## Funding for LGBTI Issues in the Global South and East

Over the two-year period of 2015-2016, 95 foundations, corporations, intermediaries, government donors and multilateral agencies awarded 2,319 grants totaling $\$ 126.4$ million for LGBTI issues in the Global South and East. For the purposes of this report, the Global South and East is defined to encompass Asia and The Pacific; Eastern Europe, Central Asia, and Russia; Latin America and The Caribbean; Middle East and North Africa; and Sub-Saharan Africa. These regions include most of the world's lower-income and middle-income countries as well as a small number of higher-income countries.

Compared to the last reporting period, funding for LGBTI issues in the Global South and East fell by $\$ 2.3$ million. Year to year, funding for LGBTI issues in the Global South and East has fluctuated considerably over the four years for which we have data, peaking in 2014 at $\$ 85$ million, followed by declines in 2015 and 2016.

FUNDING FOR LGBTI ISSUES IN THE GLOBAL SOUTH AND EAST, BY YEAR
ONE COIN = \$1 MILLION


2013
\$43,280,635
all grants reported
$\$ 43,280,635$
EXCLUDING AVAILABLE DATA FROM THE
GLOBAL EQUALITY FUND AND THE U.S. GOVERNMENT


2014
\$85,420,253
ALL GRANTS REPORTED
\$74,068,647
EXCLUDING AVAILABLE DATA FROM THE GLOBAL EQUALITY FUND AND THE U.S. GOVERNMENT


2015
\$77,140,429
ALL GRANTS REPORTED
\$69,298,944
EXCLUDING AVAILABLE DATA FROM THE GLOBAL EQUALITY FUND AND THE U.S. government

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2016
\$49,317,813
ALL GRANTS REPORTED
\$49,317,813
EXCLUDING AVAILABLE DATA FROM THE GLOBAL EQUALITY FUND AND THE U.S. government

## Top Funders and Grant Recipients of LGBTI Funding for the Global South and East

The Top 10 funders of LGBTI issues for the Global South and East awarded more than $\$ 80$ million, or 58 percent of the total. Five of the top ten funders were foundations or intermediaries, and the remaining five were governments or multilateral organizations.

TOP 10 LGBTI FUNDERS FOR THE GLOBAL SOUTH AND EAST, BY TOTAL AMOUNT (2015-2016)

| 1 | Government of Sweden -Stockholm, Sweden | $\$ 19,707,107$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 2 | HIVOS - The Hague, The Netherlands | $\$ 12,321,395$ |
| 3 | Open Society Foundations - New York, United States | $\$ 9,320,287$ |
| 4 | Global Equality Fund - Washington, D.C., United States | $\$ 7,841,485$ |
| 5 | European Commission - Brussels, Belgium | $\$ 5,611,744$ |
| 6 | Government of The Netherlands - The Hague, The Netherlands | $\$ 5,561,680$ |
| 7 | American Jewish World Service - New York, United States | $\$ 4,974,589$ |
| 9 | COC Netherlands - Amsterdam, The Netherlands | $\$ 4,747,143$ |
| 10 | Government of Norway - Oslo, Norway | $\$ 4,422,409$ |

NOTE: NOTE: Anonymous donors awarded $\$ 6,435,000$ during this period. If they appeared on the list above as a single funder, they would rank as thenumber four funder of LGBTI issues in the global South and East.

NOTE: In contrast to other sections of this report, this list of top funders includes re-granting, so as to capture the full amount of LGBTI funding flowing from (or through) each funder.

The top ten grant recipients of LGBTI funding for the Global South and East received a total of $\$ 31.3$ million, or 26 percent of the total.

TOP 10 RECIPIENTS OF LGBTI FUNDING FOR THE GLOBAL SOUTH AND EAST (2015-2016)

| 1 | The Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis, and Malaria - <br> Geneva, Switzerland | \$7,915,191 |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 2 | Department for International Development (DFID) - Southern Africa - <br> Tshwane, South Africa | $\$ 5,424,750$ |
| 3 | United Nations Development Program (UNDP) - Regional Service Centre for <br> Africa - Addis Ababa, Ethiopia | $\$ 4,219,250$ |
| 4 | UHAI EASHRI (East African Sexual Health and Rights Initiative) - <br> Nairobi, Kenya | $\$ 3,497,086$ |
| 5 | Action Aid International - Chard, England, United Kingdom | $\$ 2,326,615$ |
| 7 | Swedish Federation for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer <br> Rights (RFSL) - Stockholm, Sweden | $\$ 1,928,800$ |
| 8 | Kaos Gay and Lesbian Cultural Research and Solidarity Association (Kaos <br> GL) - Ankara, Turkey | $\$ 1,722,787$ |
| 9 | ISEAN - Pasay City, The Philippines | $\$ 1,499,494$ |
| 10 | Creating Resources for Empowerment and Action (CREA) - New Delhi, India | $\$ 1,453,669$ |

NOTE: These totals include the full amount of any multi-year grants awarded over the two year period of 2015-2016. Most of the top recipients received grants awarded for a period of three years or more. As such, the totals listed may exceed their total two-year operating revenue for 2015-2016.

NOTE: Anonymous Grantees located in various locations received 944 grants totaling $\$ 34,574,190$ during the two year period of 2015-2016.

## Sources of LGBTI Funding for the Global South and East

During the two-year period of 2015-2016, the largest share (38 percent) of LGBTI funding for the Global South and East was awarded by public foundations and intermediaries. Significant shares of funding were also provided by government and multilateral agencies (37 percent) and private foundations (17 percent). Compared to the twoyear period of 2013-2014, public foundations and intermediaries grew in both the amount of funding they provided as well as their share of the total. Private foundations and government and multilateral agencies decreased in their amount of funding for the Global South and East and their share of the total.

SOURCES OF LGBTI FUNDING FOR THE GLOBAL SOUTH AND EAST, 2013-2016


NOTE: This chart includes grants awarded to intermediaries for the purpose of being re-granted to other organizations.
NOTE: Figures for 2013-2014 include \$14,205,331 awarded for the Global South and East by the U.S. Government in 2014 and by the Global Equality Fund in 2014 and 2015, the only years for which these funding institutions have provided data for this report.

## Issues Addressed by Funding for LGBTI Funding for the Global South and East

During the two-year period of 2015-2016, the largest share ( 50 percent) of LGBTI funding for the Global South and East was focused on advancing human rights-a similar level of funding as in 2013-2014, when human rights also captured a majority of funding. The second most-funded issue was health and wellbeing, which captured nearly onethird of funding for the Global South and East. The overwhelming majority of LGBTI health funding for the Global South and East was focused on HIV/AIDS, which saw a 50-percent increase compared to 2013-2014. Most other issue areas saw decreases compared to 2013-2014.

## LGBTI FUNDING FOR THE GLOBAL SOUTH AND EAST, BY ISSUE ADDRESSED (2013-2016)

|  | 2015-16 |  | 2013-14 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| HUMAN RIGHTS | \$63,596,656 | 50\% | \$66,096,265 | 51\% |
| Challenging Anti-LGBTQI Laws | \$1,176,094 | 1\% | \$1,612,061 | 1\% |
| Decriminalization and Criminal Justice Reform | \$210,170 | <1\% | \$293,464 | <1\% |
| Gender Identity Protections | \$5,211,886 | 4\% | \$2,078,444 | 2\% |
| Human Rights (General) | \$52,678,366 | 42\% | \$54,642,334 | 41\% |
| Marriage/Civil Unions | \$350,506 | <1\% | \$474,187 | <1\% |
| Migration and Refugee Issues | \$411,508 | $<1 \%$ | \$734,646 | 1\% |
| Nondiscrimination Protections | \$1,163,213 | 1\% | \$1,408,273 | 1\% |
| Sex Worker Rights | \$386,342 | <\% | N/A |  |
| Sexual and Reproductive Rights/Justice | \$2,008,571 | 2\% | \$4,852,857 | 4\% |
| health and wellbeing | \$38,206,322 | 30\% | \$28,667,339 | 22\% |
| Cultural Competence and Data Collection | \$270,403 | <1\% | \$1,184,562 | 1\% |
| General Health Services and Health Promotion | \$2,269,411 | 2\% | \$1,390,781 | 3\% |
| HIV/AIDS | \$35,388,409 | 28\% | \$21,457,388 | 17\% |
| Mental Health, Substance Abuse, and Suicide Prevention | \$110,666 | <1\% | \$830,073 | 1\% |
| Sexual and Reproductive Health | \$167,432 | <1\% | \$3,804,535 | 3\% |
| StRengthening Communities, FAMILIES, \& VISIBILITY | \$7,240,950 | 6\% | \$9,097,034 | 7\% |
| Community Building and Empowerment | \$2,282,708 | 2\% | \$4,102,340 | 3\% |
| Religion | \$2,620,532 | 2\% | \$2,047,078 | 2\% |
| Sports | \$37,775 | <1\% | N/A |  |
| Strengthening Families | \$186,422 | <1\% | \$431,190 | <1\% |
| Visibility | \$2,113,513 | <1\% | \$2,516,427 | 2\% |
| CONFRONTING VIOLENCE, HOMOPHOBIA, BIPHOBIA, \& TRANSPHOBIA | \$3,314,806 | 3\% | \$7,563,783 | 6\% |
| Anti-Violence | \$960,163 | 1\% | \$2,802,468 | 2\% |
| Homophobia, Biphobia, and Transphobia | \$2,354,643 | 1\% | \$4,761,315 | 4\% |
| ECONOMIC ISSUES | \$496,923 | <1\% | \$1,505,186 | 1\% |
| Housing and Homelessness | \$351,549 | <1\% | \$8,000 | <1\% |
| Labor and Employment | \$145,374 | <1\% | \$1,497,186 | 1\% |
| EDUCATION \& SAFE SCHOOLS | \$930,014 | 1\% | \$1,743,415 | 1\% |
| Education | \$370,611 | <1\% | \$1,292,262 | 1\% |
| Safe Schools | \$559,403 | <1\% | \$451,153 | <1\% |
| OTHER ISSUES | \$12,672,572 | 10\% | \$14,027,865 | 11\% |
| Multi-Issue | \$2,144,429 | 2\% | \$4,931,917 | 4\% |
| Philanthropy | \$1,694,253 | 1\% | \$1,203,720 | 1\% |
| Unspecified | \$8,833,889 | 7\% | \$7,892,228 | 6\% |
| GRAND TOTAL | \$126,458,242 |  | \$128,700,887 |  |

## Population Focus of LGBTI Funding for the Global South and East

As with LGBTI funding overall, the vast majority of LGBTI funding for the Global South and East did not focus on any specific sub-population. Funding for several key populations in the Global South and East decreased in 2015-2016 compared to 2013-2014. In particular, funding for transgender communities decreased by more than $\$ 3$ million, or 15 percent. Funding for migrants, refugees, and asylees also dropped notably, from $\$ 1.8$ million to about \$225,000. This two-year period saw increases for intersex communities and for sex workers.

## LGBTI FUNDING FOR THE GLOBAL SOUTH AND EAST, BY POPULATION FOCUS, 2013-2016



TOTAL FUNDING
2015-16
\$126,458,242
2013-14
\$128,700,887


| $\mathbf{2 0 1 5 - 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3 - 1 4}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\$ 5,171,593$ | $\$ 6,724,634$ |

MIGRANTS, REFUGEES \& ASYLUM SEEKERS

| $\mathbf{2 0 1 5 - 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3 - 1 4}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 5 - 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3 - 1 4}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\$ 225,357$ | $\$ 1,779,452$ | $\$ 1,315,625$ | $\$ 660,807$ |

## INTERSEX PEOPLE

OLDER ADULTS

## 2015-16 <br> 2013-14

\$0
\$154,643
$93 \bullet \bullet \bullet$


SEX WORKERS
2015-16 2013-14
\$6,629,325

## SNAPSHOT

## LGBTI Funding for Asia and The Pacific

ASIA AND THE PACIFIC, 2015-2016

| 475 | $\$ 51,686$ | $\$ 18,830$ | $\$ 22.2$ MILLION |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NUMBER OF GRANTS | AVERAGE GRANT | MEDIAN GRANT | TOTAL FUNDING |

Over the two-year period of 2015-2016, 53 funders awarded $\$ 22.5$ million to organizations and projects working on LGBTI issues in Asia and The Pacific. Despite the addition of 22 funders working in the region there was $\$ 10.2$ million decrease in funding compared to the last reporting period.

The region saw a significant increase in funding in 2014 when several funders made large investments in human rights and HIV/AIDS work - five funders accounted for over 40 percent of all funding to the region in 2014.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR ASIA AND THE PACIFIC (2013-2016)


## LGBTI Funding for Asia and The Pacific, by Sub-Region

The majority of funding to the region was focused on Southeast Asia, accounting for over $\$ 7.1$ million, or 32 percent, of funding to the region.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR ASIA AND THE PACIFIC, BY SUB-REGION (2013-2016)

|  | 2015-16 |  | 2013-14 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| EAST ASIA | \$3,506,156 | 16\% | \$5,259,587 | 16\% |
| OCEANIA | \$659,541 | 3\% | \$92,998 | <1\% |
| SOUTH ASIA | \$5,541,772 | 25\% | \$4,030,089 | 12\% |
| SOUTHEAST ASIA | \$7,199,788 | 32\% | \$17,067,792 | 53\% |
| WHOLE REGION FOCUS / UNSPECIFIED | \$5,369,489 | 24\% | \$6,027,742 | 19\% |
| GRAND TOTAL | \$22,276,746 |  | \$32,478,207 |  |

## Top Funders of LGBTI Funding for Asia and The Pacific

Collectively, the top ten funders for the region awarded $\$ 13.8$ million, accounting for nearly 60 percent of all funding for LGBTI issues in Asia and the Pacific.

TOP 10 FUNDERS OF LGBTI ISSUES IN ASIA AND THE PACIFIC (2015-2016)

| 1 | Global Equality Fund - Washington, D.C., United States | $\$ 2,759,123$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 2 | Open Society Foundations - New York, United States | $\$ 1,671,038$ |
| 3 | HIVOS - The Hague, The Netherlands | $\$ 1,668,983$ |
| 4 | Global Fund for Women - New York, United States | $\$ 1,617,500$ |
| 5 | Astraea Lesbian Foundation for Justice - New York, United States | $\$ 1,538,371$ |
| 6 | Robert Carr Civil Society Networks Fund - Amsterdam, The Netherlands | $\$ 979,000$ |
| 7 | Arcus Foundation - New York, United States | $\$ 940,770$ |
| 8 | M.A.C. AIDS Fund - New York, United States | $\$ 906,652$ |
| 9 | AmplifyChange - Bath, United Kingdom | $\$ 898,005$ |
| 10 | amfAR, Foundation for AIDS Research - New York, United States | $\$ 875,039$ |

[^0]MAP OF LGBTI FUNDING FOR ASIA AND THE PACIFIC, BY COUNTRY (2015-2016)

## <\$200,000

\$201,000-\$399,000
\$400,000-\$1 MILLION
\$1 MILLION +

Australia
Bangladesh
Cambodia
China
Fiji
Hong Kong
India
Indonesia
Malaysia
Mongolia
Myanmar
Nepal
New Zealand
Pakistan
Philippines
Singapore
South Korea
Sri Lanka
Taiwan
Thailand
Timor Leste
Vietnam
Multiple Countries/Unspecified


## LGBTI Funding for Asia and The Pacific, by Recipient Location

The majority of LGBTI funding focused on Asia and The Pacific went to grantees in the region while 7 percent was awarded to organizations based in France, South Africa, Sweden, Switzerland, and the United States.

LOCATION OF GRANTEES FUNDED FOR WORK IN ASIA AND THE PACIFIC (2015-2016)


## Issues Addressed by LGBTI Funding for Asia and the Pacific

Over the two-year period of 2015-2016, funding for Human Rights received the largest share of funding for LGBTI issues, followed by funding for Health and Wellbeing. While funding for Health and Wellbeing was the highest funded issue in the 2013-2014 reporting period.

LGBTI FUNDING IN ASIA AND THE PACIFIC, BY ISSUE ADDRESSED (2013-2016)

|  | 2015-16 |  | 2013-14 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| HUMAN RIGHTS | \$10,677,273 | 48\% | \$11,001,615 | 34\% |
| Challenging Anti-LGBTQI Laws | \$355,202 | 2\% | \$50,000 | <1\% |
| Human Rights (General) | \$9,255,993 | 42\% | \$9,283,185 | 29\% |
| Decriminalization and Criminal Justice Reform | \$210,170 | 1\% | \$79,201 | <1\% |
| Gender Identity Protections | \$621,371 | 3\% | \$142,390 | <1\% |
| Migration and Refugee Issues | \$126,050 | <1\% | - |  |
| Marriage/Civil Unions | \$93,530 | <1\% | \$30,000 | < $1 \%$ |
| Nondiscrimination Protections | \$14,957 | <1\% | \$196,914 | 1\% |
| Sexual and Reproductive Rights and Justice | - | - | \$1,219,926 | 4\% |
| health and wellbeing | \$6,166,208 | 28\% | \$13,787,429 | 42\% |
| Cultural Competence and Data Collection | \$22,000 | <1\% | \$23,680 | <1\% |
| General Health Services and Health Promotion | \$592,963 | 3\% | \$515,000 | 2\% |
| HIV/AIDS | \$5,359,066 | 24\% | \$10,386,836 | 32\% |
| Sexual and Reproductive Health | \$19,932 | <1\% | \$2,458,300 | 8\% |
| STRENGTHENING COMMUNITIES, FAMILIES, \& VISIBILITY | \$1,239,675 | 6\% | \$1,283,633 | 4\% |
| Community Building and Empowerment | \$787,737 | 4\% | \$500,771 | 2\% |
| Sports | \$5,378 | <1\% |  |  |
| Strengthening Families | \$76,713 | <1\% | \$159,425 | <1\% |
| Visibility | \$369,847 | 2\% | \$568,757 | 2\% |
| CONFRONTING VIOLENCE, HOMOPHOBIA, BIPHOBIA, \& TRANSPHOBIA | \$355,266 | 2\% | \$1,302,840 | 4\% |
| Anti-Violence | \$307,100 | 2\% | \$602,718 | 2\% |
| Homophobia, Biphobia, and Transphobia | \$48,166 | <1\% | \$700,123 | 2\% |
| EDUCATION \& SAFE SCHOOLS | \$90,000 | <1\% | \$737,955 | 2\% |
| Education | \$90,000 | <1\% | \$737,955 | 2\% |
| ECONOMIC ISSUES | \$11,714,091 | 4\% | \$7,925,702 | 4\% |
| Housing and Homelessness | \$48,057 | <1\% | \$8,000 | <1\% |
| Labor and Employment | - | - | \$355,241 | 1\% |
| OTHER ISSUES | \$13,624,282 | 5\% | \$9,771,144 | 4\% |
| Multi-Issue | \$422,438 | 2\% | \$1,863,132 | 6\% |
| Philanthropy | \$50,000 | <1\% |  | - |
| Unspecified | \$3,227,829 | 14\% | \$2,138,361 | 7\% |
| GRAND TOTAL | \$22,276,746 |  | \$32,478,207 |  |

## Population Focus of LGBTI Funding for Asia and The Pacific

Over the two-year period of 2015-2016, funding for most key populations in the region decreased, with the exception of funding for intersex people, which saw an increase in funding from the 2013-2014 reporting period, when this key population received no funding.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR ASIA AND THE PACIFIC, BY SELECTED POPULATIONS (2013-2016)
ONE COIN = \$1 MILLION


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TOTAL FUNDING
2015-16 2013-14
$22,276,746 $32,478,207
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2015-16 2013-14
\$4,777,894 \$6,724,634

OLDER ADULTS
2015-16 2013-14


SEX WORKERS
2015-16 2013-14
\$817,345 \$832,394
MIGRANTS, REFUGEES \& ASYLUM SEEKERS

| 2015-16 | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3 - 1 4}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\$ 6,050$ | $\$ 2,184,265$ |



INTERSEX PEOPLE
2015-16 2013-14
\$295,857 \$0

## 90000 99900

TRANSGENDER PEOPLE
2015-16 2013-14
\$6,149,922
\$7,632,724

## SNAPSHOT

## LGBTI Funding for Eastern Europe, Russia, and Central Asia

EASTERN EUROPE, CENTRAL ASIA, AND RUSSIA, 2015-2016

| 4,82 | $\$ 46,706$ | $\$ 16,593$ | $\$ 19.3$ MILLION |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NUMBER OF GRANTS | AVERAGE GRANT | MEDIAN GRANT | TOTAL FUNDING |

Over the two-year period of 2015-2016, 45 funders awarded $\$ 19.3$ million to organizations and projects working on LGBTI issues in Eastern Europe, Russia, and Central Asia. Despite the addition of new funders, the region experienced a decrease in 2015-2016.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR EASTERN EUROPE, RUSSIA, AND CENTRAL ASIA (2013-2016)


## LGBTI Funding for Eastern Europe, Russia, and Central Asia

Eastern Europe has consistently received the largest share of funding for LGBTI issues in the region, accounting for 71 percent of all funding to Eastern Europe, Russia, and Central Asia in the 2015-2016 reporting period.

Funding for Russia decreased from 29 percent of LGBTI funding in the region to under ten percent in this latest reporting period.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR EASTERN EUROPE, RUSSIA, AND CENTRAL ASIA, BY SUB-REGION (2013-2016)

|  | 2015-16 |  | 2013-14 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CENTRAL ASIA | \$461,747 | 2\% | \$1,171,347 | 4\% |
| EASTERN EUROPE | \$13,814,917 | 71\% | \$16,664,511 | 58\% |
| RUSSIA | \$1,526,012 | 8\% | \$7,870,229 | 29\% |
| WHOLE REGION FOCUS/ UNSPECIFIED | \$3,533,769 | 18\% | \$2,789,151 | 18\% |
| GRAND TOTAL | \$19,336,445 |  | \$28,495,238 |  |

## Top Funders of LGBTI Funding for Eastern Europe, Russia, and Central Asia

Collectively, the top ten funders in the region awarded $\$ 16.2$ million, accounting for nearly 80 percent of all funding for LGBTI issues in Eastern Europe, Russia, and Central Asia.

TOP 10 FUNDERS OF LGBTI ISSUES IN EASTERN EUROPE, RUSSIA, AND CENTRAL ASIA (2015-2016)

| 1 | Government of Sweden - Stockholm, Sweden | $\$ 3,245,310$ |
| :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 2 | EEA and Norway Grants (Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway) - <br> Brussels, Belgium | $\$ 2,663,450$ |
| 3 | Government of The Netherlands - The Hague, The Netherlands | $\$ 2,424,797$ |
| 4 | Open Society Foundations - New York, United States | $\$ 2,157,459$ |
| 5 | CoC Netherlands - Amsterdam, The Netherlands | $\$ 1,774,193$ |
| 6 | Sigrid Rausing Trust - London, United Kingdom | $\$ 982,671$ |
| 7 | Global Equality Fund - Washington, D.C., United States | $\$ 891,936$ |
| 8 | ILGA-Europe - Brussels, Belgium | $\$ 778,331$ |
| 9 | European Commission - Brussels, Belgium | $\$ 673,726$ |
| 10 | Government of Germany - Berlin, Germany | $\$ 618,723$ |

[^1]Albania
Armenia
Azerbaijan
Belarus
Bosnia and Herzegovina
Bulgaria
Croatia
Czech Republic
Estonia
Georgia
Hungary
Kazakhstan
Kosovo
Kyrgyzstan
Latvia
Lithuania
Macedonia
Moldova
Montenegro
Poland
Romania
Russia
Serbia
Slovakia
Slovenia
Tajikistan
Ukraine
Uzbekistan
Multiple Countries
Unspecified Countries in Region


## LGBTI Funding for Eastern Europe, Russia, and Central Asia, by Recipient Location

Nearly 15 percent of funding for LGBTI issues in Eastern Europe, Russia, and Central Asia went to grantees based outside of the region, including organizations based in France, Sweden, The Netherlands, and the United States.

LOCATION OF GRANTEES FUNDED FOR WORK IN EASTERN EUROPE, RUSSIA, AND CENTRAL ASIA


## Issues Addressed by LGBTI Funding for Eastern Europe, Russia, and Central Asia

Funding for Human Rights continued to be the most funded issue area in Eastern Europe, Russia, and Central Asia despite a notable decrease from the nearly $\$ 17$ million awarded to the category in 2013-2014.

LGBTI FUNDING IN EASTERN EUROPE, RUSSIA, AND CENTRAL ASIA, BY ISSUE ADDRESSED (2013-2016)

|  | 2015-16 |  | 2013-14 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| HUMAN RIGHTS | \$11,535,085 | 60\% | \$16,829,447 | 59\% |
| Challenging Anti-LGBTQI Laws | \$79,109 | <1\% | \$100,000 | <1\% |
| Decriminalization and Criminal Justice Reform | - |  | \$5,910 | <1\% |
| Gender Identity Protections | \$1,158,352 | 6\% | \$352,272 | 1\% |
| Human Rights (General) | \$9,691,530 | 50\% | \$15,262,183 | 54\% |
| Migration and Refugee Issues | - |  | - |  |
| Marriage/Civil Unions | \$206,153 | 1\% | \$173,579 | 1\% |
| Nondiscrimination Protections | \$226,649 | 1\% | \$641,231 | 2\% |
| Sex Worker Rights | \$134,056 | 1\% |  |  |
| Sexual and Reproductive Rights/Justice | \$39,235 | <1\% | \$163,442 | 1\% |
| HEALTH AND WELLBEING | \$2,470,295 | 13\% | \$2,809,060 | 10\% |
| Cultural Competence and Data Collection | - |  | \$224,446 | 1\% |
| General Health Services and Health Promotion | \$153,613 | 1\% | - |  |
| HIV/AIDS | \$2,281,649 | 12\% | \$2,329,106 | 8\% |
| Mental Health, Substance Abuse, and Suicide Prevention | \$24,050 | <1\% | \$183,703 | 1\% |
| Primary Care | \$10,984 | <1\% | \$6,826 | <1\% |
| STRENGTHENING COMMUNITY, FAMILIES, AND VISIBILITY | \$1,636,493 | 8\% | \$2,334,689 | 8\% |
| Community Building and Empowerment | \$623,255 | 3\% | \$1,471,689 | 5\% |
| Religion | \$171,000 | 1\% | - |  |
| Sports | \$5,206 | <1\% | - |  |
| Strengthening Families | \$105,592 | 1\% | \$121,765 | <1\% |
| Visibility | \$731,440 | 4\% | \$741,235 | 3\% |
| CONFRONTING VIOLENCE, HOMOPHOBIA, BIPHOBIA, \& TRANSPHOBIA | \$1,296,662 | 7\% | \$3,546,310 | 12\% |
| Anti-Violence | \$326,037 | 2\% | \$558,755 | 2\% |
| Homophobia, Biphobia, and Transphobia | \$970,625 | 5\% | \$2,987,555 | 1<1\% |
| EDUCATION AND SAFE SCHOOLS | \$550,688 | 3\% | \$632,110 | 2\% |
| Education | \$5,593 | <1\% | \$247,847 | 1\% |
| Safe Schools | \$545,095 | 3\% | \$384,263 | 1\% |
| ECONOMIC ISSUES | \$259,906 | 1\% | \$116,512 | <1\% |
| Housing and Homelessness | \$167,446 | 1\% |  |  |
| Labor and Employment | \$92,459 | 1\% | \$116,512 | <1\% |
| OTHER ISSUES | \$1,587,317 | 8\% | \$2,227,111 | 8\% |
| Multi-Issue | \$378,881 | 2\% | \$507,005 | 2\% |
| Philanthropy | - |  | - |  |
| Unspecified | \$1,208,436 | 6\% | \$1,720,106 | 6\% |
| GRAND TOTAL | \$19,336,445 |  | \$28,495,238 |  |

# Population Focus of LGBTI Funding for Eastern Europe, Russia, and Central Asia 

Over the two-year period of 2015-2016, funding for most selected populations either remained static or decreased, reflecting the overall decrease in funding to the region this reporting period. Transgender people in particular saw a significant decrease in funding, from $\$ 3.7$ million in 2013-2014 to just under $\$ 2$ million in this reporting period.

## LGBTI FUNDING IN EASTERN EUROPE, RUSSIA, AND CENTRAL ASIA, BY POPULATION FOCUS (2013-2016)



TOTAL FUNDING

| 2015-16 | 2013-14 |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\$ 19,336,445$ | $\$ 28,495,238$ |



## CHILDREN \& YOUTH

| $\mathbf{2 0 1 5 - 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3 - 1 4}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\$ 1,027,552$ | $\$ 1,256,052$ |

$\begin{array}{ll}\mathbf{2 0 1 5 - 1 6} & \mathbf{2 0 1 3 - 1 4} \\ \$ 1,027,552 & \$ 1,256,052\end{array}$

OLDER ADULTS
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { 2015-16 } & \text { 2013-14 } \\ \$ 0 & \$ 44,643\end{array}$

MIGRANTS, REFUGEES \& ASYLUM SEEKERS

| 1 | - | - |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| MIGRANT \& ASYLUM | UGEES KERS | INTERSEX PEOPLE |  |
| 2015-16 | 2013-14 | 2015-16 | 2013-14 |
| \$33,300 | \$123,248 | \$161,711 | \$0 |

INTERSEX PEOPLE

## SEX WORKERS

2015-16 2013-14
\$282,812 \$271,890

| $\mathbf{2 0 1 5 - 1 6}$ | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3 - 1 4}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\$ 161,711$ | $\$ 0$ |



TRANSGENDER PEOPLE
2015-16 2013-14
\$1,926,945

## SNAPSHOT

## LGBTI Funding for Latin America and the Caribbean

LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN, 2015-2016

| 3.84 | $\$ 71,027$ | $\$ 1,4,950$ | $\$ 24.2$ MILLION |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NUMBER OF GRANTS | AVERAGE GRANT | MEDIAN GRANT | TOTAL FUNDING |

Over the two-year period of 2015-2016, 45 funders awarded $\$ 24.1$ million to organizations and projects working on LGBTI issues in Latin America and the Caribbean. This represents an increase of nearly $\$ 5$ million compared to 20132014, making it one of the few regions in the Global South and East to experience notable growth.

Excluding the limited 2015 and 2016 data available from the U.S. and the Global Equality Fund, funding grew in both 2014 and 2015, and then decreased in 2016.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN (2013-2016)


## LGBTI Funding for Latin America and the Caribbean, by Sub-Region

In 2015-2016, Central America and Mexico received the largest share of funding for the region (35 percent) and also saw the largest increase since 2013-2014. The Caribbean also saw notable growth but was outpaced by regional level funding or funding with an unspecified destination within the region. South America was the only sub-region in Latin America to see a decline in funding, falling by nearly one-third from 2013-2014.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN, BY SUB-REGION, 2013-2016

|  | 2015-16 |  | 2013-14 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CARIBBEAN | \$5,377,900 | 22\% | \$3,535,914 | 20\% |
| CENTRAL AMERICA AND MEXICO | \$8,370,569 | 35\% | \$5,679,209 | 32\% |
| SOUTH AMERICA | \$4,800,515 | 20\% | \$5,709,664 | 32\% |
| WHOLE REGION FOCUS/ UNSPECIFIED | \$5,615,719 | 23\% | \$2,797,503 | 16\% |
| GRAND TOTAL | \$24,164,704 |  | \$17,722,290 |  |

## Top Funders of LGBTI Funding for Latin America and the Caribbean

Collectively, the top ten funders awarded $\$ 18.7$ million, accounting for more than three-quarters of LGBTI funding for Latin America and the Caribbean. Eight of the top ten were based in the United States, and two were based in Western Europe.

TOP TEN FUNDERS OF LGBTI ISSUES FOR LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN, 2015-2016

| 1 | HIVOS - The Hague, The Netherlands | $\$ 7,324,007$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 2 | European Commission - Brussels, Belgium | $\$ 2,700,648$ |
| 3 | Global Equality Fund - Washington, D.C., United States | $\$ 1,765,101$ |
| 4 | Ford Foundation - New York, United States | $\$ 1,050,000$ |
| 5 | M.A.C. AIDS Fund - New York, United States | $\$ 1,037,787$ |
| 6 | American Jewish World Service - New York, United States | $\$ 1,035,620$ |
| 7 | Open Society Foundations - New York, United States | $\$ 919,174$ |
| 8 | Astraea Lesbian Foundation for Justice - New York, United States | $\$ 915,571$ |
| 9 | Tides Foundation - San Francisco, United States | $\$ 835,290$ |
| 10 | Foundation for a Just Society - New York, United States | $\$ 750,000$ |

[^2]MAP OF LGBTI FUNDING FOR LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN, BY COUNTRY (2015-2016)


Argentina
Bahamas
Barbados
Belize
Bolivia
Brazil
Chile
Colombia
Costa Rica
Cuba
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
El Salvador
Grenada
Guatemala
Guyana
Haiti
Honduras
Jamaica
Mexico
Nicaragua
Panama
Paraguay
Peru
Saint Lucia
Suriname
Trinidad and Tobago
Uruguay
Venezuela
Multiple Countries/ Unspecified


## LGBTI Funding for Latin America and the Caribbean, by Recipient Location

Approximately $\$ 6.4$ million, or nearly one-quarter of funding for the region, was awarded to grantee organizations located outside Latin America and the Caribbean. These grant recipients were located in Canada, Sweden, Switzerland, and the United States.

LOCATION OF GRANTEES FUNDED FOR WORK IN ASIA AND THE PACIFIC (2015-2016)


## Issues Addressed by LGBTI Funding for Latin America and the Caribbean

Looking at LGBTI funding for Latin America and the Caribbean by issue addressed, Human Rights accounted for the majority of funding (49 percent), an increase of $\$ 3.7$ million over 2013-2014. Health and Wellbeing was the second most well-funded issue, nearly doubling since 2013-2014 and garnering 20 percent of the total, the bulk of it devoted to HIV/AIDS treatment and prevention. Funding to address violence, homophobia, and transphobia in the region saw a notable decrease since 2013-2014, falling from $\$ 1.3$ million to less than $\$ 100,000$. Funding for strengthening communities, families, and visibility also decreased, falling from $\$ 1.2$ million to less than $\$ 300,000$.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN, BY ISSUE ADDRESSED (2013-2016)

|  | 2015-16 |  | 2013-14 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| HUMAN RIGHTS | \$11,939,518 | 49\% | \$8,246,081 | 47\% |
| Challenging Anti-LGBTQI Laws | \$157,692 | 1\% | \$0 | <1\% |
| Decriminalization and Criminal Justice Reform | \$0 | <1\% | \$10,000 | <1\% |
| Human Rights (General) | \$8,574,703 | 35\% | \$6,761,416 | 38\% |
| Gender Identity Protections | \$1,478,124 | 6\% | \$276,991 | $2 \%$ |
| Migration and Refugee Issues | \$8,973 | <1\% | \$41,041 | <1\% |
| Marriage/Civil Unions | \$50,000 | <1\% | \$120,608 | 1\% |
| Nondiscrimination Protections | \$0 | <1\% | \$292,662 | 2\% |
| Sex Worker Rights | \$49,845 | <1\% | N/A |  |
| Sexual and Reproductive Rights/Justice | \$1,620,182 | 7\% | \$743,362 | 4\% |
| HEALTH AND WELLBEING | \$8,575,278 | 35\% | \$3,616,026 | 20\% |
| Cultural Competence and Data Collection | \$2,000 | <1\% | \$80,044 | <1\% |
| General Health Services and Health Promotion | \$158,273 | 1\% | \$25,411 | <1\% |
| HIV/AIDS | \$8,357,987 | 37\% | \$3,109,010 | 18\% |
| Insurance Coverage | \$9,017 | <1\% | \$0 | <1\% |
| Sexual and Reproductive Health | \$48,000 | <1\% | \$245,561 | 1\% |
| OTHER ISSUES | \$3,205,903 | 13\% | \$2,613,171 | 15\% |
| Multi-Issue | \$354,104 | 2\% | \$132,875 | 1\% |
| Philanthropy | \$922,500 | 4\% | \$20,100 | <1\% |
| Unspecified | \$1,929,299 | 8\% | \$2,460,196 | 14\% |
| STRENGTHENING COMMUNITIES, FAMILIES, \& VISIBILITY | \$292,560 | 1\% | \$1,175,728 | 7\% |
| Community Building and Empowerment | \$137,933 | 1\% | \$557,946 | 3\% |
| Sports | \$48,731 | <1\% | \$0 | <1\% |
| Strengthening Families | \$11,086 | <1\% | \$0 | <1\% |
| Visibility | \$94,810 | <1\% | \$617,782 | 3\% |
| CONFRONTING VIOLENCE, HOMOPHOBIA, BIPHOBIA, \& TRANSPHOBIA | \$97,975 | <1\% | US1,268,488 | 7\% |
| Anti-Violence | \$12,500 | <1\% | \$789,010 | 4\% |
| Homophobia, Biphobia, and Transphobia | \$85,475 | <1\% | \$479,478 | 3\% |
| EDUCATION \& SAFE SCHOOLS | \$41,730 | <1\% | \$12,169 | <1\% |
| Education | \$41,730 | <1\% | \$12,169 | 1\% |
| ECONOMIC ISSUES | \$11,740 | <1\% | \$790,628 | 4\% |
| Labor and Employment | \$11,740 | <1\% | \$790,628 | 4\% |
| GRAND TOTAL | \$24,164,704 |  | \$17,722,290 |  |

# Population Focus of LGBTI Funding for Latin America and the Caribbean 

Several sub-populations in Latin America and the Caribbean saw increases in funding in 2015-2016 compared to 2013-2014. Children and youth saw the largest increase, nearly doubling from $\$ 900,000$ to $\$ 1.7$ million. Funding for transgender communities grew by $\$ 300,000$, a six-percent increase. Funding for intersex communities grew tenfold, from less than \$15,000 to more than \$150,000. Funding for migrants and for older adult remained less than \$20,000 across both reporting periods.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN, BY POPULATION FOCUS (2013-2016)
ONE COIN $=\$ 1$ MILLION


## TOTAL FUNDING

| 2015-16 | 2013-14 |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\$ 24,164,704$ | $\$ 17,722,290$ |



## SNAPSHOT

## LGBTI Funding for the Middle East and North Africa

MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA, 2015-2016

| 1.75 | $\$ 4,020$ | $\$ 15,000$ | $\$ 6.7 \mathrm{MILLION}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NUMBER OF GRANTS | AVERAGE GRANT | MEDIAN GRANT | TOTAL FUNDING |

Over the two-year period of 2015-2016, 33 funders awarded $\$ 6.7$ million to organizations and projects working on LGBTI issues in the Middle East and North Africa. This level of funding is largely stable compared to the $\$ 6.6$ million in funding for the region in 2013-2016.

Year to year, reported funding for the region peaked at $\$ 4.6$ million in 2014, and saw decreases in both 2015 and 2016. Excluding the limited 2015 and 2016 data available from the U.S. and the Global Equality Fund, funding grew in both 2014 and 2015, and then decreased in 2016.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR THE MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA (2013-2016)


## Top Funders of LGBTI Funding for the Middle East and North Africa

Collectively, the top ten funders of LGBTI issues in the Middle East and North Africa awarded about \$5 million, or about three-quarters of funding for the region.

TOP FUNDERS OF LGBTI FUNDING FOR THE MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA, 2015-2016

| 1 | Government of Sweden - Stockholm, Sweden | $\$ 1,485,786$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 2 | Sigrid Rausing Trust - London, United Kingdom | $\$ 491,948$ |
| 3 | Open Society Foundations - New York, United States | $\$ 474,990$ |
| 4 | Government of Norway - Oslo, Norway | $\$ 454,483$ |
| 5 | European Commission - Brussels, Belgium | $\$ 446,665$ |
| 6 | Government of The Netherlands - The Hague, The Netherlands | $\$ 397,064$ |
| 7 | Global Equality Fund - Washington, D.C., United States | $\$ 391,465$ |
| 8 | Heinrich Böll Stiftung - Berlin, Germany | $\$ 327,104$ |
| 9 | Freedom House - Washington, D.C., United States | $\$ 301,204$ |
| 10 | Arcus Foundation - New York, United States | $\$ 275,000$ |
| 10 | Global Fund for Women - New York, United States | $\$ 274,000$ |

NOTE: In contrast to other calculations in this report, all lists of top funders include re-granting, so as to capture the full amount of LGBTI funding flowing from (or through) each funder.

MAP OF LGBTI FUNDING FOR
THE MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH
AFRICA, BY COUNTRY (2015-2016)


Algeria
Egypt
Iran
Iraq
Israel
Jordan
Lebanon
Morocco
Palestinian Territories
Syria
Tunisia
Turkey
Multiple Countries/Unspecified


## LGBTI Funding for the Middle East and North Africa by Grant Recipient Location

Ninety-four percent of funding for the Middle East and North Africa was devoted to organizations located in the region, while six percent went to organizations outside the region.

LOCATION OF GRANTEES FUNDED FOR WORK IN THE MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA (2015-2016)


## Issues Addressed by LGBTI Funding for the Middle East and North Africa

Human rights saw the largest share ( $\$ 5.3$ million, or 83 percent of the total) of LGBTI funding for the Middle East and North Africa in 2015-2016, a 36-percent increase from 2013-2014. Health and wellbeing garnered the secondlargest share, one-fifth of the total.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA, BY ISSUE ADDRESSED (2013-2016)

|  | 2015-16 |  | 2013-14 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| HUMAN RIGHTS | \$5,296,357 | 79\% | \$3,897,293 | 59\% |
| Human Rights (General) | \$4,694,068 | 70\% | \$3,416,739 | 52\% |
| Decriminalization and Criminal Justice Reform | \$0 | <1\% | \$29,067 | <1\% |
| Gender Identity Protections | \$303,563 | 5\% | \$17,000 | 1\% |
| Migration and Refugee Issues | \$64,833 | 1\% | \$87,223 | <1\% |
| Nondiscrimination Protections | \$13,181 | <1\% |  | - |
| Sex Worker Rights | \$148,559 | 2\% |  | 4\% |
| Sexual and Reproductive Rights and Justice | \$72,153 | 1\% | \$282,703 | <1\% |
| HEALTH AND WELLBEING | \$603,745 | 9\% | \$774,949 | 12\% |
| HIV/AIDS | \$553,745 | 8\% | \$685,787 | 10\% |
| Mental Health, Substance Abuse, and Suicide Prevention | \$50,000 | 1\% | \$79,162 | 1\% |
| Primary Care | - | - | \$10,000 | <1\% |
| Strencthening Communities, FAMILIES, \& VISIBILITY | \$233,559 | 3\% | \$231,862 | 4\% |
| Community Building/Empowerment | \$190,953 | 3\% | \$91,665 | 1\% |
| Religion | \$3,101 | <1\% | - |  |
| Visibility | \$ | 39,505 | \$140,198 | 2\% |
| CONFRONTING VIOLENCE, HOMOPHOBIA, BIPHOBIA, \& TRANSPHOBIA | \$24,756 | <1\% | US187,844 | 3\% |
| Anti-Violence | \$10,601 | <1\% | \$36,210 | 1\% |
| Homophobia, Biphobia, and Transphobia | \$14,155 | <1\% | \$151,634 | 2\% |
| EDUCATION \& SAFE SCHOOLS | - | - | \$90,304 | 1\% |
| Education | \$14,155 | <1\% | \$90,304 | 1\% |
| ECONOMIC ISSUES | - | - | \$19,853 | <1\% |
| Labor and Employment | - | - | \$19,853 | <1\% |
| OTHER ISSUES | \$576,692 | 9\% | \$1,352,441 | 21\% |
| Multi-Issue | \$165,227 | 3\% | \$391,465 | 6\% |
| Philanthropy | - | - | \$110,976 | 2\% |
| Unspecified | \$411,465 | 6\% | \$850,000 | 13\% |
| GRAND TOTAL | \$6,735,108 |  | \$6,554,547 |  |

# Population Focus of LGBTI Funding for the Middle East and North Africa 

Funding for children and youth for the region exceeded \$250,000, increasing from $\$ 0$ in 2013-2014. Funding for sex workers also saw a notable increase, while funding for migrants, refugees and asylum seekers, intersex people, and transgender communities all decreased.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA, BY POPULATION FOCUS (2013-2016) ONE COIN = \$1 MILLION

## 90000 99000

TOTAL FUNDING

| 2015-16 | 2013-14 |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\$ 6,735,108$ | $\$ 6,554,547$ |


|  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| CHILDREN \& YOUTH | MIGRANTS, REFUGEES |  |  |
| \& ASYLUM SEEKERS |  |  |  |

OLDER ADULTS
2015-16 2013-14

MIGRANTS, REFUGEES \& ASYLUM SEEKERS

2015-16 2013-14
\$44,833 \$314,380

NTERSEX PEOPLE

2015-16
2013-14
\$22,153

|  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| SEX WORKERS |  | TRANSGENDER PEOPLE |  |
| 2015-16 | $2013-14$ | 2015-16 | 2013-14 |
| $\$ 310,183$ | $\$ 93,120$ | $\$ 469,754$ | $\$ 554,654$ |

## SNAPSHOT <br> LGBTI Funding for Sub-Saharan Africa

SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA, 2015-2016

| 804 | $\$ 73,196$ | $\$ 15,000$ | $\$ 53.9$ MILLION |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NUMBER OF GRANTS | AVERAGE GRANT | MEDIAN GRANT | TOTAL FUNDING |

Over the two-year period of 2015-2016, 68 funders awarded $\$ 53.9$ million to organizations and projects working on LGBTI issues in Sub-Saharan Africa. That represents 10 more funders and $\$ 10.5$ million more in reported funding compared to the last reporting period.

A significant contributor to the growth in funding for Sub-Saharan Africa was a major increase in HIV/AIDS funding focused on LGBTI communities. Year to year, funding for the region grew in 2014 and 2015, and then declined in 2016. This overall trendline remains the same (with less dramatic fluctuation) even when the 2014 and 2015 data points from the U.S. and the Global Equality Fund are excluded.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA, 2013-2016


## LGBTI Funding for Sub-Saharan Africa, by Sub-Region

More than one-third of the funding focused on the region as a whole or was unspecified, with East Africa and Southern Africa each receiving slightly about a quarter of the funding.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA, BY SUB-REGION, 2013-2016

|  | 2015-16 |  | 2013-14 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CENTRAL AFRICA | \$96,315 | <1\% | \$125,281 | <1\% |
| EAST AFRICA | \$13,705,405 | 25\% | \$11,498,527 | 26\% |
| SOUTHERN AFRICA | \$13,615,691 | 25\% | \$15,360,338 | 35\% |
| WEST AFRICA | \$5,912,090 | 11\% | \$2,644,946 | 6\% |
| WHOLE REGION FOCUS/ UNSPECIFIED | \$20,615,738 | 38\% | \$13,821,512 | 32\% |
| GRAND TOTAL | \$53,945,239 |  | \$43,450,605 |  |

## Top Funders of LGBTI Funding for Sub-Saharan Africa

Collectively, the top ten funders for the region awarded $\$ 38.8$ million, accounting for about 63 percent of all funding for LGBTI issues in Sub-Saharan Africa. For the first time, a funder based in East Africa makes the list joining four European-based funders and five US-based funders.

TOP 10 FUNDERS OF LGBTI ISSUES IN SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA (2015-2016)

| 1 | Government of Sweden - Stockholm, Sweden | $\$ 14,454,266$ |
| :---: | :--- | :---: |
| 2 | Open Society Foundations - New York, United States | $\$ 4,097,626$ |
| 3 | HIVOS - The Hague, The Netherlands | $\$ 3,218,406$ |
| 4 | American Jewish World Service - New York, United States | $\$ 3,084,250$ |
| 5 | Arcus Foundation - New York, United States | $\$ 2,716,639$ |
| 6 | Government of Norway - Oslo, Norway | $\$ 2,537,539$ |
| 7 | UHAI EASHRI (East African Sexual Health and Rights Initiative) - Nairobi, Kenya | $\$ 2,323,769$ |
| 9 | Government of Denmark - Copenhagen, Denmark | $\$ 2,166,635$ |
| 10 | Ford Foundation - New York, United States | $\$ 2,144,550$ |

[^3]Botswana
Burkina Faso
Burundi
Cameroon
Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC)
Ghana
Ivory Coast
Kenya
Lesotho
Liberia
Madagascar
Malawi
Mauritius
Mozambique
Namibia
Nigeria
Rwanda
Senegal
Sierra Leone
South Africa
Swaziland
Tanzania
Togo
Uganda
Zambia
Zimbabwe
Multiple Countries/Unspecified



## LGBTI Funding for Sub-Saharan Africa by Grant Recipient Location

Nearly one-quarter of LGBTI funding focused on Sub-Saharan Africa went to grantees based outside of the region - with more than \$1 million going to organizations based in Denmark, the Netherlands, Switzerland, the United Kingdom, and the United States.

LOCATION OF GRANTEES FUNDED FOR WORK IN SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA (2015-2016)


## Issues Addressed by LGBTI Funding for Sub-Saharan Africa

Over the two-year period of 2015-2016, Human Rights remained the most funded issue area in Sub-Saharan Africa despite a $\$ 2$ million decrease. The biggest increase was in HIV/AIDS funding for LGBTI people in Sub-Saharan Africa, with funding more than tripling since the last reporting cycle. Excluding funding for HIV/AIDS, funding for the region decreased from $\$ 38.5$ million in 2013-2014 to $\$ 35.1$ million in 2015-2016.

LGBTI FUNDING FOR SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA, BY ISSUE ADDRESSED (2013-2014)

|  | 2015-16 |  | 2013-14 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| HUMAN RIGHTS | \$24,198,423 | 45\% | \$26,121,829 | 60\% |
| Challenging Anti-LGBTQI Laws | \$584,091 | 1\% | \$1,397,499 | 3\% |
| Decriminalization and Criminal Justice Reform | \$0 | <1\% | \$169,286 | <1\% |
| Gender Identity Protections | \$1,650,477 | 3\% | \$1,289,791 | 3\% |
| Human Rights (General) | \$20,512,108 | 38\% | \$19,787,982 | 46\% |
| Migration and Refugee Issues | \$211,652 | < $1 \%$ | \$150,000 | < $1 \%$ |
| Marriage/Civil Unions | \$823 | <1\% | \$606,382 | 1\% |
| Nondiscrimination Protections | \$908,427 | 2\% | \$277,465 | 1\% |
| Sex Worker Rights | \$53,882 | <1\% | \$0 | <1\% |
| Sexual and Reproductive Rights/Justice | \$277,000 | 1\% | \$2,443,423 | 6\% |
| HEALTH AND WELLBEING | \$20,390,797 | 38\% | \$7,679,876 | 18\% |
| Cultural Competence and Data Collection | \$246,403 | <1\% | \$856,392 | 2\% |
| General Health Services and Health Promotion | \$1,172,315 | 2\% | \$441,717 | 1\% |
| HIV/AIDS | \$18,835,962 | 35\% | \$4,946,650 | 11\% |
| Mental Health, Substance Abuse, and Suicide Prevention | \$36,616 | <1\% | \$399,422 | 1\% |
| Sexual and Reproductive Health | \$99,500 | <1\% | \$1,035,695 | 2\% |
| STRENGTHENING COMMUNITIES, FAMILIES, AND VISIBILITY | \$3,838,662 | 7\% | \$4,071,122 | 9\% |
| Community Building and Empowerment | \$542,829 | 1\% | \$1,480,270 | 3\% |
| Religion | \$2,297,699 | 4\% | \$1,992,398 | 5\% |
| Sports | \$16,106 | <1\% | \$0 | N/A |
| Strengthening Families | \$4,116 | <1\% | \$150,000 | <1\% |
| Visibility | \$877,912 | 2\% | \$448,455 | 1\% |
| CONFRONTING VIOLENCE, HOMOPHOBIA, BIPHOBIA, AND TRANSPHOBIA | \$1,540,148 | 3\% | \$1,258,301 | 3\% |
| Anti-Violence | \$303,925 | 1\% | \$815,776 | 2\% |
| Homophobia, Biphobia, and Transphobia | \$1,286,223 | 2\% | \$442,526 | 1\% |
| EDUCATION AND SAFE SCHOOLS | \$247,596 | <1\% | \$270,952 | 1\% |
| Education | \$233,288 | <1\% | \$216,156 | <1\% |
| Safe Schools | \$14,309 | <1\% | \$54,721 | <1\% |
| ECONOMIC ISSUES | \$177,220 | <1\% | \$214,952 | 1\% |
| Housing and Homelessness | \$136,046 | <1\% | \$0 | N/A |
| Labor and Employment | \$41,174 | <1\% | \$214,952 | 1\% |
| OTHER ISSUES | \$3,602,393 | 7\% | \$3,833,649 | 9\% |
| Multi-Issue | \$823,780 | 2\% | \$2,033,341 | 5\% |
| Philanthropy | \$721,753 | 1\% | \$1,072,644 | 2\% |
| Unspecified | \$2,056,860 | 4\% | \$723,565 | 2\% |
| GRAND TOTAL | \$53,945,239 |  | \$43,450,605 |  |

## Population Focus of LGBTI Funding for Sub-Saharan Africa

Over the two-year period of 2015-2016, funding for most key populations remained relatively static. However, there was a notable increase of $\$ 1.3$ million for sex workers. There was also a significant decrease of $\$ 1.2$ million for immigrants, refugees, and asylum seekers as well as a $\$ 600,000$ decrease for children and youth.

## LGBTI FUNDING FOR SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA, BY SELECTED POPULATIONS (2013-2014)

ONE COIN $=\$ 1$ MILLION


TOTAL FUNDING



| CHILDREN \& YOUTH |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2015-16 | $\mathbf{2 0 1 3 - 1 4}$ |
| $\$ 1,752,144$ | $\$ 2,351,517$ |

OLDER ADULTS
2015-16 2013-14
\$0 \$95,000

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SEX WORKERS
2015-16 2013-14
\$4,520,147


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TRANSGENDER PEOPLE
2015-16 2013-14
\$3,891,918 \$3,826,385
MIGRANTS, REFUGEES \& ASYLUM SEEKERS
INTERSEX PEOPLE

| 2015-16 | 2013-14 |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\$ 132,201$ | $\$ 1,341,824$ |



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\$1,341,824
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[^3]:    NOTE:Anonymous donors awarded $\$ 4,980,000$ during this period. If they appeared on the list above as a single funder, they would rank as the number two funder of LGBTI issues in Sub-Saharan Africa.

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