

The Queen's Commonwealth Trust (QCT) Impact Summary for 2021 - 2022 Sub-Saharan Africa (SSA) Cohort

We put young Commonwealth leaders at the centre of everything we do, and provide them with flexible funding, practical tools and support, and a vibrant network to help them transform their communities.

A summary of the societal impact made by the 11 SSA organisations, supported by QCT and enrolled on the signature two-year programme.

With QCT's support youth-led organisations achieve greater societal impact

11,000+



3,000+



30,000+



15+



Over 11,000 students and 3,000 community members in Tanzania trained in the health risks associated with antimicrobial resistance and ways to combat it

Organisation: Roll Back Antimicrobial Resistance Initiative

Over 30,000 patients treated, and 15 health centres opened in Uganda

Organisation: One Day Health

250+



50



1,116



30



Jobs created in Rwanda

Organisation: Acts of Gratitude

Young mothers involved in income generating activities in Malawi

Organisation: Ukani Malawi

Individuals took small loans from community savings groups to set up their own businesses in Uganda

Organisation: Kisoboka Africa

Women involved in ecotourism ventures in Kenya

Organisation: Women in Sustainable Enterprises

1000+



600+



700+



600+



Young people started entry level jobs or developed their own enterprises and students gained work experience in Uganda

Organisation: Boundless Minds

Students from lower socio-economic backgrounds equipped with basic digital literacy skills in Nigeria

Organisation: Mentoring Assistance for Youths and Entrepreneurs Initiative

Students developed critical thinking and communication skills in Rwanda

Organisation: iDebate Rwanda

1,900+



1,700+



400



Communities in Uganda using eco-stoves, the majority manufactured by Ihandiro Youth Advocates for Nature's (IYAN). The eco-stoves provide more efficient and environmentally friendly cooking than traditional wood fired cooking practices.

Organisation: IYAN

Planet Green Africa nearly tripled its production of green briquettes to over 400 tonnes annually, replacing the use of firewood in over 1,700 households in Malawi. This positively impacts health by reducing the smoke generated when cooking, with benefits for women who often do all the cooking.

Organisation: Planet Green Africa

**Through our support youth-led organisations
are more resilient and sustainable**

Organisational Development for the SSA 11 Organisations



QCT supports youth-led organisations with practical and tailored management consultancy support – building the organisations' resilience.

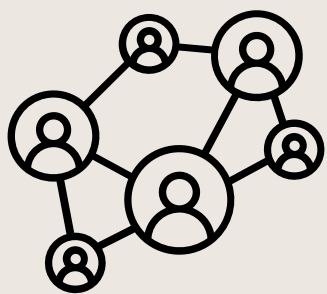
The spider diagram shows the aggregate development of the 11 SSA organisations over the last two years. Each organisation undertakes a facilitated self-assessment across 43 aspects in the 7 organisational areas.

QCT also provides specific strategic consultancy – such as support to improve Planet Green Africa's briquetting production line – leading to a 300% increase in briquette production.

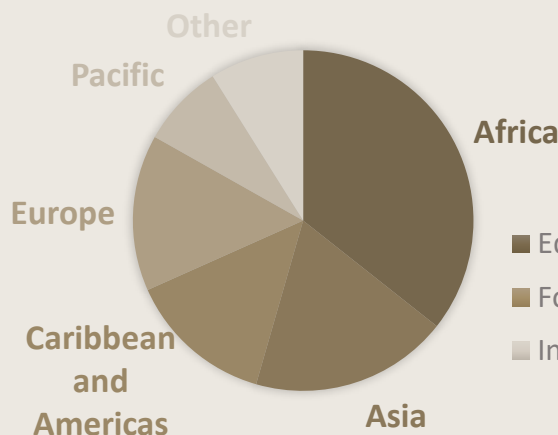
Through our support youth-led organisations receive increased investment from others

Prior to QCT support, 1 of the SSA 11 organisations considered themselves financially sustainable. After two years of QCT support, 4 are now financially sustainable and 6 are nearing financial sustainability.

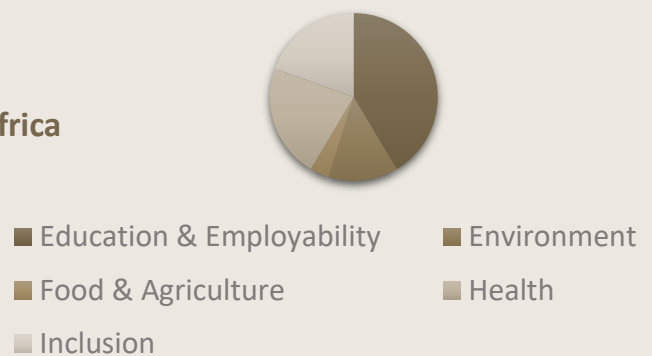
QCT Network



Where QCT Network members are from: April 2022

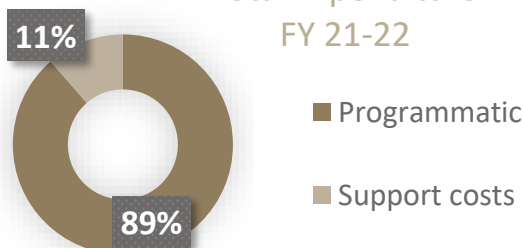


What QCT Network members primarily focus on: April 2022



QCT's expenditure for 2021-2022

Total Expenditure
FY 21-22



Programmatic Expenditure
by Type



QCT supports young leaders who are transforming their communities