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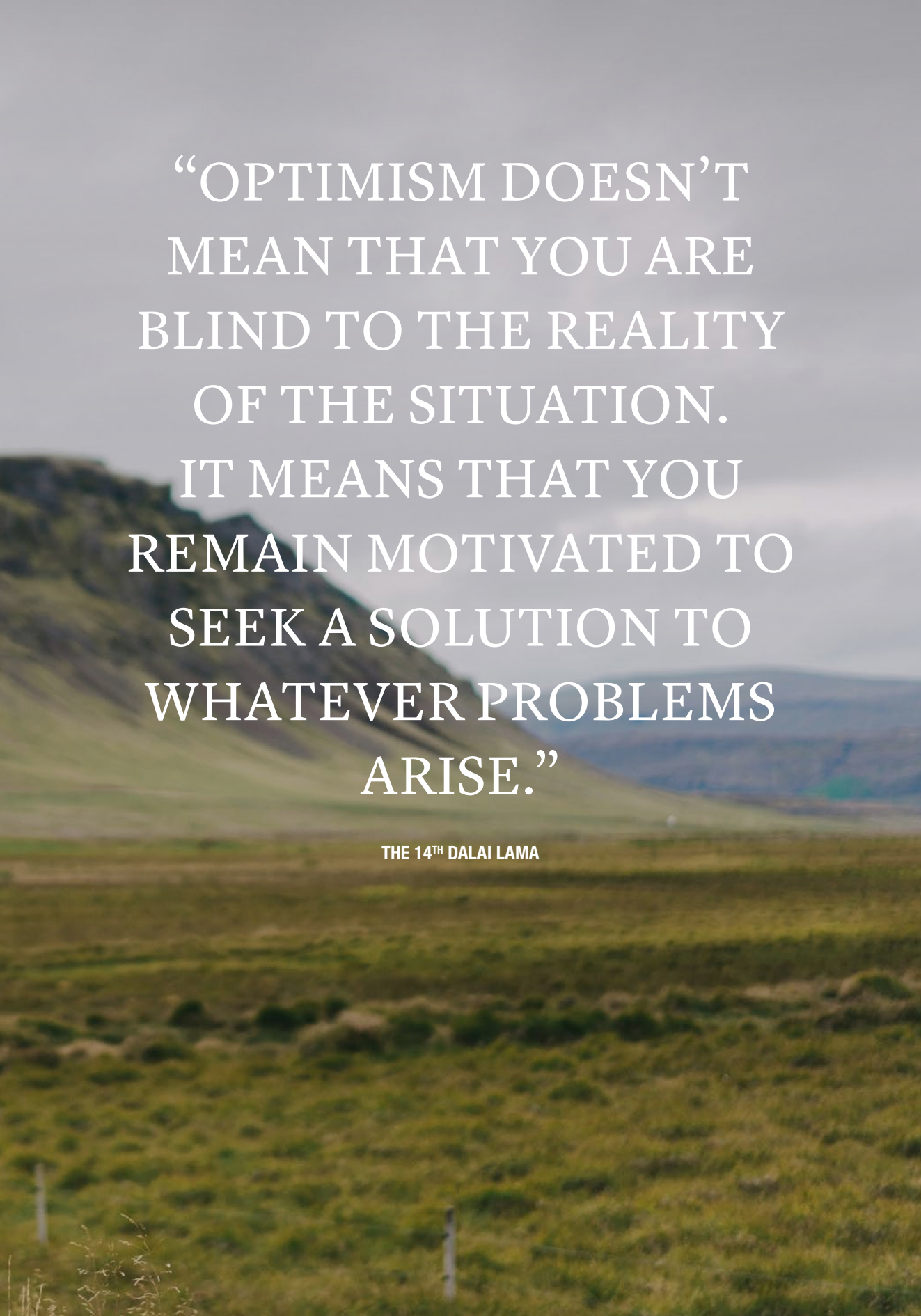
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FONDATION
PHILANTHROPIA

LOMBARD ODIER





“OPTIMISM DOESN’T
MEAN THAT YOU ARE
BLIND TO THE REALITY
OF THE SITUATION.
IT MEANS THAT YOU
REMAIN MOTIVATED TO
SEEK A SOLUTION TO
WHATEVER PROBLEMS
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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

“The umbrella foundation provides access to a community where you can share and grow through philanthropy.”



DENIS PITTET
PRESIDENT OF
THE FOUNDATION

An umbrella foundation associated with the Lombard Odier Group and a registered charity, Fondation Philanthropia has been helping its donors implement their philanthropic projects since 2008. We provide support to anyone who wishes to develop a philanthropic project in keeping with their traditions, desires and ambitions. The Foundation offers its donors a legal, financial and philanthropic framework for made-to-measure projects.

At the end of 2022, the year which marked the Foundation's 15th anniversary, we witnessed a renewed surge in interest among donors. In 2023, for example, we were able to prepare the launch of a new sheltered fund dedicated to funding research on schizophrenia. Thanks to our bold and ambitious new donors, Philanthropia will now be able to turn its attention to mental health, an essential cause too often neglected by philanthropists.

Our role in accompanying donors remains the most effective way of steering them towards autonomy and growth. Our expertise also includes how to develop fruitful partnerships with beneficiary organisations. In our 2021 annual report, the founder of the KADO Fund reported that they benefited from “a second opinion from Philanthropia's advisers, and then validation from its Board of Trustees. This reassures us, as we have the guarantee of a formal framework and, if necessary, access to support.” To illustrate the results of our role as intermediary, this year we are pleased to give the floor to some of our beneficiaries.

By the end of 2023, the Foundation had created 42 sheltered funds. We also noted our donors' strong commitment to organisations based in Switzerland, which accounted for 68% of distributions in 2023.

Lastly, it was extremely gratifying for the Foundation to be officially awarded the title of *Grand mécène de la culture* (major cultural benefactor) by the French Minister of Culture during a ceremony in November. This recognition motivates us to continue to build quality partnerships with our donors, so that their wishes can be put into action over the long term to serve the common good. We would like to thank them for their loyal commitment!

In the words of Florence Nightingale, “I think one's feelings waste themselves in words; they ought all to be distilled into actions which bring results.”



“WHEN WE DREAM
ALONE IT IS ONLY
A DREAM, BUT WHEN
MANY DREAM TOGETHER
IT IS THE BEGINNING OF
A NEW REALITY.”

FRIEDENSREICH HINDERTWASSER



PHILANTHROPIA TODAY



142 mn
in donations received*



89 mn
in grants awarded*



42
sheltered funds*

Fondation Philanthropia was created in response to the fact that many people were looking for a quick and easy solution to structure their philanthropic projects, without having to choose to create an independent grant-making foundation, a solution that is often time-consuming and costly, not to mention complex in terms of legal liability.

As an individual donor, a family or a group of friends, weighing up all the options can be overwhelming. The role of the Foundation's advisory team is to discuss your aspirations and provide the necessary guidance, before connecting you with the right partners. Drawing on their expertise in advising donors who wish to make a significant contribution to a cause they hold dear, the advisory team is also Lombard Odier's Philanthropy Services team.



On 7 November 2023, at a ceremony held at the Ministry of Culture in Paris, Minister Rima Abdul Malak presented the Foundation's Vice-President, Anne-Marie de Weck, with the distinction of *Grand mécène de la culture*.

The Foundation received this honour, in the form of a gold medal designed by Philippe Favier and crafted in soft porcelain at the Sèvres-Cité de la Céramique workshop, as a tribute to its ten years of sponsorship of heritage restoration projects at the Château de Versailles (2012-2022), a public establishment under the supervision of the Ministry.

From left to right: Maximilian Martin, Anne-Marie de Weck, Rima Abdul Malak and Luc Giraud-Guigues



5
thematic funds



>400
organisations supported*



9%
average annual
grant rate*

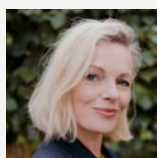
*Since the creation of the Foundation.
Amounts in Swiss francs.

RARE DISEASES INTERNATIONAL (RDI) OBTAINS A UNITED NATIONS RESOLUTION

“Raising awareness of rare diseases gives a voice to an often marginalised population”

Between 2021 and 2023, Fondation Philanthropia supported RDI’s advocacy work. On 16 December 2021, the UN adopted its first-ever resolution titled “Addressing the challenges of persons living with a rare disease and their families.” This is a very important step on the path to getting health systems to recognise these diseases.

RDI is the global alliance of patient organisations and partners, such as the World Health Organisation. RDI’s mission is to be a strong common voice on behalf of rare disease patients around the world, to advocate for rare diseases as an international public health priority, to work for equitable access to healthcare, to promote research and to raise awareness to ensure that people living with rare diseases receive the support and care they need.



INTERVIEW WITH ALEXANDRA HEUMBER PERRY, CEO, RARE DISEASES INTERNATIONAL

What is advocacy for rare diseases and why is it important?

It is advocacy for policies that address the unique needs of persons living with a rare disease. It includes efforts to empower patients and their families to advocate for themselves, to educate the public and policy makers about the challenges faced by persons living with rare diseases, and to mobilise resources to improve access to treatment and support services. Raising awareness of rare diseases is important because it gives a voice to an often marginalised population, encourages research and innovation, and helps to ensure that people with rare diseases receive the recognition, support and care they deserve.

What challenges do you face and what role can philanthropists play?

The main challenges regarding rare diseases include limited funding for research and health systems, insufficient access to specialised health services and a lack of awareness of rare diseases among health professionals.

Philanthropists can play a crucial role in addressing these challenges, in particular by investing in programmes that improve education and awareness of rare diseases and by supporting advocacy for policy changes that prioritise the needs of persons living with rare diseases, thus helping to improve outcomes and quality of life for this neglected population.

www.rarediseasesinternational.org

"Jack, My Little Warrior", Living with Sotos Syndrome, by Rachel Hughes, submitted to the 2020 EURORDIS Black Pearl Photo Award.



INTERVIEW WITH PAOLA, DONOR

Why did you decide to support the rare disease movement?

During my professional career, I became aware of the challenges facing people living with rare diseases, especially their difficulties in accessing healthcare and medicines, as well as the limited societal recognition of their situation. I had the privilege of meeting various associations working to defend these patients' interests, and their engagement and devotion deeply impressed me. Today, as a retiree, I have decided to spend part of my time volunteering on behalf of these associations, and I want to support them to become financially autonomous as well as to increase their capacity to advocate for themselves internationally.

Why do you support advocacy?

Because it is a professional way of gaining political recognition as a legitimate player, whose actions are based not only on a mandate from patients and their families, but also on scientific and economic evidence of the burden that these often-neglected diseases place on healthcare systems.

PARTNERSHIP WITH FENRIV

Founded in January 1998, the E. Naef Foundation for in vitro research (FENRIV) aims to support researchers who use scientific methods in their research that reduce the need for animal testing. More generally, the foundation supports all forms of in vitro research.

In 2023, the Philanthropia Foundation renewed its co-financing partnership with FENRIV via the Carlo Fund for a further two years. The aim of Philanthropia's Carlo Fund prize is to support a former winner of the FENRIV prize who has continued to develop or use in vitro techniques in his or her research.

Initially, in vitro research made it possible to develop alternatives to animal testing, an issue of great concern to FENRIV and the Carlo Fund. Scientific and technical advances in in vitro research have enabled us to make a considerable leap forward in terms of quality, by recreating research conditions similar to those in the human body. The models used for animals, on the other hand, are becoming outdated.

In 2023, the FENRIV prize was awarded to **Professor Marco Alves** of the Institute of Virology and Immunology at the University of Bern, Switzerland.

This prize recognises his team's work on complex human in vitro models for the study of viral infections. Their research involved developing epithelial cultures that recreate the conditions inside the human nose, trachea, bronchi and alveoli. It can also be used to test the effects of viruses that could trigger epidemics or even pandemics, and particularly their impact on pregnant women. Professor Alves received special recognition for developing an in vitro model of the human placenta.

The new generation continues to rise with the 2024 FENRIV prize-winner, **Professor Alexandre Persat**, from the Global Health Institute at EPFL in Lausanne, Switzerland.

As a researcher, he has devoted years to developing solutions that do away with traditional animal models. Synergies between engineering and biology have been the key to overcoming technical obstacles and pushing the boundaries in this field. These efforts have led to the discovery of fundamental phenomena in the fields of infection, microbiota and antibiotic resistance, which is a key aspect of his work. Professor Persat was praised in particular for his in vitro studies of bacterial infections in the lungs.

Human brain organoid



INTERVIEW WITH MARCEL NAEF, PRESIDENT OF FENRIV

Why is it important to support in vitro research?

We are at a key juncture in the fields of prediction, disease prevention and the testing of new medications, thanks to in vitro technologies. These in vitro techniques not only eliminate the need to use animals, they go even further by reproducing specific features of the human body that are not found in animals. By mimicking the human body, researchers are more in touch with reality, while respecting ethical rules. This is definitely a step forward.

Why should foundations work together?

Most foundations have limited financial resources compared with the scale of the issues at stake for both humans and animals. In many cases, they lack the visibility and credibility needed to make truly effective progress. I therefore feel it is crucial that they join forces to increase the impact of their respective actions.

www.fondation-naef.com



A person wearing a blue hoodie is seen from the back, looking out over a vast landscape. The foreground shows some dry, brownish vegetation. In the middle ground, a valley contains a city with various buildings and green spaces. The background features rolling hills and mountains under a bright, hazy sky.

“SCIENCE IS MAGIC
THAT WORKS”

KURT VONNEGUT

THE ADVANTAGES OF OUR UMBRELLA FOUNDATION

THE IMPACT OF EACH GRANT IS MULTIPLIED

Fondation Philanthropia's structure allows private donors to pool their funds with other donors to support projects that would have been inconceivable without being able to share the costs. The impact of each donation is thus multiplied.

Within these structures, donors can create their own personal space – or “sheltered fund” – which operates in a very independent manner, and benefits from the economies of scale produced by the umbrella structure.

Philanthropia provides all the administrative, accounting and legal services required, so donors are free to focus exclusively on their philanthropic causes in full confidence.

Philanthropia can help you achieve your philanthropic ambitions with the added assurance of simplicity, security and tailored solutions that are precisely aligned with your objectives.

YOU CAN CHOOSE BETWEEN TWO OPTIONS

THEMATIC FUNDS

These funds are perfect if you want a swift and straightforward solution. They allow you to operate alongside other donors to support projects and organisations in one of the following five areas:

HUMANITARIAN AND SOCIAL ACTION



MEDICAL AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH



THE ADVANTAGES

- Compliance**
 In an increasingly complex legal environment, it is vital to ensure that the right procedures are followed and changes made.
- Choice**
 The profile of the fund is adapted to the organisation's needs (long-term funds or funds with disposable capital, regular donations or bequests, etc.).
- Flexibility**
 To accommodate an existing project or support a new one.
- Network**
 Access to a network of donors and the sector's trading platforms.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING



ART AND CULTURE



ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT



Fondation Philanthropia is committed to selecting with you the most relevant projects to maximise the impact of your donation. For each project, we monitor every grant made and report to you on the results achieved.

SHELTERED FUNDS

These funds are the right solution if you have already identified the cause or project you wish to support. This option allows you to create your own fund, which then operates as a quasi-independent entity within our umbrella structure. If you wish, you can involve your family and friends by forming a consultative committee to submit grant recommendations to the Board of Fondation Philanthropia. You can also work directly with our philanthropy advisers, who will help you define a grant strategy and select those projects that best suit you.

This option is also suited to existing foundations wishing to reduce their administrative overheads, while retaining a board that plays an active role in the grant-making process.

Forty-two donors have already created their own personal fund within Fondation Philanthropia. Each of these funds is active in different areas, according to the sensitivities and preferences of each founding donor.

IN FIGURES



Donors have created their own fund within Fondation Philanthropia

BESPOKE ASSET MANAGEMENT

Management of the Foundation's capital providing all the necessary security guarantees for the fulfilment of our donors' commitments.

Fondation Philanthropia makes substantial grants every year. Given the Foundation's distribution policy, the low level of returns currently available and the volatility of financial markets in recent years, the Board of Trustees has decided to adopt a management policy based on a financial planning model aimed at providing long-term protection of assets. This policy divides assets into three distinct sub-funds on the basis of a forecast distribution time horizon. Each sub-fund has a specific investment strategy designed to achieve set targets for return on investment and risk management.

RESPONSIBLE INVESTMENT CHARTER

In order to align the investment strategy more closely with the Foundation's objectives and missions, the Board adopted a responsible investment charter aimed at generating financial returns while having a positive impact on society.

COST STRUCTURE

Philanthropia offers a competitive and advantageous cost structure. All administration, accounting, legal and philanthropy advisory expenses are set at 0.75% of the fund's average assets for the year (0.5% for funds over CHF 10 million), excluding asset management, and subject to a minimum threshold of CHF 3,500.

The charter is based in particular on the Principles for Responsible Investment (PRI) initiative launched by investors in partnership with the United Nations Environment Programme Finance Initiative and the United Nations Global Compact. The management approach is based on negative selection criteria (exclusion of certain unethical sectors of activity), positive selection criteria (Environment, Social and Governance [ESG] ratings and controversy scores), and investments with a social and environmental impact.

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Our Board of Trustees guarantees that Fondation Philanthropia is correctly managed at all times. It takes particular care to ensure that its missions are fulfilled in compliance with all the provisions agreed with each of our donors.

Its members have complementary profiles and are all personally committed to the philanthropy sector. The Board meets each quarter to discuss current issues, analyse projects and approve decisions taken by the Foundation, ensuring that they are consistent with the intentions and wishes of our donors.



DENIS PITTET
PRESIDENT



ANNE-MARIE DE WECK
VICE PRESIDENT



JEAN-MARIE HAINAUT
SECRETARY



PATRICK ODIER
MEMBER



DR MAXIMILIAN MARTIN
MEMBER



LUC GIRAUD-GUIGUES
SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE FOUNDATION



“FREE MAN,
YOU WILL ALWAYS
CHERISH THE OCEAN!”

CHARLES BAUDELAIRE



OCEAN PROTECTION: WHAT AN ADVOCACY FACTSHEET CAN ACHIEVE

THE CHALLENGE:

The ocean is the largest planetary carbon sink. It stores equivalent amounts of carbon to terrestrial ecosystems and removes around one-third of CO₂ emitted by human activity. Healthy marine ecosystems capture and lock in carbon, acting as a nature-based solution to the climate crisis. Deepwater marine sediments and soft bottoms are considered a critical reservoir for long-term carbon storage, which can strongly influence the oceanic sink of atmospheric CO₂. Moreover, these deep-sea sediments host vulnerable marine ecosystems (VMEs) such as coral and sponge aggregations, which are regarded as hotspots of biodiversity and may play a key role in deep-sea ecological dynamics and carbon cycling.

However, marine ecosystems are generally not healthy, and the situation is particularly serious in the Mediterranean Sea. Overfishing has been identified as a major driver of environmental degradation, in particular because of bottom trawling.

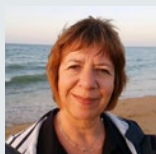
THE IDEA:

Oceana's campaign milestone is that "by 2023, the European Union makes a proposal to extend the area of the Mediterranean Sea protected by the General Fisheries Commission for the Mediterranean (GFCM) deep-sea trawling ban by at least 100,000 km²." The organisation's objective was to have the GFCM adopt a resolution to revise the deep-sea trawling ban – currently set at a depth of 1,000 meters – to extend it up to 800 meters.

THE RESULT:

To support Oceana's advocacy work on banning bottom trawling below 800 meters in the Mediterranean, it successfully conducted an analysis using Automatic Identification System data extracted from Global Fishing Watch. Oceana assessed the number of fishing boats which are currently fishing – and would be potentially impacted – deeper than 800 meters in the Mediterranean Sea. Moreover, the organisation contrasted this information against the potential presence of VMEs at those depths. All this information was included in the factsheet produced, which contributed to informing GFCM's decision to adopt a roadmap to implement pilot projects with a view toward extending the current deep-sea bottom-trawling ban in the Mediterranean Sea.





PASCALE MOEHRLE, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR & VICE-PRESIDENT, OCEANA

What can advocacy achieve for the ocean?

Oceana in Europe is exclusively focused on the ocean, and dedicated to achieving measurable change by conducting specific, science-based campaigns with fixed deadlines and articulated goals. All our work contributes to our larger vision of a healthy ocean playing a vital role in addressing the challenges of climate change, biodiversity loss and food security throughout the world. Our advocacy work centers on providing relevant EU institutions and legislative agencies with scientific information, recommendations and concrete proposals for targeted policy interventions.

Why is private donor support essential to Oceana's work?

While securing funding from public institutions – such as the European Commission – is essential to maintaining our core workplans, achieving private donor support is also fundamental because it allows us to respond swiftly and effectively to the needs of a given campaign. Private donor support thus creates a unique opportunity to expand our ambitions regarding more targeted deliverables, such as the factsheet mentioned above.

oceana.org



RAISE THE CHILDREN: THE POWER OF SCHOLARSHIPS

THE CHALLENGE:

More than 14% of South African children grow up in a home with no parents. Their future is bleak as they try to navigate an under-funded school system before entering a job market with a youth unemployment rate of 66%.

THE IDEA:

To provide orphans from rural areas and showing academic potential with access to a decent education, in a boarding facility, and all-round support, thus radically changing their prospects in life.

THE RESULT:

Raise the Children scholarship holders are twice as likely to complete their secondary education, 15 times more likely to attend university, and over 190 times more likely to end up with a university degree, compared to children from the same rural communities. Girls, in particular, are eight times more likely to access university education and employment than the peers they grew up with.





PAUL HORN, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER, RAISE THE CHILDREN INTERNATIONAL

What impact can an organisation like yours have on the lives of orphans?

The lives of the children we sponsor are radically transformed. Not only do they gain access to university and a job, they also benefit from professional support to deal with the trauma and emotional loss they have experienced growing up.

How is the support of private donors crucial to the work carried out by Raise the Children?

Their role is essential because government and corporate resources in South Africa are already stretched thin when it comes to providing basic aid to the population.

raisethechildren.org

WORLD ORGANISATION AGAINST TORTURE (OMCT): HUMAN RIGHTS MUST BE PROTECTED AS A MATTER OF URGENCY

THE CHALLENGE:

Torture is a major attack on individual human dignity, but also on society as a whole. It destroys lives and families, terrorises communities, erodes the social fabric and corrupts governments and institutions. It is not known exactly how many people are tortured each year, but estimates run into the tens of thousands. Where torture is systematic, it must be stopped, on moral grounds and for the sake of security and individual freedoms. Each victim who is left to fend for themselves not only endures unbearable suffering, but also loses faith in their future, in their family and community, and in public institutions.

THE IDEA:

Each victim who receives support contributes to renewing hope in the future, reuniting families and restoring trust. Thanks to the partners who make up the OMCT SOS-Torture network, the assistance and protection fund offers a unique global safety net to threatened individuals and victims of torture. In order to survive the after-effects of torture, victims must rebuild themselves completely. Once their physical wounds have healed, they must undergo socio-economic and psychological rehabilitation. But the fight against torture also includes the fight against impunity as well as prevention work. The holistic approach adopted by the fund for assistance and protection against torture covers all these aspects.



GERALD STABEROCK, SECRETARY-GENERAL, OMCT

What difference can OMCT make to the lives of victims of abuse and torture?

The support provided by OMCT has a direct positive impact on the lives of victims: improvement of their physical and psychological health, legal decisions in their favour, social and professional reintegration, return to a "normal" life, etc. The testimonies of survivors and advocates illustrate the importance of providing assistance that helps to transform, and in some cases even save, victims' lives and those of their loved ones.

Helping torture survivors and supporting those at risk has a real impact on society. It helps to develop case law on torture at an international, regional and national level. It is also fundamental in the fight against impunity.

Combating impunity not only means providing justice for the victims, but also preventing further human rights violations and preserving the rule of law and public confidence in the judicial system.

Why is donor support essential to OMCT's work?

The needs of torture victims and persons at risk are extremely urgent. But in many cases, they face obstacles that prevent them from receiving assistance. Thanks to our donors, we now provide direct support to around 200 survivors and 80 human rights defenders each year.

omct.org



Simone Cristina and her son Leonard, beneficiaries of OMCT's Support Fund for Victims of Torture. Recife (Brazil)

THE RESULT:

Each year, OMCT provides urgent, ad hoc and adapted assistance to approximately 300 victims or potential victims of torture (representing an average of CHF 850 per victim). However, thanks to the reinforcement of its network, OMCT is now able to extend its support to a much larger number of people. Our goal is to help provide comprehensive and individual reparation and to prevent new cases of abuse, one country at a time, as we work towards eradicating torture.



PROJECTS SUPPORTED





EDUCATION AND TRAINING



SWITZERLAND FOUNDING OF THE PANATHLON CLUB GENEVA

Support for young athletes from Geneva and disadvantaged youths through sporting activities.



DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO GEORGES MALAIKA FOUNDATION

Project providing education for girls in the Kalubeka region, Katanga, Democratic Republic of Congo. The organisation also provides a community centre so that adults can benefit from certain types of training and come together in a positive environment.



GREECE METADRASI

Scholarship granted to a refugee accompanied by this Greek NGO dedicated to helping migrants.

* Non-exhaustive list



SWITZERLAND
EHL FOUNDATION
FOR SCHOLARSHIPS
AND HONORARY LOANS

Four-year contribution (2022-2025) to the scholarship fund of the EHL Hospitality Business School, founded in 1893 as the Ecole Hôtelière de Lausanne.



CAMBODIA
AGIR POUR LE CAMBODGE
(APLC) – SALA BAI

Scholarship funding for hotel management school students in Siem Riep



UNITED KINGDOM
BROCKWOOD
PARK SCHOOL

Support for the scholarship programme at the school, a member of the Krishnamurti school network.



SWITZERLAND
MARC BIRKIGT
SCHOLARSHIP - UNIVERSITY
OF APPLIED SCIENCES AND
ARTS, GENEVA (HEPIA)

Distribution of a scholarship to an engineering student at the University of Applied Sciences and Arts, Geneva (HEPIA).



RARE
DISEASES
INTERNATIONAL



Parkinson
schweiz suisse svizzera



fsrmm
fondation suisse de recherche sur les maladies musculaires
fondazione svizzera per la ricerca sulle malattie muscolari
schweiz. stiftung für die erforschung der muskelkrankheiten

INTERNATIONAL RARE DISEASES INTERNATIONAL

Support for the development of the advocacy work carried out by the rare disease umbrella organisation (in partnership with the Fondation de Luxembourg).

SWITZERLAND PARKINSON SUISSE

Support provided by the **Gustaaf Hamburger Fund** for the publication of the quarterly magazine and the association's solidarity fund.

SWITZERLAND SWISS FOUNDATION FOR RESEARCH ON MUSCLE DISEASES (FSRMM)

Funding for the annual awards ceremony for researchers.



FRANCE
GUSTAVE ROUSSY

Support for the oncology fellowship programme and the Interception programme (2022-2024), an interactive digital platform to support an innovative cancer prevention model.



SWITZERLAND
FONDATION OTIUM

Support for the installation of a care centre in Geneva, which aims to provide practical and psychological support to patients living with cancer and their families, while ensuring their physical well-being in a warm and welcoming environment.



SWITZERLAND
RESEAU ROMAND
D'ONCOLOGIE (CHUV, HUG)

Renewed support provided to the care network in French-speaking Switzerland through the integration of artificial intelligence for precision oncology.



HUMANITARIAN AND SOCIAL ACTION

pro infirmis

SWITZERLAND
PRO INFRIMIS
JURA-NEUCHÂTEL

Support for the association's psychosocial support fund, which provides home-based care for people with disabilities not covered by social insurance or the organisation's funds.

CIVITAS
MAXIMA

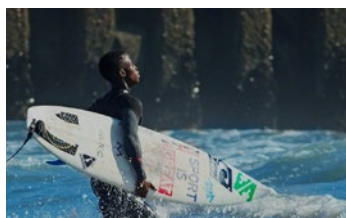
SWITZERLAND
CIVITAS MAXIMA

General support for the NGO that facilitates the documentation of international crimes and seeks reparations on behalf of victims who are unable to assert their rights.

PROVIDE
THE SLIDE

SWITZERLAND
**ASSOCIATION PROVIDE
THE SLIDE**

Support provided via the **Smile Wave Fund** for an initiative to collect second-hand surfboards for use by clubs in Western Africa.



**SOUTH AFRICA
SURFERS NOT STREET
CHILDREN**

Organisation for street children in Durban, founded by a social worker. Receives support from the **Smile Wave Fund** to improve conditions and equipment in the organisation's welcome centre.



**VIETNAM
BLUE DRAGON CHILDREN'S
FOUNDATION**

Pilot programme providing psycho-social care for abused children.



**SWITZERLAND
ASSOCIATION ASYLEX**

General support for the provision of legal aid for asylum seekers in Switzerland.



**UNITED STATES
SEARIDERS PRODUCTION
FOUNDATION –
NON-PROFIT 501(C)3**

Supported by the **Smile Wave Fund**, this community training association in Hawaii encourages youths to take part in a programme designed to help them create small local businesses, and provides training to teenagers and young adults in multimedia and the audiovisual industry.



**SWITZERLAND
SOS MEDITERRANEE**

General support for the organisation, which rescues migrants stranded at sea.



INTERNATIONAL
BLOOM ASSOCIATION

Joint support via the **Smile Wave Fund** and **The Wishful Squid** to strengthen the organisation's team active at the European and international levels in campaigning against illegal fishing and overfishing.



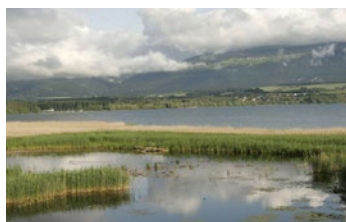
SWITZERLAND
**ASSOCIATION AVOCAT.ES
POUR LE CLIMAT**

General support for the climate advocacy association of legal experts.



ITALY
**SEA SHEPHERD
ITALIA ONLUS**

Support via the **Smile Wave Fund** to promote advocacy work and establish a marine protected area around the Aeolian Islands.



SWITZERLAND

- **FONDATION FRANZ WEBER**
- **PRO NATURA SUISSE**
- **PROTECTION SUISSE DES ANIMAUX**
- **WWF SUISSE**

These organisations have received non-earmarked support from the **Klara Jucker-Kurt Fund**.



INTERNATIONAL

WWF INTERNATIONAL

Support in establishing the International Rangers Coalition, a network of national park rangers, over two years (2023-2024).



SWITZERLAND

FONDATION MAMAJAH EXPÉRIENCE

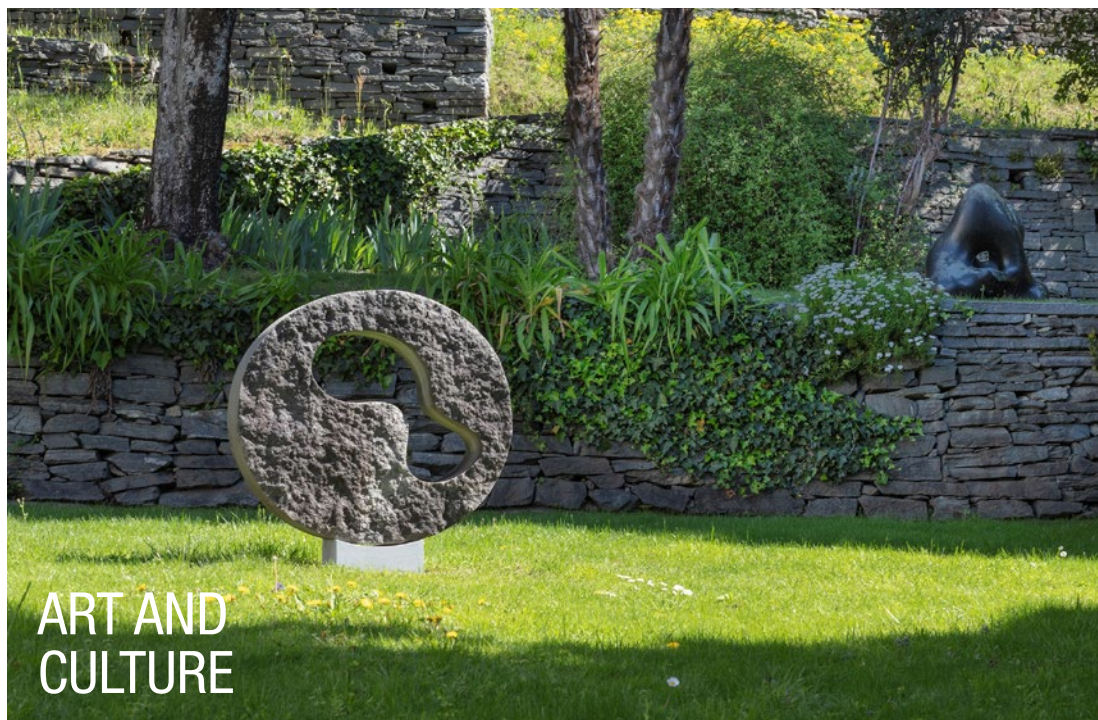
Contribution of start-up capital to the new Geneva-based foundation, which manages an organic farm and an area dedicated to promoting sustainable agriculture.



UNITED KINGDOM / ITALY

BLUE MARINE FOUNDATION

Support from the **Smile Wave Fund** for a project to protect monk seals in the islands of the Tuscan Archipelago National Park.



SWITZERLAND
**CRANS-MONTANA
CLASSICS**

Support for the classical
music festival.



SWITZERLAND
**FONDAZIONE MARGUERITE
ARP-HAGENBACH, RONCO
DEI FIORI**

General support for the Foundation,
which promotes and disseminates the
work of artists Jean Arp and Sophie
Taeuber-Arp in Switzerland and
abroad.



SWITZERLAND
**ASSOCIATION DES AMIS
DU VERBIER FESTIVAL**

General support for the music festival
and musicians.

A WORD OF THANKS

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