

Identifying and supporting excellent social entrepreneurs and sustainable solution focused charities to help unleash potential in communities across Asia, Africa and Latin America.

## **OUR VISION**

To become the leading awards programme for sustainable, scalable solutions particularly those supporting growth in sustainable livelihoods and the achievement of UN Sustainable Development Goal 8; economic growth and decent work for all. In doing so, creating an ecosystem of "shared values" businesses who channel their donations through the awards to maximise their impact.

## **THE AWARDS**

Currently totalling \$600,000 the Awards will recognise:

- Non-profit organisations that have a proven approach to delivering high impact sustainable solutions and require additional support.
- Non-profit organisations providing sustainable solutions that have a high potential and require additional support to build capacity and/or scale their operations.
- Social entrepreneurs and businesses supporting one of the UN SDGs and require start-up capital, loan or second round equity funding to expand operations and accelerate growth.

The Awards offer new paths to capital, profile and expert advice so that winners can invest in their futures and the futures of those they serve.

Award funding will be needs based and range from

\$25k-\$100k

in funding

Applications will be open from the start of October, and will be sourced through an open portal and through selected referral partners. Following an extensive and participatory assessment and due diligence process, winners will be announced at a global awards event in Summer 2019.



#### **ELIGIBILITY**

A core component of all the Awards will be to fund sustainable and/or scalable solutions. Award winners will need to demonstrate a pathway to a sustainable funding model, even if their current model requires donor funding.

## **REGIONS**

There will be at least one Award in Asia. Africa and Latin America.



## THE ALQUITY STORY SO FAR

The Transforming Lives Awards are inspired by the Alquity shared values business model which has generated over \$1.7m in charitable donations and contributed to transforming thousands of lives across Africa, Asia and Latin America.

Driven by the exponential growth of the business, the Transforming Lives Awards rejects the ambition of the rm to become one of the leading social impact businesses in the UK.

Alquity has committed an initial \$600,000 to fund the awards, in addition to covering the programme costs. We are looking for additional partners to support the Awards and join our community of excellence.

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