



Resources to identify funding opportunities with European institutions

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The following resources may help NGOs identifying funding opportunities with European institutions, for external assistance as well as internal funding:

- The Commission's [portal on grants](#) lists funding opportunities by policy area
- [EuropeAid](#) provides funding in a variety of topic areas in countries across the world:
 - o Europe Aid [calls for proposals](#):
 - o EuropeAid's [database of calls for proposal](#) (search for latest publications):
 - o EuropeAid's [thematic instruments and programmes](#)
 - o EuropeAid's [geographic instruments and programmes](#)
 - o EuropeAid publishes a list of [ongoing global calls](#), a [forecast of upcoming global calls](#) as well as a list of [Annual Action Programmes and Annual Work Programmes for Grants](#) which give you an indication with regards to future funding opportunities
- Grant opportunities at the [European External Action Service](#) (include calls under the “peace-building partnership”)
- List of [EU country delegations that implement a geographic programme of support to civil society](#) (calls for proposals on each delegation’s website)
- Grants from [ECHO in the field of humanitarian aid](#)
- Grants opportunities at the [DG Justice](#), include
 - o [Fundamental Rights and Citizenship](#) (rights of the child, fight against racism and homophobia and privacy rights)
 - o [PROGRESS](#) (non discrimination and gender equality in employment)
 - o [Daphne III](#) (action and operating grants in the area of protection of children and women against violence)
 - o Action as well as operating grants in the areas of [civil](#) and [criminal justice](#), drug prevention
- Funding opportunities at the [DG Employment, Social Affairs & Inclusion](#)
- Funding opportunities in the area of [public health](#)
- Programmes of the [Education, Audiovisual & Culture Executive Agency](#) and funding related to the media ([Media Mundus](#) and [Media desks](#))
- [Europe for Citizens](#), including [Active Civil Society for Europe](#), which provides operating grants to NGOs
- Funding opportunities at the [DG Environment](#), including [LIFE](#), and other [grants regarding environmental protection](#) (includes guides on how to access European funding)
- Funding from [DG Home Affairs](#), in particular the [European Integration Fund](#) (integration of migrants)
- Funding opportunities relating to [information society](#)
- The [European Investment Bank](#) has a small annual budget to support NGO initiatives that have a European dimension