Feb-2023
- ❖ **Donor Name: Motorola Solutions**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$10,000 to \$100,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: https://www.motorolasolutions.com/en_us/about/motoro**

The Motorola Solutions Foundation is inviting applications from organizations for its Annual Grant Program. The Motorola Solutions Foundation, which has donated more than \$100 million in the last 10 years, aims to partner with organizations that are creating safer cities and thriving communities, and prioritizes underrepresented and/or underserved populations, including people of color and women, within the three focus areas below:

- Technology and engineering education;
- First responder programming;
- Blended first responder programming and technology/engineering education programs.

In 2022, they not only directed the majority of their grant funding to programs that directly benefited people of color, they also increased their funding to programs that specifically supported women.

Global Impact Cash Grant Program for NGOs & NPOs

❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 10-Aug-2022**

Deadline Date: Ongoing

❖ **Donor Name: Cisco**

❖ **Grant Size: \$10,000 to \$100,000**

❖ **Category: Grant**

❖ **Reference URL: <https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/about/csr/community>**

Cisco welcomes applications for Global Impact Cash Grants from community partners around the world who share their vision and offer an innovative approach to a critical social challenge.

Global Impact Cash Grants go to nonprofits and non-governmental organizations (NGOs) that address a significant social problem. They're looking for programs that fit within their investment areas, serve the underserved, and leverage technology to improve the reach and efficiency of services. They accept applications year-round from eligible organizations. Organizations and programs must focus on at least one of the social investment areas:

- Cisco Crisis Response.
- Access to Education
- Economic Empowerment
- Climate Impact & Regeneration

LAW

Rising Tide Foundation Launches Call for Proposals “Freedom in Practice”

- ❖ **Important Dates:** Post Date: 11-Nov-2021
Deadline Date: Ongoing
- ❖ **Donor Name:** Rising Tide Foundation
- ❖ **Grant Size:** Not Available
- ❖ **Category:** Grant
- ❖ **Reference URL:** <https://www.risingtide-foundation.org/freedom-in->

The Rising Tide Foundation has launched a call for proposals to promote freedom and prosperity. Rising Tide Foundation's mission is to promote freedom to improve quality of life everywhere. The foundation supports projects that enhance freedom and prosperity in society. Their philanthropic strategy is to support projects that articulate and promote these core beliefs, projects that eliminate the obstacles which impede creative individuals, projects that give a “hand-up,” rather than just a “hand-out”.

Freedom is the most important explanatory factor driving and shaping human wellbeing around the world and see a substantial contribution through projects that show tangible impacts in at least one of the following areas:

- Private Sector Solutions
- System Change
- Empowerment of Individuals
- Teaching Freedom

New Partnerships Initiative Conflict Prevention and Recovery Program

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 15-Apr-2022**
Deadline Date: 03-Apr-2023
- ❖ **Donor Name: United States - Agency for International Development (USAID)**
- ❖ **Grant Size: More than \$1 million**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL:**
<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=339216>

The United States Agency for International Development (USAID) is announcing the Year 4 New Partnerships Initiative (NPI)/Conflict-Prevention and Recovery Program (CPRP).

Through this Annual Program Statement (APS), USAID announces its desire to engage new, nontraditional, and local partners to expand and amplify the Agency's work, particularly in contexts at the risk of, or recovering from, conflict or violence. The overall goal of NPI is to help the Agency partner with new, nontraditional, and local actors to advance their development goals—while elevating the quality of the partnerships through strengthened accountability, capacity, and local leadership.

USAID: Justice, Rights, and Security Annual Program

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 13-May-2022**
Deadline Date: 11-May-2023
- ❖ **Donor Name: United States - Agency for International Development (USAID)**
- ❖ **Grant Size: More than \$1 million**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view->**

The United States Agency for International Development (USAID), Bureau for Development, Democracy, and Innovation, Democracy, Human Rights, and Governance (DDI/DRG) Center is inviting applications for the Justice, Rights, and Security (JRS) Annual Program Statement (APS).

The purpose of the JRS APS is to empower USAID and its Missions to seek solutions to JRS-related challenges, to engage new and underutilized partners, to solve problems not adequately addressed by other USAID investments, and to offer USAID Missions and USAID/Washington Offices a mechanism through which such work can be innovatively accomplished with dedicated support and expertise from USAID Washington DRG Center's JRS team.

Objectives:

- Promote Justice, including the following objectives
- Protect Rights, including the following objectives
- Promote Security, including the following objective

MEDICAL SCIENCES

ISTAT announces 2023 Humanitarian Aid Grant Program

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 18-Jan-2023**
Deadline Date: 07-Aug-2023
- ❖ **Donor Name: International Society of Transport Aircraft Trading Foundation**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$1000 to \$10,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://foundation.istat.org/Programs/Humanitarian-Aid>**

The International Society of Transport Aircraft Trading (ISTAT) Foundation is accepting applications for the 2023 Humanitarian Aid Program. The ISTAT Foundation Humanitarian Aid Program provides grant funding for humanitarian organizations across the globe that use the power of aviation to help save lives, promote human welfare and alleviate suffering. Through the Humanitarian Aid Program, the ISTAT Foundation seeks to provide up to US\$10,000 in grant funding for humanitarian organizations. Organizations registered as a charitable, nongovernmental entity focusing on aviation-related humanitarian prevention, relief and/or recovery efforts for:

- Natural disasters (drought, floods, earthquakes, volcanic eruptions, etc.);
- Human-generated disasters (conflict, social, industrial/transport accidents, etc.); or
- Health-related crises.

Call for Grant Proposals: Strengthening the Voice of Vulnerable Groups

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 19-Jan-2023**
Deadline Date: 31-Mar-2023
- ❖ **Donor Name: Caribbean Policy Development Centre (CPDC)**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$10,000 to \$100,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://cpdcngo.org/call-for-grant-proposals->**

The Caribbean Policy Development Centre (CPDC), with support from the European Union (EU) is implementing a project entitled “Strengthening Civil Society’s Capacity to Alleviate the Impact of COVID-19 on Vulnerable Communities in Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean”.

In light of this, CPDC is issuing a call for grant proposals to strengthen the enabling environment for Caribbean NGOs working with the most vulnerable sectors impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. This will be facilitated through improving access to financial resources, technical training and enhancing the voice of marginalized persons.

Ekhaga Foundation Grant Program Open Now

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 12-Aug-2022**
Deadline Date: 20-May-2023
- ❖ **Donor Name: Ekhaga Foundation**
- ❖ **Grant Size: Not Available**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://www.ekhagastiftelsen.se/instruktioner.shtml>**

The Ekhaga foundation has launched a Grant Program to promote human health by working for the development of better food, natural medicines and healing methods, as well as supporting research for a healthier way of life, which in itself can have a disease-preventing effect.

A central idea is to focus more on preventive active healthcare than on reactive symptom-fighting healthcare. The same applies to the agricultural and food sector, where the focus should be on seeking methods that can prevent various problems from arising instead of focusing on their manifestations. The focus should not be on fighting problems but on finding methods to prevent their occurrence.

Research areas:

- Better and healthier food
- Nutritional physiology and lifestyle
- Naturopathy and natural medicines

SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

12th Call for Entrepreneurs Fund – Apply Now!

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 20-Jan-2023**
Deadline Date: 10-Mar-2023
- ❖ **Donor Name: Repsol Foundation**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$100,000 to \$500,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://www.fundacionrepsol.com/en/entrepreneurs->**

The Repsol Foundation's 12th Call for Entrepreneurs Fund is looking for technology startups working on innovative solutions for the energy transition related to:

- Nature-based climate solutions for carbon footprint reduction
- Low CO₂ emissions
- Circular economy
- Digitalisation for the energy industry

At the Repsol Foundation, they have been supporting entrepreneurship and entrepreneurs for more than 10 years through Fondo de Emprendedores, their accelerator for start-ups that provide technological solutions to meet the challenges of the Energy Transition. This is a perfect program for start-ups in the testing phase with real customers, or that will reach this phase in 1–2 years.

USAID Special Call for Partnership Concepts: Apply Now!

❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 09-Jan-2023**

Deadline Date: 14-Apr-2023

❖ **Donor Name: Agency for International Development**

❖ **Grant Size: More than \$1 million**

❖ **Category: Grant**

❖ **Reference URL:**

<https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?opId=345264>

USAID's Innovation, Technology and Research Hub (ITR) is making a special call for partnership concepts under the "Digital Invest: Mobilizing Private Capital for Internet Connectivity and Digital Financial Services in Developing Markets" program to catalyze investment in digital solutions that strengthen open, interoperable, reliable, inclusive, and secure digital ecosystems. This program will support private sector partners to accelerate sustainable market growth for digital connectivity and financial technology companies serving traditionally excluded consumer populations in developing markets.

The specific objectives of this call for concepts are to:

- Objective 1: Support the sustainable growth and expansion of competitive internet service providers (ISPs) and related telecommunications infrastructure companies in developing markets.
- Objective 2: Support the sustainable growth and expansion of competitive financial technology companies in developing markets.

SOCIAL SCIENCES

Open Call for Black Founder Startup Grant

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 20-Dec-2022**
Deadline Date: Ongoing
- ❖ **Donor Name: SoGal**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$1000 to \$10,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://www.iamsogal.com/black-founder-startup-grant/>**

SoGal is inviting applications for Black Founder Startup Grant to Support Black Women & Black Non- Binary Founders.

Black women founders are the fastest growing demographic of entrepreneurs out of any throughout history. These founders are best equipped to solve some of the world's largest unmet needs, and have a legacy of reinvesting in their communities and creating intergenerational wealth. However, Black women entrepreneurs are met with the greatest barriers to accessing capital.

This perpetual systemic discrimination, the unwillingness & inability of Silicon Valley and venture capitalists to effectively diversify their investments, the disproportionate effects of COVID-19 on entrepreneurs of color, and generations of inequities against Black people are absolutely inexcusable.

Grants for Roadmaps Contest for all Early-stage Startups

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 28-Jul-2022**
Deadline Date: Ongoing
- ❖ **Donor Name: milestoneBased**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$100,000 to \$500,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://milestonebased.com/grant>**

Milestone Based is DAO platform for startups and investors to collaborate on funding. The top 3 projects listing their roadmap on the platform every quarter starting from Q3, July 2022, will be eligible for a grant of \$20K. Up to \$250K in grant money will be awarded to 12 startups over the next year.

Their judges will be looking at the quality of your roadmap (is it realistic and adding considerable value?), the quality of your idea, and your team's ability to build/scale it.

It is open to all startups subject to KYC and other legal requirements that must be abided by in the USA and the State of California. Employees and agents of milestoneBased or Applicature and their respective parent companies, affiliates, subsidiaries, advertising and promotional agencies, assignees, licensees, and members of their immediate families are ineligible.

Grants will be awarded at the end of every quarter once the roadmap is complete and the entry form has been filled out.

U.S. Embassy Bridgetown PAS Annual Program Statement

- ❖ **Important Dates: Post Date: 13-Oct-2022**
Deadline Date: 30-Sep-2023
- ❖ **Donor Name: U.S. Mission to Barbados**
- ❖ **Grant Size: \$10,000 to \$100,000**
- ❖ **Category: Grant**
- ❖ **Reference URL: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view->**

The U.S. Embassy Bridgetown Public Affairs Section (PAS) of the U.S. Department of State is pleased to announce that funding is available through its Public Diplomacy Small Grants Program. PAS Bridgetown invites proposals for programs that strengthen ties between the U.S. and Barbados and the Eastern Caribbean through cultural, educational, business, and scientific programming that highlights shared values and promotes bilateral cooperation.

All programs must include an American cultural element, or connection with American expert/s, organization/s, or institution/s in a specific field that will promote increased understanding of U.S. policy and priorities.

Examples of PAS Small Grants Program programs include, but are not limited to:

- Academic and professional lectures, seminars and speaker programs;
- Artistic and cultural workshops, joint performances and exhibitions;
- Cultural heritage conservation and preservation programs;
- Professional and academic exchanges and programs;

SPORTS

Call for Projects "Sport and Decentralized Cooperation" **2023**

- ❖ **Important Dates:** Post Date: 08-Dec-2022
Deadline Date: 07-Feb-2023
- ❖ **Donor Name:** Ministry for Europe and Foreign Affairs
- ❖ **Grant Size:** Not Available
- ❖ **Category:** Grant
- ❖ **Reference URL:** <https://bit.ly/3Y7fbcR>

The Ministry for Europe and Foreign Affairs, the Ministry of Sports, the Paris 2024 Olympic and Paralympic Games Organizing Committee, the National Sport Agency (ANS), the Erasmus+ France Youth and Sport Agency, the French National Olympic and Sports Committee (CNOSF) and the French Paralympic and Sports Committee (CPSF) are cooperating within the framework of the biennial call for projects "Sport and decentralized cooperation" aimed at all metropolitan and overseas local authorities French companies and their foreign partners who make sport a lever for sustainable development.

This call for projects is intended to support the joint commitment of French and foreign local authorities to make sport a lever for the sustainable development of territories and participate in the fight against global inequalities in terms of access to sport.