



FINANCIAL STATEMENT 2022



European Youth For Action
A year's view of transformation in organising

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GENERAL INFORMATION

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Objective

EYFA empowers young people, especially those facing systemic barriers such as racialisation, gender discrimination, disability, migration status, or socioeconomic inequality, to organise for socio-ecological justice across Europe. We provide resources, spaces, and networks for youth-led initiatives to grow, collaborate, and influence social and environmental change.

GOVERNANCE AND REMUNERATION

Governance Structure

EYFA is governed by a Board and supported by an Advisory Board. Day-to-day operations are coordinated by a central office and a Europe-wide network of grassroots groups.

Board

Chair: Stephens, Shannon

Chair: Rienderhoff, Yolanda

Secretary: Zaremba, Ewelina Malgorzata

Remuneration Policy

Board members receive no remuneration for their work.

Reasonable expenses incurred in the execution of their duties may be reimbursed.

These include travel expenses for Board meetings.

Staff members are compensated in accordance with local employment law and remunerated for their work in accordance with applicable local regulation and internal salary policies. All staff costs are covered by project grants.

All funds are used in line with the foundation's mission. We do not engage in commercial activities that conflict with our public benefit purpose.

ACTIVITY REPORT 2022

During the 2023 financial year, the foundation carried out activities in line with its statutory objective, focusing on strengthening youth-led grassroots initiatives and movements, supporting intersectional and decolonial approaches to social and environmental justice, promoting participation in democratic and civic processes, and facilitating cross-regional learning and cooperation among youth groups. A full and detailed activity report, including descriptions of all projects, outcomes, and stakeholder engagement, is available separately on our website.

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

(in Euros)

31 Dec 2021

31 Dec 2022

Current assets

Tangible assets	0	0
Amounts receivable	46.489	77.535
Cash and cash equivalent	32.405	22.681
Total assets	78.894	100.216

LIABILITIES

Reserves and funds

Continuity reserve	Free reserves set aside to cover future operational costs in case of funding gap, aiming 12 months operational costs	43.014	43.053
Donor-restricted funds	Fund that are limited by the donor for specific purposes	0	0

Current liabilities

Accounts payable		8582	4000
Taxes and social premiums		2	4.011
Accrued expenses		0	0
Deferred grants	Deferred grants is income that is linked to project spending for next years	40.853	60.461
Total liabilities		92.451	111.525

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

INCOME	(in Euros)	
	<u>31 Dec 2021</u>	<u>31 Dec 2022</u>
Grants – Released from prior year	40.853	40.853
Grants – received in 2021	54.552	116.488
Donations and other income	23.765	37.415
Total income	119.170	197.756
EXPENDITURE		
Project costs		
E+ projects	13.734	29.862
EYF projects	56.519	23.616
EVS/ESC	22.314	624
Other activities	5.381	0
Management and other expenses		
Personnel costs (project-related)	75.280	137.946
Office rent and supplies	1.200	3.361
Communication costs	337	2.619
Other general costs	5.174	5.904
Total expenditure	179.939	194.933
OPERATING RESULT		
Financial expense	411	496
Net result (Balance)	-61.180	2.328

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Accounting principles

The financial statement is prepared in accordance with the Guidelines for Annual Reporting for Small Organisations without a Profit Motive (Rjk C1) and the requirements for ANBI status, based on historical cost. Valuation of assets and liabilities and determination of the result takes place under the historical cost convention. Unless presented otherwise at the relevant principle for the specific balance sheet item, assets and liabilities are presented at nominal value. Income and expenses are accounted for on an accrual basis and allocated to the period to which they relate. Profit is only included when realised on the balance sheet date. Losses originating before the end of the financial year are taken into account if they have become known before preparation of the financial statements. The result (balance) is determined as the difference between the total income and the total expenditure.

Tangible fixed assets

Tangible fixed assets are valued at purchase price less accumulated depreciation. Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life (typically between 2-4 years).

Income recognition

Grants are recognised as income in proportion to project costs incurred. Grants received for future periods are recorded as deferred grants (liability). Donations are recognised when received. Fees are allocated to the year to which they relate. General grants are allocated to the year specified by the grantor.

Foreign currency

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated at the exchange rate on the transaction date. At year-end, assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the year-end exchange rate. Exchange differences are taken to the result.

Staff costs

All staff costs are allocated to projects. Gross salaries, social premiums, and pension costs are shown in full, then offset by project allocation.

Reserves

Continuity reserves are held for operational continuity. In accordance with ANBI guidelines for large organisations, the continuity reserve does not exceed 1.5 times the average annual costs of the past three years. The current reserve represents approximately 4 months of operational costs. Donor-restricted funds are funds received with donor-imposed purpose restrictions and not yet spent. All reserves are adequately justified and are not held for purposes other than continuity or designated project implementation.

Expenditure recognition

Expenditures are recognised in the year to which they relate. Provisions for contingent liabilities are recognised when it is probable that an obligation exists and the amount can be reliably estimated.

Deferred grants

Deferred grants for 2022 are grant funds received in 2022 for projects that will be implemented in 2023 and beyond. The amount will be released to income as project costs are incurred.

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