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LIST OF 2025 ANNUAL GRANTS

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186 annual grants for US$ 8.1M to support an estimated 56,000 survivors of torture in 92 countries.

AFRICA

Collectif des Familles de Disparues en Algérie (CFDA)
Algeria (France)

Collectif contre l'Impunité et la Stigmatisation des Communautés (CISC)
Burkina Faso

N&N Libre Ensemble Burundi (EDDIB)
Burundi

Centre for Human Rights and Democracy in Africa
Cameroon

Working for our Wellbeing
Cameroon

Association Jeunesse pour la Paix et la Non-violence
Chad

Centre d'Actions pour le Développement
Congo

ONG Dignité et Droits pour les Enfants en Côte d'Ivoire (DDE-CI)
Côte d'Ivoire

Centre d'Espoir pour les Droits Humains
Democratic Republic of Congo

Monde d'Épanouissement et de Libération Individuelle par des Techniques Adaptées (MELITA)
Democratic Republic of Congo

Œuvres Sociales pour le Développement (OSD)
Democratic Republic of Congo

TRIAL International
Democratic Republic of Congo (Switzerland)

Egyptian Foundation for Refugee Rights
Egypt

Belady: an Island for Humanity
Egypt

Institute for Democracy and Leadership (IDEAL)
Eswatini

The Center for Victims of Torture (CVT)
Ethiopia

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Women's Association for Victims' Empowerment (WAVE)
Gambia

Mental Health Society of Ghana
Ghana

Centre Against Torture Kenya Foundation
Kenya

Independent Medico Legal Unit (IMLU)
Kenya

Mwatikho Torture Survivors Foundation
Kenya

Liberia Association of Psychosocial Services (LAPS)
Liberia

Civitas Maxima
Liberia (Switzerland)

Centre for Human Rights Education Advice and Assistance (CHREAA)
Malawi

Standing Voice
Malawi and Tanzania (UK)

Droits de l'Homme au Quotidien
Mali

Pour une Mauritanie Verte et Démocratique (for MVD)
Mauritania

Allamin Foundation for Peace and Development
Nigeria

Centre Africain pour la Prévention et la Résolution des Conflits (CAPREC)
Senegal

Maison de la Gare
Senegal

Children's Legal Defense Center
Somalia

Iniskoy for Peace and Development Organization
Somalia

Centre for the Study of Violence and Reconciliation (CSVR)
South Africa

Lawyers for Human Rights
South Africa

Dialogue and Research Initiative (DRI)
South Sudan

Hope Africa South Sudan
South Sudan

Network of Empowered Women Peace Actors in South Sudan (NEWPASS)
South Sudan

Tanzania Pastoralist Community Forum (TPCF)
Tanzania

Collectif des Associations contre l'impunité au Togo (CACIT)
Togo

Organisation contre la torture en Tunisie (OCTT)
Tunisia

Organisation Mondiale contre la Torture (OMCT) Tunisie
Tunisia

Institut Tunisien de Réhabilitation des Survivants de la Torture (NEBRAS)
Tunisia

Happy Family Youth Uganda
Uganda

African Center for Treatment and Rehabilitation of Torture Victims (ACTV)
Uganda

The Center for Victims of Torture (CVT)
Uganda

Counselling Services Unit
Zimbabwe

Groupworks International
Zimbabwe

Heal Zimbabwe Trust
Zimbabwe

ASIA-PACIFIC

Sustainable Development Organization for Women (SDOFW)
Afghanistan

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Americans for Democracy & Human Rights in Bahrain
Bahrain (USA)

Ain o Salish Kendra (ASK)
Bangladesh

Cyprus Refugee Council
Cyprus

Association of Parents of Disappeared Persons (APDP)
India

Centre for Promotion of Social Concerns
India

JanMitra Nyas
India

Cisarua Learning
Indonesia (Australia)

Perkumpulan KontraS Sumut
Indonesia

Yayasan Indonesian Mental Health Association
Indonesia

Democracy and Human Rights Development Centre
Iraq

Wchan Organization for Victims of Human Rights Violations
Iraq

Guardians of Equality Movement (GEM)
Iraq, Syrian Arab Republic, Türkiye (Canada)

The Center for Victims of Torture (CVT)
Jordan

International Legal Initiative Public Foundation
Kazakhstan

Golos Svobody Public Foundation
Kyrgyzstan

Human Rights Movement "Bir Duino"
Kyrgyzstan

Spravedlivost Jalal-Abad Regional Human Rights Organization
Kyrgyzstan

Association Justice et Miséricorde (AJEM)
Lebanon

Cedar Centre for Legal Studies
Lebanon

Restart Center for Rehabilitation of Victims of Violence and Torture
Lebanon

Health Equity Initiatives and Solutions Berhad
Malaysia

Advocacy Forum Nepal
Nepal

Human Rights and Justice Centre
Nepal

Defence of Human Rights and Public Service Trust
Pakistan

Human Development Organization
Pakistan

Balay Rehabilitation Centre
Philippines

Medical Action Group (MAG)
Philippines

Database Center for North Korean Human Rights
Republic of Korea

Refuge pNan
Republic of Korea

Human Rights Office
Sri Lanka

Right to Life Human Rights Center
Sri Lanka

Addameer Prisoners Support and Human Rights Association
State of Palestine

Defence for Children International - Palestine Section (DCIP)
State of Palestine

Gaza Community Mental Health Programme (GCMHP)
State of Palestine

Treatment and Rehabilitation Center for Victims of Torture (TRC)
State of Palestine

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The Center for Defense of Liberties & Civil Rights "Hurryyat"
State of Palestine

Centre Vérité et Justice pour le Moyen-Orient
Syrian Arab Republic (France)

Office of Civil Freedoms
Tajikistan

Public Foundation "Legal Initiatives"
Tajikistan

Cross Cultural Foundation
Thailand

Mwatana Organization for Human Rights
Yemen

EASTERN EUROPE

Association VIVE ŽENE, Tuzla
Bosnia and Herzegovina

Udruzenje Snaga Zene
Bosnia and Herzegovina

Rehabilitation Centre for Stress and Trauma (RCT)
Croatia

Forum for Human Rights
Czech Republic

Organizace pro pomo uprchlikum
Czech Republic

Psychosocial Support Center-GCRT
Georgia

UnMode – Community Movement for Access to Justice
Georgia

Validity Foundation - Mental Disability Advocacy Centre
Hungary

Human Rights Action (HRA)
Montenegro

Centrul de reabilitare a victimelor torturii MEMORIA (RCTV Memoria)
Republic of Moldova

ICAR Foundation - Medical Rehabilitation Centre for Torture Survivors
Romania

Crew Against Torture
Russian Federation

Crisis Response Group
Russian Federation

International Aid Network (IAN)
Serbia

Committee for Human Rights (CHR), Leskovac
Serbia

Kosova Rehabilitation Centre for Torture Victims (KRCT)
Serbia

BLUE BIRD
Ukraine

International Medical Rehabilitation Center (IRC)
Ukraine

Expert Center for Human Rights
Ukraine

LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

Center for Justice and International Law (CEJIL)
Regional

Asociación Civil La Poderosa, Integración por la Educación Popular
Argentina

ABUELAS - Asociación Abuelas de Plaza de Mayo
Argentina

Asociación Civil de Familiares de Detenidos en Cárceles Federales (ACIFAD)
Argentina

Comité para la Defensa de la Salud, la Etica y los Derechos Humanos (CODESEDH)
Argentina

Instituto de Terapia e Investigación sobre las Secuelas de la Tortura y la Violencia Estatal (ITEI)
Bolivia

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Assessoria Popular Maria Felipa
Brazil

Centro de Defensa da Criança e do Adolescente do Ceará (CEDECA)
Brazil

Instituto de Estudos da Religião
Brazil

Centro de Salud Mental y Derechos Humanos (CINTRAS)
Chile

Corporación de Promoción y Defensa de los Derechos del Pueblo (CODEPU)
Chile

Corporación Centro de Atención Psicosocial
Colombia

Fundación Comité de Solidaridad con los Presos Políticos (FCSPP)
Colombia

Sinergias Alianzas Estratégicas para la Salud y el Desarrollo Social
Colombia

Colectivo de Derechos Humanos Nicaragua Nunca Más
Costa Rica

Comité Permanente por la Defensa de los Derechos Humanos
Ecuador

Asociación Pro-Búsqueda de Niñas y Niños Desaparecidos durante el Conflicto Armado en El Salvador
El Salvador

Equipo de Estudios Comunitarios y Acción Psicosocial (ECAP)
Guatemala

Centro para la Acción Legal en Derechos Humanos (CALDH)
Guatemala

Instituto de Estudios Comparados en Ciencias Penales de Guatemala (ICCPG)
Guatemala

Famille Kizito
Haiti

Centro de Prevención Tratamiento y Rehabilitación de las Víctimas de la Tortura y sus Familiares (CPTRT)
Honduras

Centro de Derechos Humanos Fray Matías de Córdova
Mexico

Centro de derechos Humanos Miguel Agustín Pro Juárez
Mexico

Centro de Derechos Humanos Fray Bartolome de Las Casas
Mexico

Centro de Justicia para la Paz y el Desarrollo (CEPAD)
Mexico

Documenta
Mexico

Justicia para Nuestras Hijas
Mexico

Centro Diocesano para los Derechos Humanos Fray Juan de Larios
Mexico

Asociación Nacional de Familiares de Secuestrados, Detenidos y Desaparecidos del Peru (ANFASEP)
Peru

Sociedad Y Discapacidad: Estudios, Asesoria E Integracion De La Persona Con Discapacidad
Peru

Comité de Familiares de Víctimas de los Sucesos de Febrero y Marzo de 1989 (COFAVIC)
Venezuela

Pro Derechos (Coalición por los Derechos Humanos y la Democracia)
Venezuela

Surgentes
Venezuela

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WESTERN EUROPE AND OTHERS

Center for the Enforcement of Human Rights, International (CEHRI)
Austria

Constats ASBL
Belgium

NANSEN
Belgium

Vancouver Association for the Survivors of Torture (VAST)
Canada

Centre de Soins Osiris
France

Centre Frantz Fanon - La Cimade
France

Greek Council for Refugees
Greece

Centre for the Care of Survivors of Torture (SPIRASI)
Ireland

Aid Organization for Refugees and Asylum Seekers in Israel (ASSAF)
Israel

The Public Committee Against Torture in Israel (PCATI)
Israel

Associazione Umanitaria Medici contro la Tortura (ODV)
Italy

Azienda Ospedaliera Universiataria Policlinico 'Paolo Giaccone' (AOUP) – Palermo
Italy

Medici per i Diritti Umani
Italy

Asociación Irídia - Centro por la Defensa de les Derechos Humanos
Spain

Sin Razón Aparente (SIRA)
Spain

Hungarian Helsinki Committee
Spain and Morocco (Hungary)

Association of Detainees and Missing in Sednaya Prison
Türkiye

HRFT - Human Rights Foundation of Turkey (TIHV- Türkiye Insan Haklari Vakfi)
Türkiye

Refugee Rights Türkiye
Türkiye

The Project of Legal Aid for the Victims of Rape and Sexual Harassment in Custody
Türkiye

Democratic Progress Institute (DPI)
Türkiye (UK)

INQUEST Charitable Trust
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

Bellevue/NYU Program for Survivors of Torture
United States of America

Fundación Movimiento Campesino de Nicaragua
United States of America

Mount Sinai School of Medicine
United States of America

Political Asylum/Immigration Representation Project
United States of America

Program for Torture Victims (PTV)
United States of America

Survivors of Torture, International
United States of America

The Center for Victims of Torture (CVT)
United States of America

Torture Abolition and Survivors Support Coalition International (TASSC)
United States of America

Witness to Innocence
United States of America