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Funding Actions: 2020-21

January 2020	Submitted 2 grant (GMMP + WACC-Regional) requests to Waldensian Church OPM totalling EUR 203,000.		GMMP project declined. WACC inter-regional project “Strengthen and expand comprehensive and accurate coverage of migration and asylum” approved for EUR 25,000
January 2020	Signed agreement with UN WOMEN for GMMP grant in the amount of USD 55,000	To support 4 aspects of the GMMP2020: translation of the methodology instruments into Arabic, capacity building of national teams on methodology tools, implementation of the media monitoring and development of the global report.	Approved
February 2020	Signed agreement with UNESCO IPDC for GMMP grant in the amount of USD 27,000 and GAMAG grant in the amount of USD 22,000	To support GSIM review, GMMP training, Coordination and GMMP implementation and communication. GAMAG grant is for Research in 3 countries, events at CSW.	Approved
19 February 2020	Conversation with PEN Canada about a joint application to GAC for three workshops in Mexico, Guatemala, Colombia on digital rights and digital security.		Covid-19 intervened. Conversation to be resumed when possible. No follow up as at 20.8.21
20 February 2020	Online application to the Audrey S. Hellyer Charitable Foundation (Ontario, Canada) to cover operational costs of GMMP (CAD 125,000)		Email acknowledgement. No donation.
21 February 2020	General funding request to The Lillian Goldman Charitable Trust , New York [by snail mail]		No response.

24 February 2020	General funding request to Bloomberg Philanthropies , New York [by snail mail]		No response.
25 February 2020	General funding request to Charles Stewart Mott Foundation , Flint MI [by snail mail]		27.3.2020: "In response to your recent inquiry, the C. S. Mott Foundation must discourage the submission of a formal proposal. While the Foundation endeavours to maintain a high degree of flexibility in its grant-making, our programs focus on specific areas of interest that have been researched and developed by our program staff and approved by our Board of Trustees. Unfortunately, your project would fall outside the scope of our current programming interests."
26 February 2020	GMMP funding request to Claudia Juech, The Rockefeller Foundation , New York [by snail mail]		No response.
27 February 2020	GMMP funding request to Latanya Mapp Frett, CEO of Global Fund for Women , San Francisco [by snail mail]		No response.
3 March 2020	GMMP funding request to Barbara Dobkin of The Dobkin Family Foundation , New York [by snail mail].		No response.
6 March 2020	GMMP funding request to Barbara Dobkin of The Carter Center , Atlanta, GA [by snail mail].		No response.
24 March 2020	General funding request to Victoria Dunning, Ford Foundation , New York [by snail mail]		No response.
27 April 2020	Community media/Covid-19 proposal emailed to TearFund with request for meeting to discuss common ground.		1 May 2020 Declined: "Unfortunately, due to limitations on Tearfund's resources we are presently focusing on building the capacity of our current partners."

April/May	Community media/Covid-19 proposal emailed with personal approach to: Anglican Alliance , WCC (Indigenous People programme), Church of Norway		No responses
24 April – 20 May	Community media/Covid-19 proposal specifying Catholic related media support needs to CAMECO for advice and contacts		CAMECO acknowledges these are co-partners; has supported several and is providing advice on sources of funding that would go directly to the partners.
May 2020	Reviving WACC profile on crowdfunding site of CanadaHelps and adding community media campaign for launch end of May.	Launched June 1, approximately C\$1,300 in June	Used funds to support “Vaccinate yourself against disinformation” project in Mexico
June 2020	Application to Sir Halley Stewart Trust for research on Community Radio response to Covid in three countries.	GBP 59,900 over three years; Research idea came out of discussion with ACT Alliance on how to better integrate community media in national responses; letters of support provided by ACT and CDAC Network	Decision in October. Declined.
June 24	Call with Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation programme advisors on gender and media – on GMMP methodology.	Sarah M. reached out to contacts and brokered the call; Philip, Sara and Sarah discussed strategy and developed talking points. Sarah and Sara participated in the call.	Gates shared that their new strategy on gender and media will come out in November; they followed the GMMP monitoring day on Facebook. No further direct outreach from them
July 2020	Signed agreement with Free Press for GMMP 2 nd sub-grant in the amount of EUR 20,000	This is the second part of the GMMP grant totalling EUR 45,000	
7 July 2020	Request to Keith Knight , CEO of Canadian Christian Business Federation (of which WACC is a member), for access to his email list of members.	KK supplied an Excel chart of some 700 names and emails. PL, SS and Tess working on a direct appeal to business owners and individuals.	Special email sent to some 600 addresses inviting interest and/or donation. No noticeable response.
10 July 2020	Request to Uli Nitschke , now Senior Advisor PIRON, to fund or broker funding for WACC’s Covid-19 community media appeal.		PL/SS/LV had online meeting with Uli Nitschke 10 August to discuss possibilities/expectations. No

			further action possible after PIRON declined to pursue.
September 2020	Submitted proposal to Citizenship, Immigration, and Refugees Canada for CAD 80,000. This was for a media monitoring project on migration in Colombia	The proposal was turned down, despite positive feedback. Funder wanted closer alignment to Covid 19-related priorities.	Apply again in 2021
October 2020	Signed Agreement with WAN-IFRA for GMMP grant in the amount of EUR 20,000	Milestone 1: GMMP Coordination in 12 countries Milestone 2: Distribution of data sets , coordination, inclusion of logo.	
November 2020	Submitted request to Waldensian Church to reassign unused OPM funds in 2019-2020.		Approved for WACC Global GMMP follow-up project.
December 2020	Submitted proposal to ELCA for USD 90,000. Venezuelan migration to Colombia.	Despite initial concerns that the funds would not be renewed because of the funding cuts related to COVID 19, the full amount was approved	Funding is for 2019-21.
December 2020	Submitted proposal to PWRDF for CAD 40,000. Venezuelan migration to Colombia.	Despite initial concerns that the funds would not be renewed because of funding cuts related to COVID 19, the full amount was approved.	Funding is for 2020-22.
January 2021	Submitted 2 grant requests to Waldensian Church OPM totalling EUR 150,000.	WACC-LA "Covid-19 and the digital divide: Inequality and access to ICTs in Latin America in times of pandemic and post-pandemic" and WACC" Covid-19 and the digital divide: Inequality and access to ICTs in Latin America in times of pandemic and post-pandemic". Decision expected in Sept 2021.	
January 2021	Submitted application to Service Canada for student intern in 2021.	Decision expected in April 2021.	Approved

15 June 2021	WACC Europe submitted an application to the European Union for a two-year project, with a budget of £284,000 in response to a call for proposals to promote equality and to fight against racism, xenophobia and discrimination.	The proposed project combines media monitoring with efforts to train and build communities to support Hope Speech, Not Hate Speech. The application consortium includes Commission of the Churches on Migrants in Europe, Blanquerna Foundation, World Student Christian Federation (Europe), Church of Sweden Neighbours initiative, and Diakonie CCE, with the Lutheran World Federation and WACC Global as supporting partners.	Decision anticipated in November 2021.
June 2021	Submitted core budget funding proposal to Bread for the World for 2022-23.	Decision expected in September/October 2021.	
July 2021	Submitted letter of inquiry to Ford Foundation for a conversation about funding GMMP follow-up work 2022-23		
August 2021	Submitted proposal for PCJ Internship from the Munk School of Global Affairs & Public Policy , University of Toronto for Fall 2021 at WACC	No cost to WACC.	
August 2021	Discussions with Karin Achtelstetter for WACC and Canadian Lutheran World Relief to offer an online course on "Forced Displacement and Migration in the Media"	The cost of running the course would be met from a German education grant, part of which would come to WACC	
August 2021	Evangelische Mission Weltweit (Germany)	EMW grant to WACC for digital symposium (with restrictions related to the full symposium budget held by WCC): 20,000 Euros	Approved
23 August 2021	Discussion with Thomson Reuters Foundation on GMMP	The Foundation approaches gender equality in representation and audience from a business development perspective (increasing audience and revenue).	They will be developing a concept note towards the end of 2021.

		It has a pilot project (Bettina Fund) in Kenya and would like to combine their approach with GMMP data and methodology to demonstrate how media outlets who implement and move forward in addressing gender equality (audience and production) actually makes good business sense in an increasingly difficult financial environment for media.	
22 September	Global Affairs Canada 2021 Development Impact Window – Concept Note for GMMP follow up work.	After assessment, Global Affairs Canada will invite a limited number of organizations to submit full proposals. Invited applicants will have approximately eight weeks to submit a full proposal.	

Gender and Communication

		September 2021 – August 2022				Source / Comment
	Unit	Rate	Qty.	Amount EUR	Amount CAD	
12-month projects	project	20,000	6	120,000	176,200	CAP
16-month regional project	project	30,000	1	30,000	44,050	OPM / Waldensian Church. Decision expected in November 2021.
Consultation	event	50,000	1	50,000	73,417	CAP
GMMP follow-up global multi-year project	project	200,000	1	200,000	293,667	Year 1 of a three-year project. Expressions of interest from Free Press Netherlands and WAN-IFRA. Commitment to jointly develop a concept note with Thomson Foundation for

						presentation to funders by December 2021. Concept note to Global Affairs Canada in September 2021 under development for the Development Impact Window call. GMMP follow-up project concept notes or proposals submitted to date: To UN Democracy Fund, Council of Europe and OPM. Envision two or more sub-projects contributing to the GMMP follow-up strategy.
				400,000	587,333	
September 2022 – August 2023						
16-month regional project	project	30,000	1	30,000	44,050	OPM / Waldensian Church. Submission of proposal in December 2022.
GMMP follow-up global multi-year project	project	300,000	1	300,000	440,500	Year 2 of the three-year project
				330,000	484,550	