



Unitarian Universalist Funding Program
Fund for International Unitarian Universalism
2017 Grants

David Ferenc Unitarian Youth Association	\$6,000
400105 Kolosvar, Cluj -Napoca, jud.	<i>\$5,000</i>
<i>Religion & Culture: 2 Preserving Forces of the TUY</i>	
To strengthen the ties of youth to Unitarian faith in Transylvania, to provide appropriate social opportunities and to develop their abilities so they can truly live their faith and be active members of society. The DFUYA strives to build and support a network of youth groups by providing structures and gathering places for youth to experience the spiritual and social connections with the Unitarian Church.	
First Unitarian Society in Newton	\$10,000
Newton, MA	
<i>Singing the Journey of Faith without Borders</i>	
For a multinational, multi-generational assembly bringing together Unitarians and U/Us from across Europe for worship, three concerts and four workshops.	
Flaming Chalice International	\$8,900
Saskatoon, SK	
<i>UU Refugee and Immigrant Ministry</i>	
To initiate a UU refugee ministry project in response to the crisis affecting Burundian Unitarians. The project will educate UUs about refugee issues and inspire ongoing actions, motivate refugees through a storytelling retreat, and offer pastoral presence to Francophone immigrants.	
International Council of U.U.'s	\$7,000
Framingham, MA	<i>\$1,050</i>
<i>Regional Faith & Leadership Development</i>	
To support and train existing and upcoming international faith leaders through the “Regional Faith & Leadership Development” program. The project will include culturally appropriate structures to allow member groups to create self-directed and self-determined leadership goals and needs.	
Meadville Lombard Theological School	\$5,000
Chicago, IL	
<i>2018 U/U Global Conference</i>	
To strengthen the leadership skills of international U/U ministers and lay leaders to better serve their local congregations & communities; to counsel global U/U leaders on structuring initiatives that support the sustainability of their congregations and spiritual communities; to provide insight for MLTS into the leadership training needs for U/U ministers throughout the world and to create a motivational environment	

Providence Charity Organization **\$12,000**
 400105 Kolosvar, Cluj-Napoca, jud.Cluj *\$3,000*

Social Programs of the Providence Charity Organization

To support individuals, families, and communities in need in four areas: 1) Help people with disabilities, 2) Provide home care & social activities for the elderly, 3) Provide aid for persons living under the poverty threshold and 4) Provide 10 Year Anniversary materials in English and Hungarian via a new website, a 10 Year Activity booklet, brochures and a video.

Unitarian Union of North East India **\$3,050**
 Shillong, Meghalaya,

Leadership Training

To provide once-a-month training by the Faith Development Committee of the UUNEI on UU values, to better equip our leaders to be religious leaders, and to instill pride and passion for our faith. To invite youth from different congregations into training in hopes they will provide leadership for years to come.

UU Church of the Philippines **\$15,000**
 Negros Oriental,

La Residencia de The Reverend Toribio S. Quimada

To construct a 3-floor facility, including dormitory rooms to accommodate 16 students, setting up its water connection and processing its “ready for occupancy” permits as well as the installation of smoke detectors and fire alarms throughout the facility. The facility is the major financial sustainability program of the UU Church of the Philippines and located on its grounds.

UU International Joint Working Group **\$15,000**
 St Louis, MO

A Year of Religious Freedom: Reflection, Connection & #Resistance

To engage UUs in the US and around the world in theological reflection, global relationship building, and to strategize to #resist authoritarian government policies restricting religious freedom.

# of Grants Made: 9	Grants Made Total:	\$81,950
	<i>Challenge Grants Made Total:</i>	<i>\$9,050</i>
	Grand Total:	\$91,000