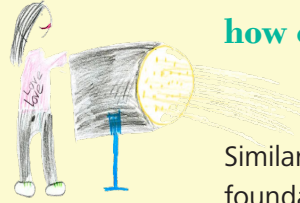




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“The challenges are so big –
how can we even make a difference?”



Similar to every foundation, and especially small foundations like us, this is the question we constantly ask ourselves as we try to help address the challenges our societies face. For our part, we decided that our most important strategic approach is **focus**.

When Türkiye was hit by a devastating earthquake in February 2023 and the urgency and magnitude of the needs seemed overwhelming, **focus** was once more our guiding principle. We concentrated the majority of our funding on longer-term engagements by local NGOs who address challenges that remain when the media attention has faded away and the emergency funding has run out.



Focus is also an important driver of our motivation, in that we regularly turn our attention to all the good that human endeavor can achieve, rather than despair at the abundance of remaining challenges.

With this in mind, we wish you a focused 2024, with courage, passion and perseverance in all your work.

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Our attempt at **making an impact** as a **small foundation**

Aiming for the highest possible impact, we have developed strategic guidelines that help us capitalise on the opportunities of being a small foundation.

Focus!

A clear geographic and thematic focus allows us to gain the necessary in-depth understanding of the core issues and build a network in the ecosystem.



Engaged and long-lasting partnerships

Long-term partnerships help us to build mutual trust and allow time for change, while also being resource efficient.

Take higher risks

Supporting high-risk projects such as pilots often requires less funding and supports NGOs in developing scalable models that can be funded by larger donors.



Organisational support for NGOs

Capacity building and core cost support strengthen NGOs and help them access larger donors in the long run.



Collaborate!

Joining forces with other stakeholders allows us to tackle complex issues on a larger scale and from multiple angles.



Promote peer learning

Enabling workshops and visits among partners are a cost-effective way to support our partners' growth.

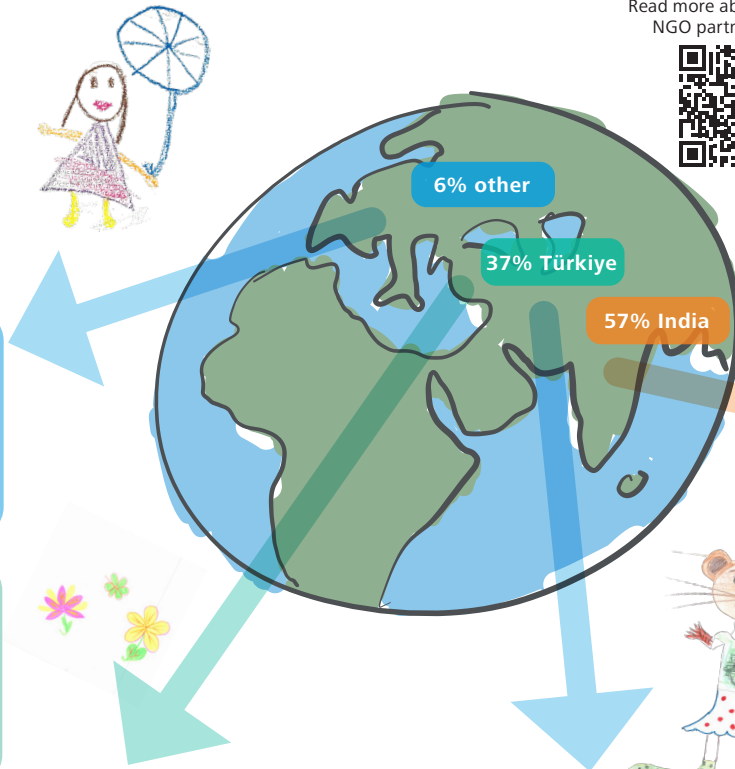


Our NGO partners 2023

in % of disbursements

Programme focus:

-  education
-  life skills
-  organisational development
-  livelihood generation
-  „He for She“
-  earthquake support




Read more about Dalyan's NGO partners [here](#).



ALLIANZ CHANCE + (ChagALL)
 Founded 2021 (2008)
 Annual NGO Budget 330'000 CHF
 Partner since 2021 (2013)

Creating a platform for a strong civil society network committed to sustainably reducing structural inequalities in the education sector in Switzerland.




ÇYDD
 Founded 1989
 Annual NGO Budget 5.6 mio CHF
 Partner since 2011

Ensuring access to progressive and secular education for children and youth of all backgrounds through scholarships and mentoring programmes.




DYA (Deep Poverty Network)
 Founded 2018
 Annual NGO Budget 180'000 CHF
 Partner since 2021

Investigating deepening poverty to reveal its dimensions, to support families in need, and to open up the debate on poverty as a human rights violation.




KODA
 Founded 2016
 Annual NGO Budget 400'000 CHF
 Partner since 2018

Improving the quality of education in rural schools by building the capacities of young teachers and creating local teacher support networks.




SGD (Sulukule Gönüllüleri Derneği)
 Founded 2010
 Annual NGO Budget 100'000 CHF
 Partner since 2018

Improving the well-being of children and minimising school dropouts in Istanbul's historical district Sulukule through workshops and family engagement.



STDV
 Founded 2016
 Annual NGO Budget 430'000 CHF
 Partner since 2019

Bringing together donors and civil society to strengthen grassroots NGOs through fundraising, capacity building and core support.




WOMANITY
 Founded 2005
 Annual NGO Budget 1.5 mio CHF
 Partner since 2023

Educating girls in Afghanistan.




EARTHQUAKE SUPPORT TÜRKİYE

- KODA
- STDV channeled support to:
 - Lokman Hekim Health Foundation
 - Nesin Foundation
 - Hayata Destek (Support to life)
 - Tider
 - Tok-Tut




AZAD
 Founded 2008
 Annual NGO Budget 1.3 mio CHF
 Partner since 2018

Enhancing agency and life choices of young women through mentoring, skill building and scholarship support, with a focus on non-traditional livelihoods.




KATTAIKKUTTU SANGAM
 Founded 1990
 Annual NGO Budget 80'000 CHF
 Partner since 2019

Kattaikkuttu Sangam is an association that promotes Tamil heritage theatre, Kattaikkuttu, and supports its professional performers.




MAHILA HOUSING TRUST
 Founded 1994
 Annual NGO Budget 1.6 mio CHF
 Partner since 2018

Improving the living conditions of low-income families by focusing on housing, livelihoods, skill development for women, microfinance and urban governance.



MEDHA
 Founded 2011
 Annual NGO Budget 1.5 mio CHF
 Partner since 2016

Supporting career progression and agency of young women and men through career counselling and post-college support.




PRAGATI
 Founded 1994
 Annual NGO Budget 200'000 CHF
 Partner since 2022

Improving families' livelihoods in resource-poor communities (mostly tribal families) through climate-smart agriculture and the promotion of small enterprises.



THE YP FOUNDATION
 Founded 2002
 Annual NGO Budget 640'000 CHF
 Partner since 2021

Facilitating marginalised young people's feminist and rights-based leadership on issues of health equity, gender justice, sexuality rights, and social justice.





EDELGIVE Framework Agreement

Strategic partnership between Dalyan and EdelGive Foundation for joint support of NGOs since 2016.




Manuvikasa
 Founded 2003, Partner since 2019
 Annual NGO Budget 520'000 CHF

Generating livelihoods in rural communities with a focus on women.




SOVA
 Founded 1993, Partner since 2019
 Annual NGO Budget 780'000 CHF

Promoting education, child rights and gender equity in rural communities.




Torpa
 Founded 1995, Partner since 2019
 Annual NGO Budget 70'000 CHF

Strengthening women's positions and livelihoods in tribal communities.



Sambandh
 Founded 1992, Partner since 2023
 Annual NGO Budget 560'000 CHF


Working with tribal communities in Odisha towards sustainable livelihood.



THE EDUCATION COLLABORATORS by EdelGive Foundation

Annual Programme Budget 730'000 CHF
 Started in 2016
 Supported since 2018

A collaboration of donors, the government and NGOs led by EdelGive Foundation for improving public education in Maharashtra.



THE GROW FUND by EdelGive Foundation

Annual Programme Budget 6.3 mio CHF
 Started in 2021
 Supported since 2021

Organisational development support to 100 small grassroots NGOs to make them stronger and more resilient.



REBUILD INDIA FUND by DASRA (Partner since 2012)

Annual Programme Budget 3.7 mio CHF
 Started in 2022
 Supported since 2023

Strengthening of 500 grassroots NGOs serving vulnerable communities over 5 years.



Dalyan in Numbers in 2023

Children were our biggest beneficiary group
in 2023

21% women



15% adolescents



36% children



28% families and
communities



About $\frac{1}{3}$ of our contributions
went towards our NGO partners'
organisational development in 2023



49%
Programme
Support



31% **Organisational Support**

- contribution to core costs
- monitoring & evaluation
- capacity building

20% **Earthquake Support
in Türkiye**

**Our Topics in Programme
Support in 2023**

41%
education



32%
livelihood
generation

6% „He for She“

21% life skills

**Earthquake Support
in Türkiye (6 NGOs)**

71%
education
and well-being



5% shelter
24% food

About **Dalyan** Foundation

since 2008

Goal

Enhancing the personal and economic well-being of women, adolescents and children from underprivileged backgrounds



Value Add

Strengthening NGOs through programme, core cost and capacity building support

Geography

India and Türkiye

Risk Appetite

We also support pilot projects and young NGOs

Principle

Neutrality towards race, caste, religion and gender



Themes

Education, livelihood, life skills and gender equity

Commitment

Long-term partnerships with NGOs

Beneficiaries

Women, adolescents and children from underprivileged backgrounds

Our Team and Volunteers



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