



Grants for Humanitarian Catastrophes and IT Donations Report (2018)

The Institute managed the following donations for humanitarian catastrophes (details on pages 2 to 4):

2018 Grants for Humanitarian Catastrophes	Amount in EUR	No Beneficiary Institutions
Indonesia earthquake and tsunami	250 000	3
Attica fires in Greece	271 260	1
Humanitarian catastrophe in Colombia caused by the massive influx of migrants from Venezuela	250 000	4
Total grants for humanitarian catastrophes	771 260	8

Furthermore, the EIB Institute aims at promoting local philanthropy by channelling support through donations of IT equipment that is no longer used by the EIB Group to non-profit organisations, local community centres or schools, registered in an EU Member State.

In this respect, in 2018, the Institute also donated 1 396 desktops, laptops, printers and other IT equipment to 93 schools and non-profit organisations (see pages 5 to 7 for details):

2018 IT Donations	Number
Total desktop PCs	509
Total laptops	858
Other equipment	29
Total IT equipment	1 396
Number of schools benefiting from IT donations	62
Other organisations	31
Number of countries benefiting from IT donations	18

The rules governing the donation of decommissioned IT equipment can be found via the following [link](#).

1 - Beneficiaries of grants for humanitarian catastrophes in 2018

Indonesia earthquake and subsequent tsunami

This donation helped 3 beneficiary organisations to provide emergency relief aid, helping in particular the Indonesian children victims of the earthquake and subsequent tsunami with devastating consequences of September 2018:

ORGANISATION	COUNTRY	INITIATIVE	AMOUNT (in EUR)
SOS Villages d'Enfants Monde	Luxembourg	<p>Financing of the following activities for children in Palu/Donggala:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Child protection and trauma healing: In order to prevent children from suffering abuse, neglect, exploitation and violence, setting-up of 4 Child Care Spaces (CCS) for 400 children between 3 and 15 years; • Nutritional support: To minimise the incidents of malnutrition, provision of food to the children at the CCS; • Educational support: Provision of an educational kit and restarting of educational activities to prevent academic loss: In order to help children continue their education and avoid academic loss, these children shall receive educational materials and support classes in the CCS premises; • Water, sanitation and hygiene: Provision of safe drinking water and toilets in each CCS premises for children attending CCS. Hygiene training and practices will be part of the CCS activity to help children to improve their hygiene habits and reduce the risks of infectious diseases; • Effective parenting: In order to ensure children's rights are respected there will be regular sessions in the CCS premises for care givers in order to develop effective parenting skills and to sensitise them on other child care & child rights related issues. 	83 333.33
SAVE THE CHILDREN	Spain	<p>Financing of educational activities of children in the the most affected areas of Palu City, Donggala and Sigi, notably:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Set-up and running of temporarily learning spaces (emergency classrooms); - Distribution of teaching and learning kits; - Set-up of Child Friendly Spaces and providing psychosocial support for children; - Work with local authorities to re-open schools: assess damage, support grounds clean-up and provide refurbishment of school infrastructure; - In coordination with UNICEF and local authorities, ensure that the Education cluster is activated and effectively coordinated. <p>The main objective will be that all children re-establish a sense of routine and support their cognitive development through access to basic education.</p>	83 333.33
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ORGANISATION	COUNTRY	INITIATIVE	AMOUNT (in EUR)
UNICEF	Luxembourg	<p>Support UNICEF's emergency response to meet the urgent humanitarian needs of children in Sulawesi and Lombok.</p> <p>The funds will help provide water, sanitation and hygiene, health, nutrition, education and child protection services.</p> <p>In particular, UNICEF will provide emergency education materials (School-in-a-Box kits) including tents (for temporary classrooms).</p> <p>UNICEF, the Ministry of Education and Culture and other partners plan to open 450 temporary tent classrooms which follow UNICEF quality standards in the areas affected. UNICEF's tents are able to contain two classrooms.</p>	83 333.33
TOTAL			250 000 (*)

(*) Including also funds donated by the EIB staff.

Attica Fires in Greece

Following the wildfire erupted on 23 July 2018 in the Southern Penteli area of Greece, which due to very strong winds moved rapidly towards East Attica, the EIB responded by providing a grant, as follows:

ORGANISATION	COUNTRY	PROJECT	AMOUNT (in EUR)
DESMOS Foundation	Greece	Reconstruction of three playgrounds in the Marathonas Municipality, at the heart of the afflicted areas by the fire.	271 260
TOTAL			271 260 (*)

(*) Including also funds donated by the EIB staff, resulting both from direct donations and from the proceeds of a cake sale organised by some staff members.

Migration crisis in Colombia

With this donation, the EIB targeted the humanitarian catastrophe in Colombia caused by the massive influx of migrants from Venezuela, following the collapse of the Venezuelan economy, which led to a spiral of violence and insecurity, food and medicines shortages.

The beneficiary organisations and the respective actions were as follows:

ORGANISATION	COUNTRY	PROJECT	AMOUNT (in EUR)
International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies	Switzerland	<p>Support in shelter, livelihoods and basic needs, health services, water, sanitation and hygiene promotion, protection gender, inclusion and migration.</p> <p>The Departments involved are Arauca, Atlántico, Cundinamarca, La Guajira, Nariño, Norte de Santander, Putumayo, Santander, Valle del Cauca, Vichada and Bolivar in Colombia.</p>	EUR 62 500
SAVE THE CHILDREN	Spain	<p>Humanitarian relief for children in the Colombian departments of Arauca and La Guajira, focusing on:</p> <p>(i) Child protection, notably with several actions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Set-up of “Child Friendly Spaces” with stress-relieving activities such as games and art and providing psychosocial support; • Monitoring at entry points with identification and registration of unaccompanied children. <p>(ii) Action with host communities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Workshops in schools for the welcome and reception of children from Venezuela; • Information campaigns on the rights of the child and on means for protecting children and preventing all forms of violence. 	EUR 62 500
SOS Villages d’Enfants Monde	Luxembourg	<p>Contribution to the overall programme of SOS Villages d’Enfants in the field, who has established a partnership with UNICEF.</p> <p>The programme includes the set-up of areas for the support of families and especially children, with playful/pedagogical activities, psychosocial and legal support, nutrition, as well as family support in care and child protection skills for adults. This includes the set-up of a temporary “Family and Community Development Centre” located in Bucaramanga, the area with greater concentration of vulnerable migrants and the establishment and running of 4 Child Friendly Spaces in the communities of Bucaramanga, Riohacha, Maicao and La Uribia) and temporary family shelter to families walking through Santander.</p>	EUR 62 500
Malteser International	Germany	<p>Medical emergency relief for Venezuelan refugees and migrants and distribution of hygiene kits, complemented by health and hygiene promotion.</p> <p>Medical emergency relief is ensured by a permanent medical team at a health post in the department capital Riohacha-Colombia providing primary health care, provision of medical consumables / medicine, vaccination and nutrition programmes and pre and post-natal care and medical care for newborn babies.</p>	EUR 62 500
TOTAL			EUR 250 000

2 - Beneficiaries of decommissioned IT equipment in 2018

In total, 509 desktops PCs and 858 laptops, corresponding to a total of 88 requests (plus 5 direct donations from EIB external offices), were donated in 2018. Beneficiaries were located in 18 countries: Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, India, Kenya, Lithuania, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Serbia and United Kingdom.

Country	Beneficiary name	Desktops	Laptops	Other equip.
Belgium	VZW De Kade	4		
Belgium	Ecole communale fondamentale de Transinne		10	
Belgium	Oasis Famille	4		
Bulgaria	Center Local Initiatives & Develop. – Asenovgrad		1	
Bulgaria	School Board Hristo Botev		5	
Bulgaria	Baba Tonka Upper Secondary Mathematical School		10	
Bulgaria	Hristo Botev primary school		10	
Croatia	Udruga Za Edukaciju Gradana Split	30		
Czech Republic	Elementary School of Sumperk		10	
Czech Republic	Cesta Domu		20	
Czech Republic	Sbor Bratrské jednoty Baptistu v Sumperku		3	
Czech Republic	Unie Rodicu z Peltky, z.s. (Parents Union of 5)		10	
France	Ecole Primaire La Clef des Champs		10	
France	Collège Pierre Mendès France	35	5	1
France	Ecole Maternelle Ile aux Enfants	3	10	
France	Le Castel - Etablissement et Service d'aide par le Travail		10	
France	Metz Triathlon	2	6	
France	College de Baccarat	34		
France	Ainamada Association		5	
France	Collège Joliot-Curie	20		
France	Collège Montaigu	15		
France	Lycée La Briquerie	10	5	
France	Collège Victor Prouvé		15	
France	Collège Guynemer		5	
France	Ecole Primaire Victor Hugo	5	10	
France	Collège Jean Lurçat	7	5	
France	Collège de l'Euron	5	8	
France	Mairie d'Apach	8	12	
France	Ecole du Parc	6	6	
France	Collège Frédéric Chopin		20	
France	Collège George Chepfer	16	4	
France	Collège Loius Marin	10	20	
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Country	Beneficiary name	Desktops	Laptops	Other equip.
France	Association Culture Patrim. Naucellois & Sauveterrat		5	
France	Ecole Elémentaire du Jura	5	15	
France	Collège Val de Seille	10	4	
France	Ecole Maternelle Clemenceau		5	
France	Shake your School		7	
France	Collège Jacques Marquette	20	5	
France	Collège de la Craffe	15	2	
France	CRP Jean Moulin – EPNAK	20	10	
France	Collège Jacques Grüber	10	20	
France	BILCF-Bertrange Imeldange Loisirs Culture et Fêtes		10	
France	Union Sportive Koenigsmacker		15	
France	Collège Jean Moulin		15	
France	Taekwondo Club de Champigneulle		2	
France	Association des Musulmans de Thionville		20	
France	Collège Alfred Mézières	20		
France	Collège Vincent Van Gogh		30	
France	Collège Jean Mermoz Yutz		15	
France	Collège R. Geant	20	10	
France	Ecole Primaire Michel Berger		20	
France	Ensemble Scolaire des Recollets		15	
France	Association Musulmane de Jarville		15	
France	Ecole Maternelle des 4 Vents		8	
Germany	International Society for Human Rights (ISHR) (IGFM)		20	
Greece	3rd Geniko Lykeio Larissas	14	5	
Greece	13th Lyceum Larissa	12		
Greece	Astakos State Primary School	30		
Greece	Alexander Technological Institute of Thessaloniki	20		
Greece	School of Mathematics, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki	10		
Greece	1st Vocational Lyceum of Agia	10		
Greece	International Hellenic Universtiy		20	
Greece	REvive Greece		15	
Greece	5th Geniko Lykeio Larissas		20	
Greece	ITHACA	2	2	
Greece	4th General Lyceum of Katerini	25	4	
India	St. Francis de Paul Matriculation School		30	
Lithuania	Aukstelke School -Multifunctional Centre		15	
Lithuania	Kurtuvenai School Multifunctional Centre		10	
Lithuania	Slienava Primary School		20	
Lithuania	Siauliu Salduves Progimnazija		40	
Lithuania	Sepeta Alma Adamkiene Main School		10	
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Country	Beneficiary name	Desktops	Laptops	Other equip.
Luxembourg	Médecins du Monde	5		
Luxembourg	Tennis Club Senningerberg		2	
Luxembourg	Foyer Don Bosco - Croix Rouge	1		
Luxembourg	Missionnaires de l'Immaculee - Père Kolbe	1	1	
Luxembourg	Anelia Vasileva Scholarship Programme		4	
Netherlands	Sierra Leone Sports for empowerment	5	5	
Poland	Fundacja Uniwersytet Dzieci		20	
Poland	Henryk Sienkiewicz School		10	
Romania	General Magheru Technological High School		15	
Romania	Mircea cel Batran College		15	
Romania	National College Alexandru Lahovari	10	9	
Romania	Bailegorova Technological High School	10	5	
Romania	Bunesti Secondary School		10	
Romania	Gib Mihaescu High School	10	10	
Romania	Scoala Gimnaziala, Sat Magura	10	10	
United Kingdom	Family Restoration Centre		30	
EXTERNAL OFFICES (*)				
Bulgaria	Primary School Otets Paisiy			15
Italy	Repubblica dei ragazzi ONLUS, Civitavecchia		16	
Kenya	Computers for Schools Kenya			9
Portugal	Agrupamento de Escolas de Fernando Pessoa			4
Serbia	Children's Shelter Belgrade		2	
	TOTAL	509	858	29

(*) Contrary to the general rule that stipulates that the beneficiary has to be registered in an EU Member State, the beneficiaries of IT equipment from external offices can be local non-for-profit organisations. The donation to an organisation based in India mentioned in page 6 was an authorised exception with the intervention of an EIB staff member.

The Institute renewed in 2017, for a period of three years, its partnership with Close the Gap which takes used IT equipment to African schools helping young people in the countries concerned to improve their educational and economic prospects. In 2018, the EIB has donated more than 1 000 pieces of IT equipment to the organization.