**Global Challenges Local Solutions**

**PROJECT PROPOSAL[[1]](#footnote-1)**

**Project title:**

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### I. BASIC INFORMATION

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| 1.1. Organization’s name in English |
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| 1.2. Organization’s name in mother tongue: |
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| 1.3. Duration of the project |
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| 1.4. Organization’s full address: |
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| 1.5. Website: |
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| 1.6. Organization's registration numer: |
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| 1.7. Are you a community foundation?   * Yes * No |
| 1.8. Are you a grant-making organization?   * yes * no   If yes, please describe shortly your activity in this field. |
| 1.9. Contact person |
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| 1.10. Contact information (e-mail address, telephone number, skype): |
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### II. APPLICANT DESCRIPTION

2.1. Please, introduce briefly your organization. What are your main activities and fields of interest? (1000 characters)

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2.2. How does this project fit into your previous activities? Is it a continuation of your previous activities? (1000 characters)

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2.3. Did you tackle SDGs in your other projects? Did you touch the idea of SDGs before?

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| **Name of project/ program** | **Explanation** |
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2.4. What do you understand by **local community responsive to global challenges**? How, in your opinion, should it operate? (1000 characters)

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2.5. Describe briefly your **resources** (staff, knowledge, facilities etc.)that may be useful during the implementation of this project. (1500 characters)

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### III. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Global Challenges Local Solutions European Grant Competition was established in order to support **grass-root initiatives, run by community foundations and local philanthropic organizations together with local communities, aimed at solving global challenges at the local level.**

Submitted projects should refer to at least one of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs):[[2]](#footnote-2)

Goal 1. End poverty in all its forms everywhere;

Goal 2. End hunger, achieve food security and improved nutrition and promote sustainable agriculture;

Goal 3. Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages;

Goal 4. Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all;

Goal 5. Achieve gender equality and empower all women and girls;

Goal 6. Ensure availability and sustainable management of water and sanitation for all;

Goal 8. Promote sustained, inclusive and sustainable economic growth, full and productive employment and decent work for all;

Goal 10. Reduce inequality within and among countries;

Goal 11. Make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable;

Goal 12. Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns;

Goal 13. Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts;

Goal 14. Conserve and sustainably use the oceans, seas and marine resources for sustainable development;

Goal 15. Protect, restore and promote sustainable use of terrestrial ecosystems, sustainably manage forests, combat desertification, and halt and reverse land degradation and halt biodiversity loss;

Goal 16. Promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to justice for all and build effective, accountable and inclusive institutions at all levels;

Goal 17. Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the Global Partnership for Sustainable Development.

Description of each SDGs can be found on: <https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/>

Proposals that take into account SDGs which were most affected by the pandemic of coronavirus - GOAL 3: Good Health and Well-being, GOAL 4: Quality Education, GOAL 10: Reduced Inequality and GOAL 1: No Poverty will be ranked higher.

**Now, please provide the detailed description of your idea.**

3.1. Start with the challenge you would like to influence by this project. **What is the most crucial challenge** (out of the listed above) **that your community faces right now?** How does it influence local community? What is the scope of the challenge? (max. 1500 characters)

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3.2 How did you identify the need, the abovementioned challenge? Did you carry out any research, analysis? If yes, what methods did you choose? (max. 1000 characters)

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3.3. How would you like to respond to this challenge within this project? Please present the **general strategy** for the implementation of this project, by **listing and describing** all the activities you plan to undertake on a local level to make a change. Use bullet points where appropriate. (max. 1500 characters)

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3.4. What outcomes and concrete effects would you like to achieve within this project in order to change the situation described in 3.1? (max. 1500 characters)

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3.5. How are you going to measure these outcomes? What will indicate the success of your idea? (max. 1500 characters)

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3.6. Local community should play a crucial role in the process of making a change**. In what way do you plan to engage the local community in the implementation of this project?** How will you know if the local community has been influenced? What kind of actions will its members be involved in? (max. 1500 characters)

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3.7. **What kind of other partners** (institutions, media, donors, individuals) **would you like to engage in your activities in order to achieve the abovementioned change?** Why do you think you have the best potential of influencing, what your organization does and where you fit in the community? (max. 1500 characters)

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3.8. Have you planned a communication strategy about this project? How are you going to reach your community and partners? (max. 1500 characters)

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3.9. Do you plan to continue the activities started within this project after it ends? If so, how? (max. 1500 characters)

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3.10. How are you going to increase your organization’s knowledge about the SDGs or a specific SDG during the project period? (max. 1500 characters)

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3.11. Do you inform and educate your community about SDGs, its idea and importance? If so, please choose all that are applicable.

* I do not educate community about SDGs
* On our website
* In our social media
* On workshops, trainings for local community
* During our open events

3.12. In relation to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, how will you organize appropriate protective measures to ensure safety during your project’s lifetime? (max. 1500 characters)

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3.13. Please present the budget of the project:

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| **Items**  **(Please, provide detailed costs description with calculation):** | **A. Project total costs in USD:** | **B. Amount requested from GCLS in USD:** | **C. Other/own sources in USD:** |
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1. ## NOTE: All applications must be submitted in English via online form available at <http://www.localsolutionsfund.org/>.

   [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. <https://sdgs.un.org/goals> [↑](#footnote-ref-2)