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The Manitoba Council for International Cooperation (MCIC) is a coalition of over forty organizations involved in international development. MCIC supports, connects, and amplifies the work of its members and partners, while directly engaging and collaborating with Manitobans for global sustainability. MCIC is responsible for distributing government funds designated for international development and humanitarian projects.

OUR VISION:

A JUST WORLD

OUR MISSION:

The Manitoba Council for International Cooperation supports, connects and amplifies the work of our members and partners. We directly engage and collaborate with Manitobans for global sustainability.

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A MESSAGE FROM MCIC PRESIDENT AND EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

INSPIRING INSIGHT AND INNOVATION

This was the year that we finally showcased *A Better World is InSight* in Manitoba.

InSight was a joint initiative with the Alberta and Saskatchewan councils. The project launched in Alberta in January 2020 and then went into storage for almost two years. InSight utilized an innovative 6-meter cylinder that provided audiences of all ages with an immersive, one-of-a-kind, 360° video experience. We were excited to have it installed in Manitoba in May-June 2022 and January - March 2023 and have over 3,000 Manitobans experience it.

Manitobans continue to support the global work of our members and their partners in the Global South, last year contributing \$31.2 million to their international work. This year the Government of Manitoba increased its support to MCIC for our members' international work to \$1.25 million and provided an additional \$200,000 for our members to respond to the flooding in Pakistan, in addition to the \$150,000 we received at the end of March 2022 to respond to the war in Ukraine. Thanks to the Government of Manitoba, this year MCIC distributed a record \$1.6 million to 59 projects in 32 countries through the Manitoba Government Matching Grant Program.

After a two-year absence, we were delighted to return to the Rotunda of the Manitoba Legislative building to kick off International Development Week's Go for the Goals. The Hon. Wayne Ewasko, Minister of Education and Early Childhood Learning, proclaimed International Development Week (IDW) in Manitoba and circulated the Proclamation to all schools in the province. Prior to IDW, the Minister recognized the Day for International Education by participating in the InSight experience at Collége Churchill High School in Winnipeq.

Our Inspiring Action for Global Citizenship program that we refer to as INSPIRE had a great year. We were thrilled to have James Kornelsen join the team as Director of Engagement and Learning in May. The INSPIRE team tried a number of new things, such as the Climate Chats during COP27, and they took time to analyse the results and make adjustments. The programs we do in schools were in big demand as in person workshops and professional development events for educators. The team organized 407 public engagement events and directly reached over 8,000 Manitobans in at least 38 communities in the province. We got excellent media coverage of our events and initiatives this year — with CTV, CBC, Global and the Winnipeg Free Press as well as other community media. Our social media continued to be strong. In March 2023, we were pleased to sign a three-year cost extension with Global Affairs Canada for our Inspiring Action for Global Citizenship program.

It was another successful year for the Fund for Innovation and Transformation (FIT). As this was the fourth year of the program, it was exciting to learn about the results and stories from the innovative solutions that have been tested to advance gender equality and empower women and girls. It has been a privilege to be able to virtually visit and hear from participants, local partners, and the Canadian small and medium-sized organizations (SMOs). This year and next year are about sharing the results with others in the sector and the Global South. FIT and SMOs will continue to present at conferences and other opportunities. The fit-fit.ca website is loaded with information about the testing — you can view reports and videos of many of the projects. We encourage you to check it out.

In January, MCIC welcomed Patricia Peña, Assistant Deputy Minister, Partnerships for Development Innovations at Global Affairs Canada, to Winnipeg. This was an opportunity for her to meet the international cooperation community in Manitoba and learn more about the work we are doing with our INSPIRE and FIT programs. We truly appreciate the support we get from Global Affairs for this work.

The MCIC team is a large one, and we would not be able to do this work without all of them. They inspire us and provide insight and innovation to working for a just world. We want to thank our members and their partners who work in solidarity to respond to the needs of our global communities, over the long term and when disaster strikes. This is not easy work but so important for our inter-connected world.

MCIC is fortunate to have a very engaged and dedicated board of directors, and we appreciate the time they provide for the governance of MCIC. We want to provide a special thanks to Krista Waring who will be leaving the Board after six years. Krista has been an active participant on many of our committees.

We have other volunteers that serve on our project review committees. We want to thank them for the many hours they spend reviewing project applications.

It is an honour to work with our passionate and committed staff who do the day-to-day work of MCIC. They are the ones who make our programs the success that they are. We want to thank you all for being an important part of MCIC.

As we are on the eve of our 50th year, we hope you will enjoy reviewing this annual report and be inspired by the work, and the insight and innovation of which we have been a part.



Gary Senft, President Janice Hamilton, Executive Director



INSPIRING INSIGHT WITH MANITOBANS & BEYOND

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OVERVIEW

What inspires our work? People. At the beginning of this 2022-23 fiscal year, MCIC began planning for in-person events after pandemic restrictions lifted. One of the first was a Queer Indigenous Solidary event, featuring MCIC members and partners whose voices are supporting gender equality around the world. Their message? "What we want in our society is more love, and less hate."

The second was setting up *A Better World Is InSight* 360degree video installation at The Forks and Red River College Polytechnic, in which Manitobans witnessed four different global stories of sustainable development. InSight would go on to engage thousands more in Manitoba schools, inspiring students and teachers to take action on the Sustainable Development Goals.

MCIC enjoyed an amazing year of public engagement as people came together both online and in-person to work together for a better world.

From Pukatawagan to Plum Coulee, whether in schools, or at sustainability events, through Fair Trade groups, training activities, or events with members and partners, MCIC directly reached and engaged with at least **38 communities** within Manitoba and many others outside Manitoba.

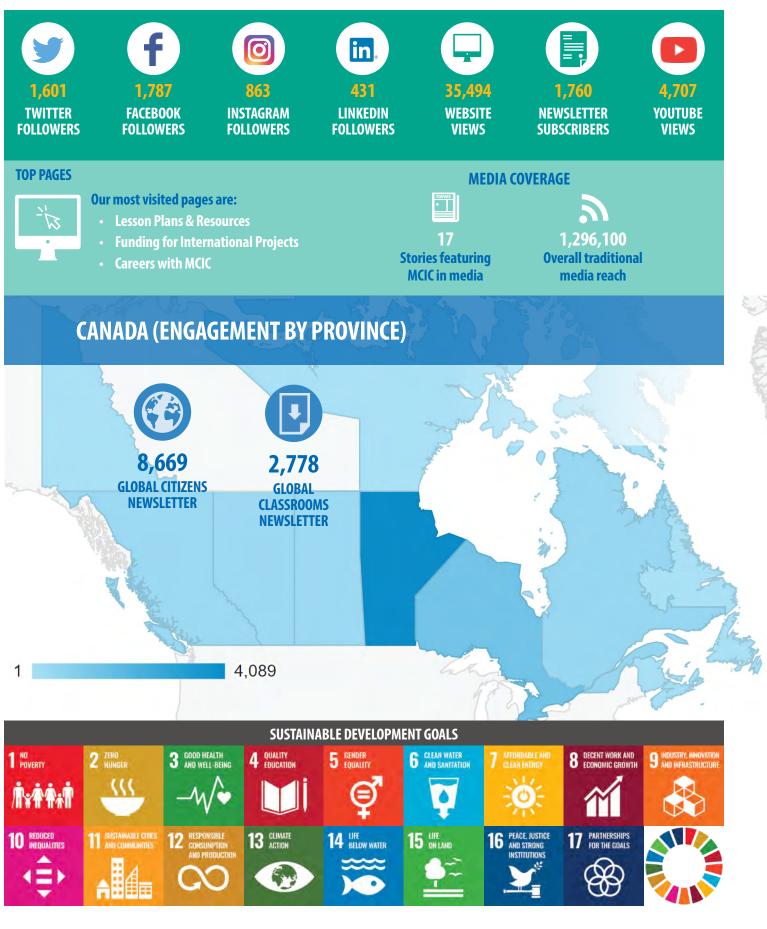


Queer Indigenous Solidarity: Voices from Latin America. Pictured from left to right Kalin (MCIC's Sustainability Specialist), Mónica, Fernando and Olowaili



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EDUCATORS AND YOUTH



A BETTER WORLD IS INSIGHT

InSight was a joint project with the Alberta and Saskatchewan councils. The project first launched in Alberta in January 2020 and then went into storage for almost two years due to COVID-19. We received it in Manitoba in April 2022 for three months and then in January 2023 for another three months. In the spring InSight was set up at The Forks and Red River College Polytechnic.

From January to March, we were able to bring InSight into five different schools, allowing classes of Manitoba students to experience this incredible and immersive global education experience. Youth from grades 1-12 virtually travelled to regions in the Global South to help them understand challenges that people face around the world, and then start to think about innovative solutions while participating in the accompanying workshops for each of the four film selections. Over 3,000 Manitobans experienced InSight.

"The films and related activities/discussion engaged my students in important conversations that will help them become better global citizens who care more about their planet." Kevin Lopuck, Teacher, Lord Selkirk Regional Comprehensive Secondary School

EDUCATOR NEWSLETTER OVERVIEW

Each month during the school year (September to June), MCIC writes and delivers an original e-newsletter specific to educators called "Global Classrooms". This monthly resource typically highlights a relevant international day to spark conversations around big issues with students, shares resources from MCIC and our partners and features Manitoba students making a difference in their communities. 40+ SCHOOLS

School Workshops 2022-23

School workshops 20	22-23	
175 Workshops		
3,496 Student Par	rticip	ants 74
Workshop Type		
InSight Workshops	144	87%
Other Workshops	31	13%
Total Workshops:	175	100%
Student Participants by	Regior	1
Winnipeg - InSight	2,362	67%
Winnipeg - Other	479	14%
Outside Winnipeg - InSight	511	15%
Outside Winnipeg - Other	148	4%
Total:	3,496	100%



SCHOOL

DIVISIONS

723 EDUCATOR NEWSLETTER SUBSCRIBERS



TAKE ACTION AWARDS 2022 – STUDENTS

Each year, MCIC recognizes young, global citizens in our province with an award. The **Outstanding Take Action Project Award** is presented to

students in the Global Issues: Citizenship & Sustainability (40S) course, who have undertaken exceptional Take Action Projects. For their project, each student plans and implements a community-based project, responding to a variety of issues in their schools and communities.

This year we presented awards to six outstanding students.

Anne Gonzales, Daniel McIntyre Collegiate

Institute, organized a Koats for Kids collection drive at their school while learning about child poverty within Winnipeg and the difficult nature of our winter season.

Jessica Hossack, Lord Selkirk Regional

Comprehensive Secondary School, raised money for pediatric brain cancer in memory of Keira Bond, a young ringette player who passed away from an aggressive form of brain cancer.

Sunshine Levasseur, St James Collegiate, organized a week of action and fundraiser to bring attention to the ongoing genocide of Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women, Girls and Two-Spirit individuals in Canada. All proceeds raised were donated to Drag the Red Winnipeg.



Julia Lucier, St. James Collegiate, shared attention to the issues of human trafficking, and how that affects Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women, Girls and Two-Spirit people through displaying a poster at their school.

Divya Sharma, Fort Richmond Collegiate,

documented a day in the life of someone in Rajpura, India to share a real and relatable perspective from another culture and country.

Paige Sokolski, Springfield Collegiate Institute,

created a community vegetable garden at Springfield Collegiate Institute to promote climate awareness, grow healthy foods, and strengthen the community spirit. **Cynthia Tran, Sisler High School**, created connections between CancerCare Manitoba and Main Street Project to provide mobile cancer screening and self-screening education to unhoused people in Winnipeg.

TEACHER PD DAYS

Sustainability education is becoming increasingly important to educators. MCIC aims to give teachers the tools that they need to confidently teach topics related to sustainability and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in their classrooms. MCIC receives requests from principals, teachers, divisional staff, and curriculum consultants to provide these training sessions. In 2022-23, staff provided **seven PD opportunities to a total of 83 teachers**, which will have an impact on roughly 5,000 students across Manitoba.

"Feedback from staff, students, and community members was positive and the kids thought it was really cool! We used this as a springboard for our whole-school SDG inquiry projects, which were showcased during our student-led-conferences in March. Thank you so much for bringing this special project to our school." Nicole Harmacy, John Pritchard School (Middle Years), Winnipeg, MB

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GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP AWARDS – EDUCATORS

Each year, MCIC recognizes Manitoba teachers and administrators who are leaders in promoting global citizenship in their classrooms, schools and communities.

Leah Morrish Teacher, South Pointe School

Leah worked with her grade 7 students to teach global citizenship and integrate the Sustainable Development Goals into her curriculum, using project-based learning and projects that engage students in social justice issues and environmental impact. This past year Leah started a social committee and various clubs to engage students in community involvement and leadership.

Kaitlin Link

Teacher, Murdoch MacKay Collegiate

Kaitlin worked with her grade 9 students to integrate the Sustainable Development Goals into various human rights projects and explored global citizenship with her Grade 12 Global Issues students through climate change and sustainability projects, and exploratory and research-based learning. Kaitlin is involved in the student leadership group at her school, fostering youth community service and student-initiated fundraising.



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INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT WEEK GO FOR THE GOALS



International Development Week 2023 featured a long-awaited return to an in-person kick off event at the Manitoba Legislative Building. The event featured a spoken word performance by Aylin Kohan, a Winnipeg high school student, and stories of members' global programming for a more just and sustainable world.

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT WEEK

In the weeks leading up to, during, and following IDW 2023, MCIC engaged Canadians through numerous activities:

- IDW 2023 Kick Off Event (in-person at the Manitoba Legislative Building) – 65 people
- International Day of Education, January 24th, brought the Manitoba Minister of Education and Early Childhood Learning to Collège Churchill High School, host of the InSight installation, one week prior to IDW
- IDW Library Campaign packages were sent to 785 school libraries and 125 public libraries
 135 downloads of the booklists and
 - multimedia list
- Special Local Brews + Global Views
 Dr Kawser Ahmed featured MCIC member, Kuwala
 Christian Girls School in Malawi (online). This
 event was viewed over 700 times.



Book display at Pinawa.





- Go for the Goals Challenge | SDG \$20 bill • redesign #GoForTheGoals – 40 unique entries, four winners featured in IDW kickoff event.
- **Op Ed in Winnipeg Free Press online** • February 9th featuring MCIC members in support of international cooperation with Manitoba public, reach of 124,000
- The Government of Manitoba **Proclaimed International Development Week**

This year MCIC tried something new! Staff attended Winnipeg ICE hockey game, set up a booth and encouraged fans to #GoForTheGoals by creating a video to appear between periods on the jumbotron. There were 100 people who visited the booth to spin the SDG wheel and win a prize. Meanwhile, about 2000 people got to see MCIC represented on the large screen and hear the announcer give a short message about International Development Week.





VOICES FOR CHANGE

TOTAL

Total IDW Engagement

Voices for Change is an annual spoken word program organized by MCIC. Selected Manitoba youth, with a passion for writing and performance, participate in hands on workshops with professional poet and artist, Steve Locke, to write and record an original poem about a global issue of their choice. To wrap up the project, students create a performance piece, which is professionally filmed and debuted during International Development Week in February.

This year we selected one student to participate in our Voices for Change program. Aylin is a high school student in Winnipeg who grew up in Iran. She believes

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that it is important for youth to have a voice on global issues. She is passionate about performing arts and selfexpression and wants to share her perspective and her love for her country with others. "Someday" is an expressive piece through which Aylin reflects on her home country of Iran and explores themes of identity and human rights.

Aylin premiered "Someday" at MCIC's International Development Week Kick Off 2023 to an audience of guests, MLAs, and dignitaries held at the Manitoba Legislative Building. Since participating in Voices for Change, Aylin has been invited to perform and speak about her poem in Manitoba and nationally.

864,450

866,770

DIRECT ENGAGEMENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT WEEK	IDW 2023
Event Participants live attendees	255
Social Media Engagements #IDW2023 & #GoForTheGoals like/shares/retweets/comments	556
Go for the Goals Challenge (\$20 bill redesign) 40 Entries + teachers	45
Book Reading Challenge social media contest entries	126
IDW 2023 unique webpage views includes MCIC IDW 2023 & IDW resource page	428
Library Campaign direct display engagement in schools	785
Library Campaign direct public library display engagement and contest entries	125
TOTAL	2,320
INDIRECT ENGAGEMENTS	IDW 2023
Online Social Media Reach + Event Views (#IDW2023 & #GoForTheGoals)	34,028
Media Reach	803,000
IDW Library Campaign 125 Public / Community Libraries	11,202
IDW Library Campaign 785 School Libraries	16,220



INSPIRING SUSTAINABILITY



CLIMATE CHATS

Inspired by the conversations during COP27 in Egypt, MCIC organized and hosted a series of conversations over three weeks which featured local and global voices. Held virtually, we hosted Climate Chats throughout November, asking seven experts and organizers on the ground to share how climate change is affecting their communities—from Pakistan to Haiti to here in Manitoba—and what's being done to adapt.

Our guests included: Tassaduq Hussain, Community World Services Asia; Lydia Carpenter, Hollistic Management Farmer of Luna Field Farm, Manitoba; Léo Tremblay, Médecins Sans Frontières; Katherine Whitecloud, Dakota Knowledge Keeper; Dr. Kawser Ahmed, University of Winnipeg; Ramesh Babu, The Evangelical Fellowship of India Commission on Relief and Florence Nduku, Canadian Foodgrains Bank, Kenya.

PLASTIC FREE JULY

In July, MCIC recommitted to limiting our plastic use by joining the Plastic Free July movement - a global initiative to encourage and inspire people to minimize their single-use plastic. On Instagram, we issued weekly challenges alongside useful tips and rounded off the month with an article on our website and a one-of-akind printable monthly calendar that includes our plastic free challenges and advice to help us go plasticfree any month!





PATHWAYS TO SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES AN EVENING WITH CLAYTON THOMAS-MÜLLER

The 2023 author event was held on a very cold evening in February, at The Park Theatre. This public multimedia event featured Clayton Thomas-Müller, an Indigenous climate activist and best-selling Manitoba author.

Clayton touched on issues relating to the Sustainable Development Goals, such as Climate Action, Gender Equality, Sustainable Cities and Communities, and others. More than 60 Manitobans braved the cold weather to attend this event and engage on these topics through their insightful comments and questions.

TEC-VOC FAIR TRADE SCHOOL EVENT

MCIC was thrilled to attend Tec-Voc's Farm & Fair Longest Table event in November. This annual event celebrated Tec-Voc's designation as a Fair Trade school, by bringing together local and Fair Trade food and the community. MCIC was grateful to be invited and to be able to sit together at such a lovely and longest fair table.



MEMBERS LEARNING AND SHARING



CAPACITY SHARING

When MCIC offered to hold an ICN training on anti-oppression skills in education and advocacy there was a good response among member staff based in Manitoba doing public engagement. Based on recent ICN research and collaboration, MCIC organized a 1.5-day training entitled Towards a More Decolonial, Anti-racist and Feminist Public Engagement. The two sessions were held in January and March, involving 18 participants from eight different organizations. A local instructor, Kathleen Wilson, who is a specialist in decolonization and anti-racism facilitated both sessions.

MCIC hosted two **Lunch & Learn** events during the year, both in collaboration with the FIT team. One featured Make Music Matter in June 2022 that shared effective ways of reaching out to men and boys toward gender equality in the context of trauma healing in the DRC. The second featured iDE in January 2023 and the testing of marketing strategies for women farmers in Nepal. The two events had a combined 80 participants.

MCIC organized **orientation and information sessions** for organizations wanting to apply for Community Solidarity or other MGMGP funding. In September we organized a **Learning by Sharing** virtual event with members to discuss their gender equality theme fund projects. Members shared their lessons learned and good practices.

LOCAL BREWS + GLOBAL VIEWS



Staff organized three different Local Brews & Global Views events to feature member programming on sustainable development. In May, featured member Inter Pares and their partnership with Center for Women's Health to address teen pregnancy in the Philippines. In September, MCC program staff Alison Enns shared about the peacebuilding work being done through Women's Situation Rooms in the DRC, and in February Mark Kinsel from Kuwala Christian Girls School talked about the importance of girls' education in

reducing poverty and food insecurity in Malawi. The three events had a combined audience of 48 participants and post-event videos sent out involved about 850 more viewers.



OTHER PUBLIC EVENTS

For International Women's Day 2023, staff organized a special Lunch & Learn event to highlight recent events and dire circumstances for women in Afghanistan through the voices of Afghan women, as well as other volunteers and staff of Canadian Women for Women in Afghanistan. A short, action-oriented YouTube video with content from pre-recorded interviews was created to engage Manitobans with the key message: "Do not forget about women in Afghanistan."

Queer Indigenous Solidarity: Voices from Latin America

In June, MCIC collaborated with Inter Pares and Dignity Network Canada for an engaging in person event. The panel discussion centered on the intersectional challenges faced by the Queer Indigenous community in Latin America. Olowaili Green Santacruz is an Indigenous Guna woman, lesbian activist, and filmmaker from Colombia. Mónica Chub Caal and Fernando Alvarez both traveled from Guatemala. Mónica is a Maya Q'eqchi woman, and is a prominent Trans activist and organizer. Fernando is a Maya K'ichè sexual dissident and organizer, whose group Red Multicultural de Mujeres Trans (Multicultural Network of Trans Women) brings together largely Indigenous Trans women from across Guatemala.

MANITOBA GOVERNMENT MATCHING GRANT PROGRAM

The Manitoba Government Matching Grant Program (MGMGP) was established in 1975 by the Government of Manitoba to provide funding for international development projects delivered by Manitoba organizations and their overseas partners. Grants are awarded to successful applications through a peer-review process, carried out by committees made up of MCIC member organization representatives.

In 2022-23, MCIC distributed a total of \$1,600,000 to 59 projects in 32 countries through the MGMGP.

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

Projects funded through the Development, Theme, and Community Solidarity funds ranked the top four Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in their respective project supported.



DEVELOPMENT FUND

MCIC defines development as a long-term process that promotes community involvement in designing strategies to correct and improve chronic and structural problems in all areas of individual and community life. The majority of MGMGP funds are used for this purpose. MCIC development projects reflect MCIC's Development Principles.



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THEME FUND

The Theme Fund encourages MCIC member organizations to take a broader view of development projects by responding to current issues of international concern, reflected in a bi-annual theme. The 2022-23 theme is **Climate-Resilient Food Systems for Health and Nutrition**.

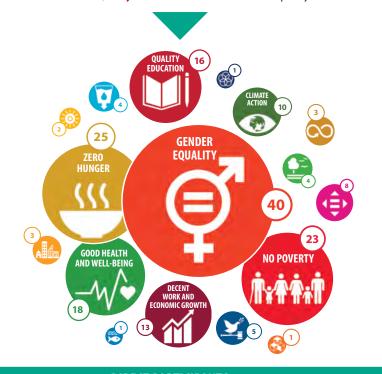
RELIEF & REHABILITATION FUND

The Relief & Rehabilitation Fund bridges the gap between the effects of a disaster and the continuation of long-term development. Projects in this category are often part of large international relief efforts, in which case MCIC directs funding to specific components as part of the wider effort. This helps ensure direct impact and visibility of the support provided by Manitobans.

COMMUNITY SOLIDARITY FUND

The Community Solidarity Fund offers funding to Manitoba community-based charitable groups involved in international development projects. The fund is available to non-members and affiliate members of MCIC.

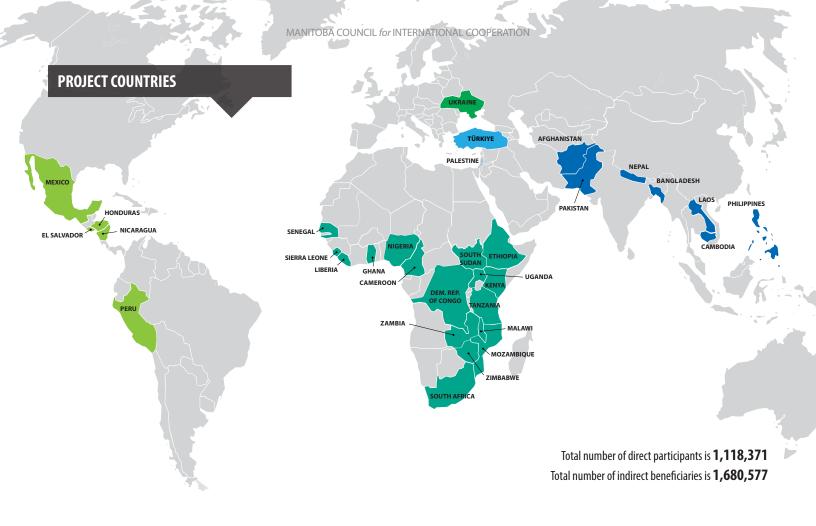




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Girls 272,419	Women 444,901	Boys 117,162	Men 234,911	Non-Binary 61	People with Disability 41,817	Unspecified 7,100
		Tot	al: 1,118,	371	-	
		INDIR	ECT PARTIC	PANTS		

	INDIRECT PARTICIPANTS	
Women	Men	Unspecified
488,243	888,738	303,596
	Total: 1.680.577	





PROJECTS BY REGION			
	AFRICA	\$792,888	50%
	ASIA	\$385,408	24%
	THE AMERICAS	\$189,725	12%
	EUROPE	\$150,000	9 %
	MIDDLE EAST	\$81,979	5%
	TOTAL:	\$1,600,000	100%
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TOTAL NUMBER OF COUNTRIES:



PROJECTS BY FUNDING TYPE

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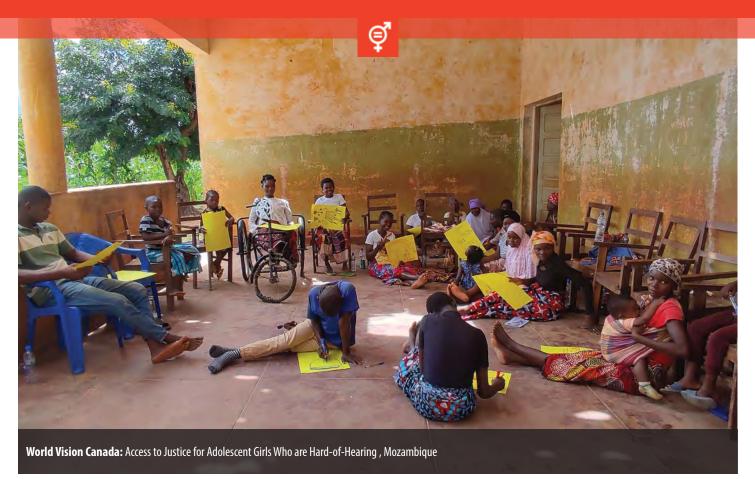
DEVELOPMENT FUND	\$891,956	56 %
RELIEF & REHABILITATION FUND	\$463,917	29 %
THEME FUND	\$205,127	13%
COMMUNITY SOLIDARITY FUND	\$39,000	2%
TOTAL:	\$1,600,000	100 %

TOTAL NUMBER OF PROJECTS:





DEVELOPMENT FUND



ACCOUNTABLE DEVELOPMENT WORKS DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF CONGO AND SIERRA LEONE | \$17,733

Educating Street Children

This project will provide funding for three years of schooling for orphans and abandoned children. This includes the costs of operating our own primary school, making tuition payments for those attending other schools, university tuition, and covering the uniforms and other costs associated with the school.

ADRA CANADA

KENYA | \$9,833

Building Resilience Against Crisis Effects: PART 2 (BRACE 2.0)

This project will address short-term and long-term food insecurity issues faced by three farmer groups in Kenya by enhancing access to water for domestic use and crop production. This will further stabilize and increase the consumption of nutritious food and strengthen livelihoods.

REAL HUMANITARIAN (FORMERLY CANADIAN HUMANITARIAN ORGANIZATION FOR INTERNATIONAL RELIEF) ETHIOPIA | \$7,340

Empowering, Educating & Employing Women in Ethiopia: Comprehensive Vocational Training Programs

This project aims to provide 160 undereducated and vulnerable young women living in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, with comprehensive vocational training and education (scholarships, materials, stipends). Hence, they are able to receive a national certificate in the trade of their choice and secure safe and sustainable employment.

CANADIAN LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF PALESTINE | \$50,529

Gender-Responsive and Inclusive Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) in the West Bank (GRIT)

This project aims to reduce poverty in the West Bank and Gaza by providing vocational training to women, including women with disabilities, leading to better employment outcomes. This project will also support the development of policies and structures that will increase the gender responsiveness and inclusivity of the TVET system in the Palestinian territories.



CANADIAN MULTICULTURAL DISABILITY CENTRE INC. ZIMBABWE | \$10,921

Prevention of Girl Child Absenteeism in Zimbabwean Rural Schools

This project aims to provide sanitary products to upper primary and lower secondary female students to prevent girl child absenteeism in Zimbabwean rural schools through the provision of 3,000 undergarments and 14,400 reusable menstrual pads to 600 female students.

CANADIAN WOMEN FOR WOMEN IN AFGHANISTAN AFGHANISTAN | \$6,927

Advancing Technology for Education - Darakht-e Danesh Digital Library (DDL)

This project aims to ensure our Technology for Education program continues uninterrupted with enhanced programming, including translating current materials into local languages and adding educational resources, including educational videos and audiobooks. The DDL is an online library for Afghan educators.

CARE CANADA

KENYA, UGANDA, AND ZAMBIA | \$14,099

SHE SOARS (Sexual and reproductive Health & Economic empowerment Supporting Out-of-school Adolescent girls' Rights and Skills)

The Project will deliver adolescent sexual reproductive health and rights, life skills, and financial literacy programming for out-of-school girls and boys aged 10-19 across Kenya, Uganda, and Zambia. The Project will reach 189,922 girls and 50,646 boys directly, 23,067 women and girls and 387,451 men and boys indirectly.

CODE

LIBERIA | \$7,824

Girls' Accelerated Learning Initiative (GALI)

The GALI project in Liberia serves at least 300 over-age adolescent girls in lower grades and struggling to catch up to their peers. They participate in a daily after-school program providing small group tutoring and life skills lessons delivered by primarily female-trained teachers, also equipped with additional learning materials.

CUSO INTERNATIONAL

CAMEROON | \$12,380

TechWomen Factory

Cameroon has a highly educated population and has become a destination for corporations outsourcing their IT, yet gender discrimination has limited these opportunities for women. TechWomen Factory is a two-year program to train and mentor 179 women in the ICT field with job-specific skills to help bridge the digital gender divide.

CANADIAN CATHOLIC ORGANIZATION FOR DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE

CAMBODIA | \$34,528

Women's Empowerment for Community Sustainable Development

The overall goal of this project is to empower young women and communities as the agents of change for gender equality and sustainable development in Battambang and Siem Reap provinces, Cambodia. The project will target 4,736 direct beneficiaries.

DOCTORS WITHOUT BORDERS/ MÉDECINS SANS FRONTIÈRES (MSF)

HONDURAS | \$103,167

Sexual and Reproductive Health Care Services in Choloma and San Pedro Sula

This project will help reduce sickness and death in people of reproductive age in Choloma and San Pedro Sula, Honduras, by improving access to sexual and reproductive healthcare and education. MSF will focus on over 6,000 adolescent women, sex workers and LGBTQI+ people. MSF will also work to mitigate unsafe abortion practices.

EMMANUEL INTERNATIONAL CANADA TANZANIA | \$7,220

Health for Development Project

The Project will improve community health in six villages so they can live more resilient, productive lives and remove themselves from the poverty trap they are in. Working through the village churches, community groups will promote and demonstrate improved health practices, enabling them to raise their living conditions.

HEALTH PARTNERS INTERNATIONAL OF CANADA ETHIOPIA | \$10,770

Addressing Harmful Traditional Practices Against Women and Girls in Ethiopia

This project aims to reduce harmful traditional practices (HTPs) against women and girls in the Minjar Shenkora district of the Amhara Region of Ethiopia. The Project will focus on raising local communities' awareness of HTPs and their health complications and consequences. The Project will also contribute to improving the availability and quality of health services needed for HTP victims.

HOPE INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY ETHIOPIA | \$12,872

Clean Water for Yelo Shabo

Families living in Yelo Shabo, southern Ethiopia, lack access to clean water, leaving them vulnerable to waterborne diseases. HOPE will partner with the community to pipe clean water and provide basic health and hygiene education, benefitting 2,044 people.

IDE CANADA CAMBODIA | \$46,047

Mushroom Grow Box Phase II

This project will build on learnings and accomplishments from previous prototyping and testing of innovative zero-waste mushroom cultivation kits to improve food security, nutrition, and income-earning opportunities for Cambodian farmers, especially women. iDE support for this project comes from internal funding through the Paul Polak Innovation Fund.



INTER PARES

EL SALVADOR | \$10,256

Strategic Interventions to Build Momentum on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights

This project addresses barriers women and girls face in achieving their sexual and reproductive health and asserting their rights. This year 1,720 women and girls are supported to assert their agency and bodily autonomy, control their fertility, and understand their rights, ultimately being able to determine the course of their lives.

KIDS INITIATIVE

KENYA | \$7,081

Borokwony Women's Group - Chicken Project (Lemolo B)

This sustainable farming project will enhance food security and provide income for women in the Lemolo IDP camp, where about 700 families live. Using incubators, the project will hatch over 1,000 chicks every 21 days for egg production, selling for similar business development, and kept until mature for future sale.

KUWALA CHRISTIAN GIRLS SCHOOL INC.

MALAWI | \$23,221

Enabling Distance Education

This project will enable Kuwala to provide quality, dependable distance education for students and continuing education for teachers by providing a reliable source of power. With this critical resource, the school will be able to fully utilize the computers to access distance education.

MAKE MUSIC MATTER

TÜRKIYE | \$6,450

Healing in Harmony Gaziantep—Inclusive Music Therapy for Syrian Refugee Children with Special Needs and Their Caregivers

Healing in Harmony Gaziantep is a two-year project providing psychosocial support to 160 Syrian refugee children with disabilities and their caregivers in Türkiye. Through an innovative approach to music therapy, the children, their families, and their communities will participate in reducing trauma and fostering a culture of empathy and gender inclusiveness.

MARQUIS PROJECT

UGANDA | \$3,000

Kusaidia African Life Women's Initiative (Sewing, Design, Embroidery & Business Management)

This project will improve the skills and economic outlook of twenty young women from Kampala, Uganda, by providing government-certified tailoring training in sewing and embroidery, making sewing machines available to participants, and offering business management training and gender support in health and human rights.

MENNONITE CENTRAL COMMITTEE ZIMBABWE | \$130,000

Conservation Agriculture in Zimbabwe

This project will improve food security and resilient livelihoods as well as increase gender equality in two districts of Zimbabwe (Binga, Gwanda) in targeted wards by promoting conservation agriculture and complementary practices that benefit smallholder farmers (men and women).

MENNONITE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATES (MEDA) PHILIPPINES | \$43,429

Strengthening Resiliency in the Cacao Sector in the Philippines (SRCSIP) as Part of the Resilience and Inclusion Through Investment in Sustainable Agriculture (RIISA)Project

This project aims to provide business services and draw investment to cooperatives engaged in the cacao sector in Mindanao, Philippines, to strengthen the capacity of 11 cooperatives and their members to practice environmentally sustainable agriculture and 880 smallholder farmer households to conduct more profitable cacao farming practices, equitably share responsibilities and benefits.

OPPORTUNITY INTERNATIONAL CANADA GHANA | \$23,728

Empowering Vulnerable Youth, Especially Girls, in Ghana Through Inclusion and Apprenticeship – aka Youth Apprenticeship Program (YAP)

The Youth Apprenticeship Program (YAP) matches 250 vulnerable youth living in poverty in Accra, Ghana, with one of 125 Trade Masters to complete a state-recognized apprenticeship. Combined with business and life skills training in a supportive environment, YAP concludes in certification and employment, impacting 3,450 people.

PEOPLE TO PEOPLE MEXICO | \$1,400

Green Project Learning Resources

This project will develop learning resources to support literacy-appropriate teaching materials for use with Tlamacazapa families on the correct use of fuel-efficient cooking stoves and care of residential kitchen gardens and equip Green Team promoters and crew with step-by-step instructions on building ecological cooking stoves from concrete and bricks.

THE PRIMATE'S WORLD RELIEF AND DEVELOPMENT FUND NEPAL | \$17,227

Socio-Economic Empowerment of Marginalized People in Surkhet District This project adopts intersectional approaches to vulnerability reduction by reaching out to 2,795 individuals in Chaukune Rural Municipality, Surkhet district, Nepal, who are Dalits living with HIV and AIDS disabilities and are women-headed households. Expected outcomes include increased livelihood diversification, climate change adaptation, and access to rights and opportunities.

SAVE THE CHILDREN CANADA MOZAMBIQUE | \$18,667

She Belongs in School

This project aims to enhance the empowerment and learning of adolescent girls in Mozambique by working across the socio-ecological model with rights-holders, responsibility-holders and duty-bearers to tackle the root causes of gender inequality—the underlying social norms and practices that contribute to girls' low rates of education.





TEARFUND CANADA TANZANIA | \$38,650

Protecting from Mice, Weevils & Mold - PICS Bags and Market Linkages

As part of a longer-term Conservation Agricultural project in Tanzania, a pilot of six villages in the Chamwino district will be trained in advanced grain storage and sales methods to increase food security and economic stability. Utilizing PICS (Purdue Improved Crop Storage) bags and market linkages, beneficiary families will be better able to adapt to the impact of a changing climate through a sustainable regional transformation.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

EL SALVADOR | \$14,902

Agroecology in Guacotecti Through the Dora Alicia Sorto School Farm

This project supports a comprehensive production initiative based on the principles of agroecology, providing a space for 45 smallholder farm families in the municipality of Guacotecti, a rural area in the department of Cabañas, El Salvador. The goal is for rural families to practice agroecological production and harvest food in a way that protects the environment and is healthy, nutritious, and sustainable.

UNICEF CANADA UGANDA | \$71,755

Empowering Adolescent Girls with Learning and 21st-Century Skills

This project seeks to improve the capacity of girls, their resilience and preparedness for transition to adulthood, as well as the capacity of teaching staff and communities to address the gender-related factors that affect adolescent girls' education in Uganda.

WORLD VISION CANADA MOZAMBIQUE | \$130,000

Access to Justice for Adolescent Girls Who are Hard-of-Hearing

This project aims to enhance the capacity and gender-responsiveness of national institutions and professionals of Disability Support Associations in Mozambique, specifically to sign language contextualization of the NICHD Protocol while working to enhance the abilities of adolescent girls who are hard of hearing to practice improved Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights(SRHR) behaviours and skills.



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THEME FUND



REAL HUMANITARIAN (FORMERLY CANADIAN HUMANITARIAN ORGANIZATION FOR INTERNATIONAL RELIEF) ETHIOPIA | \$20,000

Garden To Table: Children's Garden & Food Security In Rural Ethiopia

This project will develop two large-scale community gardens which will serve three rural Ethiopian communities and provide over 120 rural children and their families with increased access to healthy vegetables and eggs so they can improve their health and combat food insecurity.

CANADIAN LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF (CLWR) EL SALVADOR | \$20,000

Climate Resilient Food Systems in the Dry Corridor of El Salvador

This project will support increased access to index-based micro-insurance and climate-smart agroecological practices for farmers in the dry corridor of El Salvador to increase the resilience of their livelihoods and food systems to climate-related shocks.

CUSO INTERNATIONAL PERU | \$20,000

Women United for Food and Environmental Security (MUSA)

This project will increase the food, economic, and environmental security of poor and vulnerable families, particularly women and girls in urban and peri-urban areas of Metropolitan Lima.

EMMANUEL INTERNATIONAL CANADA TANZANIA | \$20,000

Empowering Smallholder Farmers in Tanzania with Agricultural Technology Hubs and Community Banking

The project will increase the impact of three Agricultural Technology Hubs in Mwanza, Tanzania. 480 smallholder farmer participants, mentored by lead farmers, will increase their capacity to produce organic crops, particularly in the dry season, and will have increased access to community banking services.

HOPE INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO | \$20,000 Food Security and Improved Nutrition and Health in Kasaï Central, DRC

This project will strengthen existing food systems in the communities of Tshikaji and Tshimbundu in the Kasïa Central province. It will equitably increase the impact of enhanced agricultural production on the nutrition and health of the 5,650 participating farmers and their families and the most vulnerable general population, especially children and pregnant and lactating women.

IDE CANADA

NICARAGUA | \$20,000

Las Mujeres del Maracuyá - Powering Women Entrepreneurs in Nicaragua

This project creates new opportunities to power women entrepreneurs in Nicaragua through climate-smart, irrigated passion fruit production, and agriculture business training and partnerships with local cooperatives and commercial processors/exporters.





Canadian Lutheran World Relief: Climate Resilient Food Systems in the dry corridor of El Salvador

INTER PARES

SENEGAL | \$20,000

Scaling up Gender Equality Through Women-Led Agroecology in West Africa

This project will increase the knowledge and practice of climate-resilient agroecology for 5,000 people in poor rural regions of Senegal. It will contribute to poverty reduction and improved food security and nutrition through agroecological production and appropriate technology to produce and process local crops. It will also strengthen the voice and agency of women within their communities.

PEOPLE TO PEOPLE TANZANIA | \$15,000

Sweet Potato Contribution to Livelihood of Smallholder Farmers in Mwanza Region

This project will expand the capacity for smallholder farmers [800 women/400 men] in four districts of Tanzania to identify limiting factors in the Orange Fleshed Sweet Potato [OFSP] planting material system. Value chain stakeholders will offer remedial measures to address farmers' challenges. At the same time, they participate in improved household food security, economic diversification, and responses to climate disruptions.

WINNIPEG ROTARY CLUB COMMUNITY SERVICE FUND SOUTH AFRICA | \$20,000

Early Childhood Development Centre-Based, Climate-Resilient Food Gardens

This Project will enhance the cognitive and physical development of 600 under 5-year-old children in rural and marginalized communities in KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa, by feeding them nutritious meals made from local, climate change-resilient crops grown in 15 gardens at the Early Childhood Development centers.

THE MARQUIS PROJECT TANZANIA | \$10,000

Mwanza Rural Women Striving for Food Security [MRW- SFS]

This project aims to increase the quantity of food grown at the household level by building resilience for women small-scale producers through crop diversity, identification and solutions to production problems, and improved post-harvest handling practices. They will strengthen their capacity as community leaders in leadership skills and legal matters such as land ownership, gender-based violence, and human rights.

WORLD RENEW UGANDA | \$20,127

Achieving Food Security Using Value Addition in Northern Uganda

This project will improve the food and income security of 829 direct and 4,974 indirect smallholder subsistence farmers in disaster-prone North Eastern Uganda. This shall be undertaken by promoting improved farming techniques and adding fruit and root crop value through Cluster Level Associations and Village Savings and Loan Associations.



RELIEF AND REHABILITATION FUND



ADRA CANADA KENYA | \$25,000

Building Resilience Against Crisis Effects: PART 2 (BRACE2.0)

This project is a subset of the ongoing BRACE project, an Early Recovery and Development initiative targeting Turkana Central in Kenya to ensure food security through climate change-sensitive agriculture and livelihood interventions. BRACE 2.0 will respond to the current drought crisis by offering lifesaving assistance to 90 heavily impacted families through unconditional cash transfers as BRACE continues supporting the community to ensure self-sustenance.

CANADIAN WOMEN FOR WOMEN IN AFGHANISTAN AFGHANISTAN | \$22,250

Emergency "Winterization" Supplies for 150 Families in Afghanistan

This project will provide emergency supplies to 150 internally displaced and underemployed Afghan families to endure the Afghan winter. Emergency bundles will include flour, rice, beans, cooking oil, gas cylinders, wood and blankets. Our team will coordinate efforts with relief organizations to identify beneficiaries and distribute the supplies.

EMMANUEL INTERNATIONAL CANADA MALAWI | \$16,667

Cyclone Ana and Gombe Recovery

This project contributes towards helping Cyclones Ana and Gombe victims recover from their shock and loss and rebuild their resilience and access to essential services in Zomba District in Malawi.

CARE CANADA NIGERIA | \$25,000

Addressing Food Crisis and Malnutrition in Northeast Nigeria

Global shocks to food supply chains caused by the war in Ukraine and COVID-19 impacts have exacerbated the dire food insecurity situation in Northeastern Nigeria. This project will provide cash vouchers, training on food security practices and WASH assistance to support community members' health, nutrition, and basic needs.

SAVE THE CHILDREN CANADA TÜRKIYE | \$25,000

Türkiye Earthquakes Response 2023

Save the Children's Response to the Earthquakes in Türkiye is a multi-sectoral response through which MCIC will support WASH programming to allow crisis-affected girls, boys, women, and men to address lifesaving needs. Funds from MCIC will enable Save the Children to focus on addressing the lifesaving needs of displaced people through access to hygiene supplies. Through MCIC, Save the Children will be able to distribute household hygiene kits, reaching 187 individuals (56 girls, 56 boys, 37 women and 37 men).



SPECIAL FUNDS TO RESPOND TO THE WAR IN UKRAINE

HEALTH PARTNERS INTERNATIONAL OF CANADA

UKRAINE | \$32,430

Ukraine Invasion Emergency Response -Responding to Urgent Medical Needs in Ukraine This project will contribute to reducing mortality and morbidity and maintaining the health of those impacted by the invasion in Ukraine. HPIC and Medical Ministry International (MMI) plan to provide 20 humanitarian medical kits to meet urgent health needs in Kyiv City and Odesa Oblast. This program will benefit 6,000 people.

PRIMATES WORLD RELIEF AND DEVELOPMENT FUND UKRAINE | \$50,000

Emergency Relief for the Internally Displaced People in Ukraine

This project will provide lifesaving emergency relief to 1,800 internally displaced persons (women, girls, boys and elderly) sheltering at the Zaporizhzhia reception centre in eastern Ukraine through hygiene kits and other essential non-food relief items

SAVE THE CHILDREN CANADA UKRAINE | \$50,000

Response to the Ukraine Crisis 2022

Save the Children's Response to the Ukraine Conflict 2022 is a multi-sectoral lifesaving response. It supports the provision of cash and voucher assistance to allow crisis-affected Ukrainian girls, boys, women, and men to address their lifesaving needs.

UNICEF CANADA UKRAINE | \$17,570

Explosive Ordnance Risk Education (EORE) for Ukraine

This project will contribute to the creation and dissemination of Explosive Ordinance Risk Education (EORE) messages. These important safety messages in cartoons and videos provide life-saving information to all Ukrainians affected by the conflict and fleeing violence. EORE can help keep girls, boys, and their families safe from explosive ordnance during and after the conflict.

SPECIAL FUNDS TO RESPOND TO THE FLOODING IN PAKISTAN

CANADIAN LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF PAKISTAN | \$50,000

Emergency Lifesaving and Recovery Assistance for the Flood-Affected Population in Pakistan CLWR-NCA, through local partner Research and Development Foundation (RDF), will deliver genderresponsive humanitarian assistance in Water, Sanitation & Hygiene, Non-food Items, and Emergency Shelter, including Winterization in districts Badin and Mirpurkas of Sindh Province. The response will prioritize floodaffected households headed by women, older people, and people with disabilities in the targeted communities.

CANADIAN CATHOLIC ORGANIZATION FOR DEVELOPMENT AND PEACE PAKISTAN | \$50,000

Pakistan Flood Response 2022

This project aims to respond to the national flood emergency, Development and Peace – Caritas Canada, in partnership with Caritas Pakistan, proposes to support 400 households (within a broader effort to support up to 13,500 households) to gain access to sufficient food, safe drinking water, and health services, improving their living conditions and have access to hygiene supplies.

HOPE INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

PAKISTAN | \$50,000

Relief & Rehabilitation of Flood-Affected Women and Farmers in Sargodha, Punjab

This project will provide immediate and ongoing food relief and provide inputs and support for crops on viable agricultural land in Tehsil Kot Momin, Sargodha district, Punjab province, to sustain families facing displacement, immense loss & increasing food insecurity.

SAVE THE CHILDREN CANADA PAKISTAN | \$50,000

Relief and Emergency Support for Flood-Affected Vulnerable Population of Pakistan in Need of their Survival and Early Recovery

Save the Children's response to the Pakistan flood is a multi-sectoral lifesaving response through which it supports providing household and hygiene kits for crisis-affected Pakistani girls, boys, women, and men in the worst affected districts of Sindh province.



Hope International: Relief & Rehabilitation of Flood Affected Women and Farmers in Sarghoda, Punjab, Pakistan



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University of Winnipeg Global College and Manitoba Women for Women of South Sudan: Trauma Healing and Peace Building workshop., South Sudan

CONFLICT AND RESILIENCE RESEARCH INSTITUTE CANADA (CRRIC) BANGLADESH | \$7,000

Remote Learning Project for the Rohingyas

This project is based on open education resources provided in English and Burmese in Rohingya refugee camps on Bhasanchar island. The target population is Rohingya children between 12-16 years. The project will use Learning Competency Framework guidelines and provide local area network-based Wi-Fi access in the camp for delivering education.

CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHARD & NABALEKHWA WOMEN GROUP KENYA | \$8,000

Community Tree Planting Project

This project will introduce tree planting, naturing, and adoption as pathways for Nabalekhwa women and the local communities to protect the environment, combat climate change, protect ecosystems, enhance food availability from fruit trees, gender equality, and empower Busia County women and girls by creating climate resilience trees that support environmental rehabilitation.

SCHOOL FOR KIDS IN LAOS LAOS | \$8,000

Phoxaykhoun Secondary School

The project will replace a dilapidated school with more adequate, permanent structures. This project allows children in rural villages to learn in a safer, more appropriate learning environment.

THE FANOS LIGHT EDUCATION AND VIRTUES INC. ETHIOPIA | \$8,000

The Bright Light Project

The project aims to improve the quality of primary education in Sedika, Ethiopia, mainly to improve the quality of early childhood education for girls. In most rural parts of Ethiopia, girls are not encouraged to attend school. As a result, we want to improve girls' access to early childhood education.

UNIVERSITY OF WINNIPEG GLOBAL COLLEGE & MANITOBA WOMEN FOR WOMEN OF SOUTH SUDAN SOUTH SUDAN | \$8,000

Trauma Healing and Peace Building

This project will provide much-needed trauma healing and reconciliation training for girls and women living in the Rumbek district in South Sudan, where the suicide rate is high. They have traumatic experiences from war and gender-based violence, and their mental health is at stake. The proposed trauma healing workshop will help them heal the wounds, regain strength, and rebuild the community.



NATIONAL PROGRAMMING



ABOUT THE PHOTO ON OUR COVER

A community health worker examines a woman's eye health at a mobile vision centre in India, as part of an innovation testing project supported by the Fund for Innovation and Transformation (FIT). *Empowering Women in Rural India by Debunking Feminine Eye Health Myths* was a project of Norquest College in Edmonton, local partners Operation

Eyesight India and Rotary Eye & ENT Hospital. They tested a two-pronged innovation directly impacting more than 27,000 people in 15 villages, including 12,974 women and girls, by providing access to eye health services and improving community capacity to address the specific barriers to eye health among women and girls.

The context – Nearly 25% of the worlds visually impaired live in India. Of the 9.2 million who are blind, over 80% could have had their vision saved with early detection and simple treatment. Despite the Government of India's support for eye health care, members of India's most disadvantaged communities, such as rural women, remain least likely to access eye health services. There are also many stigmatizing myths about women's eye heath needs.

The results and impact – The innovation test successfully addressed gender inequities and myths linked to negative eye health outcomes for women and girls while increasing access to eye health services. 90% of the village residents were educated on eye health and screened for eye health ailments, while cataract surgery was provided to 39 women, increasing access from 14% to 100%. Most importantly, by the end of the 12month testing period, all 15 targeted villages were declared free of avoidable blindness.

You can find out more about this project on FIT's website, fit-fit.ca



MCIC Staff - December 2022. Back row left to right: James Kornelsen, Oscar Pantaleon, Lisa Gaudry, Abdal Qeshta, Deo Imaniragwa; Middle row: Jane Mychasiw, Farima Afaq, Katelyn Roney, Oluchi Gloria Ogbu, Allison Langridge; Front row: Janice Hamilton, Lauren Roberts, Ennet Bera, Madalyn Nielsen, Christina MacIsaac. Missing from photo: Ben Dearing, Lyn Stienstra and Maggie Zeng.

ROUNDTABLE WITH PATRICIA PEÑA In January, MCIC welcomed Patricia Peña, Assistant Deputy Minister, **Partnerships for Development Innovations at Global Affairs** Canada to Winnipeg. MCIC organized a roundtable so she could hear directly from Manitobans working with partners in the Global South. While in Winnipeg she had the opportunity to learn about our Inspiring Action for Global Citizenship and the Fund for Innovation and Transformation programming. She also observed an InSight workshop with students at Collège Churchill High School.

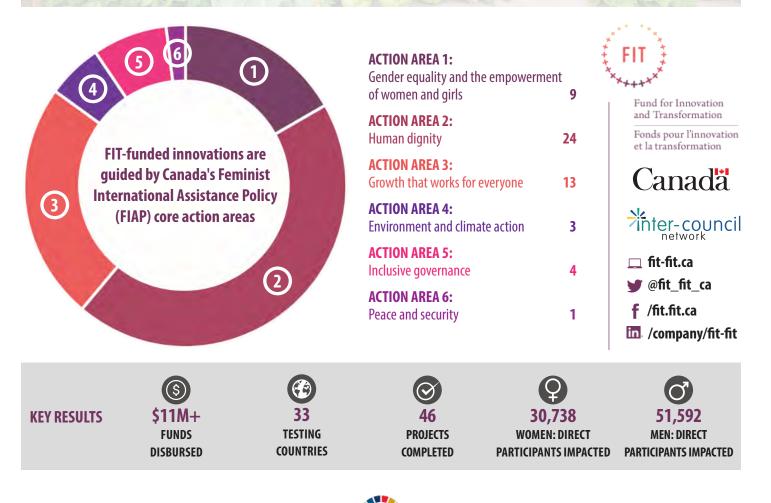


FUND FOR INNOVATION AND TRANSFORMATION (FIT)

INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS TO ADVANCE GENDER EQUALITY AND EMPOWER WOMEN AND GIRLS



FIT is a national program of the Inter-Council Network that is managed by MCIC, with funding from Global Affairs Canada. Since launching in 2019, the program and team have accomplished a great deal to support the testing work of Canadian small and medium-sized organizations and their local partners in the Global South to advance gender equality. As innovation teams complete their projects in 2023, we're actively showcasing their results as well as taking part in opportunities for virtual and in-person visits and presentations.



FIT IN THE COMMUNITY

In our 4th year of the FIT program, as more testing projects were underway and finishing, we participated in and hosted many presentations, events, and conferences.



Visit with CAP-Youth Empowerment Institute Kenya

Taking time in Nairobi, FIT met with CAP-Youth Empowerment Institute (CAP-YEI), a leading skillsdevelopment organization and local partner of Humber Institute of Technology and Advanced Learning. Their innovative solution tested ways to improve refugees' livelihoods by using digital platforms. In conversations with testing participants, they expressed that this program made them feel valued and heard. These results are an amazing example of human empowerment and is a good example of why it is important to provide space for organizations to try new solutions.

"It was really interesting to visit CAP-YEI to learn more about their collaboration with Humber to work with urban refugees in Nairobi for the first time. Using their experience in skills development, and appreciating the flexibility of FIT, they successfully pivoted several elements of their program delivery to address the barriers that women and refugees are faced with and this had impact." Christina MacIsaac Director of Innovation, FIT



In-person Monitoring visit with **Change for Children in Nicaragua**

Two members of the FIT Team visited several communities in Nicaragua in order to spend time with Change for Children Association and their local partners: GTI-MITK (Indigenous Territorial Government of MITK -Miskito Indian Tasbaika Kum); WIMPA (GTI-MITK Women's Organization), MINED (Nicaragua Ministry of Education); URRACAN (Indigenous University of Nicaragua); and EOS International. They witnessed first hand how Indigenous-led work is critical to addressing climate change.

"It was great to have the hearty and adventurous FIT team travel with us to one of Nicaragua's most remote rainforests, where they learned about how our Technology for **Quality and Equality innovation** revolutionized education in the region and about how our Local Knowledge: Global Goals innovation is helping the local Indigenous government protect their traditional territory." Lorraine Swift

Executive Director of Change for Children



FIT panel at the UN Commission on the Status of Women (NGO CSW67)

Attendees from around the world joined FIT's virtual panel, Innovative Solutions in Education Delivery to Empower Women and Girls, that explored approaches to support women teachers and girls in tackling educational challenges. FIT-funded organizations Alitus Femina (Canada and Burkina Faso), Canadian Teachers' Federation and The Gambia Teacher's Union shared how their innovations are using technology to: empower women teachers through professional learning communities; create safer learning environments for girls as well as reduce and prevent the practice of Sexually Transmitted Grades (STGs). Both testing projects aimed to affect policy, raise awareness of harmful practice of gender-based discrimination and violence, and show how a multi-pronged approach advances gender equality in educational settings.

Alitus Femina used technology to make a taboo subject public and engage all interested parties

- A digital app allows students to report anonymously.
- Students share their experience about STGs and supports are provided.

Canadian Teachers' Federation used technology to amplify the typical mentoring model

- Technology created safe spaces, a timely response, supportive networks and mentorship for young women teachers.
- Virtual mentorship closed the typical isolation gap.

Visit www.fit-fit.ca to explore all the innovations.



Funded Innovations					
SMO	Province	Testing Country	Grant Amount	Innovation Title	
Alitus Femina	Ontario	Burkina Faso	\$174,190	Sexually Transmitted Grades — A Danger for the Future of Girls and Women	
Alternatives	Quebec	Sudan	\$246,710	A Platform Against Violence on Women Journalists in Sudan	
Canada SOS: Students Offering Support	Ontario	Guatemala	\$198,574	Girls Groundswell	
Canada SOS: Students Offering Support	Ontario	Guatemala	\$165,445	Lights + Camera + Action for Equality (LCAE)	
Canadian International Scientific Exchange Program	Ontario	Israel/Palestine	\$238,500	Project Access: A hub and spoke model for Women's Health based on POCUS and Teleguidance for novice community users	
Canadian Network for International Surgery	British Columbia	Nigeria	\$250,000	Midwifery Active Digitization Empowerment Initiative for Nigeria (MADE-I)	
Canadian Physicians for Aid and Relief	Ontario	Malawi	\$174,938	Freedom to Learn for Girls in Rural Malawi - Addressing the Menstruation Barrier	
Canadian Physicians for Aid and Relief	Ontario	Ethiopia	\$250,000	Testing Tele-radiology in Obstetric Care Pilot Project	
Canadian Teachers' Federation	Ontario	Gambia	\$238,600	Mobile Technology: Mentoring and Professional Learning Communities for Women Teachers in The Gambia	
CAUSE Canada	Alberta	Sierra Leone	\$217,932	Eradicating Child Marriage in Sierra Leone	
CAUSE Canada	Alberta	Sierra Leone	\$174,089	Wi Lead by Sabi (We Lead by Example)	
CEED Concordia	Quebec	Uganda	\$172,000	Blended Learning Solution to Advance Gender Equality in Education in Uganda	
Centre for Affordable Water and Sanitation Technology	Alberta	Honduras	\$249,875	Creating Safe Spaces for Learning: My Body, My Health, and My Future (M3 virtual platform)	
Change for Children	Alberta	Nicaragua	\$250,000	Technology & Training for Quality and Equality	
Change for Children	Alberta	Nicaragua	\$175,000	Local Knowledge: Global Goals	
Coady International Institute at St. Francis Xavier University	Nova Scotia	Kenya/India	\$236,000	Farmer-led Tools, Dashboard Development, and the Future of Farming	
Dalhousie University/ Dallaire Institute for Children, Peace and Security	Nova Scotia	South Sudan	\$249,045	Building Bridges for Prevention: Women and Security Actors Prevent Child Recruitment and Use in South Sudan	
Embrace International Foundation	Alberta	Uganda	\$213,814	Inclusive E-Learning for Ugandan Youth	
Emmanuel Relief and Rehabilitation International of Canada	Ontario	Tanzania	\$169,100	Empowering women farmers in Tanzania with an Agricultural Technology Hub (ATH)	
Girls of Tomorrow Foundation	Alberta	Uganda	\$159,792	Combating Menstrual Stigma Through Female-Centred Permaculture Gardens	
Humber Institute of Technology & Advanced Learning	Ontario	Kenya	\$198,692	Entrepreneurship+ Digital Livelihoods+ Creative Arts: Socio- Economic Empowerment of Women Refugees in Kenya	
iDE Canada	Manitoba	Nepal	\$185,303	Safer Farming for Nepali Women	
Journalists for Human Rights	Ontario	Mali	\$217,100	Promoting Access to Sexual and Reproductive Health in Mali through Media Development	
KIDS Initiative	Manitoba	Kenya	\$214,945	Kieni Fighters Resource Centre for Women and Girls	
L'AMIE	Quebec	Rwanda	\$235,000	Réveillez-vous les filles!/Wake up girls!	
Learning for Humanity	Ontario	DRC	\$168,381	Technology Supported Education for At-Risk Girls in the Democratic Republic of Congo	
Lessons Learned Simulations and Training	Ontario	Jordan	\$158,828	Promoting Community-based Tabletop Simulation Development	



Funded Innovations					
SMO	Province	Testing Country	Grant Amount	Innovation Title	
Lestari Sustainable Development Consultants	Ontario	Indonesia	\$250,000	Women's Empowerment, Agricultural Innovation, and Climate Change Adaptation	
LISS Technologies Inc.	Ontario	Somalia	\$174,921	Improving Breastfeeding Rates in Somalia Through Low-Cost, Solar- Powered Electric Breast Pumps	
Lucky Iron Fish Inc.	Ontario	Benin	\$249,990	Improving Resilience to Increase Nutritional Outcomes for Women and Children in Benin	
Make Music Matter	Manitoba	DRC	\$224,660	It Takes a Village to Heal	
Mer et Monde	Quebec	Nicaragua	\$248,975	Learning Community and Incubator for Gender Equality Projects in Nicaragua	
My Oral Village	Ontario	Kenya	\$189,765	Writing a Path Out of Poverty: Testing a Cash Calculator with Extremely Poor Women in Northern Kenya	
NorQuest College	Alberta	India	\$150,134	Empowering Women in Rural India By Debunking Feminine Eye Health Myths	
OGOW Health	Alberta	Somalia	\$239,904	Improving maternal, newborn and child health outcomes by using innovative and community-centric approaches	
OVO Solar Technologies	Quebec	Zambia	\$249,030	Increasing Poultry Production in Zambia	
PeaceGeeks	British Columbia	Jordan	\$222,617	Meshkat Community: Shining a Light on Gender Equality in Jordan	
Real Humanitarian	Alberta	Guatemala	\$244,702	Holistic Gender-Based Violence Prevention & Response	
Royal Roads University	British Columbia	Malawi	\$240,444	Improving WASH for Health Care Facilities and Women's Health: Testing the STREAMS Approach in Malawi	
Sombrilla International Development Society	Alberta	Honduras	\$200,955	Equal Access to Justice for Women in Honduras	
St. Mary's Road United Church	Manitoba	Zimbabwe	\$208,546	Engaging Culture and Community - Addressing and Changing Harmful Gender Norms and Attitudes	
The Bhutan Canada Foundation	Ontario	Bhutan	\$147,004	Democracy Beyond Elections: Participatory Policy Through Design Thinking	
The Governors of the University of Alberta	Alberta	Pakistan	\$174,996	Building Formal Financial and Health Numeracy Among Poor Women in Northern Pakistan	
The Roll a Hippo Foundation	British Columbia	South Africa	\$215,952	Food Security Training Program	
The Wellspring Foundation for Education	British Columbia	Rwanda	\$168,470	Blended Digital Learning for Teacher Professional Development	
Toronto Metropolitan University	Ontario	India	\$250,000	Preventing Cervical Cancer in India Through Self-Sampling (PCCIS)	
Union for Progress	Ontario	DRC	\$214,154	Women for Innovation and Transformation	
Université de Sherbrooke	Quebec	Cameroon	\$249,987	Radical Innovation of the Agroforestry Systems Business Model (Conservation Context)	
University of the Fraser Valley	British Columbia	Sierra Leone	\$237,010	Leaving No One Behind': Empowering Persons with Albinism, Particularly Women and Adolescent Girls, in Rural Regions of Sierra Leone	
Veterinarians without Borders	Ontario	South Sudan	\$242,787	Edible Insect Farming for Improved Nutrition and Income in South Sudan	
Wapikoni	Quebec	Brazil	\$247,280	Human Rights and Empowerment of Indigenous Women in Brazil Through Audiovisual Media	
Waterlution	Ontario	Mozambique	\$150,000	Adolescent Girl Empowerment through Capacity Building and Water Innovation in Northern Mozambique	
Women's Global Health Innovations	Ontario	Uganda	\$250,000	Women's Empowerment via Menstrual Hygiene and Livelihood Integration	
World Neighbours Canada Society	British Columbia	Burkina Faso	\$215,477	Empowering Rural Women in Burkina Faso	



ICN + SPUR CHANGE

inter-council network

The Inter-Council Network (ICN) is a coalition of the eight provincial and regional Councils for International Cooperation committed to global social justice and social change, of which MCIC is a member. Representing over 350 diverse civil society organizations, the ICN provides a national forum in which the Councils collaborate for improved effectiveness of the sector and identify common priorities for collective action. As leaders in public engagement and rooted in communities from coast to coast to coast, the ICN provides a platform for bringing regional knowledge and priorities to the national level. The ICN delivers programming to build relationships and strengthen capacities, particularly in areas related to Canada's Feminist International Assistance Policy (FIAP) and to advance the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Some ICN highlights from 2022-2023 include:

Produced a research paper - Towards a Decolonial, Anti-racist and Feminist Public Engagement in November 2022

* Held two webinars involving the ICN's research participants and sector actors - Reflect on the research process and share findings and recommendations from the research - Forward-looking discussion on better practices in public engagement Developed Towards a More Decolonial, Anti-racist and Feminist Public Engagement training modules and in collaboration with the councils offered the training in all regions of Canada 米 Coordinated a delegation of 7 youth from across Canada, to participate in the UN Commission on the Status of Women - CSW67 in New York - Held 6 webinars for the ICN Youth delegation to prepare for their time at the CSW67 - Held 2 webinars, after CSW67 to share their experiences ¥ Collaborated with the councils to produce a series of videos for International Development Week highlighting young people who are actively working to realize the SDGs * Convened regular committees and working group meetings * ICN was represented on the external committees - Task Force for Implementing Effectiveness (TAFIE), Civil Society Partnership Policy Advisory Group (CPAG), Annual CSO-GAC Dialogue, PE Advisory Group (EXAC – External Advisory Council on Engaging Canadians as Global Citizens),

Cooperation Canada Board SPUR Year 4 Overview **Program Activity Highlights** 2022 National Conference 3 day learning & networking opportunity for SMOs, educators & youth held in Montreal, Qc (May 2022), 93% said the conference met their expectations & learning needs. participants 160 134 unique Canadian Results-Based Management National Trainings SMOs reached in Y4 Self-paced e-Learning RBM 101 5 2-day live intermediate-level RBM 293 SMO participants 201 workshops (Fall 2022 and Winter 2023). The first in-person 201 workshop was held in Toronto during this period. youth reached Youth Champions Program (YCP) 21 through Youth 17 youth participated the 9-month peer-to-peer learning exchange between SMOs and youth in Canada and abroad. 18 events or 15,423 8% Champion-led unique activities were held to engage Canadian youth on the SDGs. activities 26% international SMOs NEW Let's Chat: RBM & Gender Equity reached in Y4 5% 4% 38% A new series centered on highlighting gender transformative Results-Based Management practices from Canadian SMOs launched this year. The series highlighted 3 SMO case studies. 67 SMO participants $\mathbf{48}$ NEW Building Equity: Resource Mobilization for Impact online units In collaboration with Change the Game Academy and JNClarke Y4 Participant Canadian Consulting, a new online, self-paced training series on resource mobilization and fundraising launched late this year. In-person workshops are taking place early next year across the country. launched **SMOs Provincial Distribution** The integration of RBM concepts with a real-life case study 99Manitoba-based participants took part in 67 was very enriching and gave us concrete examples of Spur Change capacity-building trainings, activites and other programs throughout 9 challenges in the field. this year.

*Results from 4th year (April 2022 - March 2023) of the 5 year pilot program.



REPORT OF THE INDEPENDENT AUDITOR ON THE SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

To the Board of Directors of Manitoba Council for International Co-operation Inc.

OPINION

The summary financial statements, which comprise the summary statement of financial position as at March 31, 2023, and the summary statements of operations for the year then ended and related notes are derived from the audited financial statements of Manitoba Council for International Co-operation Inc. (the "Organization") for the year ended March 31, 2023.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Organization as at March 31, 2023, in accordance with the criteria disclosed in Note 1 to the summary audited financial statements. However, we were not able to determine if any adjustments to the summary financial statements were necessary for the reasons described in the audited financial statements and our report thereon section of this audit report.

SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The summary financial statements do not contain all the disclosures required by Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations. Reading the summary financial statements and the auditor's report thereon, therefore, is not a substitute for reading the organization's audited financial statements and the auditor's report thereon.

1. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING AND SUMMARIZATION

The summary financial statements and the audited financial statements do not reflect the effect of events that occurred subsequent to the date of our report on the audited financial statements.

AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OUR REPORT THEREON

In our report dated June 14, 2023, we expressed an unqualified audit opinion on the audited financial statements.

MANAGEMENT'S RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SUMMARY FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Management is responsible for the preparation of the summary financial statements in accordance with the criteria disclosed in Note 1 to the summary financial statements.

AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITY

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on whether the summary financial statements are a fair summary of the audited financial statements based on our procedures, which were conducted in accordance with Canadian Auditing Standard (CAS) 810, Engagements to Report on Summary Financial Statements.

The summary financial statements are derived from the audited financial statements, prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations for the years then ended March 31, 2023.

The preparation of these summary financial statements requires management to determine the information that needs to be reflected in them so that they are consistent in all material respects with, or represent a fair summary of, the audited financial statements.

Management prepared these summary financial statements using the following criteria:

- a. the summary financial statements include a statement for each statement included in the audited financial statements;
- b. information in the summary financial statements agrees with the related information in the audited financial statements;
- c. major subtotals, totals and comparative information from the audited financial statements are included; and
- d. the summary financial statements contain the information from the audited financial statements dealing with matters having a pervasive or otherwise significant effect on the summarized financial statements.

The audited financial statements of Manitoba Council for International Co-operation Inc are available upon request by contacting the Organization.

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Talbot & Associates Chartered Professional Accountants 3553 Pembina Hwy, Winnipeg, MB R3V 1A5 June 14th, 2023



MANITOBA COUNCIL FOR INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION INC. SUMMARY AUDITED FINANCIAL

STATEMENTS

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

For the year ended March 31, 2023

REVENUES	2023	2022
Global Affairs Canada – FIT	\$4,691,804	\$5,525,316
Manitoba Government		
Matching Grant Program	\$1,600,000	\$1,200,000
Global Affairs Canada – INSPIRE	\$528,191	\$540,530
Levies	\$160,009	\$119,991
Fees for service	\$138,711	\$107,684
Membership	\$24,653	\$25,926
Other revenue	\$58,193	\$25,906
Manitoba Education and Early Childhood		
Learning Grant	\$13,000	\$13,000
Total Revenues	\$7,214,561	\$7,558,353

EXPENDITURES

Total Expenditures	\$7,122,564	\$7,475,150
Operating Costs	\$134,776	\$128,600
Personnel	\$1,282,753	\$1,179,031
Programming	\$495,968	\$444,088
Matching Grant Program	\$1,600,000	\$1,200,000
Manitoba Government		
FIT Flow-through fund to SMOs	\$3,609,067	\$4,523,431
Global Affairs Canada -		

EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF		
REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	\$91,997	\$83,203

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION March 31, 2023

March 51, 2025

ASSETS	2023	2022
Current Assets	\$1,399,228	\$1,935,996
Total Assets	\$1,399,228	\$1,935,996
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	5	
Liabilities	\$908,868	\$1,537,634
Net Assets	\$490,360	\$398,362
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$1,399,228	\$1,935,996



University of Winnipeg Global College & Manitoba Women for Women of South Sudan: Trauma Healing and Peace Building



THE PAUL LEJEUNE VOLUNTEER SERVICE AWARD



JASON CARKNER

The Paul LeJeune Volunteer Service Award was established in 2001 to recognize volunteers who have contributed greatly to MCIC.

Paul LeJeune was a powerful advocate for people with disabilities in Canada and globally and maintained a strong vision of what it means to live independently. He was a valued member of MCIC's Overseas Projects Committee from 1992 until his death in 1997. It was primarily due to Paul's insight that MCIC's development principles include a strong commitment to the inclusion of people with disabilities.

The 2022 Paul LeJeune Volunteer Service Award was presented to Jason Carkner.

He was first elected to the Board in 2015 and served until 2021. Jason quickly became a very engaged and active Board member. Serving on the Executive for five of his six years. He was Secretary for two years and then served as President for his last three years. He was on the Policy committee for all six years and, also served on the Personnel, FIT, Finance, Nominations and Strategic Planning Committees. During his time on the Board, Jason initially worked for the Mennonite Central Committee and then was hired by Canadian Lutheran World Relief, where he is Director of Programs. Jason also became a father two times while serving on the Board, so he was not only a dedicated MCIC Board member but a very engaged father, who took parental leave to care for his children.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Pamela Obonde

Tyler Braun

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(Staff)

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MCIC Board Janice Hamilton (Staff)

OVERSEAS PROJECTS

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Dan Maxson
MCIC Board

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