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BLACK FEMINIST FUND, GLOBAL

€5 million

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52 countries
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A more inclusive feminist landscape

Mama Cash brought the powerful voices of racialised women, girls, and trans and intersex people to the forefront through travel grants and conference sponsorships, ensuring they were heard in spaces where they had previously been ignored. In the Netherlands, Mama Cash supported organisations fighting racism and exclusion of Black, migrant, Muslim, and refugee women. These efforts built transnational solidarity and highlighted the interconnected struggles against systemic racism.



Our grantmaking

We resourced hundreds of Black, migrant, and refugee women-led groups organising within contexts of racist, exclusionary and marginalising processes.

Our advocacy

We commissioned the 2006 report "Migrant women's philanthropic practices from the diaspora," that quantified, for the first time, the influence of migrant women on social change.

And much more...

Meet our grantee-partners



STICHTING ZAMI, THE NETHERLANDS

Black, migrant and refugee women had long felt unrepresented in media, arts, and public conversations, and were sometimes made to feel ashamed of their origins. Stichting Zami created a political and cultural platform that broke down barriers and encouraged these women to claim their space in the public discourse. Stichting Zami offered empowerment training, art production, political and literary cafes, and workshops on leadership and entrepreneurship. Today, it continues to support all ethnic groups, helping women take control of their lives and voices.



There has been a notable global recognition of intersectionality, acknowledging the interconnected nature of various forms of discrimination, including racial and gender-based injustices. This recognition has fuelled more inclusive conversations and efforts to address the complex and layered experiences of individuals facing multiple oppressions.



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