



Call for Proposals for Diaspora-Organisations 2024

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Agenda

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5. Documents needed for the proposal
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GIZ / MEG Support for Diaspora Organisations

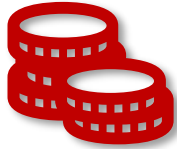
GIZ / MEG Support for Diaspora Organisations

- Support offer to diaspora organisations since 2011, previously already piloted
- Regular calls for proposals
- Formerly CIM (Centrum für Internationale Entwicklung)
 - Now GIZ (Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit)
 - 2019-2023: Programme Migration & Diaspora (PMD)
 - Since June 2023: Programme „Shaping development-oriented migration“ (MEG)

- Promotion of non-profit projects in countries of origin

„We support diaspora-organisations and their local partner organisations to implement non-profit projects that support sustainable development through knowledge exchange in our partner countries.“

What do we offer?



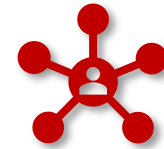
Up to
55.000 €
**financial
contribution**



**Advice by GIZ staff in
Germany and in partner
country** on planning and
implementing your project
(seminars, advice sessions,
etc.)



Support on
meeting the
financial/
administrative
requirements of GIZ



Networking with
other diaspora-
organisations and
potential partners



Procedure of the Call for Proposals and Funding

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- Earliest contract start: **01.04.2025 (according to our current planning)**
 - Until then, various revision loops
- Your organisation in Germany is the contractual partner of GIZ and legally responsible for the content, administrative and financial management of the project
- **The preparation and implementation of international projects involve a lot of effort (conceptual and administrative).**
 - **Honest reflection: Are we able to do it?**

Important Save-the-dates



Outline
Phase



Pitch
Phase



Application
Phase

← Deadline for submission:
27th October

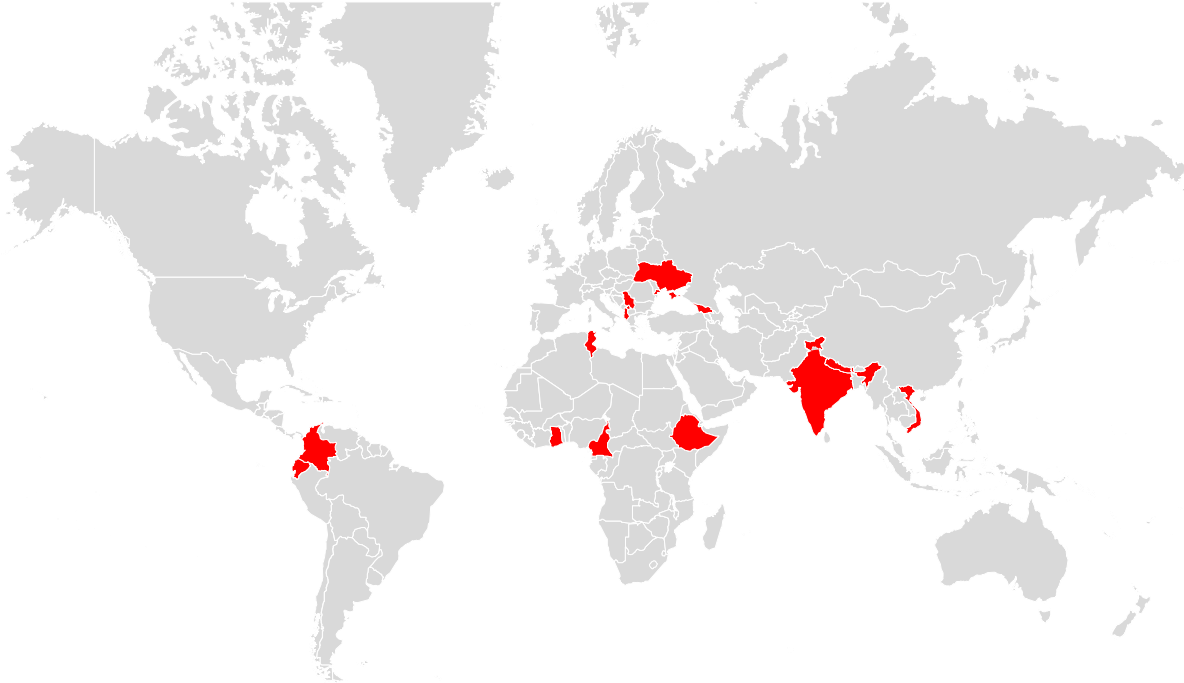
← Pitch date: between **11th and 22nd November**

← Workshop in Frankfurt: **29th
November – 01st December**
Deadline for full application:
19th January



Requirements

Partner Countries



Projects can only be funded in one of the following countries:

Albania, Cameroon, Colombia, Ecuador, Ethiopia, Georgia, Ghana, India, Kosovo, Nepal, Serbia, Tunisia, Ukraine and Vietnam

Unfortunately, funding in another country is not possible!

Your organisation & your partner organisation in the partner country

We can only support diaspora organisations,



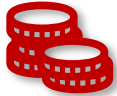
- whose **members consist of at least 50 % persons with migration history** and/or whose **board members consist of at least 50 % persons with migration history** from countries of the Global South,



- that are **legally registered as an entity in Germany** (especially in the form of registered associations, foundations or similar),



- who can **prove their non-profit status** (notice of exemption or assessment, articles of association) and



- which **do not receive any further project funding from GIZ (and/or CIM)** for the period of the planned project implementation. Ongoing projects must be completed by the start of the new project.



- who have a **non-profit partner organisation** in the partner country

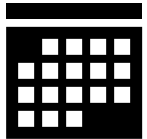


Project Content and Implementation

Project Structure - Framework



Projects must be **planned** and **implemented** together with the partner organisation.



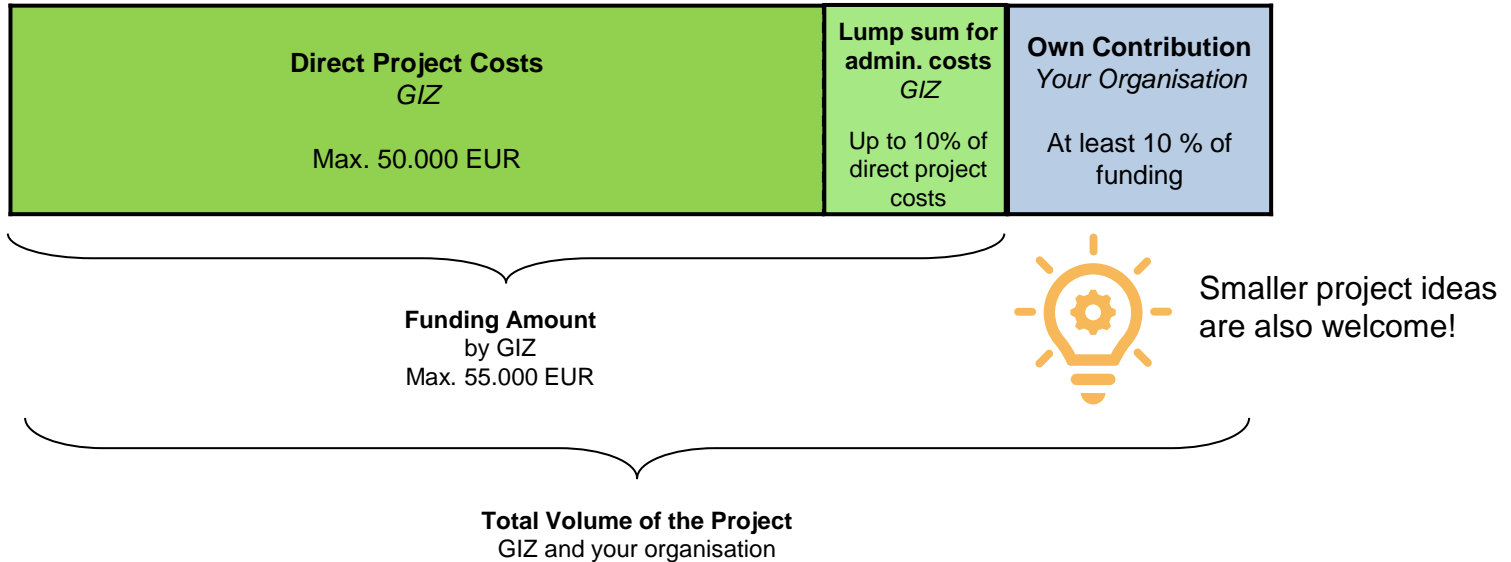
**Max. 12
Months**

Projects must be **implemented within the contract period.**



Projects must be **implemented by teams,** not individuals

Project Structure - Finances



Project content and objectives

Knowledge Exchange



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or



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or

→ Contribute to digital transformation

Content: Selection Criteria

Outline phase

- Knowledge exchange between diaspora and partner country
- Contribution to the four key topics
- Comprehensibility of project idea
- Embedding in the local context
- Cooperation with the partner organisation (Co-creation, working together on an equal footing)
- Sustainability

Application phase (additional)

- Quality of project planning
- Ownership

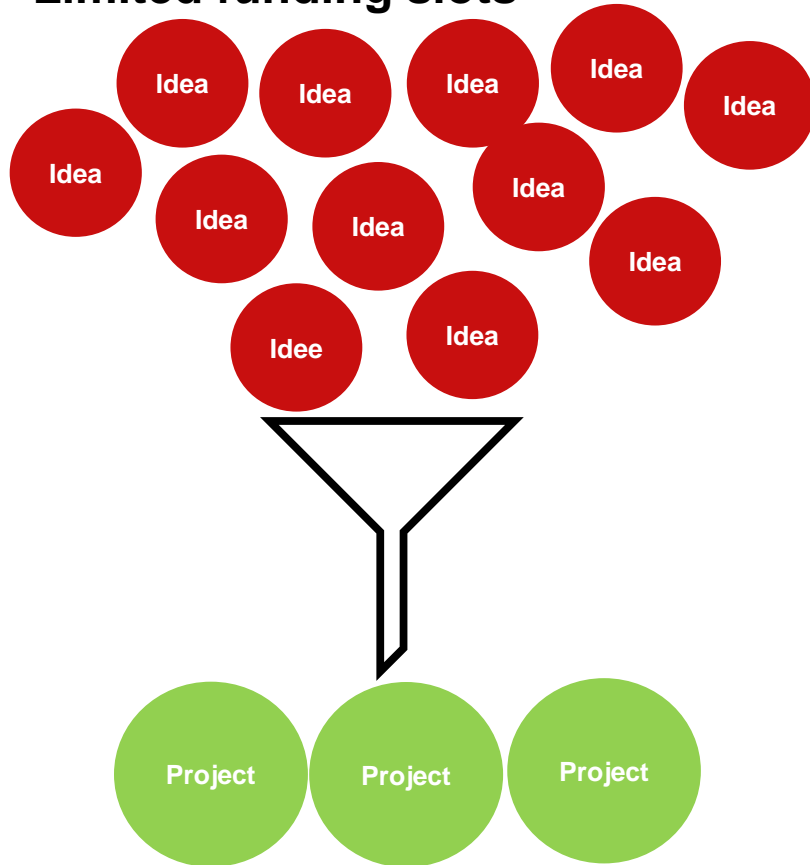


Documents needed for the Proposal

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- Document „[Detailed Information on eligibility and the application process](#)“
 - Provides valuable guidance on all aspects of the outline
- [Outline Form](#)
 - Excel
 - Several Work Sheets
 - Follow advice
- For questions filling in the Excel: diaspora-organisation@giz.de
- Download all relevant documents here:
[Diaspora2030 | Call for proposals - GIZ](#)

Limited funding slots



- Funding opportunities are limited in this call.
- Therefore, even very good project ideas have to be rejected
- Please consider carefully: does the call fit in with our topic and association?

Important

1. Read the leaflet ([Detailed Information on eligibility and the application process](#)) carefully
2. If you have any questions, please contact diaspora-organisation@giz.de
3. Use the official [application form](#) (save as Excel)
4. Please note the deadline (27.10.2024)

Questions & Answers

The questions presented here were asked during the two sessions on 7 October and 15 October and either could not be answered clearly or their answers cannot be found in the documents provided. They are therefore listed here once again.

Question	Answer
Can a diaspora organisation submit multiple applications?	<i>No, we ask each organisation to submit only one project outline.</i>
Can projects be implemented in multiple countries?	<i>In your project outline, you should focus on one country where the project will primarily be implemented. If you plan activities in other neighbouring countries, please mention this in your project outline. Activities can only be carried out in our partner countries.</i>
Are there examples of funded projects?	<i>You can find some practical examples on the Diaspora2030 website: Diaspora2030: Diaspora2030 Diaspora Organisations: Case study Asociación Cultural Iberoamericana - GIZ. We would be happy to send you a few best cases by e-mail. Please contact us at diaspora-organisation@giz.de</i>
If invited to the application workshop starting on 29 November, is participation mandatory?	<i>Yes, participation in the workshop is mandatory. If you are unavailable that weekend, please check if another person from your organisation can attend.</i>
Can more than one person from an organisation attend the workshop?	<i>The workshop is designed for one person per organisation. If there are valid reasons for a second person to attend, please contact us. We will review the available capacity, your reasons, and make a decision accordingly.</i>