



#### **2018 ANNUAL REPORT**

# Power of **Empowerment**

(UNFCU FOUNDATION

### Our Mission

To sustain the path out of poverty for women and children through healthcare and education.



Pamela K. Agnone President and Director

Adequate healthcare and access to education are precious gifts for women and children in many parts of the world. The UNFCU Foundation provides grants to results-oriented, grassroots causes that deliver these precious gifts to the communities that need them most.

In 2018, we supported projects from 12 organizations. The projects offered health services, education, and job skills training to communities in Afghanistan, Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Kenya, Nigeria, Uganda, the Philippines, and the US. More than 2,426 women and 1,851 youth benefitted from these projects.

From starting their own small businesses to enrolling in school for the first time, our beneficiaries have gained access to new opportunities. The projects we supported in 2018 did more than just improve the lives of over 4,200 beneficiaries. They were catalysts for positive change within entire communities.

In addition to the empowerment projects, we provided relief assistance to survivors of the earthquake in Indonesia. We supported UNICEF's emergency Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene (WASH) programme to provide much needed nutrition, health, education, and psychosocial services to the most devastated areas.

The impact we made in 2018 would not have been possible without donations from our supporters and sponsors. Thank you for your ongoing contributions. Please continue to donate. Together, we can achieve the number one goal of the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals which is to end poverty.

## Our Impact

#### **Causes Supported in 2018**

Batey Relief Alliance BOMA Project Girl Up - UN Foundation Keep a Child Alive Kilimanjaro Initiative The Floating Hospital The Khaled Hosseini Foundation Trickle Up UN Population Fund (UNFPA) Village Enterprise Women for Women International YMCA - Long Island City

#### **Relief Efforts Supported in 2018**



## Summary of Financials

#### **Statement of Activities**

YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER

	2018	2017
REVENUE		
Contributions	\$637,667	\$385,833
Fundraising income (Net of direct benefit expenses)	128,360	157,071
In-kind revenue	89,962	-
Other income	1,940	1,450
	857,929	544,354
Total revenue	\$857,929	\$544,354
EXPENSES		
Program services		
Grants	\$660,530	\$443,438
Relief efforts	25,921	75,228
	686,451	518,666
Support services		
General and administrative	82,399	17,607
Fundraising	66,284	21,058
	148,683	38,665
Total expenses	835,134	557,331
Change in net assets	22,795	(12,977)
Net assets, beginning of year	169,546	182,523
Net assets, end of year	\$192,341	\$169,546

#### **Statement of Financial Position**

AS OF 31 DECEMBER

	2018	2017
ASSETS		
Current assets		
Cash	\$192,618	\$161,546
Prepaid expenses	-	8,000
Fixed assets	6,570	-
Total assets	\$199,188	\$169,546
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
Current liabilities		
Accrued expenses	\$6,847	\$-
Total liabilities	6,847	-
NET ASSETS		
Without donor restrictions	192,341	167,546
With donors restrictions	-	2,000
Total net assets	192,341	169,546
Total liabilities and net assets	\$199,188	\$169,546

## Independent Auditor's Report

Padilla & Company LLP, an independent certified public accounting firm, audited the UNFCU Foundation financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2018. Padilla & Company LLP has completed their audit, which was performed in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Their unqualified opinion, along with the UNFCU Foundation's audited financial statements, are available on www.unfcufoundation.org/2018Financials.

#### Women's Empowerment Award Recipients

Each year, we select humanitarians whose work and contributions have helped women and youth break the cycle of poverty in their community.

#### **2018 Award Recipient**

**Cynthia Davis,** Director of Community Outreach, The Floating Hospital

#### **2017 Award Recipient**

**Erin Anastasi**, DrPH UNFPA Campaign to End Fistula

#### **2016 Award Recipients**

**Ritu Sharma,** Director Global Center for Gender & Youth

#### **Board of Directors**

The UNFCU Foundation Board of Directors is responsible for reviewing and approving the causes the Foundation will fund and support.

Pamela K. Agnone, President and Director

William Predmore, Treasurer and Director

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#### **Other Volunteers**

Donald Roe, Chief Financial Officer Manisha Shah, Legal Counsel

#### **Advisory Council**

Comprised of volunteers who are UNFCU employees, the Council reviews grant applications. The final selections are shared with the UNFCU Foundation Board for approval.

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