

New funds as at 25th Oct 2021

Funder / Fund	Amount	Status	Further Information
<p>Foundation Scotland – Martin Currie Community Partnership Programme</p>	<p>Up to £7,000</p>	<p>Open ~ applications accepted at any time</p>	<p>Martin Currie Community Partnership Programme</p> <p>The Fund aims to promote diversity and inclusion, plus encourage social and environmental sustainability in Scotland.</p> <p>Who Can Apply Applications from registered charities and constituted community groups and organisations that benefit the people in Scotland, with priority for those from Edinburgh and the Lothians, are accepted. Organisations that have an annual income below £250,000 may apply. To be eligible, organisations must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be constituted and have charitable purposes described in the governing document. • Have a bank or building society account with at least two unrelated signatories. • Have a minimum of three unrelated persons on the management committee or board. • Have the latest set of accounts inspected and signed by an independent party. • Have safeguarding policy and procedures, if applicable. <p>Eligible Expenditure Grants can be used to support a range of project costs. Eligible costs may include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Diversity and inclusion: support for projects and activities that address inequality, giving people access to previously excluded opportunities. • Social and environmental sustainability: e.g. the reuse, recycling and upcycling of materials or the upskilling of individuals through training and education. <p>Restrictions The following are ineligible for funding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Organisations that have an income above £250,000 per annum. • Non constituted groups. • Applications from individuals. • General fundraising appeals or activities. • Trips abroad. • Retrospective funding. • The repayment of loans or payment of debts. • The advancement of religion or politics, including requests to support religious or political groups' core activities. • Payments towards areas understood to be the exclusive responsibility of statutory authorities. • Activities that are likely to bring the fund, Foundation Scotland or the donor into disrepute.

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities that conflict with the interests of the funder. • Projects that do not benefit the people who live within the defined fund area. • Projects that do not relate to the priorities stated for the fund. • Costs directly related to the sale of alcohol. <p>How to Apply Applicants must contact Foundation Scotland directly to discuss the project.</p> <p>Decisions are reached approximately 10 weeks from receipt of application. Decisions are made by selected Martin Currie staff and support from Foundation Scotland.</p> <p>Contact Foundation Scotland for further information: Martin Currie Community Partnership Programme Foundation Scotland</p>
Art Fund – New Collecting Awards	Typically £30k - £80k	Open ~ deadline 16/11/2021	<p>New Collecting Awards</p> <p>The New Collecting Awards programme is provided by Art Fund. The aim of the programme is to provide funding and mentoring to support the development of curators to pursue new avenues of collecting for their museums and build critical professional skills.</p> <p>Value Notes The programme fund has a total value of £150,000. Applicants may request any amount of funding, but awards will typically fall between £30,000 and £80,000. Awardees are expected to complete their collecting project within two years of commencement.</p> <p>Who Can Apply Applications will be accepted from curators who are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In the early stages of their career, or who have had limited opportunities to collect. • Employed by or working in partnership with museums and galleries that are accredited or working towards accreditation. <p>Applications will also be considered from freelance curators or researchers, provided they can demonstrate that they will be officially affiliated with a museum or gallery for the duration of their project, that the works acquired will join a public collection and that their participation will have a longer-term institutional impact.</p> <p>Eligible Expenditure Awards offer 100% funding for focused collecting projects, enabling curators to expand museum and gallery collections into new areas or deepen existing holdings in significant ways.</p>

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			<p>Applicants are expected to allocate up to 10% of their award for research and professional development related to their collecting project.</p> <p>Location United Kingdom</p> <p>How to Apply The deadline for applications is 23:59 GMT on 16 November 2021.</p> <p>Further information and the online application process is available via the Art Fund website.</p>
<p>Nesta – Virtual Healthy Neighbourhoods Challenge</p>	<p>Up to £50,000</p>	<p>Open ~ deadline 08/11/2021</p>	<p>Virtual Healthy Neighbourhoods Challenge</p> <p>A competition for small and medium-sized businesses in Scotland to harness the potential of game design and game technologies to better understand and solve the challenge of healthy living and promoting healthy food choices.</p> <p>InGAME's Cluster of the Future (CotF) Challenges are ambitious competitions to jumpstart high-risk, high-reward collaborations. Its calls are designed to harness and apply the potential of videogames to provoke breakthrough solutions to known but difficult challenges, inventing new futures and driving positive change.</p> <p>The Virtual Healthy Neighbourhoods Challenge from Nesta and InGAME is an ambitious competition to harness the potential of game design and game technologies to better understand and solve the challenge of healthy living and promoting healthy food choices, helping Nesta achieve its mission of adding two years of healthy life expectancy for 10 million people across Scotland and the UK.</p> <p>Value Notes The competition fund has a total value of £60,000 which will be allocated as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Up to 10 applicants will be selected to participate in the Nesta Briefing Event. From these, three will be selected to receive £5,000 to develop pitches over two weeks. • After pitching and interviews, one team wins the competition and is awarded a further £45,000 to prove their concept in an eight-week prototyping phase. <p>Who Can Apply Applications are invited from game design and development SMEs, as well as the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unincorporated but established game design/development teams. • Unincorporated game design /development teams formed to respond to this call. • Media enterprise SMEs. <p>Any organisation or team applying must have its main place of business and operational activity in Scotland.</p> <p>Eligible Expenditure Funding is intended for the development of prototype solutions.</p>

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			<p data-bbox="1052 197 1167 225">Location</p> <p data-bbox="1052 229 1160 256">Scotland</p> <p data-bbox="1052 290 1227 317">How to Apply</p> <p data-bbox="1052 322 1693 349">The deadline for entries is 09:00 GMT on 8 November 2021.</p> <p data-bbox="1052 381 1957 408">Guidance notes and the online application form are available at the InGAME website:</p> <p data-bbox="1052 408 1675 435"><a data-bbox="1052 408 1675 435" href="https://www.innovationforgames.com/crd/challenge_nesta/">https://www.innovationforgames.com/crd/challenge_nesta/</p>