

Grants Made October 2017

Paul Hamlyn Foundation awarded the following grants in October 2017. Details of all grants made are available in our [grants database](#).

Arts Access and Participation

Tate Gallery

Grant amount: £39,700

Grant duration: 12 months

Location: UK wide

Project: Tate Exchange - Year Two Evaluation Programme

Description:

Tate Exchange is an annual programme that invites the public to test ideas and explore new perspectives, highlighting the value of art to society. This grant supports a one year evaluation activity designed to build on the experience and learning gained from researching and evaluating year one of Tate Exchange (TEX). Year two will focus specifically on gathering evidence of participants' experiences and the changes the TEX programme brings about for them.

Education and Learning through the Arts

Arts-based Learning Fund: More and Better Grants

North Yorkshire Music Action Zone (NYMAZ)

Grant amount: £273,000

Grant duration: 48 months

Location: East of England, East Midlands, London, North East, North West, South East, South West, West Midlands, Yorkshire and the Humber

Project: Connect: Resound - embedding online music education

Description:

Connect: Resound is a model of music education that combines online delivery of specialist musical instrument tuition and live performances with a programme of Continuing Professional Development and Learning for teachers. NYMAZ wants to scale up and embed this approach to enable other music and arts organisations to create their own bespoke online music education offers that respond to local needs.

Gloucester City Council

Grant amount: £200,000

Grant duration: 36 months

Location: London, South West

Project: Gloucester Roundhouse

Description:

This project will see the City of Gloucester and the Roundhouse develop partnerships between arts organisations, artists and young people to help transform the city's cultural offering alongside the ongoing and much-needed regeneration of the civic centre. The programme aims to build local capacity and advocacy, and in the longer term, open a new, iconic Gloucester Roundhouse as the centre piece of the city's ambition to be UK City of Culture 2025.

If you would like to find out more about our More and Better Grants in this fund please see [here](#).

Investing in Young People

Youth Fund

Khulisa

Grant amount: £60,000

Grant duration: 24 months

Location: London, North West

Project: Early Intervention - breaking the cycle of exclusion and crime

Description:

Khulisa works nationwide to support young people to break the cycle of exclusion and crime and transform their lives. A grant will contribute to the salaries of the Development Director, a new Monitoring and Evaluation Manager and an additional facilitator. This grant will enable the organisation to both scale and deepen impact for young people, to strengthen its evidence base and increase its influence on policy and practice in the education and the criminal justice sectors.

Heart and Sound

Grant amount: £50,000

Grant duration: 24 months

Location: Scotland

Project: Dunfermline's Youth Work, Music, Media and Skate Hub

Description:

Operating from a former nightclub in Dunfermline, Heart and Sound offers a range of creative and youth work activities. Working in partnership with young people and local organisations, Heart and Sound will develop a new youth work hub in the city. The hub will house multiple charities offering sporting and creative opportunities, and give Heart and Sound the space required to meet the increasing demand for its services.

Mermaids

Grant amount: £60,000

Grant duration: 24 months

Location: East of England, East Midlands, London, North East, North West, South East, South West, West Midlands, Yorkshire and the Humber, Scotland, Wales

Project: Volunteering engagement to empower and support transgender young people

Description:

Mermaids works with and on behalf of transgender and gender variant children and young people in England, Scotland and Wales. It plans to recruit a Volunteer and Events Manager to expand its volunteer team, develop a peer mentoring scheme, extend delivery and significantly enhance its external profile and influence.

National Working Group

Grant amount: £58,000

Grant duration: 24 months

Location: UK wide

Project: Young People at the Centre of Tackling Child Sexual Exploitation

Description:

National Working Group aims to stop the trafficking and sexual exploitation of children and young people, and to improve support for those affected. It will grow its Youth Advisory Board from a centralised UK board to three regional boards. This will lead to enhanced youth advocacy within the child sexual exploitation sector and inform the organisation's research, policy and campaigns. Learning will be disseminated across its network.

Safer London

Grant amount: £60,000

Grant duration: 24 months

Location: London

Project: Helping young people in London to overcome danger and disadvantage

Description:

Safer London works to prevent violence, sexual exploitation and vulnerability amongst young people across London. The grant will contribute to the salaries of the Director of Operations, Director of Development and the Chief Executive. It will increase the capacity of the senior leadership team, allowing Safer London to grow unrestricted income, capitalise on available opportunities and build a solid base for future growth and widening of impact.

If you would like to find out more about this fund please see [here](#).

UK Youth

Grant amount: £20,000

Grant duration: 1 month

Location: UK wide

Project: Peace First Development Funding

Description:

Peace First is a non-profit organisation dedicated to helping young people around the world to become peacemakers by investing in their ideas, providing them with tools and skills and sharing their stories. Inspired by conversations with UK organizations, Peace First is exploring the implementation of a UK Challenge, in which young people will be asked to identify and solve an injustice. The process will determine the best pathways for a Peace First Challenge that could impact thousands of young people across the UK.

Nurturing Ideas and People

Ideas and Pioneers Fund

PERKY

Grant amount: £10,600

Grant duration: 7 months

Location: London

Project: PERKY: A project about womanhood for women with learning disabilities

Description:

Developed by Holly Statton and Ono Dafedjaiye, PERKY aims to create a fun, safe space for learning disabled people to explore the themes of womanhood, the body and sexuality. It will challenge negative stereotypes and empower individuals to express themselves. PHF funding will support the establishment of the organisation and building partnerships for delivery.

Silke Grygier

Grant amount: £15,575

Grant duration: 11 months

Location: London

Project: Not The Only One: Childhood Sexual Abuse Survivors in University

Description:

Led by activist Silke Grygier, Not The Only One will reach out to university students who have experienced childhood sexual abuse (CSA). As a group, CSA survivors are often invisible, not only to society, but also to each other, and suffer from stigma and isolation. Through workshops, presentations, support groups, and open forums, Silke aims to create spaces for young survivors to come together, raise awareness and access specialist therapeutic support.

[Gini Simpson with Christian Alhert and Rick Crust](#)

Grant amount: £10,725

Grant duration: 4 months

Location: London

Project: UnAge

Description:

Through bi-directional mentoring, UnAge will foster new micro businesses by harnessing the benefits of intergenerational activities. Young people will teach new ways to start businesses (e.g. use of technology) and older participants will share lived experience. Young people from Hackney Community College and older individuals from Age UK's Whitmore Community Centre Employability Club will test the programme.

[Nicolas Hatton](#)

Grant amount: £15,700

Grant duration: 9 months

Location: East of England, East Midlands, London, North East, North West, South East, South West, West Midlands, Yorkshire and the Humber, Northern Ireland, Scotland, Wales

Project: A new grassroots organisation representing the interests of EU citizens living in the UK

Description:

Nicolas Hatton has been at the helm of The 3 Million, a group established to represent the interests of EU citizens living in the UK, since the UK's referendum on its EU membership in June 2016. Led by mobile EU citizens in the UK, The 3 Million group have filled a crucial gap in the UK's refugee and migrant sector during the post-referendum debate. The group has developed a strong brand and has a considerable media presence. The grant enables those involved to formalise their group as a national grassroots organisation that can run local and national campaigns about EU citizens' rights and offer support to individuals.

[HostNation](#)

Grant amount: £15,075

Grant duration: 18 months

Location: London

Project: HostNation - an online befriending scheme for socially-isolated asylum seekers, refugees and migrants

Description:

Anneke Elwes' extensive experience in market research and as a volunteer in the refugee sector has led her to set up HostNation. This digital befriending scheme aims to connect refugees, people who have migrated to the UK and asylum seekers with British citizens who would like to offer them support and friendship. She is supported by a team of volunteers with professional and lived experience within the sector.

Northern Independent Living CIC

Grant amount: £10,800

Grant duration: 12 months

Location: North West

Project: My Life, My Choice

Description:

Martin Yates has been working in the area of self-directed support for almost 30 years. Offering information, advice and advocacy support, this project aims to help people who require health and social care to have choice, to take control of their support and to understand their rights under the Care Act 2014. This grant will support a series of awareness raising and consultation events in the North West throughout the pilot, culminating in a public launch.

Sheena Leaf

Grant amount: £10,350

Grant duration: 4 months

Location: South West

Project: The Entrepreneur Inside - uncovering entrepreneurial potential in prisoners

Description:

Sheena Leaf is a trained mental health nurse and businesswoman. Her idea of a development programme to be delivered in prisons will help to unlock new opportunities on the path to rehabilitation. Participants will receive training and support from members of the local community to identify and develop their entrepreneurial skills. This will help to assist with their reintegration journey and generate self-sustaining employment in the future.

TrustYouth Alliance

Grant amount: £15,035

Grant duration: 6 months

Location: East of England, East Midlands, London, North East, North West, South East, South West

West Midlands, Yorkshire and the Humber, Northern Ireland, Scotland, Wales

Project: Development and Scoping the TrustYouth Movement

Description:

TrustYouth is a coalition made up of London Youth, Youth at Risk, Khulisa UK, NUS, TACT, Prospectus, The Foyer Federation and Three Point Zero. Collectively, their networks span housing, youth justice, youth work, fostering and adoption, further/higher education and recruitment to the sector. TrustYouth's vision is for all young people across the UK, particularly those experiencing challenges, to be able to harness the experiences they have had and use them to shape services that really work for them. This grant will support the coalition to research, plan and begin to deliver a campaign to further this vision.

Offploy CIC

Grant amount: £15,200

Grant duration: 12 months

Location: East of England, East Midlands, North East, South West, West Midlands, Yorkshire and the Humber

Project: Mentoring ex-offenders in employment

Description:

Offploy mentors individuals with criminal convictions who are in employment. The organisation seeks to create a definitive guide to mentoring in this specialist category. This grant will support a part-time staff member to develop this resource in consultation with a range of employers, ex-offenders and professionals in the criminal justice sector, and to devise standardised ex-offender recruitment policies for employers. Offploy will also use a portion of the funds to produce online resources for ex-offenders looking for work.

If you would like to find out more about this fund please see [here](#).

Migration and Integration

Shared Ground Fund: More and Better Grants

No Accommodation Network (NACCOM)

Grant amount: £150,000

Grant duration: 36 months

Location: UK wide

Project: Ending Destitution for People Who Migrate

Description:

This grant will support the No Accommodation Network (NACCOM) as they transition to a strategic national charity that works to end destitution among people who migrate. In the short term, NACCOM seeks to increase accommodation provision and in the long term they are working to create systemic change. This funding will help them to realise their three year plan which aims to reduce the effects of destitution through capacity building and service development and to drive change in policy and practice via advocacy work and evidence gathering.

If you would like to find out more about our Explore and Test Grants in this fund please see [here](#).

Other Grants

The Social Innovation Partnership

Grant amount: £10,000

Grant duration: 6 months

Location: London

Project: East London Civic Innovation (Deliberative Democracy) Pilot

Description:

This project will encourage people to come together and inspire each other to design and lead programmes that improve lives in their local community. This funding will be used to prototype a new civic innovation model; testing, refining and building upon the work of existing centres of civic participation and innovation.

Unlock Democracy

Grant amount: £10,000

Grant duration: 12 months

Location: UK wide

Project: EU Withdrawal Bill Co-ordination

Description:

This grant will support the coordination function for work on the EU Withdrawal Bill. This will enable advocacy groups to collaborate across a wide range of sectors including human rights, environment, consumer, workers' rights, equality, democracy, transparency, food, farming, and trade to ensure that the interests of these communities can be fully heard as the UK prepares to leave the EU.

Association of Chief Executives of Voluntary Organisation (ACEVO)

Grant amount: £20,000

Grant duration: 12 months

Location: UK wide

Project: Core funding

Description:

The Association of Chief Executives of Voluntary Organisation (ACEVO) a network of leaders for civil society organisations, will use this funding to stabilise the business, meet their current commitment to their membership base and to explore how the organisation can be revitalised and made fit for the future. This will help ACEVO remain a vital and vibrant network supporting, developing, connecting and championing civil society leaders in their determination to make a difference.