

# We Were Made for These Times

GLOBAL FUND FOR WOMEN  
2020 ANNUAL REPORT



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**WOMEN**  
Champions for Equality.

IMPACT IN FY2020

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## Feminist Funding That Works



**\$9,607,487**  
awarded

via  
**349 grants**  
to grantee partners in  
**79 countries**

### RESOURCE MOBILIZATION

Since 2014, we have also supported  
**879 grants totaling €92 Million**  
through AmplifyChange\*.

\*Amplify Change is a fund that supports civil society organizations across the world who advocate for improved policy and action on the most neglected sexual and reproductive health and rights issues. AmplifyChange is managed by Global Fund for Women with African Women's Development Fund and MannionDaniels.

### CORE, FLEXIBLE FUNDING WHERE IT'S NEEDED MOST\*

**79%**

of program funding is  
multi-year to allow  
groups to plan ahead  
—and stay agile

**12%**

of grants went to  
emerging groups  
( $<5$  years) that others  
might consider risky

**32%**

of grants went to  
groups with less  
access to funding  
(\$50k budget or less)

**16%**

of grants went to  
groups that are  
unregistered—because  
bureaucracy can be a  
roadblock to progress

**84%**

of grants were awarded  
in countries where civil  
society is closed,  
repressed, or obstructed  
by governments

**31%**

of grants were  
given to first-time  
Global Fund for  
Women grantees

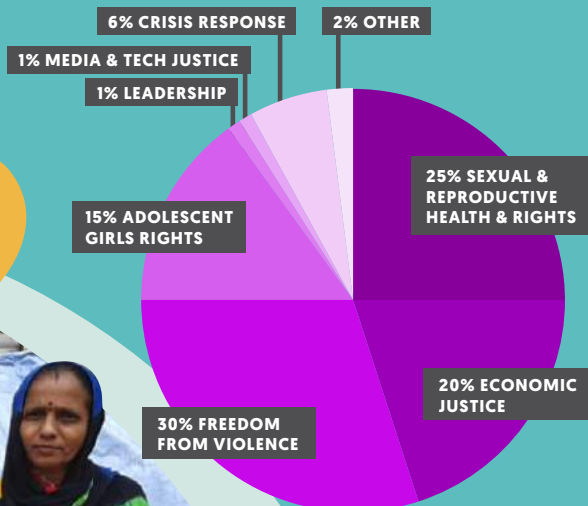
\*Percentages are based on program grants in number; excludes partnership, fiscal sponsorship, executive, and trust grants

## Gender Justice Means...

"There is no such thing as a single-issue struggle  
because we do not live single-issue lives."

—Audre Lorde

### GRANTEE PARTNERS' PRIMARY IMPACT AREAS\*



\*Percentages of total program grantmaking dollars





## Grantee Partners Influencing Laws & Policies

In FY2020, Global Fund for Women grantee partners helped change **14 laws and policies** in **12 countries**.

Including a policy in Mexico that expands protections for 2.3 million domestic workers and a national law in Morocco that aims to protect Soulaliyate women's rights to land.

**GRANTEE PARTNERS MAKE CHANGE BY ORGANIZING IN THEIR COMMUNITIES:**

**179 grantee partners** in **56 countries** built new alliances or strengthened partnerships with other women's rights organizations

**94 grantee partners** built the capacity of other groups through trainings, workshops, and peer learning

**67 grantee partners** in **35 countries** increased opportunities for convening, peer learning, and joint planning

## Lending Our Voice, Shining a Light

We have built powerful communications channels, and aren't afraid to speak up when our voice can make a difference.

**1.92M**

online supporters

**190.8M**

people reached annually through our channels

**150+**

mentions of grantee partners across platforms

This year, we launched our award-winning documentary short film series **Fundamental: Gender Justice, No Exceptions**, featuring grantee partners leading movements in Brazil, Kenya, Pakistan, Georgia, and the United States.

**3.5M+ views**

**8+ film festivals**

**90+ virtual screenings**

**34+ media mentions**

including Refinery29, Deadline, AND YahooUK

## Thought Leadership

**1800+**  
media mentions

Bylines In: **Ms Magazine, OpenDemocracy, Alliance Magazine**

**New Rapid, Flexible Funding for Girls and Women's Activism During a Pandemic**

**Covid-19 Poses An Existential Threat To Human Rights Activists Worldwide**

**GENDER JUSTICE FUNDERS LEAD THE WAY IN PROVIDING FLEXIBLE FUNDING**

Quoted In: **Forbes**, and the **Chronicle of Philanthropy**

**WHY RACIAL JUSTICE MATTERS IN COVID-19 RESPONSES**

**WHITE WOMEN, WE NEED TO DO BETTER**

**There are Two U.S. Plagues—Coronavirus and Racism. Feminism is the Path Forward.**

**BLACK LIVES MATTER**

# Our Vision & Mission

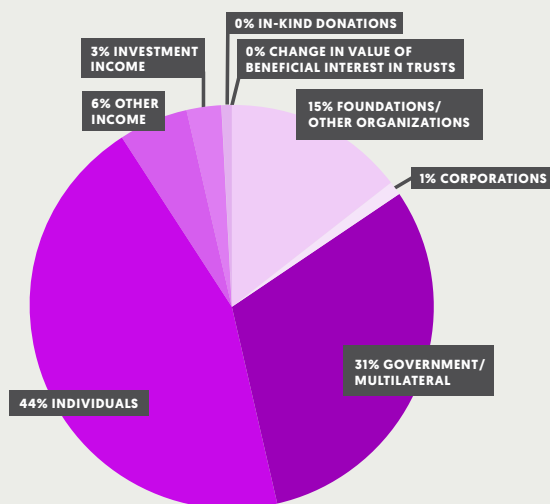
We envision a world where movements for gender justice have transformed power and privilege for a few into equity and equality for all.

We fund bold, ambitious, and expansive gender justice movements to create meaningful change that will last beyond our lifetimes.

## Financial Overview

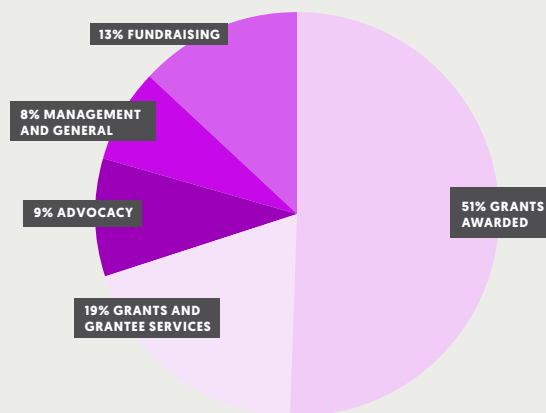
# 79%

of our resources were dedicated to programmatic activities



Total Revenue & Support

**\$32,624,028**



Total Expenses

**\$18,962,473**

## Board of Directors

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## Learn more about Global Fund for Women

For more information about Global Fund for Women, including our strategic plan and detailed information relating to our grantee partners and activities in Fiscal Year 2020, please visit our website at [www.globalfundforwomen.org](http://www.globalfundforwomen.org)

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