Supporting the right to recognition as a person before the law and the right to equality before the law. Focus is on guaranteeing speedy, equitable access to justice and full equality for both plaintiffs and defendants. A guiding principle of the right is “innocent until proven guilty.”

**REGIONAL FOCUS**

North America: 23%
Latin America: 17%
Sub-Saharan Africa: 16%
Asia & Pacific: 12%
Eastern Europe, Central Asia, & Russia: 10%
Caribbean: 5%
Western Europe: 5%
North Africa & Middle East: 5%

**POPULATION FOCUS**

Of this 5%

Offenders & Ex-Offenders: 26%
Children/Youth: 16%
Women/Girls: 15%

**TOP FUNDERS**

1. Open Society Foundations $17.9 MILLION (M)
2. Ford Foundation $15.4 M
4. Atlantic Philanthropies $5.6 M
5. Sigrid Rausing Trust $5.0 M
6. Public Welfare Foundation $2.2 M
7. Vanguard Charitable Endowment Program $1.9 M
8. American Jewish World Service—Donor Advised Funds $1.1 M
9. W.K. Kellogg Foundation $0.9 M
10. Oak Foundation $0.7 M

Regional Focus includes grants going directly to recipients in the region specified and to recipients located in other regions for activities focused on the region specified.

Population Focus includes funding explicitly targeted to benefit specific groups and only illustrates those accounting for the largest shares of grant dollars or grants. See Methodology for details on how regional focus and population focus were determined and limitations.
**ASIA & PACIFIC**

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**TOP FUNDERS FOR THE REGION**

| 1          | Ford Foundation | $1.3 M     |
| 2          | Open Society Foundations | $512 T     |
| 3          | Sigrid Rausing Trust | $580 T     |
| 4          | Silicon Valley Community Foundation | $20 T |

**SAMPLE GRANTS**

Ford Foundation gave to the China University of Political Science and Law in China for empirical research on juvenile justice reform pilot projects and to share best practices and promote systemic reform.

Silicon Valley Community Foundation gave to the Center for Justice and Accountability in the USA for social support and legal services for U.S.-based Cambodian diaspora survivors of the Khmer Rouge regime.

**CARIBBEAN**

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**TOP FUNDERS FOR THE REGION**

| 1          | Oak Foundation | $600 T     |
| 2          | Sigrid Rausing Trust | $580 T     |
| 3          | Vanguard Charitable Endowment Program | $430 T     |
| 4          | Open Society Foundations | $175 T |

**SAMPLE GRANTS**

Oak Foundation gave to the Center for Justice and International Law in the USA to end impunity for gross violations of human rights in North and South America and the Caribbean using the Inter-American System of Human Rights (IUS) by litigating on behalf of victims of state violence; providing advice, support, and training to human rights defenders throughout the Americas; and advocating for increased effectiveness and responsiveness to victims.

Open Society Foundations gave to the University of Chile to support a training program on international human rights law for members of the Inter-American Association of Public Defenders, who serve Latin American and Caribbean clients.

**LATIN AMERICA & MEXICO**

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**TOP FUNDERS FOR THE REGION**

| 1          | Open Society Foundations | $2.9 M     |
| 2          | Ford Foundation | $2.3 M     |
| 3          | Sigrid Rausing Trust | $1.2 M     |
| 4          | John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation | $1.1 M |
| 5          | Oak Foundation | $600 T     |

**SAMPLE GRANTS**

Norwegian Human Rights Fund gave to Asociación paro de Desarrollo Humano Runamawinchqayaq in Peru to support work to end impunity and promote access to justice in the framework of the recommendations of the Commission of Truth and Reconciliation.

Seattle Foundation gave to Due Process of Law Foundation in the USA to establish a network and provide technical assistance to NGOs working on judicial transparency and independences issues in Central America.
**NORTH AFRICA & MIDDLE EAST**

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**TOP FUNDERS FOR THE REGION**

1. Open Society Foundations...............
2. Global Fund for Women................
3. Arab Human Rights Fund................

**SAMPLE GRANTS**

Global Fund for Women gave to Amal Femmes en Mouvement Pour un Avenir Meilleur in Morocco and the Western Sahara for gend support.

Arab Human Rights Fund gave to Al-Haq: Law in the Service of Man in West Bank/Gaza (Palestinian Territories) for European Union advocacy through the permanent presence of an Al-Haq representative in Brussels to provide documentation and legal materials to individuals and organizations in EU-member states about the human rights situation in the Occupied Palestinian Territories.

**SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA**

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**TOP FUNDERS FOR THE REGION**

1. Ford Foundation ..................... $1.9 M
2. Open Society Foundations............ $1.4 M
3. American Jewish World Service— Donor Advised Funds ..................... $750 T
4. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation ..................... $710 T
5. Sigrid Rausing Trust................ $580 T

**SAMPLE GRANTS**

Compton Foundation gave to Global Justice Center in the USA to ensure sustainable peace and security in Sierra Leone through legislative reform that upholds international human rights standards.

Ford Foundation gave to Coalition for an Effective African Court in Tanzania for advocacy and convenings in support of the establishment of an effective African Court of Justice to protect and enforce human rights throughout the continent.

**NORTH AMERICA**

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**TOP FUNDERS FOR THE REGION**

1. Open Society Foundations...............
2. Ford Foundation ..................... $7.1 M
3. Atlantic Philanthropies.............. $4.1 M
4. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation ..................... $3.8 M
5. Public Welfare Foundation............. $3.1 M

**SAMPLE GRANTS**

W.K. Kellogg Foundation gave to Southern Poverty Law Center in the USA to increase community engagement by providing community and stakeholder education on school discipline and juvenile justice, facilitating result-oriented collaborations between families and systems stakeholders, and developing communications strategies that document the adverse consequences of over-incarceration and punitive school discipline policies.

Public Interest Projects gave to Juvenile Justice Project of Louisiana in the USA to expand public education, human rights advocacy, and coalition building to end Juvenile Life Without Parole sentencing in Louisiana.

**WESTERN EUROPE**

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**TOP FUNDERS FOR THE REGION**

1. Sigrid Rausing Trust................ $556 T
2. Open Society Foundations............ $440 T
3. American Jewish World Service— Donor Advised Funds ..................... $300 T
4. Arab Human Rights Fund................ $15 T
5. Bromley Trust......................... $10 T

**SAMPLE GRANTS**

Bromley Trust gave to Corston Independent Funders Coalition in the United Kingdom for general support.

Open Society Foundations gave to the Center for Peacebuilding and Community Development in the United Kingdom for pro bono legal counseling in Chechnya to prepare cases for the European Court of Human Rights.