PBF Gender and Youth Promotion Initiative 2019

Webinar for UN & CSO applicants

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Two initiatives under one call: Gender Promotion Initiative (GPI) & Youth Promotion Initiative (YPI)

- **GPI:**
  - Supports implementation of SG’s Seven-Point Action Plan on Gender-Responsive Peacebuilding & SC resolutions on WPS
  - Recognizes that women’s participation improves peacebuilding outcomes and gender-responsive approaches can better address root causes

- **YPI:**
  - Supports the SC resolutions 2250 (2015) and 2419 (2018) on YPS & findings/recommendations from the Missing Peace
  - Recognizes the importance of investing in the positive role of young women and men as agents of peace
PBF Eligible Countries

- Burkina Faso
- Burundi
- Central African Republic
- Chad
- Colombia
- Côte d'Ivoire
- Democratic Republic of the Congo
- El Salvador
- The Gambia
- Guatemala
- Guinea
- Guinea Bissau
- Kyrgyzstan
- Liberia
- Madagascar
- Mali
- Myanmar
- Niger
- Papua New Guinea
- Sierra Leone
- Solomon Islands
- Somalia
- South Sudan
- Sri Lanka
- Yemen
UN & CSO Applicants

- UNCTs
  - maximum two proposals per initiative per UNCT (so max 4 in total)
  - grants between $800,000 and $1,5 million per project
  - up to 3 UN entities per project
  - need to be endorsed by RC/(D)SRSG

- CSOs
  - maximum two proposals per initiative per CSO globally (so max 4 in total)
  - grants between $300,000 and $1,5 million per project
  - only one CSO applicant per project
  - need to meet all eligibility criteria
CSO Eligibility

- Proof of **previously received funding** from the PBF, UN, or any of the contributors to the PBF in the country
- Proof of **current valid formal registration** as non-profit/charity and tax-exempt organization with a social mission in the country & country of HQ
- Latest **annual report** that includes the activities of the country
- Audited **financial statements** of the last two years (2017 and 2018) including the activities & budgets in the country and auditor letter
- An annual CSO budget in the country that is at least **twice** the annualized budget sought from the PBF
- An annual budget of at least **$400,000** in the country
- At least **3 years of experience** in the country
- An explanation of CSO’s legal structure
Guidelines

▪ Applications to be submitted in English, French or Spanish (depending on country context)
▪ Projects up to 18 months
▪ At least 5-7% of budget set aside for M&E
▪ Projects must be prepared together with local partners (at least 40% of the budget allocated to local/national CSOs)
▪ Projects must contribute to existing national strategies and complement PBF portfolio in country
▪ GPI projects must be GM 3 and YPI projects must be at least GM 2
Review Criteria

- Peacebuilding rationale
- Innovation!
- Local partnership and consultation
- Gender- and age-sensitive conflict analysis
- Targeting of young people and/or women
- Focused and realistic interventions
- Logic between conflict analysis, theory of change, intervention, activities and results
- Implementation capacity
- Value-for-money
Timeline

Stage 1
- Deadline online concept note submissions on May 20th at 23:59 (NY time) via www.pbfgyipi.org
- Review process & PAC 1: June
- Results: mid-July

Stage 2
- Full proposals in regular PBF project document format: six weeks after results to info@pbfgypi.org
- Review process & PAC 2: end of September
- Funds disbursement: November
Resources

- www.pbfgypi.org/guides-and-resources
- www.un.org/peacebuilding/fund
- info@pbfgypi.org
- Annexes of GYPI 2019 Guidance Note
- Webinars
- Past GYPI projects
- FAQs
Q&A