



10th Anniversary Celebration of Engagement Global

Accomplishing more together

When Engagement Global was founded in 2012, our promise was that we would offer development policy service from a single source. Interested parties can find orientation and advice through the Information Desk on Civic Engagement, those engaged can find financial support as well as further training and networking opportunities.

This was celebrated with partners at an anniversary celebration on 4th July 2022 in Berlin, musically accompanied by the song contest winner Siiri and complemented by numerous activities in the spirit of co-operative

partnership for sustainable development. A rickshaw ride from the train station to the event venue offered the guests an initial opportunity to socialize. In a “living library” participants of different programmes explained what financial support and collaboration can achieve. A question and answer game provided insights into a decade of Engagement Global.

The focus of the celebration was – like our daily work – partnership, solidarity, and the common mission of the 17 Sustainable Development Goals.



School Competition on Development Policy

10 rounds of engagement, sustainability, and inspiration

Creative solutions for global challenges – that’s what the School Competition on Development Policy “all for ONE WORLD for all” is looking for. Since the first round in 2003, more than 260,000 schoolchildren from all 16 German federal states have taken part in the contest which takes place every two years. The 5,400 entries submitted show how young people are committed to sustainable development.

In 2022, the competition entered its tenth round under the patronage of the German Federal President on behalf of the Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and

Development. The participants impressed with projects created with the theme “The Countdown is On: It’s Time for Action!”: Presenting the 17 goals with a self-made cinema film, or drawing attention to climate protection with an exhibition on textile production – these are just two of the 22 projects that were awarded by the judges out of 400 submissions. At the award ceremony on 21st June 2022 in Berlin, Federal Minister Svenja Schulze honoured forward-looking commitment. The School Competition is accompanied by the Song Contest “Your song for ONE WORLD!” in which young people explain global issues musically.



German-Ukrainian Partnership Network

Overcoming the consequences of war together

The German-Ukrainian partnership network has shown that in times of crisis, people pull together. Many German cities, municipalities, and districts support their Ukrainian partner municipalities in dealing with the consequences of the Russian war of aggression. They organise aid convoys with medicines, winter clothing, and generators, or provide housing for refugees.

On 12th and 13th October 2022, the partnership network met in Augsburg for the fifth German-Ukrainian Partnership Conference which was opened by Federal Minister Svenja Schulze, the Ukrainian Consul General Yuriy

Yarmilko, and District President Martin Sailer. Over 250 participants from 100 municipalities – including many municipal representatives from Ukraine – discussed effective emergency aid and reconstruction with experts and civil society groups.

Another topic was how democratic processes can be strengthened. The project “Ukrainian Vibes”, which was part of the ASA programme in 2022, had the same aim: To bring young people into the European Union and Ukraine to communicate with one another and exchange experiences.



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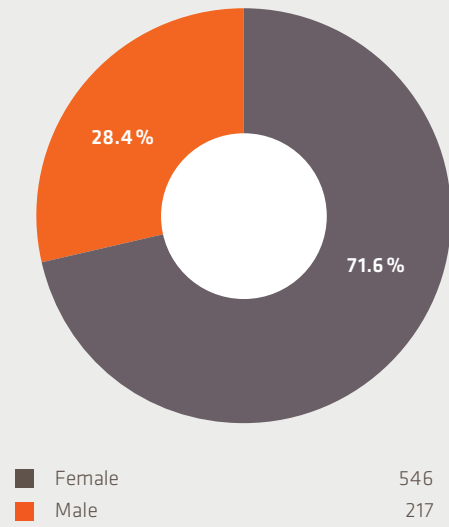
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FACTS AND FIGURES 2022

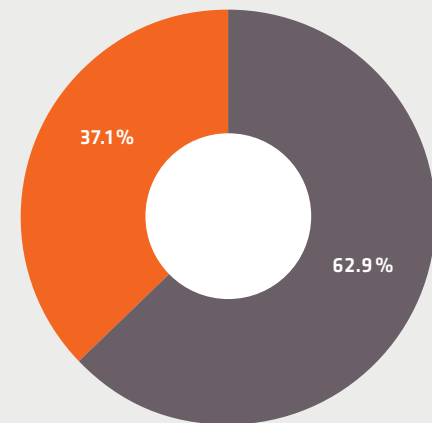
Despite a slight decline in institutional funding, Engagement Global continued to grow in 2022. The project funding from the Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ) rose by just under 50 million euros to nearly 428.2 million, while the subsidies forwarded to private organisations via bengo alone rose to 234.3 million euros (2021: 193.56 million euros). After the pandemic related declines during years 2020/2021, weltwärts was once again able to inspire more than 3,000 young people to do volunteer service in 2022.

Total number of employees



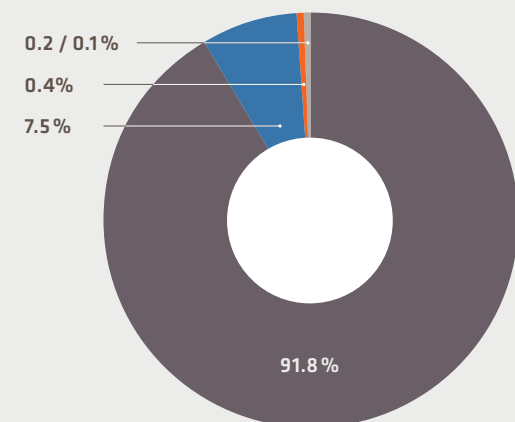
Total: 763 employees

Initial consultation of the Information Desk on Civic Engagement



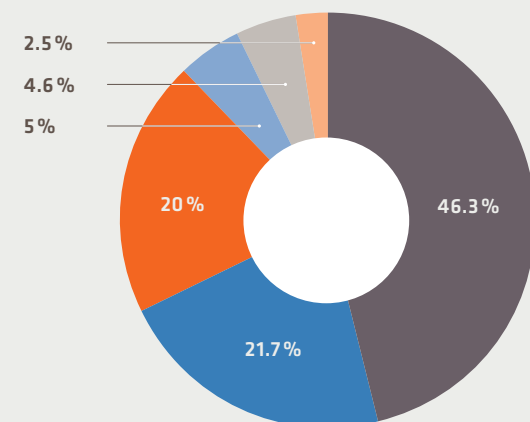
Total: 5,410 initial consultations

Funds



Total: EUR 466.649 million funds

Funding recipients per target group



Total: 2,714 funding recipients



~234.33

million euros were paid by Engagement Global to private organisations that bengo consulted for



4,753

events were supported by educational consultants specialised in development (BtE)



3,106

weltwärts volunteers (606 South-North volunteers)



1,275

municipalities were reached directly and included in programme measures



222

small projects were funded through the Programme for Action Groups (AGP)

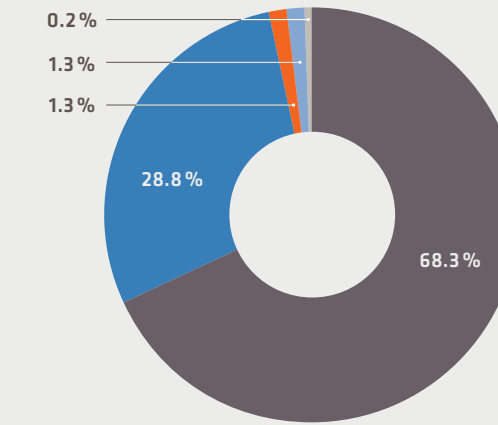


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million people were reached through the Funding Programme for Development Education (FEB)

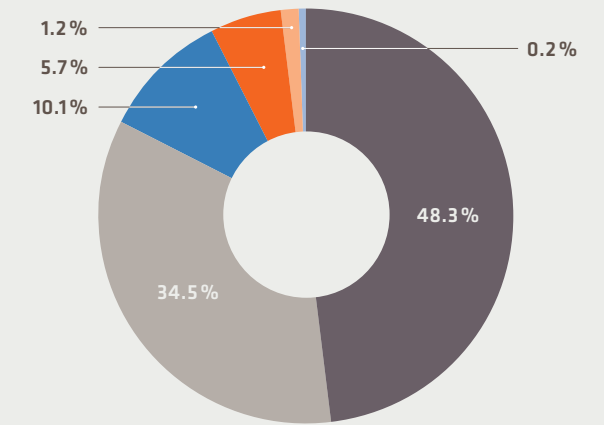
Of the 2,007 events that we organised ourselves or in cooperation with others, 148 were part of the Programme for Developmental Education in Germany (EBD) and 26 were part of the state programmes in North Rhine-Westphalia.

Events by type

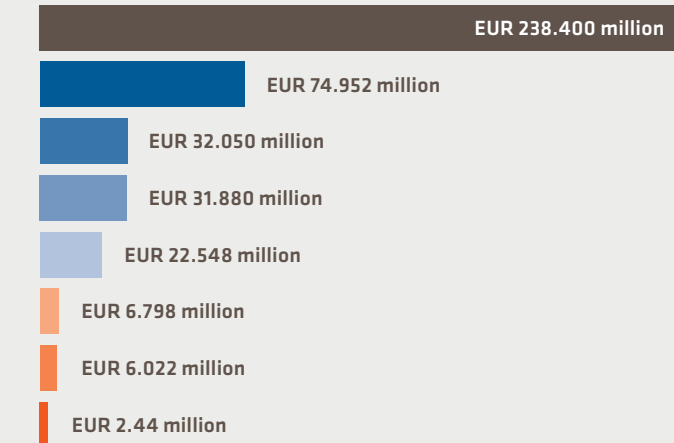


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Events by format

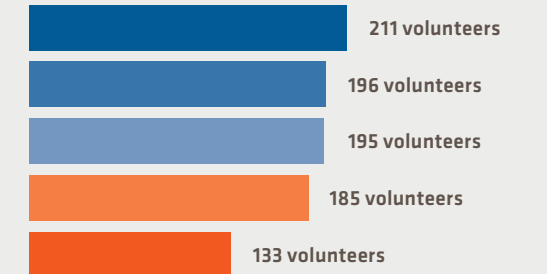


Funds managed by each programme



Legend for Funds managed by each programme:
 bengo, Civil Peace Service, Service Agency Communities in One World, weltwärts, Funding Programme for Development Education, Senior Experten Service, Global Development, ASA Programme

Primary deployment countries of weltwärts volunteers



Legend for Primary deployment countries of weltwärts volunteers:
 Ecuador, Peru, India, Ghana, Bolivia