

# WEARE TOGETHER.

### **VISION**

Turkish Philanthropy Funds aims to build and serve a community of dedicated, passionate philanthropists and partners working to address social challenges and make a positive impact.

### **MISSION**

Turkish Philanthropy Funds works to inspire and mobilize innovative, high-impact philanthropy that benefits our communities in Turkey and in the U.S.

## A VERY SPECIAL THANKS

to all the people who shared their stories for this annual report.



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# OUR VALUES

Our VALUES are at the center of our culture, guide our leadership and drive our daily work.

### INNOVATION

We pride ourselves on staying on top of and implementing new technologies and innovative processes. We invite and encourage new ideas, pioneering practices, and original methods for achieving community good. We listen and connect people to exchange ideas and explore perspectives that can change the conversation, or change minds.

### **EMPOWERMENT**

We assess the societal needs before we invest our funds and make grants to enable communities to reach their fullest potentials.

### CONNECTIVITY

We engage our community by delivering the utmost value to our donors and partners, foster a culture of collaboration among institutions, individuals, and families, and advance sustainable and impactful philanthropy.

### **ACCOUNTABILITY**

We are committed to showing how every donation is used and hold our partner organizations on the ground to the same high standards.



# LEADERSHIP LETTER

Birlikten kuvvet doğar.

TOGETHER we are stronger.

### Dear Donors, Partners, and Friends:

Like all of you, Turkish Philanthropy Funds has spent the past several months reacting to the ever-changing impacts of COVID-19. As the pandemic touches each of us, our focus has been on addressing the needs of those who have been disproportionately impacted and helping the tens of nonprofit organizations that offer vital support. Now more than ever, the needs in our communities are being felt more deeply with all of us eager to help.

These uncertain times make us long for the normal things: visits with family, meals with friends, celebrations, and routines. And yet, the disruptions and loss have also given us the opportunity to reflect on how we must do more. TPF has acted with renewed energy.

As an organization, we constantly work to bring our community **TOGETHER** in different ways around philanthropy. Over the last decade, we have built a wealth of knowledge that enables us to choose smart solutions and effective nonprofits to carry impactful programs out on behalf of our donors. The milestones this year proved once again that TPF is responding to what our community expects and needs from us. This year, we were able to distribute close to \$2 million in grants bringing our total grantmaking since inception to more than \$23 million. Our work this year focused on:

- Mobilizing community support and providing emergency grants to nonprofits responding to crises in their local communities,
- Convening nonprofit partners, businesses, and donors for increased collaboration to effectively serve our community during COVID-19; and
- Identifying and raising resources for projects that help fill social and economic gaps in Turkey from education to women empowerment.

Our record of success and deep connections with NGO partners and the Turkish-American community have enabled us to respond to the Elazig earthquake and the COVID-19 pandemic quickly with targeted funds. We have touched the lives of more than 50,000 with these funds by supporting recovery efforts, closing gaps, and addressing unmet needs. Among our notable highlights:

- Donation of a life-saving medical machine in the treatment of Covid-19 to Inonu University Medical School in Malatya making it the second machine of its kind in the country,
- Providing the much-needed PPE to healthcare workers in Turkey,
- Offering cash assistance to Turkish students in the US to go back home, and
- Funding tens of scholarships.

As we look ahead, we are more focused than ever on mobilizing our philanthropic community for Turkey and Turkish American causes. We have been deeply touched and inspired by the genuine acts of kindness that we have seen every day in the last several months. The COVID-19 Community Relief Fund and the Elazig Earthquake Fund are only two of the ways that your generosity has connected our community and demonstrated the impact we can have through your involvement.

On the following pages, we are pleased to share information about TPF's impact through stories that speak to the values of our organization and the ways our fundholders, donors, partners, businesses, and friends are taking action to ensure we are resilient in these difficult, unprecedented times. And, while we know there is much work to be done, we are proud that TPF is playing an important part in bringing people **TOGETHER** to give, to help, and to heal.

### With heartfelt gratitude,

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Mehmet Lütfi Kırdar



**Şenay Ataselim Yılmaz, Ph.D**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR



Maria Figueroa Küpçü VICE CHAIR



# **PHILANTHROPY**

Your gifts.
Our community connections.

Our story began in 2007 when a handful of visionaries united as a small but determined team to establish Turkish Philanthropy Funds to provide a platform for impactful and effective philanthropy.

This solid framework grew stronger over the next decade as TPF expanded into new states in the U.S. and formed partnerships in Turkey to better support the generosity and passion of donors across the U.S. As TPF grew we adopted the role of collaborator, growing philanthropic impact through new partnerships and supporting organizations. By valuing open communication and collaboration with a diverse array of organizations, we widened our reach to create lasting change.

This year, especially with the COVID-19 pandemic, our communities faced new challenges that demanded innovative solutions. TPF has stepped up to meet that need by seeking new methods of community investing, and demonstrating ingenuity and creativity in our philanthropy. We are proud that our community sustains and enhances the quality of life for many and has created valuable connections over the past 13 years.

# OPEN A FUND

TPF encourages the aspirations of individuals, families, and companies who seek to change their community by taking action.

We offer many giving options for your personal philanthropy. The types of funds at TPF are customizable philanthropic accounts designed for individuals, families, and companies who want a personal, simple, and flexible yet powerful approach to giving back to our communities. These funds reflect the varied interests of our fundholders and donors and can be in memory of a loved family member or a friend.

# TYPES OF TPF FUNDS



### **DONOR-ADVISED FUND**

Allows an individual, family, or company the ability to establish a charitable fund, and then to recommend grants while TPF staff administers the grants.

27 DAFs



### **SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

Invests in the next generation and supports scholars' growth.

1 Scholarship Fund



### FRIENDS OF FUNDS

Manages funds fiscally on behalf of a non-profit located in Turkey.

• 2 Friends of Funds



### **AGENCY FUND**

Creates a fund that generates investment income, year after year, which can be drawn down in set annual payments to the organization, or reinvested in the fund to grow over time.

• 1 Agency Fund



### **DESIGNATED FUND**

Supports one or more specific non-profit organizations or programs.

1 Designated Fund

A minimum gift of \$5,000 is required.

# CONNECT THROUGH PHILANTHROPY

From creating funds to creating impact, TPF Donors are deeply committed to changing the future of new generations and establishing meaningful connections for our community.



Giving Societies recognize individuals who provide the vital foundation for TPF's work.

There are many options to join a Giving Society. You can:

Make a long-term commitment to TPF and become a **Founder's Society** member.

**15 members** • minimum \$50,000

Join the **Philanthropic Funds Society** to leave a lasting impact on your personal philanthropy.

**19 members** • minimum \$5,000

Become part of **Legacy Society,** an exclusive group of dedicated philanthropists who make a long-term investment to TPF through a gift in your will, trust, or estate plan.

8 members

Or support our mission with your generous donations by joining an **Annual Giving Society**.

268 members

# 2. JOIN A GIVING CIRCLE

A "giving circle" is formed when individuals come **TOGETHER** to pool their dollars, decide **TOGETHER** where to give the money and other resources such as volunteer time, and learn **TOGETHER** about their community and philanthropy. As a result, their collective impact is far greater than anyone member could achieve alone, and their relationships with specific charities create a deeper level of involvement for donors and the nonprofits they support.

Turkish Philanthropy
Funds' Giving Circles
are opportunities for
community members to
join TOGETHER to pool
their dollars to make a
greater impact in areas
they are passionate
about.

Giving circles have memberships, their own activities, and events, and make grants as a group. As a result, their collective impact is far greater than anyone member could achieve alone, and their relationships with specific charities create a deeper level of involvement for donors and the nonprofits they support.

Community is at the center of our beliefs, Giving Circles enables us to harness our community's resources collectively, build awareness of social needs, and inspire and foster the spirit of individual giving.

# 3. GIVE DIRECTLY TO A PROJECT

With a focus on four main impact areas: Gender Equality, Education Social and Economic Development, and Disaster Relief, TPF tackles the most crucial challenges through its partnership with local NGOs in Turkey. Find a TPF project that gets you excited on our website and donate right away at www.donate.tpfund.org.

## 4. START YOUR FUNDRAISER

Support a cause or a project that you care about by creating a fundraiser on our page at donate.tpfund.org. Then, mobilize your friends and collect donations on birthdays, veddings, marathons, corporate giving campaigns, and even baby showers.

# HOW A GIFT BECOMES A FUND

YOUR GIFT

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**RECOMMEND GRANTS** 

**OR SCHOLARSHIPS** 

Schools, Community Organizations

### OUR GIFT

# YOUR GIFT OPTIONS



### **Individual or Family**





### Cash

Cash equivalent checks or credit card donation.



### **Life Insurance**

Name TPF as a beneficiary or transfer ownership and receive a tax deduction for the policy's cash value. Any future premiums paid may also qualify for a deduction.



### **Closely Held Stock**

Results in a charitable deduction for the appraised fair market value and potential reduction of capital gains tax.



### Stocks, Bonds, and Mutual Funds

When held for one year or more, results in a charitable deduction for the full market value of the donated asset, even if you bought it for far less, and helps reduce capital gains tax.



### Real Estate

Turn a home, business, or land into a charitable gift outright, or set up a trust that will convert the property into a gift that provides you with income.

# CHOOSE YOUR INVESTMENT OPTION

Aggressive Pool, Growth Pool,
Balanced Pool, Conservative Pool,
Impact Investment Pools, ETF Equities
Pool, ETF Fixed Income Pool, and
Money Market Pool



# 5.

### DUE DILIGENCE

TPF ensures viability, compliance, and qualifications of recommended grant recipients.

# **6.**

# GRANTS MADE / CHECKS ISSUED

Grants can be made and checks can be issued at any time, in any amount over \$250, to any qualifying organization in the US and in Turkey.

# PLANTODAY, GIVE LATER

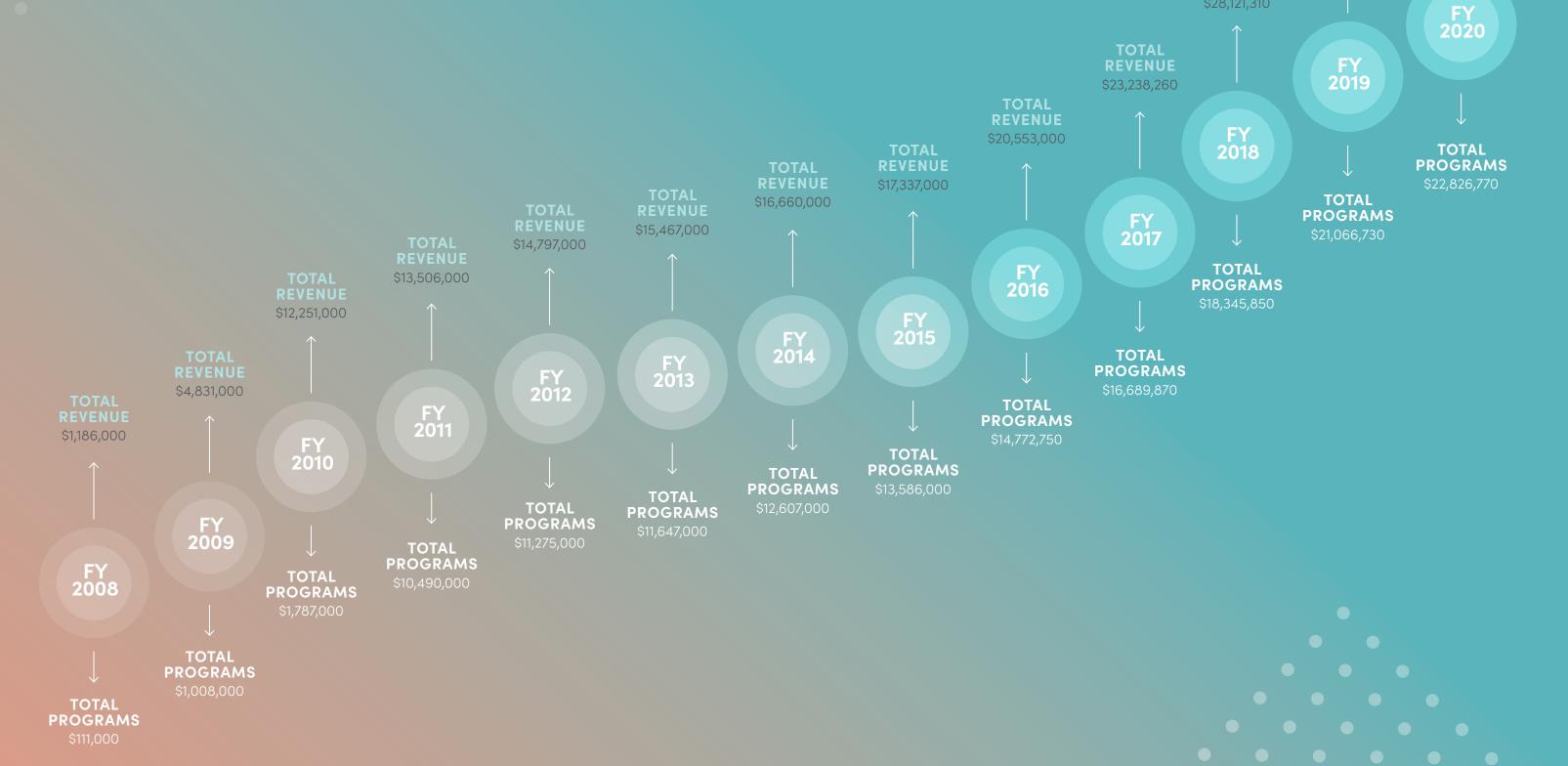
### **Create Future Community Connections**

Planned Gifts enable you to make significant contributions that may not have been possible during your lifetime. You can give what's left after your heirs are cared for as you get tax benefits. Plan today; let TPF realize it upon the donor's passing.

- Name TPF on your Charitable Bequests to receive all or a portion of your estate through your will or trust while you get tax benefits today.
- Make a simple contract through Charitable Gift Annuity that guarantees you a fixed income in exchange for a gift to TPF.
- Designate TPF as the beneficiary on your Life Insurance policy. Your assets will be transferred to TPF once you pass away, reducing estate and income taxes.
- Through **Life Estate**, give your personal residence or ranch as a gift, occupy the residence or land

- without disruption, and receive a charitable deduction for the remainder interest.
- Set up **Charitable Lead Trusts** that generate dividends. Throughout the term of the trust, earned dividends go to TPF while the remaining assets go to your heirs, tax-free, on the trust's appreciation.
- Create a Charitable Remainder Trusts to transfer cash and assets to an irrevocable trust and may receive income for life or a certain term of years. The remainder passes to TPF, creating a permanent fund in your name.

# OUR PROGRESS IN 13 YEARS

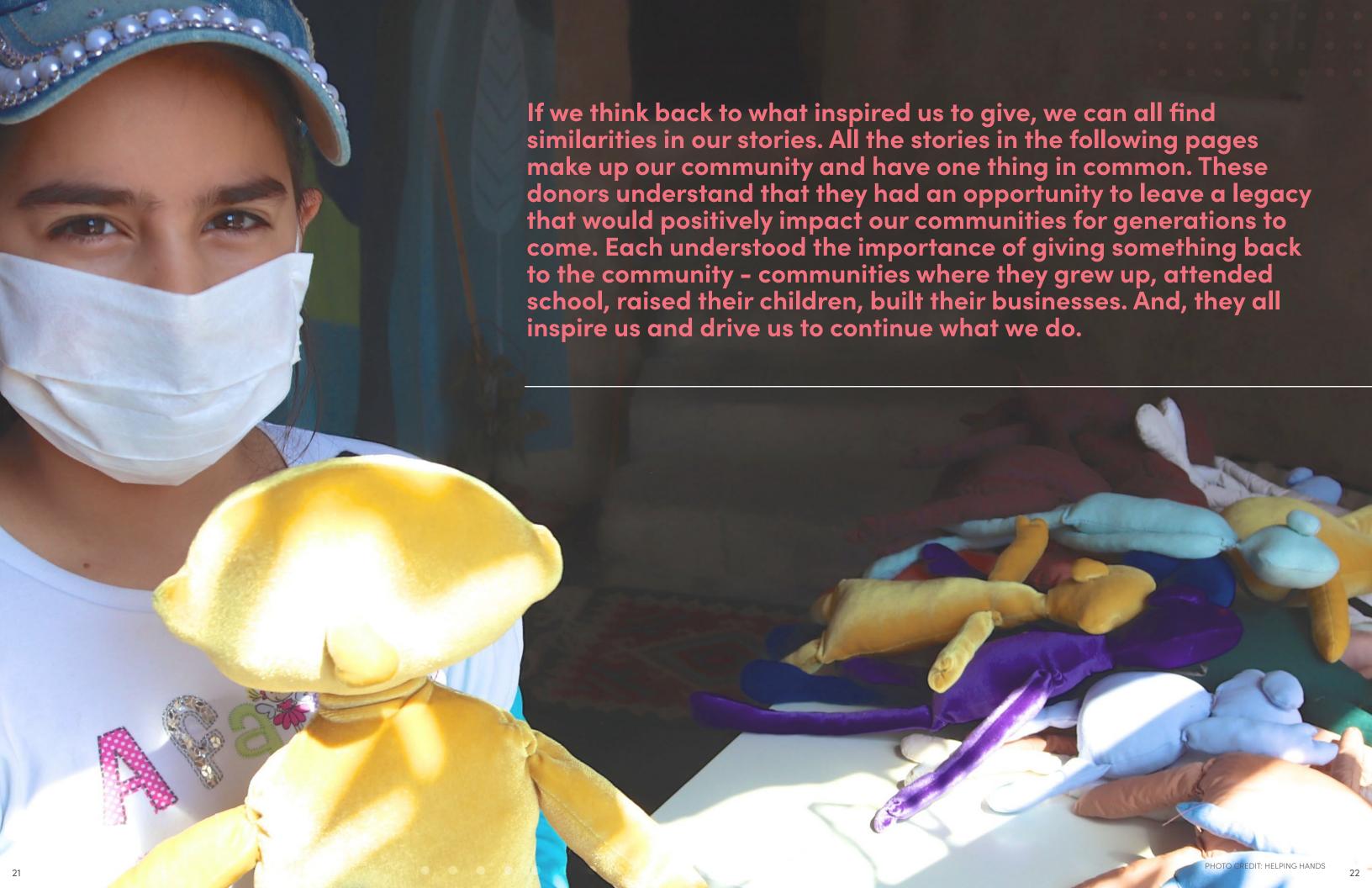


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TOTAL REVENUE \$40,711,570

**TOTAL REVENUE** \$34,789,360

TOTAL REVENUE



# GIVING WITH MEANING

"Giving toward a passion brings home a different message. You see the long-term rewards from investing in areas that hold a special place in your heart. Working with TPF has been incredibly rewarding because the internal satisfaction that comes when you give with MEANING is unparalleled."

NIL AND BAHADIR ONALAN



Nil and Bahadir Onalan are known best for their philanthropy in their immediate community. "Our motivation in asking our friends and family to join us in our giving is to share this feeling of happiness of knowing you're making a lasting impact on someone else's life. If you truly want to be happy in your life, make someone else happy, and you will be too," has been the couple's motto. "Sharing and giving absolutely bring happiness to your life. Fighting injustice in this world is possible via the contributions from you, be it time, or money," continues Nil.

Giving has always been a priority for Nil and Bahadir. Yet, it became a central point in their lives as they became more successful in their careers. Giving back is a big part of Turkish culture and it was part of their lineage. They emphasize how they grew up with giving tradition in their families. "Because of our backgrounds, giving back has always been important to us whether it be through investing our time with communities or making a financial contribution." Because supporting education is a shared passion for Nil and Bahadir, making a charitable investment initially in educational programs such as providing scholarships made perfect sense. As they grew into their success, their giving portfolio has grown as well. In 2013, Bahadir met TPF staff at, and the Onalans established the **Umudumuz Fund**, a donor-advised fund at TPF, later that year. "The commitment, dedication, and drive of Haldun Tashman, his family and friends, and his team, have built a sustainable, transparent, and trustworthy model for charitable purposes - a model which brought us to TPF" notes the couple. With the tools and resources from TPF in their purview, they have started investing in a variety of issues from the refugee crisis and supporting programs that fight against injustice and discrimination to environmental issues. The combination of personal experience and shared

meaningful.

The Onalans have several memories from their years of giving but the most memorable moments are seeing letters and photos from the children they support. This joy, they say, "cannot be found anywhere else." Their ending sentence when they ask their friends to join them in their giving is: Start with helping ONE family, ONE child, ONE woman, and the rest will follow.





Zeynep Oğuz Bilimer's journey in philanthropy began at an early age as she grew up in a family dedicated to giving back. For her family, philanthropy and serving the community have been at the forefront for generations. Zeynep reflected on her family's generosity, especially to the community she grew up in. "I grew up in a city where the central mosque carries the name of my great-grandfather and schools are named after my parents. After my grandmother passed away, we met so many people whom she had silently supported financially for years."

Talk around giving back had always been the staple of dinner conversations when Zeynep was growing up. Both of her parents are individual recipients of the Turkish Grand National Assembly's Outstanding Service Award (*TBMM Üstün Hizmet Ödülü*). They built schools, provided countless scholarships, and supported many civic and cultural projects. After they retired, philanthropy became their sole purpose. "Their philosophy has always been to keep one-third of what they made, pay one third in taxes, and give back the remaining one third. Throughout my life I've seen how spiritually fulfilling giving back has been for my parents," notes Zeynep. Her parents are the quintessential model for giving; their lives of generosity will continue to impact those they care about long beyond their lifetimes. And, that is also what matters the most to Zeynep and her husband, Evren.

"It's been the greatest gift," says Zeynep. "I feel like what my parents taught us was an opportunity – an opportunity to make a difference and to explore within ourselves something they had already figured out: lifting up the people around you is what matters most. They knew that giving back could bring good to others, but also to us as we practiced generosity TOGETHER."

Today, Zeynep and Evren use their giving to help create a stronger community and a healthier society. Their preference is to support projects that may be otherwise unpopular or controversial for widespread support and programs that help people become self-sufficient. With this lens, Bilimers believe they have a better understanding of what the current needs are beyond their personal interests. They note: "This is a great way to broaden our perception of the needs in our communities."



Zeynep and her husband, Evren, have embedded giving back in their lifestyles. Early on in her career when Zeynep did not have the financial means to give, she was designing branding for non-profit organizations and helping them with their communication needs on a pro bono basis. Evren became a regular supporter of Action Against Hunger early in his career, an organization later for which Zeynep also became a big advocate. Their support to cure child malnutrition resonated even more as they became parents in hopes to help lower and eventually end child deaths due to malnutrition in the world. Now, as young parents, they constantly look for ways that can empower their two children philanthropically and get them excited about the ways they can contribute to society. "We have an obligation to give back where we live, where we come from, and to invest in our communities. We want our children to grow up learning about our family's culture of giving and see themselves as part of the community narrative," notes Zeynep.

The couple's two children are both nature lovers and really worry about climate change so their giving involves organizations that fight it. Zeynep and Evren are aware that there are many worthy causes so being able to focus and know what's most important to them as a family, and being able to align that with the giving they do have been really meaningful to their family.

Bilimers appreciate the many opportunities to learn and engage when you partner with TPF, whether it's information about effective nonprofits in Turkey, support in vetting these non-profits, or the variety of issue-focused events TPF hosts. There's something for everyone. For Bilimers, TPF allows their family to be a part of something their ancestors would've deeply appreciated. And, as the daughter of major philanthropists, Zeynep feels that this is her way to honor her family's selfless acts and support of their immediate communities. And, as a bonus, Zeynep notes "giving back in return gives you a sense of purpose and you are happier and healthier as a result."

# JOINING TOGETHER

### **To Find Solutions**

BURCU AND METE TUNCEL



Burcu and Mete Tuncel understand the value of giving back to their community. They have been devoted philanthropists and TPF donors for several years.

Their involvement with Turkish Philanthropy Funds began through Burcu's connection to Nihal and Haldun Tashman as the 2004 recipient of the Tashman Fellowship for her MBA degree at Columbia University but continued with Burcu and Mete's working with Özlenen Kalav, former President and CEO of TPF, at the Robert College Alumni Association of America. Having these connections enabled them to have a true introduction to TPF and begin their philanthropic journey with TPF.

The Tuncels are drawn to help children in need and found their passion in two main areas: education and healthcare. Through Turkish Philanthropy Funds Burcu and Mete were able to find organizations they wanted to get involved with and they were able to trust that their support would go to the areas they imagined. "I enjoy being very

hands-on," says Burcu Tuncel. "With TPF, I've loved being involved in the projects we support from Turkish Philanthropic Association (Türkiye Yardim Sevenler Dernegi) to fund schools in my hometown to raise awareness on early childhood education to provide scholarships to TOHUM Autism Foundation which offers top of the line education for kids with needs and supporting children affected by leukemia and their families through LOSEV."

The couple brings a creative attitude to raising money and awareness as well. Right when the pandemic hit our communities, Burcu and Mete looked for a way to help people in Turkey. The couple reached out to TPF to discuss potential ideas. Burcu did not only bring in her passion for giving to TPF but also her network and connections. She connected with her Robert College classmates, Yasemin Sırali and Özge Karadağ Çaman for guidance and help. Her research revealed the need for a medical machine called the Cerus Intercept System that can be live-saving in the treatment of Covid-19. And, there was only one of them in Turkey, in Istanbul. Burcu reached out to Robert College alumni to raise funds. A major gift by another Robert College classmate, Umur Çubukçu, and many others enabled TPF to

donate the device
to İnönü Üniversitesi
Turgut Özal Tıp
Merkezi in Malatya. This
machine which inactivates
pathogens in the plasma
collected from individuals who
have recovered from coronavirus
disease is a life-changing
opportunity to help fight the
infection. "Turgut Özal Tıp Merkezi is

the largest stem cell and organ transplant hospital

in Turkey with 222 stem cells and more than 300 liver transplants in 2019. With the onset of the Covid-19 pandemic, it became the first hospital to start immune plasma therapy in the world after centers in China. Knowing that this will make a huge difference for thousands of people during these uncertain times of Covid-19 and will continue to be used in the long-term for stem cell and organ transplants once the pandemic is over, makes this one of the most memorable moments of our lives," notes Burcu and Mete.

**INTERCEPT** 

**DOCTOR** 

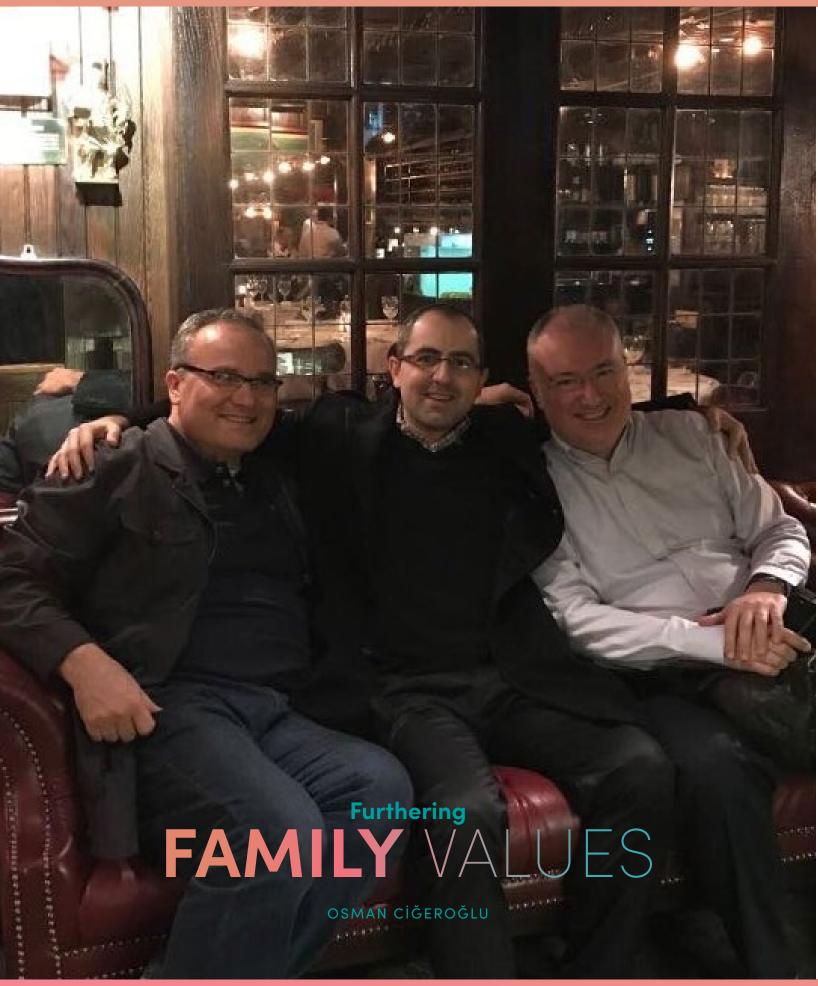
**MACHINE WITH** 

This along with many other reasons continues to inspire the Tuncels to give back and do so through TPF.

"Working with TPF gives us a sense of security and reassurance that our contributions go to make the lasting impressions we desire. TPF helped us stay on top of things. With TPF's due diligence, we know our donations go to the right place. When you donate through TPF, the grantees take you more seriously. They make things happen. They know TPF will follow-up and that they have to deliver on time" says Burcu.

As Burcu and Mete continue their journey with TPF, they hope to educate friends and family on the power of intentional giving.

Mete and Burcu plan to continue identifying opportunities to tell their friends and family how they can give thoughtfully and see the results of their investment. "We are excited about the opportunities we'll have to make contributions for many years to come to charitable organizations we care about," Burcu said. "And, TPF makes it so easy."



Osman Ciğeroğlu is tremendously intentional about his charitable giving and has partnered with TPF in a variety of ways to align his values with his personal giving.

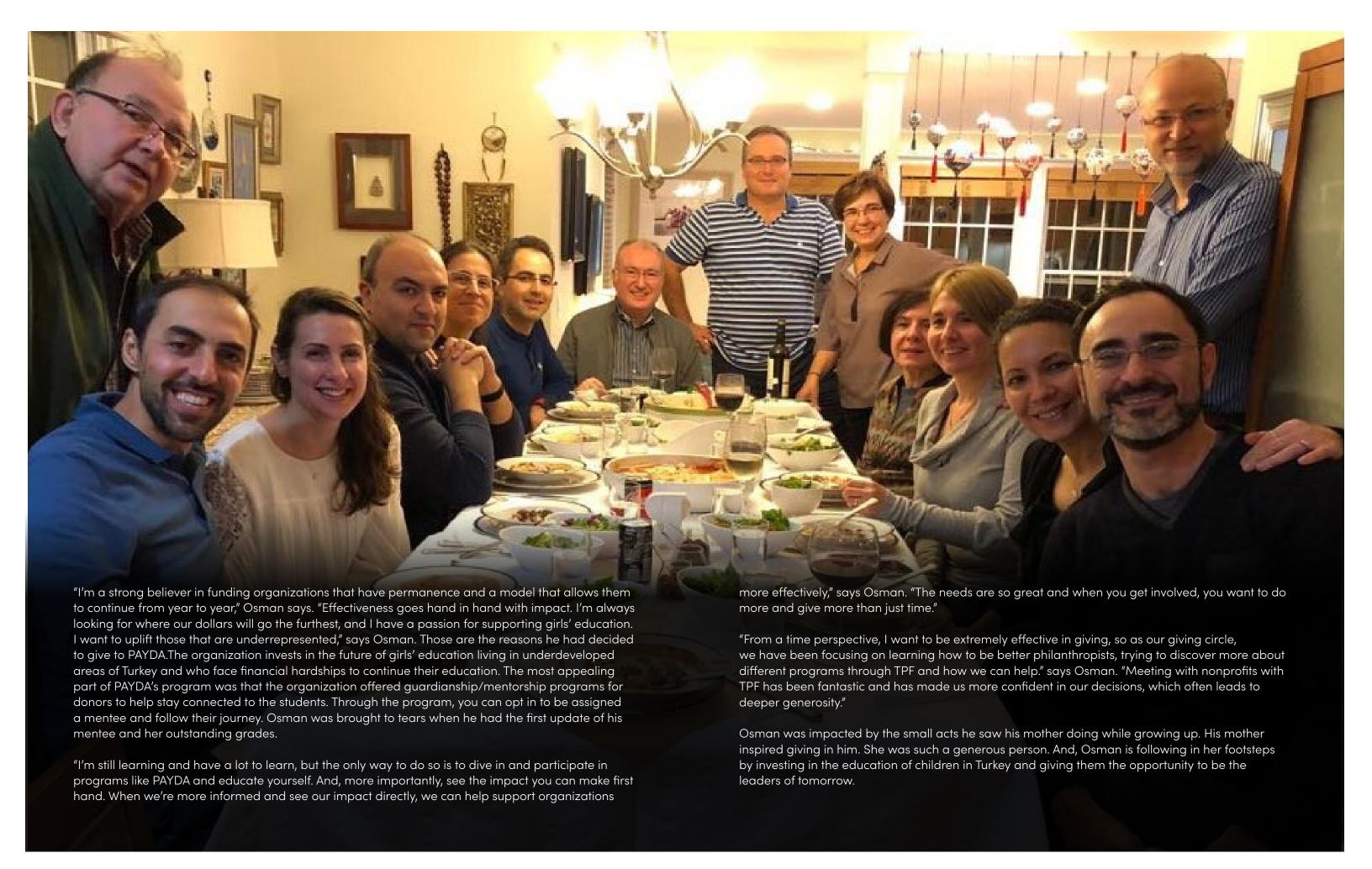
"I'm a strong believer in social responsibility, and that you can advocate and influence change not only through giving charitably but in how you choose to invest your funds," says Osman. "I give back to help create positive change. There are so many critical issues out there that need support, resolution, and helping hands. There are many great nonprofits I was introduced through TPF that are the ones championing causes and taking on the big issues."

"I am largely inspired by my FAMILY, particularly my mother, to give of my time, talent, and money. I grew up watching her give my entire life," says Osman.

Osman's mother was an English teacher. She has always gone beyond helping students with their studies. She covered their school expenses and got them school supplies. As Osman grew older, he saw first hand how her mother touched people's lives. At a young age, he understood how important education and having someone believe in you and work for you to succeed is. The students Osman's mother helped personally became very successful – one became the general manager of a big medical device company, another a prominent lawyer, and another an engineer. Giving back is something Osman grew up seeing and normalizing, which in turn made him who he is today as a philanthropist someone who wants to invest in children.

Osman came to the US in 2014 and was introduced to TPF a few years later by his friends, Onur Karayal and Serhan Secmen. They assured him that he can continue to give back to Turkey but with the comfort of knowing his donations would get to the right organizations and people. Learning more about TPF, he saw how this was the best way to give back to Turkey, as TPF is a very secure and trustworthy organization, works with a variety of nonprofits in Turkey, and has made transparency a priority.

Through TPF, Osman honed his values, often prioritizing transparency and effectiveness when considering charitable funding opportunities through the giving circle he became part of at TPF.



# OUR DONORS

### \$150,000 OR MORE

Haldun Tashman Jacobs Foundation Mustafa Kemal Abadan Nuraltay Foundation

### \$50,000 - \$149,999

Hamdi Ulukaya Joan Sezen Umur Çubukçu

### \$10,000 - \$49,999

Ahmet Bozer Ali and Ümran Beba Alp and Esra Onalan Ayla Demirci

Ayşe and Bahadir Onalan Bülent and Sema Başol

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Osman Ertugay
Rahmi Sayder
Selin Gülçelik

Seran Trehan
Zeynep and Evren Bilimer

### \$1,000 - \$9,999

Adam Arents
Ahmet Göksun
Amish Market Westside
Arthur Kebanli
Asli Turgut

Assia and Vedat Eyüboğlu Bahadir Bölükbaşi

Berkin Koloğlu
Burcu Tuncel
Çağlar Günyaktı
Derya Taşkin
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Tamer Seçkin
Tamer Erzurumlu
Tolga Güney
Tuba Firincioğlu

Tunga and Irem Kiyak Umut Alev

Yasemin Tashman Song

### \$1 - \$999

A. Osman Akan Abigail Shure Ada Aka Adem Sherifov Adnan Orali Ahmet Yörüklü Ahmet Akkas Ahmet Apaydın Ahmet Üglü Ahmet Terzioğlu Ahmet Suer Ahmet Engin Bayrak Ahmet Erhan Aksoylu Ahmet Ferhat İlter Akgün Karakaş Akif Balantekin Alber Kaya Alexa McMahon Ali Övgün Ali Öztaşkın Ali Ercan Ali Çinar Ali Selvi Ali Sener Ali Gencay Ali Alpay Ali Kadaster Ali Tinazli Ali Güngör Aydınoğlu Ali Akansu Alp Akdemir Alp Baysal Alpay Soyoğuz

Alper Şen

Alper Gün

Alper Ekmekci

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Balkir Zihnali

Banu Uygun

Barış Imamoğlu

Ayşenil Brittan

Azra-Haluk Pehlivanoğlu

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Melis Türkgench

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Meltem Webb

Meryem Kaya

Mete Bayyiğit

Metin Taşkin

Mira McCurdy

Mohsen Haidar

Muge Vardar

Murat Eron

Murat Mermer

Murat Odabasi

Mustafa Ikmen

Mustafa Bal

Murat Dabagoğlu

Mustafa Özkeskin

Mustafa Abadan

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Natarsha Tezcan

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Nazife Uzun

Nazim Suli

Nermin DeCou

Nesli Spada

Nesli Wykoff

Neslihan Ataselim

Neva Ignatow

Nicole Scandlyn

Nihat Şengül

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Zumrut Atli-Tabnet

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# COLLABORATE

"I cannot imagine a future where people don't work TOGETHER. Collaboration is like oxygen. When you are surrounded by the energy, creativity, and support of others, you can breathe deeper, run faster, jump higher, and reach for the stars."

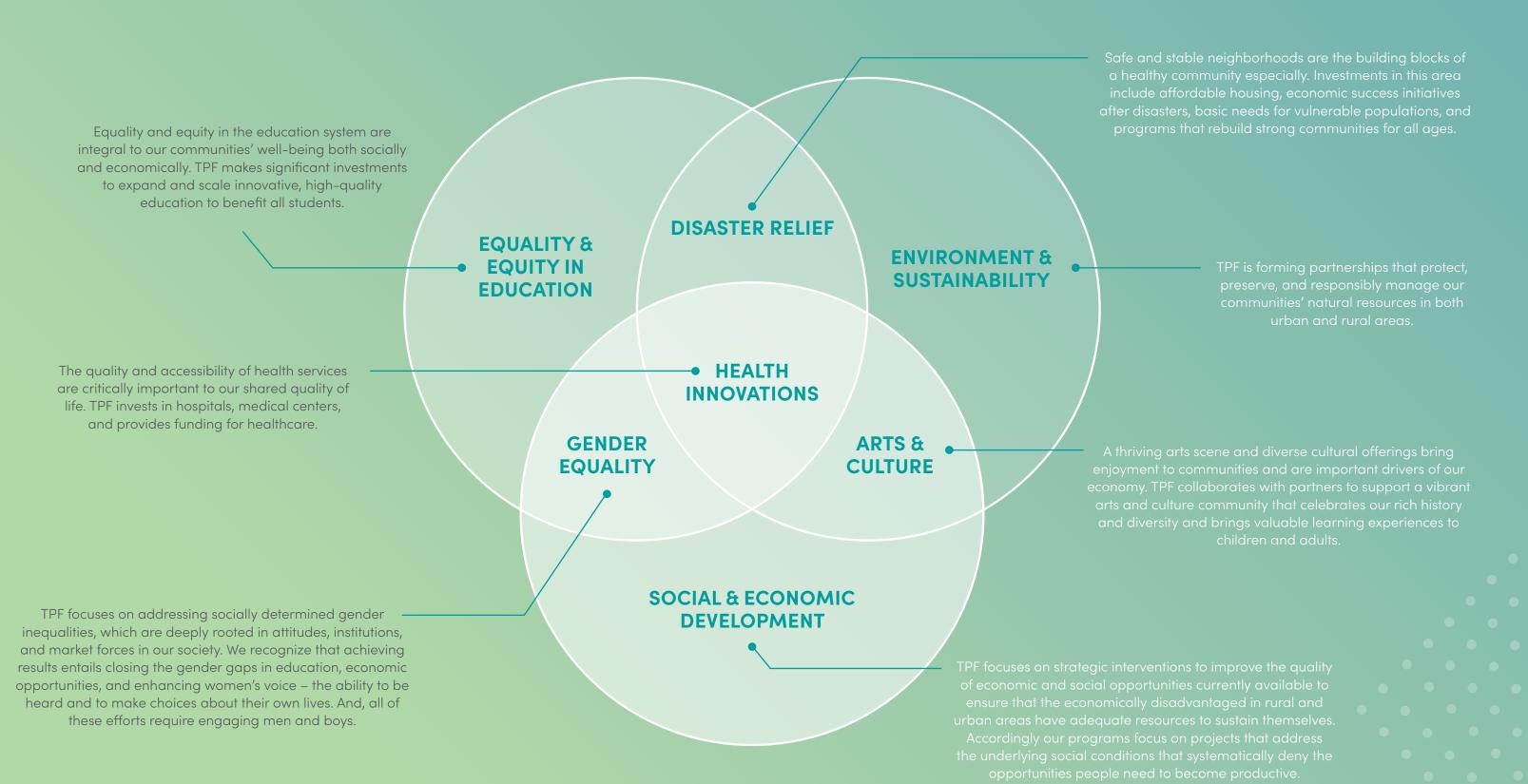
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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, TURKISH PHILANTHROPY FUNDS



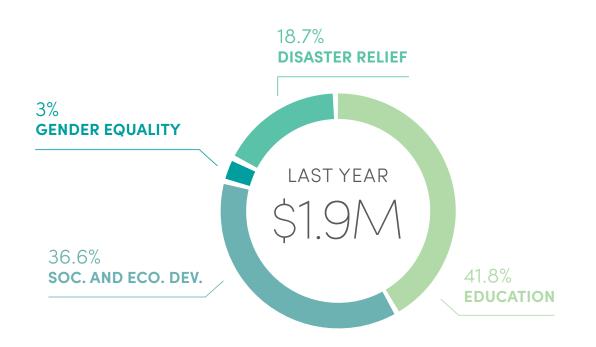
# TPF'S PHILANTHROPIC AGENDA

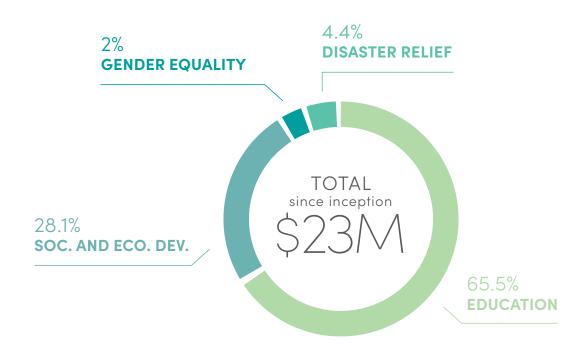
Drawn from TPF giving patterns, our philanthropic agenda reflects the intersection of our donors' interests and the needs of our communities in Turkey and in the US.



# OUR IMPACT

Last year TPF gave \$1.9M to over 135 programs in 100 cities in the US and Turkey investing in causes from scholarships to health resources.





**FUNDED** 



### OVER \$446,787

worth of scholarships to high school and university students in Turkey and in the U.S.



### **OVER \$315K**

to disaster relief efforts after the Elazig Earthquake and during the Covid-19 pandemic

### **DELIVERED**



70 science and coding kits to schools in Sinop



### **ART THERAPY**

support through puppetry workshops for 150 Syrian refugee children



2 WATER WELLS to 2 villages in Gambia, providing access to clean water to over 3,400 people



QUALITY HEALTHCARE for children with leukemia

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### 2 ENTREPRENEURSHIP Fellowships

CODING BOOTCAMPS and Classes

### PROVIDED · · · · ·

### YOGA CLASSES

to more than 400 kids in NYC public schools

1 Intercept Illuminator
MACHINE

### FUNDING

to 8 universities in the U.S. to provide scholarships to successful students from Turkey

# OUR RESPONSE TO ELAZIG EARTHQUAKE RELIEF FUND

TOGETHER we provided hope and healing to thousands of people in the earthquake-affected towns and villages.

### THE CHALLENGE

On January 24th, 2020 disaster struck the eastern region of Elazığ in Turkey. The devastating earthquake left tens of people dead and thousands homeless and displaced.

### THE RESPONSE

TPF created the Elazığ Earthquake Relief Fund on the day the earthquake only a few hours after the earthquake. The fund was created as a bridge to help organizations with emergency relief and long-term development programs that can revive earthquake hit areas both socially and economically, and give new opportunities to the survivors and the Elazig and neighboring communities.

Only a few hours after the devastating earthquake civil society organizations in the country established the Civil Society Disaster Platform (Sivil Toplum Afet Kordinasyon Platformu- SITAP) to respond to the need in the city in a coordinated way. TPF joined the platform and closely followed the developments on the ground minute by minute. An online communication channel among SITAP stayed active 24-hours a day identifying the needs, organizing volunteers, distributing basic supplies, giving trauma support, and responding to whatever is needed.

Our community responded to our call-to-action immediately and generously.

TPF donor gifts not only provided much-needed supplies such as food, hygiene products, and blankets, and gave mental health support to children and families dealing with the trauma of the earthquake but most importantly helped to provide hope and healing to thousands of people in the earthquake-affected towns and villages.



### THE IMPACT

Turkish Philanthropy Funds
HAS RAISED OVER
\$85K

The funding provided

GRANTS TO

ORGANIZATIONS

that SUPPORTED

24,42C

families

10 scholarships

### 1 SUPPORT TO LIFE

### (Hayata Destek Derneği) \$12,750

Provided hygiene kits and cleaning supplies to households that are affected the most by the earthquake. In total 160 families and approximately 1,040 people were supported.

## MOTHER-CHILD EDUCATION FOUNDATION (Anne Çocuk Eğitim Vakfı) \$8,935

Supported the infrastructure for psychosocial support to children and their parents who live in remote areas and villages that were affected by the earthquake. Approximately 17,750 children and 4,170 adults benefited from the project.

## COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS FOUNDATION (Toplum Gönüllüleri Vakfı) \$12,255

Provided 10 students from disadvantaged backgrounds two-year-long scholarships to support their education.

### KAMER FOUNDATION

(Kadin Merkezi Vakfi) \$10,235 Launched a laundry services pro

Launched a laundry services program for earthquake victims who live in temporary tented communities after they were displaced from their homes. Over 1,000 wome benefited from the program.

### MAYA FOUNDATION

(MAYA Vakfi) \$10,002

Supported 450 children through art therapy with their trauma brought on by the earthquake in Elazig and Malatya

### NEEDS MAP (ihtiyaç Haritası) \$20,000

Provided microcredits to 17 households for sustainable income generation after being affected by the earthquake.

# OUR COMMUNITY'S RESPONSE

"Wishing all the people who lost their homes and loved ones all the strength in these difficult times."

- Anonymous

"Turkey was the first few countries sending the rescue team to Taiwan when the 9.21 earthquake happened in 1999. Many thanks to that and I hope the injuries and deaths can be minimized.

Pray for Turkey!"
- Anonymous

"In honor of the victims and the heroes working tirelessly to save lives. In memory of my annanne, who loved Turkey."

- Suleyman Duyar

Elazığ depreminde mağdur olan herkese geçmiş olsun, yakınlarını kaybedenlere içten başsağlığı dilerim. Umarım tez zamanda sıcak ve emniyetli bir yuvaya kavuşursunuz.

- Nurcihan Gesli

"This is not just the problem of the people who live in this disaster struck area, this is a problem for all of us and this is the time to become one."

- Burhanettin Palik

Başımız sağ olsun, yurt dışında yaşıyoruz ama kalbimiz sizinle... "We live abroad, but our hearts are with all those who were affected by the earthquake"

- Fatma Saribal





# TPF COVID-19 COMMUNITY RELIEF FUND

"Disasters can cause suffering to anyone anywhere. Providing help gives our lives meaning. With the Covid–19 Fund, TPF gave our community a platform to respond collectively. A rapid and very effective response. Participating in this campaign has been incredibly gratifying for our family. Kudos to all the donors and team TPF."

Haldun Tashman, Chairman Emeritus, TPF

### THE RESPONSE

In response to the outbreak, Turkish Philanthropy Funds launched the **TPF COVID-19 Community Relief Fund** to support containment, response, and recovery activities for those affected . TPF COVID-19 Community Relief Fund focused on supporting nonprofit organizations working directly to respond to the pandemic among the most vulnerable populations and to hospitals to provide the much-needed gear and equipment to help build their capacity for response.

TPF worked closely with our grantee partners on the ground in Turkey and social service organizations in the US to follow needs and identified the following areas to support:

### THE CHALLENGE

As the global novel coronavirus outbreak rapidly evolved and expanded, it tested our collective strength across the world and brought our community closer TOGETHER.

Millions went into lockdown and businesses across the globe were closed. Our communities in the US and in Turkey were left wondering what the long-term impact of the illness will be an their communities and their livelihoods.

HEALTHCARE WORKERS AND HOSPITALS: TPF supported capital purchases of masks, gowns, gloves, and other essential personal protective equipment to prevent the infection of essential medical staff who were at increased risk because of their close contact with people who were infected. As well as the purchase of an Intercept illuminator machine to be used to inactivate the residual virus and other infectious pathogens that may be present in donor blood before blood to transfusions Covid-19 patients. The machine was donated to Inonu University in Malatya.

### QUARANTINED INDIVIDUALS:

As the pandemic hit, quarantining was crucial in helping control the spread of the virus. However, this meant individuals were unable to go to work, go shopping for necessities, or even see their families in some cases. The TPF Covid19 Community Relief Fund worked to provide funding to organizations that provided support to quarantined individuals. Support included food and hygiene products, protective and cleaning materials, and food and financial assistance

### **VULNERABLE POPULATIONS:**

TPF provided support to organizations supporting vulnerable populations including low-income children and families, hourly wage earners, workers

in the gig economy, older adults, people with disabilities, and other communities vulnerable to the physical health, mental health, and economic impacts of the pandemic to provide food, shelter and other basic needs

EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT: Funds were used to support students who come from families who have financial difficulties with scholarships, computers/tablets for

### **INFRASTRUCTURAL SUPPORT:**

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## Our targeted, localized, and holistic grantmaking strategy during COVID-19 followed:

### 1 ANALYSIS

TPF staff carefully assessed the overall impact of the disaster across three priorities:

- a) Geographic impact of the event (e.g. specific cities, towns, and counties).
- b) Populations affected (e.g. women, children, older adults, medically dependent).
- c) Under-attended issues that arise as a result of the pandemic (e.g. food security, housing and mental health, medical needs).
- d) We also worked to identify how other funders are allocating their dollars.

### EXPERTISE

While TPF staff drove the analysis portion of our work, we benefited significantly from the expertise of local organizations, national philanthropic institutions, medical doctors, and experts. These individuals informed the needs assessment and offered advice on unmet needs.

GOMMUNITY CONNECTIONS: An essential part of TPF grantmaking has been connecting with the community. Our team leveraged existing relationships with the philanthropic and nonprofit community and built new ones by connecting with community members and other funders. In addition, we utilized data and maps, reviewed media reports, and took into account others' assessments. We had no intention of "going it alone." Our strategic fund distribution process benefited from a range of voices on the ground.

GRANTEE BALANCE AND FOCUS: Our belief is, when missions match and solid relationships are in place, the grantmaker and grant recipient relationships flow seamlessly. We believe in building local capacity and planning for the future. To do this, we worked closely to allocate funds across local organizations in the US and to organizations in Turkey that focus on the geographical, population, and issue areas that are highest in need. Our criteria have been implementation capability, efficiency, and most importantly, transparency.

GRANT SOLICITATION: We not only provided support to TPF partners but also did need assessments to determine other nonprofit organizations both in the US and in Turkey to invite to apply for funding.





### THE IMPACT

\$30K
in support of U.S.
communities

\$40K

in support of the Turkish-American Community and Supported 300 Turkish American families in need.

\$194K

22%
COMMUNITY

37.9%
HEALTHCARE

23.9%
FOOD & HYGIENE

16.1%
EDUCATION





23K PEOPLE IMPACTED

296 donations received

20 programs supported

\$264K RAISED



720 FAMILIES
were supported through foo



OVER 13,000
healthcare workers supported with healthcare innovations or PPE



OVER 2,500 students received tablets, computers, internet service for distance learning



13 SCHOLARSHIPS were provided to students affected by covid

### **GRANTEES**

- Sharing and Solidarity
   Organization (PAYDA)- \$10,350:
   Purchased and distributed 800
   N95 Masks, 500 face shields,
   and 500 waterproof exposure
   suits to doctors and medical
   staff in Istanbul hospitals. 10,000
   healthcare workers benefited from
   this campaian.
- 2. Sharing and Solidarity
  Organization (PAYDA)- \$46,986:
  The funds supported the purchase of an Intercept illuminator machine to be used to inactivate the residual virus and other infectious pathogens that may be present in donor blood before blood to transfusions Covid-19 patients. The machine was donated to Inonu University in Malatya. Over 1,000 people benefited from it.
- 3. Tuvana Foundation for the Education of Motivated Children (TOÇEV)- \$11,250: 100 TOCEV students' families who lost their source of income due to Covid-19 were provided a cash payment of 750TL for grocery expenses. This project helped over 200 people
- Manisa Celiac Organic Nutrition Association (COYLAK)- \$2,402.04: Provided three months' worth of gluten-free items to disadvantaged families of 45 children with celiac disease.
- 5. Turkish Educational Foundation (TEV)- \$4,339.56: Provided monthly stipends as well as internet access to 300 high school and undergraduate students who are identified based on TEV's needs survey.
- 6. Turkish Educational Foundation (TEV)- \$7,195: Provided a one-yearlong scholarship to five high school and five college students who had a parent working in healthcare pass away due to COVID-19.
- 7. All Hands and Hearts Smart Response– \$20,000: Supported the organization's Emergency PP Drive for New York.
- Tohum Autism Foundatior

- (TOHUM)- \$12,836.70: Provided internet access and tablets to 78 students with autism.
- Turkish-American Cultural
   Association of Washington
   (TACAWA)- \$1,000: Went to support
   TACAWA's Social Support Network
   responds to the needs of the
   Turkish-American community in the
   Seattle area impacted by Covid-19.
- 10. United for Turkey- \$20,227.25:
  Supported 100 Turkish-Americans impacted by Covid-19, including students with F-1 visas who are stranded in the U.S., Covid-19 patients, and families affected by the loss of a parent, or family member due to the virus.
- 11. United for Turkey- \$14,605.88:
  Supported 100 Turkish-Americans impacted by Covid-19, including students with F-1 visas who are stranded in the U.S., Covid-19 patients, and families affected by the loss of a parent, or family member due to the virus
- 12. United for Turkey- \$4,888.70: Supported 100 Turkish-Americans impacted by Covid-19, including students with F-1 visas who are stranded in the U.S., Covid-19 patients, and families affected by the loss of a parent, or family member due to the virus.
- 13. Turkish Foundation for Children in Need of Protection (Koruncuk)-\$9,000: Supported the packing and distribution of Koruncuk's "packages of goodness" that contained food and hygiene products. The project benefited 75 families and approximately 300 children with disadvantaged backgrounds
- 14. Foundation for Children with Leukemia (LOSEV)- \$15,800:
  Provided packages of food, hygiene kits, and meat and poultry vouchers to households of 100 children with leukemia.100 households of children with leukemia benefited from the given support.

- the software development for creating an online system to match students who need a computer to continue their education with donors. The project was implemented in collaboration with Toplum Gonulluleri Vakfi (TOG) and Association for Supporting Contemporary Life (CYDD). At least 1000 primary school students + 1000 college students benefited from it.
- 16. NEF Foundation- \$10,002.50:
  Supported the raw materials, production, assembly, and delivery expenses for 550 face shields, 500 items of antibacterial workwear, 26 intubation booths, 17 disinfection stations, and 500 ventilator filters.
  Approx. 2,000 people benefited from this campaian.
- Small Projects Istanbul (SPI)-\$6,551.25: Provided 100 refuged families with food and hygiene supplies for two months.
- 18. Neighbors Link- \$10,000: Provided hot meal vouchers to low-income immigrant families, who are unable to cook in their homes in Mount Kisco, Ossining, and surrounding towns in Westchester County. 1,500 people benefited from this program.
- 19. Okul Destek- \$10,000: Covered the salaries of teachers who will be working at the summer school project, which aimed to help students catch up with math and science classes and encourage them to overcome the distress that emerged due to the Covid–19 500+ secondary school students benefited from it.
- 20. Turkish Female Physicians' Education Support Foundation (KAHEV)- \$5,000: Provided scholarships for one elementar student for three years and one high school student for two years whose healthcare worker parents passed away during the pandemic. Three students benefited from it.



# TPF's #KeepHopeAlive MUSIC MARATHON

A VIRTUAL COMMUNITY EVENT MAY 5TH, 2020



With this campaign, TPF joined many organizations around the world on #GivingTuesday's Global Unity Day for Covid-19.

We teamed up with 31 artists from musicians, singers, and composers to DJs around the world to raise awareness and funds. From 8:00 AM to 12:00 AM EST artists joined TPF's Live Stream and hundreds tuned in from the comfort of their homes for an uplifting experience in our time of need.

More than 4,500 tuned in to support those dealing with the pandemic.

"These times demand our very best, and what brings out our very best is to reach out to those who are in need, who are suffering and try to make a change in their circumstances. Let's respond to the uncertainty of the future, with the certainty of solidarity in helping those in need."

- Ahmet Bozer

TPF Board Member, Retired EVP, The Coca-Cola Company, HopeCo LLC

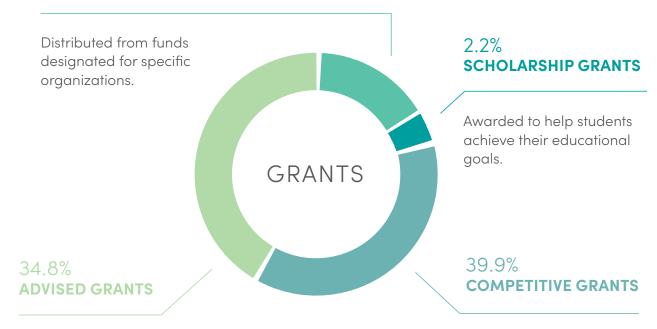
"In memory of my wife Marlene's Dear Mother Lygia Hernandez who passed away on Thursday because of COVID-19."

- Alp Baysal

# COMMUNITY INVESTMENTS

By providing vital support for our partner organizations, building scholarship opportunities for students from Turkey, and advancing the seven key areas of our philanthropic agenda, the investments entrusted to us develop and shape our community for the better. When it comes to grantmaking, we take performing due diligence seriously. Before issuing grants, our staff ensures that all grant recipients are qualified, viable organizations, in good standing. Our Executive Committee and Board of Directors provide oversight, approving, and ratifying all grants and scholarships.

## 23.2% **PASSTHROUGH GRANTS**



The majority of TPF's grantmaking, distributed from donor-advised funds, friends of funds, and agency funds at the recommendation of the founding donor or fund advisors.

Awarded year-round from our funds established for various common causes, through a competitive process. Proposals are evaluated by TPF staff and reviewed and approved by the Board of Directors.

### **EDUCATION**

### Ankara Science High School Alumni Association (AFLIVA) \$2,566.24

Supported the Scholarship Program, which aims to educate research-oriented students.

### **Artisan Grup** \$14,837.83

Supported 1 Million Books Project that aims to deliver books to children who do not have books in their homes in Turkey.

### American Turkish Friendship Council (ATFC)

Supported the "Change 4 Life" program to provide scholarships to underprivileged children in the South-Eastern part of Turkey.

### **Bent on Learning** \$100,000.00

Provided yoga classes to students in New York City public schools through "Yoga for Education Program."

### Boğaziçi University Alumni Association (BUMED) \$9,500,00

Supported 100 current university students to connect its alumni network.

### Boğaziçi University Foundation (BUVAK) \$77,663.29

Provided scholarships and educational support to Boğaziçi University students.

### Boğaziçi University Foundation (BUVAK) \$8,695.00

Provided support for Kandilli Science Technology Research Center to help Bosphorus University to establish a new research base to accelerate and develop its research activities and its academic programs.

### Cornell University \$23,992.00

Provided a scholarship grant to one student to cover expenses required for enrollment in the Connective Media Masters Program at Cornell Tech.

### Darüşşafaka Alumni \$1,900.00

Provided scholarships to successful college students with one or no parent(s).

### Change Leaders Association (DLD) \$5,100.00

Provided 10 months of salary for the new staff, who will be responsible for DLD social media. Min: 32 young women.

### **Duke University** \$39,459.26

Provided a scholarship to one student in M.A. in Analytical and Political Economy for the 2020 Academic Year as Sena Eken Schieber Economics Scholarship Awardee.

### Friends of the American Board School in Turkey (FABSIT) \$5,000.00

Provided support for FABSIT educational programs.

### Fordham University \$1,500.00

Provided a partial scholarship for one college student at Fordham University

### George Washington University \$5,295.00

Provided a scholarship grant to one student to cover expenses required for enrollment in the M.A. Applied Economics program.

### Georgia State University Foundation, Inc. \$8,000.00

Supported Panther retention and provided JMR College of business scholarship

### Georgia State University \$68,000.00

Supported the Institute of International Business Scholarship Program of the College of Business Scholarship.

### Entrepreneurship Foundation (GIRVAK) \$4,200.00

Provided scholarships for two university students in the fellowship program of GIRVAK.

### Educational Fund for Elementary Schools (ILKYAR) \$16,296.25

Supported mentorship programs and school visits.

### Educational Fund for Elementary Schools (ILKYAR) \$1,422,14

Supported Mobile Experiments Project that aims to reach approximately 300 children who are far from their parents to pursue their education.

### Educational Fund for Elementary Schools (ILKYAR) \$4,000.00

Provided clothing and school essentials to 350 disadvantaged students of Erzurum Akçam Elementary School.

### Educational Fund for Elementary Schools (ILKYAR)

Supported Visiting Boarding and Village Schools by Mobile Experience Project to reach out and motivate 300 village school students who stay at dorms far from their parents to maintain their education.

### Educational Fund for Elementary Schools (ILKYAR) \$11.629.69

Supported mobile visits to boarding and village schools to reach out to 4,000 students and teachers.

### **Educational Fund for Elementary Schools (ILKYAR)** \$5,412.35

Provided books to 30 village schools for the 2020 academic year.

### Educational Fund for Elementary Schools (ILKYAR) \$32,927.52

Supported 4,000 village school students' educational activities.

### **Koç University** \$34,125.85

Provided scholarships to three college students.

### **Kodluyoruz** \$9,500.00

Provided Kodluyoruz Youth Talent Development Programs that train and prepare underprivileged children to be employed in the tech sector.

### **Kodluyoruz** \$10,000.00

Supported to create new contents and classes for Kodluyoruz Bootcamps

### MAYA Foundation \$19,000.00

### Supported Project Lift - Hold My Hand Project

Projects that provides art therapy for 50 caregivers and 150 children who are exposed to traumatic events.

### NeedsMap (IH) \$7,750.00

Supported the financing of software development and project management services of the organization.

### Nesin Foundation \$1,985.50

Supported Nesin Mathematics Village that provides educational training for underprivileged children.

### New York University (NYU) \$13,000.00

Provided scholarship to one student in the International Relations Program for the 2018–2019 Academic Year.

### Sharing and Solidarity Foundation (PAYDA) \$1,000.00

Provided support for children in need to maintain their education through Caykisla Mentorship Program

### Sharing and Solidarity Organization (PAYDA) \$1,053.93

Provided scholarships and support to the education of elementary and primary school female students experience financial difficulties.

### **Project Sunshine** \$10,924.57

Provided Project Sunshine kits to children in medical facilities throughout the United States.

### Science Academy \$2,058.51

Supported the efforts of Science Academy to promote and preserve scientific excellence, methods, traditions and procedures through BAGEP Young Scientist Award Scholarships

### George Washington University \$10,408.00

Provided a scholarship grant to one student to cover expenses required for 2018–2019 Academic Year for the M.A. Applied Economics program.

### Turkish Education Foundation (TEV) \$29,195.00

Provided scholarships to 28 successful undergraduate students who are in need of financial support.

### Turkish Education Association (TED) \$944.40

Provided a scholarship for a student to cover expenses of the 2019–2020 Academic Year.

### **Turkish Education Association (TED)** \$4,339.56

Provided internet access and monthly stipends to 300 students who are in need.

### Turkish Education Association (TED) \$7,195.00

Provided scholarship for one high school and one college student for 4 years of studies.

### The Evergreen School \$15,000.00

Funded the "Above and Beyond" Campaign to promote inclusive educational programs.

### The Trustees of Columbia University NYC \$5,500.00

Jack and Freda Dicker Scholarship Funds.

### Community Volunteers Foundation (TOG) \$1,876.82

Provided scholarships to two students who are in need of financial support.

### Community Volunteers Foundation (TOG)

Provided scholarships for 10 students who were affected by the Elazig Earthquake for two years.

### **TOHUM Autism Foundation (TOHUM)** \$683.38

Provided equipment for two classes in Manisa and Şanlıurfa to support special education of students with autism.

### **TOHUM Autism Foundation (TOHUM)** \$12,836.70

Provided tablets and internet access to 78 families of children with autism who need special education.

### University of Washington \$4,000.00

Supported education, training, and department activities of the Neurological Surgery Department.

### University of Washington \$1,500.00

Gave a grant to promote Turkish culture in the U.S.

### YUVA Foundation \$410.16

Supported the Syrian refugee program that aims to empower refugees by supporting their self-development.

## SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

### **AKUT Search and Rescue Association (AKUT)** \$6,529.10

Provided the training for 50 volunteers for AKUT water and river operations and special boots are purchased to develop the logistics inventory.

### **Artisan Grup** \$29,250.00

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Provided fiscal sponsorship for Project Hope.

### ASHOKA Foundation \$45,000.00

Social Entrepreneurship Program to support one Ashoka Fellow for three years.

### Bolu Community Foundation (BBV) \$31,500.00

Supported women's education and covered a BBV staff's language school expenses in England.

### **Bogazici University Foundation (BUVAK)** \$637.17

Provided scholarships for Bogazici University students.

### **Darulaceze** \$87,300.00

Funded restoration and landscape design for a technical workshop, administrative, and washroom buildings.

### Darussafaka Society \$21,145.37

Supported middle and high school students who lost their mothers and/or fathers.

### Empowering Turkish-American Community USA

Helped establish the Turkish House for the Turkish-American community in Dublin, CA.

### Friendship Force International in Atlanta \$2,000.00

Turkish-American Community

### Global Innovation Fund (GIF) \$8,726.00

Provided staff support to GIF team members

### **Support to Life (HDD)** \$1,595.00

Provided disaster relief kits to families living in container settlements after the Elazig earthquake.

### Helping Hands of Turkey (HHT) \$76,500.00

Provided Syrian refugees support through Art Therapy and Puppetry Project.

### Educational Funds for Elementary School (ILKYAR) \$1,000.00

Provided support for the Summer Science School Project to support students and teachers."

### Kodluyoruz \$722.87

Provided coding education to 25 unemployed undergraduate students

### Turkish Foundation for Children in Need of Protection (Koruncuk) \$1,509.24

Provided food support to 15 low-income households with the Packages of Goodness Project.

### The Foundation for Children with Leukemia (LOSEV) \$82,796.16

Supported the LOSEV Food Research Laboratory equipment to conduct research on food and cancer relationships.

### The Foundation for Children with Leukemia (LOSEV) \$2,250.00

Provided educational and social assistance to 25 children with leukemia.

### Maya Foundation \$20,000.00

Supported mainly Syrian refugee children and their parents by responding to their social and emotional needs through Balat Child Center.

### Sharing and Solidarity Organization (PAYDA) \$1,500.00

Provided four scholarships for PAYDA students.

### **Sharing and Solidarity Organization (PAYDA)** \$36,205.91

Provided scholarships for elementary and primary school female students.

### **Sharing and Solidarity Organization (PAYDA)** \$664.18

Supported education of 200 elementary and primary school female students.

### Sharing and Solidarity Organization (PAYDA) \$950.00

Supported 200 female students whose families have financial hardships.

### Sharing and Solidarity Organization (PAYDA) \$2,000.00

Supported the Caykisla Mentorship Program to support female students to maintain their education.

### Sharing and Solidarity Organization (PAYDA)

Supported 230 students with scholarships who face financial hardships.

### Support for Improvement in Social and Economic Living Association (Sen de Gel) \$10,065

Supported the construction of 2 New Water Wells in 2 remote villages that do not have access to clean water in the Gambia.

### **TEMA Foundation** \$292.02

Supported environmental education for children in primary schools in Turkey.

### Community Volunteers Foundation (TOG) \$2,697.30

Supported Youth Mentoring Project.

### **TOHUM Autism Foundation \$8.058.60**

Equipped special education classrooms for students with autism across Turkey.

### Turkish Oncology Foundation (TOV) \$213,494.99

Supported the construction, renovation, and furnishing Nuraltay Cancer Detection and Screening Center in Istanbul.

### **Turkish Armed Forces Elele Foundation** \$72,750.00

Supported the development of the Special Care Center serving 100 orphaned elders in Lodumlu, Ankara Center, and is scheduled to open in 2022.

### Young Guru Academy (YGA) \$727.88

Supported two young and visually impaired people's lives through the WeWalk project.

### YUVA Association \$757.30

Supported the Flying Library Program that provides scholarships, after school activities, mathematics and language lessons, life skills training for 500 refugee children & children with disadvantaged backgrounds at Leyla Bayram Primary School.

### **GENDER EQUALITY**

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### Association for the Support of Contemporary Living (CYDD) \$8,160.31

Supported the education of female students

### Association for the Support of Contemporary Living (CYDD) \$1,040.80

Provided scholarships through the Educ8 program to empower young women.

### Association for the Support of Contemporary Living (CYDD) \$7,291.45

Funded "TPF Stars Program" to support high school and college education of girls in Turkey.

### Every Mother Counts \$2,000.00

Supported Women Empowerment

### **KAMER Foundation** \$10,235

Provided laundry services to tented communities built for those affected by the Elazig earthquake.

### Foundation for the Support of Women's Work (KEDV) \$991.35

Supported Women Micro-Entrepreneurs Project that supports women with entering into professional life.

### Turkish Women's Initiative (TurkishWIN) \$3,230.00

Supported women's empowerment and entrepreneurship.

### **DISASTER RELIEF**

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### Mother-Child Education Foundation (ACEV) \$8.935.00

Provided psychosocial support to children and their parents who were affected by the Elazig earthquake and are living in remote villages.

### All Hands And Hearts \$20,000.00

Provided support for disaster preparedness and relief services in response to Covid-19.

### **Bolu Community Foundation (BBV)** \$7,335.00

Supported 100 families who were affected by the Covid-19 pandemic in Turkey.

### **Bent On Learning** \$100,000.00

Supported Covid-19 related challenges

### Manisa Celiac Organic Nutrition Association (COYLAK) \$2,402.04

Supported children from disadvantaged backgrounds who have the celiac health condition granted glutenfree ingredients during the pandemic.

### **Support to Life (HDD)** \$12,750.00

Supported 260 families living in container settlements after the Elaziğ earthquake.

### Turkish Foundation for Children in Need of Protection (Koruncuk) \$9,000.00

Provided food and hygiene supplies to 75 disadvantaged families who are affected by the Covid-19 pandemic.

### The Foundation for Children with Leukemia (LOSEV) \$15,800.00

Supported 100 households of children with leukemia received packages consisting of hygiene kits, food baskets, and prepaid meat vouchers.

### MAYA Foundation \$10,001.69

Funding provided for Psychosocial Support for Children who are affected by the Elazığ earthquake and reside in Elazığ and Malatya.

### NeedsMap (IH) \$20,000.00

Provided micro-fundings for 17 most vulnerable households who were affected by the Elazig earthquake for the reestablishment of their incomegenerating activities.

### **NEF Foundation** \$10,002.50

Funded the mass production of face shields, antibacterial workwear, intubation, disinfection stations, and ventilator filters in Turkey during the Covid-19 pandemic.

### Neighbors Link \$10,000.00

Supported the Hot Meal Program which provided hot meals for low-income immigrant communities in Mount Kisco, Ossining, and surrounding towns in Westchester County.

### Sharing and Solidarity Organization (PAYDA)

\$10,350.00

Provided medical protective equipment to healthcare workers in Turkey during the pandemic.

### Sharing and Solidarity Organization (PAYDA) \$46,986.00

Purchased one intercept illuminator machine, which is the second machine in the country, for Inonu University Research Hospital in Malatya for plasma researches.

### Small Projects of Istanbul \$6,551.25

Provided two-month of food and hygiene supplies to 100 refugee families who have lost their income during the pandemic.

### **TACAWA** \$1,000.00

Supported Turkish-American families affected by the pandemic.

### Tuvana Foundation for the Education of Motivated Children (TOCEV) \$11,250.00

Covered the kitchen expenses of 100 families whose households lost their jobs during the pandemic.

### Turkcha Organization \$3,000.00

Supported refugee women and children in the U.S. who were affected by the pandemic.

### **United for Turkey** \$39,721.83

Supported vulnerable Turkish students with F-1 visas, families of deceased from COVID-19, and COVID-19 patients in the US.

### **OUR GRANTEE** PARTNERSHIP STRATEGY

proud to stand with our partners who are working on the field tirelessly for change.

### PROVIDE A FUNDRAISING PLATFORM

### INVEST IN OUR PARTNERS

### EXTRA FUNDING **OPPORTUNITIES**

We offer matching offers, bonus prizes, and corporate partnerships, just for being part of TPF!

### GROWING IMPACT

and new donors to our grantee partners. TPF maintains BBB accreditation and Guidestar

### AN EMPHASIS ON TAX BENEFITS

Our partnership appeals to US donors with tax



### SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC **DEVELOPMENT**

Ashoka Turkiye

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**Bolu Bağışçılar Vakfı (BBV)** Bolu Community Foundation

Girişimcilik Vakfı (GİRVAK) Entrepreneurship Foundation

Global İlişkiler Forumu (GİF) Global Relations For

Hayat Sende Gençlik Akademisi Derneği Hayat Sende Youth Academy Association

İnsani Gelişme Vakfi (INGEV) **INGEV** Foundation

Korunmaya Muhtaç Çocuklar Vakfı (Koruncuk) Turkish Foundation for Children in Need of Protection

Lösemili Çocuklar Vakfı (LÖSEV) The Foundation for Children with Leukemia

Manisa Çölyak Ve Organik Beslenme Derneği Manisa Čeliac Organic Nutrition Association

Maya Vakfı - Maya Foundation

Paylaşma ve Dayanışma Platformu Derneği (PAYDA) Sharing and Solidarity Organization

Support for Improvement in Social and Economic Living Association

Small Projects İstanbul (SPİ) Small Projects Istanbul

Endometriozis ve Adenomyozis Derneği Turkish Endometriosis & Adenomyosis Society

TSK Elele Vakfi

Turkish Armed Forces Elele Foundation

Türkiye Otizm Erken Tanı ve Eğitim Vakfı (TOHUM)

Tohum Autism Foundation

Toplum Gönüllüleri Vakfı (TOG) Community Volunteers Foundation Türk Onkoloji Vakfı (TOV)

Turkish Oncology Foundation

Türkiye Teknoloji Geliştirme Vakfı (TTGV) Technology Development Foundation of Turkey

Türkiye Toplum Hizmetleri Vakfı (TOVAK) Turkey Community Service Foundation

Türkiye Görme Özürlüler Kitaplığı (TÜRGÖK) Library of Turkey for Visually Disabled

Yardımcı Eller Derneği (HHT) Helping Hands Turkey

Young Guru Academy (YGA)

### **EDUCATION**

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Ankara Fen Liseliler Derneği (AFLIVA)

Ankara High School Association of Science

Boğaziçi Üniversitesi Mezunlar Derneği (BUMED) Alumni Association of Boğaziçi University

Boğaziçi Üniversitesi Vakfı (BÜVAK) Boğaziçi University Foundation

Darüşşafaka Cemiyeti Darüşşafaka Society

Geyre Vakfı Geyre Foundation

İlköğretim Okullarına Yardım Vakfı (İLKYAR) Educational Funds for Elementary School

Koç Üniversitesi

Koc University

Köy Okulları Değişim Ağı (KODA) Rural Education Research & Development Center

Kodluyoruz We Code

Matematiksel Güç ve İnovatif Tasarım Derneği (MAGIT)

Mathematical Power and Innovative Design Association

Nesin Vakfı

**Nesin Foundation** 

Öğretmen Akademisi Vakfı (ORAV) Teachers Academy Foundation

Sabancı Üniversitesi – Sabancı University

Tarsus Amerikan Koleji Mezunlar Derneği Tarsus American College Alumni Association

Türk Eğitim Derneği (TED) Turkish Education Association

Türk Eğitim Vakfı (TEV) Turkish Educational Foundation

Türkiye Eğitim Gönüllüleri Vakfı (TEGV) **Educational Volunteers Foundation** 

Tüvana Okuma İstekli Çocuk Eğitim Vakfı (TOÇEV) Tuvana Foundation for the Education of Motivated Children

Yuva Derneği Yuva Association

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### **GENDER EQUALITY**

Anne Çocuk Eğitim Vakfı (AÇEV)

Mother Child Education Foundation

Çağdaş Yaşamı Destekleme Derneği (ÇYDD) Association for Support of Contemporary Living

Değişim Liderleri Derneği (DLD) Change Leaders Association

Kadın Emeğini Değerlendirme Vakfı (KEDV)

Foundation for the Support of Women's Work

Kamer Vakfı Kamer Foundation

Türkiye Kadın Girişimciler Derneği (KAGİDER) Women Entrepreneurs Association of Turkey

Antalya Çağdaş Eğitim ve Kültür Vakfı (ANTÇEV) Antalya Contemporary Education and Culture Foundation

Ihtiyac Haritasi (IH) Needs Map Coop.



# TEAM UP

TPF offers many ways to engage your most valuable asset — your employees — to your philanthropic mission and goals. We can work with you to create a personalized employee engagement solution and strategy to fit your company's culture and values.



# WAYS TO TEAM UP WITH TPF

CORPORATE ADVISED FUNDS Design a program that is uniquely tailored to your objectives and culture.

> PERCENTAGE SALE

Consider contributing a percentage of your sales to TPF or the causes we work on.

CORPORATE GIFTS Invest in TPF and create a win-win partnership that benefits your company, TPF, and all communities TPF serves.

MATCHING GIFTS Honor your employees for their own acts of giving.

> IN-KIND GIFTS

Donate products or services.

# SUPPORTED TPF LAST YEAR:

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Nike

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**Raytheon Technologies** 

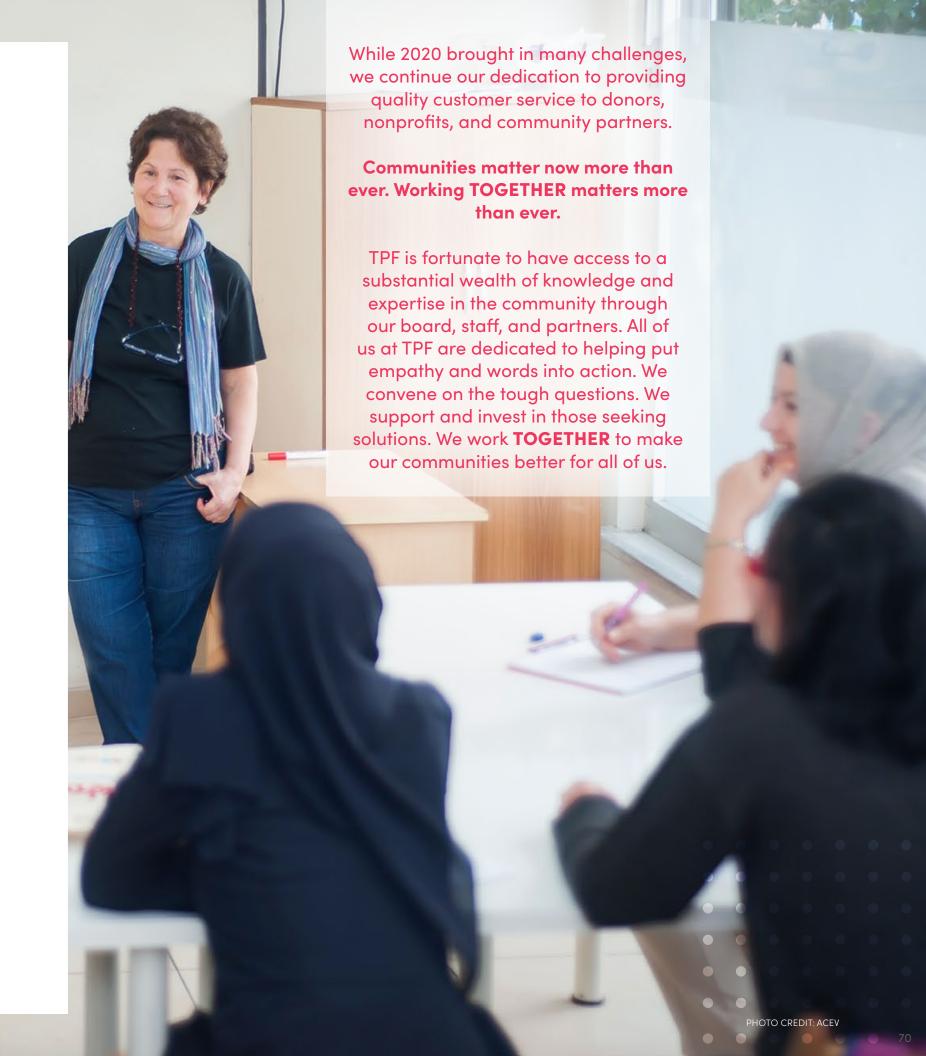
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SERVING TOGETHER



# OUR SOCIETIES

# THE FOUNDERS SOCIETY

TPF's Founders Society is a diverse group of dedicated investors who provide the vital foundation for TPF's work through financial, human and social capital.

### Chairman's Circle +\$500,000

Nihal and Haldun Tashman Serpil and Yalçın Ayaslı

### **Leadership Circle** +\$200,000

Özlenen Eser Kalav Haluk Soykan

### Pioneering Partners +\$150,000

Mustafa Kemal Abadan Vedat and Assia Eyüboğlu

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Elif and Tamer Seçkin
Erinch Özada
Hatice and Kevin Morissey
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Murat Ağırnaslı

Nakiye and Ziya Boyacıgiller
Sevket Turgut Neşe
Ramerica Foundation
The Attar Family

Aslı Başgöz
Aydın and Hüly
Aylin TashmanBahadır Önala
Can Gürsel

# THE LEGACY SOCIETY

Legacy Society is an exclusive group of dedicated philanthropists who made long-term social investments to TPF through a gift in their wills, trusts, or estate plans.

Ali Rıza Sarıoğlu Aydın and Hülya Koç Haldun and Nihal Tashman Nakiye and Ziya Boyacıgiller Ömer Ertur Ömer Uzun Özlenen Eser Kalav Şevket Turgut Neşe

# THE PHILANTHROPIC FUNDS SOCIETY

TPF's Philanthropic Funds Society is a community of philanthropists who chose TPF for their personal philanthropy for a lasting impact.

Ahmet Bozer
Alp Önalan
Anonymous
Aslı Başgöz
Aydın and Hülya Koç
Aylin Tashman-Kim
Bahadır Önalan
Can Gürsel
Defne Gürsel
George Schieber

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Haldun and Nihal Tashman

# TPF ANNUAL FUND SOCIETY

TPF Annual Fund Society is a community of philanthropists who believe in our mission.

**TPF Rose** \$25,000 - \$49,000 Mehmet Kırdar

### **TPF Tulip** \$10,000 - \$24,999

Bozer Fund
Deniz Koyuncu
Hatice & Kevin Morrissey
Merve Gürsel
Onur Erzan
Özgür and Lori Karaosmanoğlu
Family Foundation
Rahmi Sayder
Selin Gülçelik
Seran Trehan
Zeynep and Evren Bilimer
Ziya and Nakiye Boyacıgiller DAF

**TPF Lily** \$5,000 - \$9,999 Lawrence Kaye

### **TPF Jasmine** \$1,000 - \$4,999

Alp Önalan Ayla Demirci Başak Yavuz Bozer DAF

Ceyda Kara Gürsel and Anil Gürsel

Civan Gökay Deniz Keskin Derya Taşkin Engin Çinar Şahin Facebook (Giving

Facebook (Giving Tuesday Campaign)

Gülden Mesara Kaan Katircioğlu Marjorie Ramos Sezer Ersoy Shatha Al Jarallah

### **TPF Hydrangea** <\$1,000

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Ahmet Atahan
Ahmet Can
Ahmet Suer
Ahmet Terzioğlu
Ahmet Uglu
Alev Erdi
Ali Sener
Alp Tosun

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Green Ny-ylmn Gulter Mut Hakan Kiliccote Hasan Ayaz Hilal Koç Savci Hülya Yilmaz

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Nazan Aykent Nazy Amini-Sahni Nese Önal

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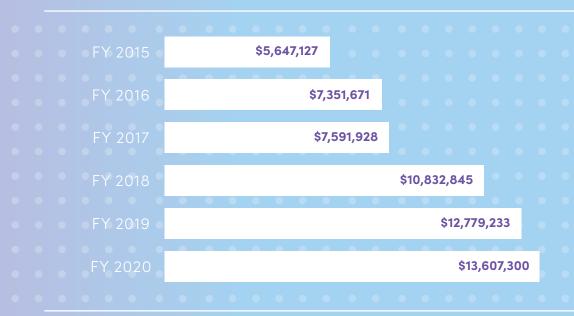
# YEAR IN REVIEW

Turkish Philanthropy Funds is committed to serving as a steward of the generous gifts entrusted to us by donors. This is a picture of all that we have accomplished TOGETHER.



# ORGANIZATIONAL EFFICIENCY

### **CHANGE IN NET ASSETS OVER SIX YEARS**



### FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Turkish Philanthropy Funds takes great pride in providing clear, transparent information about our investment management and performance, our financial position, and our administrative fees.

Our board of directors has developed investment policies and guidelines that provide for prudent asset management.

An Investment Committee, composed of board members and volunteers experts in the investment field, oversees the investment activities of TPF.

### **INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT**

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Effective and strategic investment of assets is one of our key responsibilities. Turkish Philanthropy Funds investment philosophy is to invest charitable funds prudently that support both growth and grantmaking. TPFs investment portfolio is made up of diversified pools managed by specialized investment managers.

- **1. Guidance:** With our Investment Committee overseeing the management of TPF's investment program, we rely on seasoned investment and business professionals drawn from our Board of Directors and the larger community.
- 2. Transparency: TPF consistently works to enhance its reporting, assuring that donors understand our overall strategy for managing long-term and short-term assets. TPF communicates frequently with donors to make it easy to obtain detailed information on our financial position, portfolio performance, administrative fees, and policies. All audits and returns are available on our website.

3. Choice: Starting October 1, 2018, TPF partners with Morgan Stanley Global Impact Funding Trust, Inc. (MS GIFT) for the purpose of establishing donor-advised fund accounts at MS GIFT. MS GIFT is an organization described in Section 501(c) (3) of the Code and is the sponsor of a donor-advised fund program. As the sponsor of TPF's DAFs, MS GIFT manages the investment of DAFs. Funds may be invested in one of eight Investment Pools as well as a Money Market Pool shown below. Discover these investment pool options that are available to suit various objectives (as of September 30, 2020):

ACCOUNT POOLS	OBJECTIVES	RISK PROFILE	YTD RETURNS NET OF FEES	QTD RETURN NET OF FEES	LAST 12 MOS. RETURN NET OF FEES
Aggressive Pool	Seeks to provide growth of capital through a long-term target asset allocation of 80% Equities and 20% Fixed Income.	The asset allocation targets are 36% US Equity, 43% International Equity, 21% Fixed Income.	2.82%	6.64%	10.17%
Growth Pool	Seeks to provide growth of capital and modest current income through a long-term target asset allocation of 62% Equities and 38% Fixed Income.	The asset allocation targets are: 28% US Equity, 35% International Equity, 37% Fixed Income.	3.79%	5.52%	9.83%
Balanced Pool	Seeks to provide a combination of growth of capital and current income through a long-term target asset allocation of 47% Equities and 53% Fixed Income.	The asset allocation targets are 22% US Equity, 26% International Equity, 52% Fixed Income.	4.35%	4.37%	9.06%
Conservative Pool	Seeks to provide some growth of capital with a focus on current income through a long-term target asset allocation of 80% Fixed Income and 20% Equities.	The asset allocation targets are 9% US Equity, 11% International Equity, 80% Fixed Income.	5.13%	2.05%	7.17%
Investing with Impact Aggressive Pool	Seeks to provide growth of capital through a long-term target asset allocation of 100% Equities. As available and prudent, this pool will seek investments which support and/or recognize the importance of environmental, social and governance factors through exclusionary screening, integrating environmental, social and governance criteria into the investment selection process and other approaches.	The asset allocation targets are 36% US Equity and 43% International Equity, 21% Fixed Income.	2.82%	6.64%	10.17%
Investing with Impact Balanced Pool	Seeks to provide a combination of growth of capital and current income through a long-term target asset allocation of 47% Equities and 53% Fixed Income.  As available and prudent, this pool will seek investments which support and/or recognize the importance of environmental, social and governance factors through exclusionary screening, integrating environmental, social and governance criteria into the investment selection process and other approaches.	The asset allocation targets are 22% US Equity, 26% International Equity, 52% Fixed Income.	4.35%	4.37%	9.06%
ETF Equities Pool	Seeks to provide growth of capital through a long-term target asset allocation of 100% Equities.	The asset allocation targets are 46% US Equity and 54% International Equity.	-2.29%	7.53%	5.96%
ETF Fixed Income Pool	Seeks to provide some growth of capital with a focus on current income through a long-term target asset allocation of 100% Fixed Income.	The asset allocation targets are 100% Fixed Income.	6.13%	0.52%	6.31%
Money Market Pool	Invested in bank desposits and short term cash equivalents. FDIC insured.	TI	he current yield	is 2%	

**4. Fees:** Our administrative fee on your investment is straightforward, all-inclusive, and drives higher returns. Each Fund is subject to an annual charitable administrative fee to cover DAF operating expenses such as grantmaking, recordkeeping, annual audits, tax filing, quarterly statements, and other legal and fiscal responsibilities. We follow your instructions and execute your philanthropic needs. We closely manage costs to minimize these fees and benchmark them against industry averages to ensure competitiveness. Fees also keep us on track to ensure that we provide the highest quality service to our donors. In addition, Fund accounts are charged relevant investment management fees by MS GIFT.

### READ OUR FULL INVESTMENT BROCHURE ON OUR WEBSITE: WWW.TPFUND.ORG

TPF has received accredited charity status from BBB Giving Alliance and Platinum Seal of Transparency from Guidestar, validating that TPF adheres to sector best practices and is financially-efficient in executing our mission.

\$2.8M  $\Rightarrow$  Total donors contributed to new and existing philanthropic funds which brought our total assets to  $\Rightarrow$  \$13.6M OF WHICH  $\Rightarrow$  TPF received towards

\$1.1M

\$1.4M

155 Grants and scholarships were \$1.9M bringing the total grants awarded totaling more than \$1.9M since tpf's inception in 2007 to \$23M

Operating expenses were LESS THAN 20% OF TOTAL EXPENSES and were 4% OF TOTAL ASSETS

ASSETS	
Cash	\$8,348,538
Investments	\$4,727,489
Other Assets	\$160,367
Total Assets	\$13,236,394

LIABILITIES	
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses	\$26,649
Grants Payable	\$72,050
Conditional Contribution	\$67,837
Total Liabilities	\$166,536

NET ASSETS		
Without Donor Restrictions		
Undesignated	\$188,089	
Donor-advised funds	\$7,888,720	
Board-designated endowment	\$1,442,327	
With Donor Restrictions		
Purpose and Time Restricted	\$742,714	
Perpetual in nature:	\$2,808,008	
Total Net Assets	\$13,069,858	
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$12,862,041	

REVENUE		
Contributions	\$2,575,391	
Interest and Dividend Income	\$227,789	
Fees	\$37,883	
Realized and Unrealized Gains (Losses)	\$8,099	
Total Revenue	\$2,811,279	

GRANTS AND EXPENSES		
Grants Awarded	\$2,161,466	
Management and General	\$291,627	
Fundraising	\$67,561	
Total Grants and Expenses	\$2,520,654	

Net Assets at the End of the Year	\$13,069,858
Net Assets at the Beginning of the Year	\$12,779,233
Change in Net Assets	\$290,625

# WEARE TOGETHER.

Turkish Philanthropy Funds has a keen understanding of our communities' diverse people, needs, and assets. Our staff has deep local knowledge and connections, combined with the professional expertise to give donors unmatched personal guidance. COVID-19 impacted each of our communities differently but we came together to address our unique needs under a common goal.

