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Name of Organisation	Purpose of Funding	Amount Awarded	Period awarded & Borough
Improving Employment Opportunities			
Barons Court Project	<p>Barons Court Project is a day centre for people vulnerable through mental ill health and/or homelessness. It offers a daily drink and drug free drop-in.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided a grant towards the life skills worker's salary and associated costs. It is hoped that the worker will be able to raise the aspirations of users to be able to take advantage of mainstream training opportunities.</p>	60,000	2
www.baronscourtproject.org/			Hammersmith & Fulham
Cardboard Citizens	<p>Cardboard Citizens is a professional theatre company which aims to improve public understanding and awareness of the experiences of homeless people.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the salary and running costs of an Employability Support Officer. The Officer will provide one-to-one advice and guidance to homeless people on accessing employment and training services including arranging work placements.</p>	40,000	2
www.cardboardcitizens.org.uk/			Tower Hamlets
Community Childcare	<p>Community Childcare trains people in childcare to national standards, provides ongoing support to registered childminders and brokers affordable childcare for local people in the South Canning Town and Custom House area.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the Project Manager's salary to co-ordinate delivery of its services particularly training.</p>	56,000	3
			Newham
Deaf Plus	<p>DeafPlus provides a range of services primarily for deaf and hearing-impaired people which includes information, advice, guidance, personal support and employment advice.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards an Employment Advisor to help develop its employability programme for deaf and hearing-impaired people in East London which will include training, one-to-one support, job brokerage, work placements and advice to employers on the recruitment and retention of deaf employees.</p>	51,000	3
www.deafplus.org/			Islington
East Finchley Advice Service	<p>East Finchley Advice Service is an independent voluntary organisation, offering free advice and information to enable local people to relieve poverty.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided a grant towards the costs of an employment training scheme for local unemployed residents, including refugees and newly arrived migrants. It is anticipated that this scheme will increase skills and create stepping stones for the trainees to move on to further training or jobs.</p>	38,000	2
www.efas.org.uk/			Barnet

Ethiopian Community in Britain	<p>Ethiopian Community in Britain provides advice, information and training for refugees and migrants experiencing poverty and unemployment in London.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the salary and associated costs of an Enterprise Worker. It is anticipated that this worker will assist refugees and migrants to develop self-employability skills and support the establishment of small businesses/enterprises.</p>	50,000	2
www.ethiopiancommunity.co.uk/			Camden
Fulham Legal Advice Centre	<p>Fulham Legal Advice Centre was established to offer free legal services to those unable to pay or access such support.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the salary and on-costs of a legal caseworker and tribunal representative. It is anticipated that people on low income will have access to legal representation and minor disputes can be resolved earlier.</p>	82,000	2
			Hammersmith & Fulham
Jewish Association for the Mentally Ill	<p>Jewish Association for the Mentally Ill was set up to support Jewish people with severe and enduring mental health problems.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the costs of a training and employment scheme for Jewish people with mental health needs. It is anticipated that this scheme will assist people with mental health needs of Jewish origin to secure and sustain paid or voluntary employment. It will also raise awareness amongst employers of the cultural and religious needs of Jewish people with mental health needs.</p>	60,000	3
www.jamiuk.org			Barnet
Other Side Gallery	<p>The Other Side Gallery provides artists from disadvantaged and excluded groups with support and opportunities to generate income and to help them promote, exhibit and sell their work.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the salary of the Project Manager who will support disadvantaged people to become financially viable artists through advice on exhibiting, promoting and marketing their art work.</p>	50,000	
www.theothersidegallery.org/			Islington
Quaker Social Action	<p>Quaker Social Action has been working to tackle poverty and social exclusion in East London since 1867. It has developed a range of projects, each responding to different needs in the local community.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding for the Street Cred project to enable women on low incomes to develop money-making ideas and social enterprises in east London, and to establish partnerships with other local providers to expand the Street Cred project.</p>	105,000	3
www.quakersocialaction.com			Tower Hamlets
Twining Enterprise	<p>Twining Enterprise was established to assist those with mental health needs into jobs. It runs a supported employment service and a sheltered vocational skills training programme.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the salary and on-costs for a vocational advisor for work in Hounslow. It is anticipated that people with mental health needs in Hounslow will be assisted in job search and supported to sustain existing jobs.</p>	35,000	1
www.twiningenterprise.org.uk			Hounslow

Promoting the Inclusion of Recent Arrivals

African Women Care	<p>African Women's Care was established to support the settlement of women and children fleeing violence from war torn areas of African, particularly those from Uganda.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the salary and on-costs of a part-time advocacy worker. It is anticipated that the worker will assist refugee women into training and employment.</p>	50,000	2	Brent
Amnesty International (UK) Charitable Trust	<p>Amnesty International UK is part of a global campaigning organisation that engages ordinary people in lobbying governments, business, political organisations and individuals to respect, support and enforce human rights.</p> <p>The Foundation is funding the Still Human Still Here campaign to end the destitution of refused asylum seekers in the UK.</p>	40,000	2	Hackney
Christian Action and Response in Society (Caris)	<p>CARIS Haringey was established to provide a range of services for families living in temporary accommodation.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the costs of an advice and outreach support project for newly arrived homeless families. It is anticipated that this project will increase confidence, self-esteem and motivation of families to lead more independent lives.</p>	60,000	3	Haringey
Central London Law Centre	<p>Central London Law Centre provides free legal specialist advice and assistance in the areas of employment, housing and immigration.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the provision of casework support primarily for destitute undocumented Chinese migrants, and to develop campaign and policy work around the needs of this community.</p>	67,000	3	Westminster
Disablement Information Advice Line Barking and Dagenham	<p>DIAL Barking and Dagenham is a user-led information and advice service for disabled people.</p> <p>The Foundation is funding its outreach work, particularly to new arrivals in the borough through a partnership with Harmony House.</p>	65,000		Barking & Dagenham
Iranian Association	<p>The Iranian Association provides services to asylum seekers and refugees mainly from Iran, including advice on health issues, employment, education, immigration and citizenship.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the salary of a qualified Counsellor to provide support to mainly Farsi-speaking refugees and asylum seekers who have mental health issues, to help them integrate into the wider community and improve their mental well being.</p>	28,000	2	Hammersmith & Fulham

Maya Centre	<p>The Maya Centre provides support and relief to women with mental health issues living on low incomes or living in poverty through a range of therapeutic services delivered on a one-to-one basis or in group settings.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the cost of a therapy project specifically focused on the mental health needs of newly arrived refugee women to help improve their mental well being and to help them integrate more fully into the wider community.</p>	60,000	2	www.mayacentre.org.uk/	Islington
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Migrants' Rights Network	<p>Migrants' Rights Network works with organisations to promote a rights-based approach to migration, with migrants as full partners in the development and implementation of policies which affect them.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding to develop its work in London. This will include getting the voices of migrant organisations heard, particularly at a regional level; and developing a programme of training and conferences aimed at facilitating agreement on migrant priorities on key areas of economic and social policy in London.</p>	90,200	3	www.migrantsrights.org.uk	Islington
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Promoting Social Justice

Association of Greater London Older Women	<p>Association of Greater London Older Women is a campaigning and awareness-raising organisation run for, and by older women, aged over 50. It provides peer support, workshops training, advice and performance pieces relating to issues that affect older women.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the cost of a Performance and Development Worker who will help raise awareness, through drama and workshops, of the issues affecting older women, promote good practice in service provision and challenge ageism.</p>	60,000	3		London-wide
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British Muslims for Secular Democracy	<p>British Muslims for Secular Democracy was set up to counteract media stereotyping of Muslims and Muslim communities.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the salary and associated costs of a research and policy development worker. It is anticipated that the worker will increase awareness of democracy amongst muslims and improve understanding of the Muslim community by non-Muslims.</p>	80,000	2	www.bmsd.org.uk	Camden
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Child Poverty Action Group	<p>Child Poverty Action Group (CPAG) is the leading charity campaigning for the abolition of child poverty in the UK and for a better deal for low-income families and children.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards running a campaign to benefit migrant children living in poverty and to provide services aimed at maximising migrant families' income.</p>	102,500	2	www.cpag.org.uk	London-wide
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Citizen Organising Foundation (COF)	<p>The Citizen Organising Foundation is the national umbrella group for the broad-based citizen organising movement in Britain and Ireland. This includes organisations such as London Citizens. Together these organisations campaign on a wide range of issues including affordable housing, the regularisation of undocumented migrants and the living wage.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the second phase of the 'Strangers into Citizens Campaign', which aims to regularise the immigration status of undocumented migrants.</p>	100,000	2
www.cof.org.uk/			Tower Hamlets
Criminal Justice Alliance	<p>The Criminal Justice Alliance is a coalition of organisations involved in criminal justice work in England and Wales. It disseminates information, organises meetings and supports its members in working together to improve the criminal justice system.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the salary and on-costs of the campaign director. The campaign director will contribute to the campaign to reduce prison overcrowding.</p>	46,000	2
www.criminaljusticealliance.org			London-wide
Imece Turkish Speaking Women's Group	<p>IMECE provides culturally appropriate and gender sensitive services to Turkish-speaking women and their children, particularly survivors of domestic violence.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding for the new post of Strategic Director, who will lead its work to influence policy-makers and commissioners.</p>	75,000	3
www.imece.org.uk/en/			Islington
London Drug and Alcohol Network	<p>The London Drug & Alcohol Network is a London-wide organisation, set up to give advice, information and support to frontline services - those working directly with people who have drug and alcohol problems in London.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding for an employment project. This will include a programme of policy and campaigning work to help problematic drug and alcohol users get into work and reduce their social exclusion.</p>	57,600	2
www.ldan.org.uk			London-wide
Migrant and Refugee Communities Forum	<p>Migrant and Refugee Communities Forum is a user-led community empowerment alliance set up by migrant and refugee community organisations to address all aspects of social exclusion and to strengthen their voice, with the aim of obtaining meaningful social, economic and civic integration.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the salary costs of the Director, to increase the capacity and voice of refugee and migrant community groups to campaign for change.</p>	90,000	3
www.mrcf.org.uk/			Kensington and Chelsea
Off the Streets and into Work	<p>Off the Streets and into Work (OSW) works with others to alleviate homelessness, multiple disadvantage and poverty, through piloting and delivering services, research, policy and influencing.</p> <p>The Foundation is supporting new work to monitor and influence welfare reform with regard to people with complex needs in London.</p>	70,000	2
www.osw.org.uk			Southwark

Redress	<p>Redress Trust provides support to, and aims to fight for justice for, survivors of torture and to hold accountable governments and individuals who perpetrate torture.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding for the support of London based asylum seekers and refugees who have experienced torture to enable them to secure justice, through legal casework, advice, guidance and advocacy services.</p>	60,000	2	Southwark
Refugee Council	<p>The Refugee Council is a national agency which provides advice to asylum seekers and refugees, provides organisational support for refugee community groups, and raises awareness of issues relating to refugees and asylum seekers.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding to improve the campaigning skills and capacity of 18 refugees and asylum seekers, and the refugee community organisations they are involved in, through the provision of training, mentoring and other forms of support. The focus of the project will be the Still Human, Still Here campaign, which aims to end asylum seeker destitution.</p>	51,650	1	Lambeth
Speak Out in Hounslow	<p>Speak Out In Hounslow is a user-led group formed by people with learning disabilities. It runs a number of advocacy and campaign related activities to improve access to public services for people with learning disabilities in Hounslow.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the costs of its campaign project. It is anticipated that this project will reduce social isolation and inequalities experienced by people with learning disabilities.</p>	45,000	2	Hounslow
Transport for all	<p>Transport for All is a member-led organisation that campaigns for the right of disabled people to travel with the same freedom as non-disabled people. It represents thousands of users of door-to-door services like Dial-A-Ride and Taxicard.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards salary and running costs to set up six local transport action groups and expand the Let's Get Moving project.</p>	51,000	3	Lambeth

Strengthening the Voluntary Sector

Brent Association for Voluntary Action	<p>Brent Association for Voluntary Action provides infrastructure support for voluntary and community organisations. The core activities of the organisation are the provision of information and advice, provision of training and organisational development including funding advice.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the costs of a capacity building training project for small voluntary organisations in Brent. It will increase the capacity and skills of smaller groups to become more effective in campaign and lobbying work, including data collection and research work.</p>	60,000	3	Brent
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Exceptional Cases

London Rebuilding Society

London Rebuilding Society (LRS) advocates for financial services that are fair and meet the needs of under-served communities by designing and piloting alternative products.

50,000

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The Foundation is providing funding towards Bankability, a further development of the Mutual Aid Fund, which supports small community groups to act as lenders for their members.

www.londonrebuilding.com

London-wide

Special Initiatives

Modern Day Slavery Special Initiative

The Foundation made an allocation budget towards an application expected in March 2009 from a consortium of NGOs planning to monitor the Government's implementation of the European Convention on Action Against Trafficking in Human Beings, when it comes into force next year.

50,000

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London-wide

Modern Day Slavery Special Initiative

Tackling Modern Day Slavery is an initiative set up by the Foundation to strengthen the role of the voluntary sector in improving the position of people vulnerable to exploitation in the UK. Five organisations are being funded through this initiative. This contingency fund is to provide additional support to those organisations, particularly in relation to data collection.

15,000

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London-wide

Anti-Slavery International

Anti-Slavery International is the world's oldest international human rights organisation and the only UK charity to work exclusively against slavery and related abuses.

50,000

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Funding from the Foundation supports the Trafficking Programme Co-ordinator and colleagues' policy and campaigning work on adults trafficked into forced labour, as part of the Foundation's Modern Day Slavery special initiative.

www.antislavery.org

Lambeth

Eaves Housing for Women

Eaves provides housing and support to vulnerable women. It also carries out research, advocacy and campaigning to prevent all forms of violence against women.

50,000

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The Foundation has provided continuation funding for the Exiting Prostitution Development Officer to promote strategies to support women who choose to leave prostitution. The funding is part of the Foundation's Modern Day Slavery special initiative.

www.eaves4women.co.uk/

Lambeth

End Child Prostitution, Child Pornography and Trafficking of Children

ECPAT UK is a children's rights organisation that campaigns on child trafficking and the commercial exploitation of children.

50,800

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The Foundation has provided continuation funding towards the Three Small Steps campaign to protect trafficked children in the UK, as part of the Foundation's Modern Day Slavery special initiative.

www.ecpat.org.uk

Westminster

Kalayaan	<p>Kalayaan is the only organisation providing support services to migrant domestic workers, who have entered the UK with an employer to work in a private household.</p> <p>The Foundation is funding advice and advocacy work, as part of the Modern Day Slavery special initiative.</p>	18,700	1	Kensington & Chelsea
www.kalayaan.org.uk				
Living Wage Special Initiative - Research	<p>The Foundation will be commissioning independent research, which will explore the longer-term impact and potential benefits to employers and employees of a living wage. Over a two-year period, the research will undertake an impact assessment of the positive outcomes of adopting a living wage and will aim to strengthen and develop a business case model for its implementation with other employers across a range of sectors including retail, higher education and public sectors.</p>	100,000	2	London-wide
London Citizens	<p>London Citizens is a network of organisations campaigning on issues of social justice. Recent campaigns include the regularisation of undocumented migrants, housing, and the Living Wage.</p> <p>The Foundation has provided funding towards the development and significant expansion of the Living Wage campaign, through the establishment of a dedicated London Living Wage Unit. It aims to increase the number of low-paid workers (an additional 37,000) earning a Living Wage and the number of employers offering a Living Wage, particularly those in the retail and public sectors.</p>	685,000	4	London-wide
www.londoncitizens.org.uk/				
Living Wage Evaluation	<p>The Foundation will be commissioning an independent evaluation of the Living Wage special initiative which will include an evaluation of work undertaken by London Citizens and the effect of the research CPF has commissioned.</p>	50,000	1	London-wide
GRAND TOTAL		3,155,450		