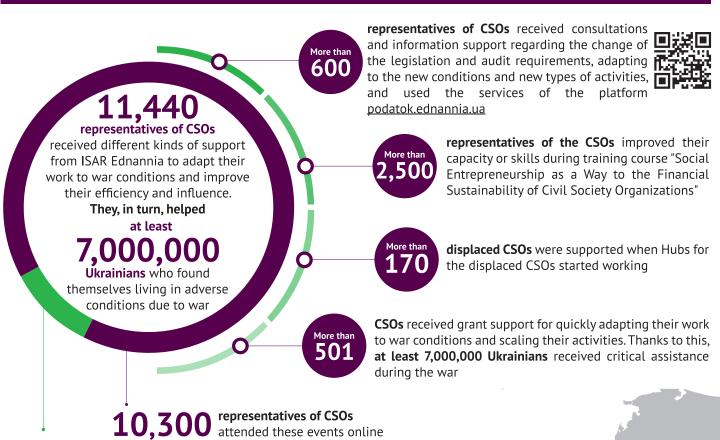


2022 ISAR Ednannia in numbers and events



In 2022 ISAR Ednannia continued to implement its mission, supporting civil society organizations and improving the environment of functioning of civil society.

ISAR Ednannia has been working for 24 years as a Ukrainian civil society organization and for 30 years as an initiative developing the capacities of civil society organizations. Each year we provide financial assistance to 400-500 non-profit organizations from all oblasts of Ukraine, that are improving the quality of life of people. We study the environment of functioning of civil society and charitable organizations and advocate for changes.



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representatives of CSOs coordinated themselves and improved their competencies, defined the challenges and their impact in conditions of war, thanks to **their participation in ISAR Ednannia events in person:**

- Conference "War Aftermath: Reconsidering the Future of Civil Society" (Warsaw, Poland);
- Event for civil society activists "Paving the way for the successful and inclusive process of restoration of Ukraine", that took place as a part of Ukraine Recovery Conference, URC 2022 (Lugano, Switzerland);
- XI Annual Civil Society Development Forum "Core Element" an event that took place in Ukraine (Kyiv) and Georgia (Tbilisi);
- Summit of the volunteer and humanitarian initiatives "Finding the way to solving the challenges together" (Truskavets, Ukraine)
- ✓ Volunteer summit "Armed Forces of Ukraine and volunteers way of the undefeated" (Kyiv, Ukraine);
- "Civil Society Navigator" (Lviv, Ukraine)

- Events organized by ISAR Ednannia in 2022
- CSOs that received grant support and services in 2022

In 2022 ISAR Ednannia:

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EVENTS

Conducted 6 events¹ (in Ukraine, Poland, Switzerland, and Georgia) with the participation of CSOs, international partners, national and local authorities and media representatives. **More than 11,400 participants** attended these events in person and **10,300 — online.**

International conference "War Aftermath: Reconsidering the Future of Civil Society"

Participants discussed the challenges of the war, and coordinated our actions; **150** participants, **106** speakers, **28** panel sessions; **5,100** online views of the live broadcasts.

"Summit of the volunteer and humanitarian initiatives"

180 participants, **90** speakers, **12** activities, **500** online views of the discussion recordings.

Interactive session "Civil Society Navigator" •

Together with the sector leaders, we worked on the navigator for civil society for different scenarios of development of events in Ukraine. You can get acquainted with the results of the work here.



XI Annual Civil Society Development Forum "Core Element" (Ukraine and Georgia)

650 participants offline and **3,000** — online. **70** speakers, **4** simultaneous locations, **7** panel discussions, **8** workshops, and **11** exhibitions of social enterprises — all of these strengthened the CSOs and inspired them to continue working towards victory.

Educational press conference for the journalists "War Aftermath: Reconsidering the Future of Civil Society"

Educational press conference for international and Ukrainian journalists, **2** media discussions in an online format, webinar conducted by a CNN journalist. **28** publications in media.

Side-event "Paving the war for the successful and inclusive process of restoration of Ukraine" took place as part of Ukraine Recovery Conference (URC 2022) in Lugano, Switzerland.

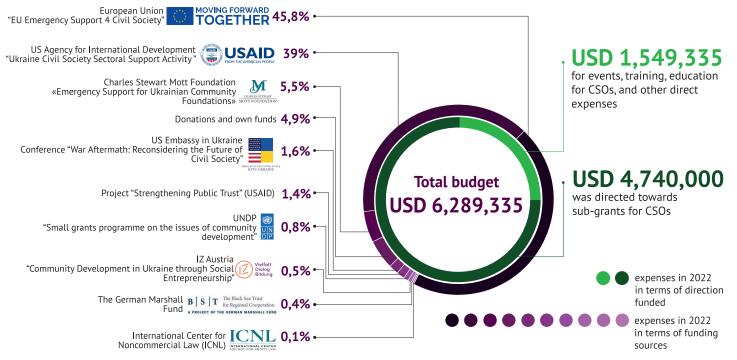
The involvement of the sector in the restoration and modernization of Ukraine was discussed. **100** participants, **25** speakers, **3** panel discussions, **1,700** online views.

 Volunteer summit "Armed Forces of Ukraine and volunteers — way of the undefeated"

120 participants, **32** speakers, and **4 panel discussions.** The event gathered representatives of the government, members of the parliament, representatives of the General Staff of the Armed Forces of Ukraine and the Ministry of Defense of Ukraine, and leaders of the volunteer and charitable initiatives from all regions of Ukraine, to coordinate their efforts.

RESEARCH AND EXPANDING PARTNERSHIPS

From the first days of the war, ISAR Ednannia analyzed the needs of the civil society sector (conducted 2 studies) and expanded partnerships for sectoral support. Apart from the funding from **US** Agency for International **Development, European Union, Charles Stewart Mott Foundation, UNDP, IZ (Austria),** and ICNL, during this year, ISAR Ednannia's programs were financed by the **Embassy of the United States of America in Ukraine, Black Sea Trust for Regional Cooperation, project "Strengthening Public Trust" (UCBI III), financed by the US Agency for International Development (USAID).**



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INTERNATIONAL FUNDRAISING

For the first time, ISAR Ednannia launched a campaign to attract funds from individual donors from abroad, "PEOPLE FOR PEOPLE: The World Saves Ukrainian Communities", to support the viability of Ukrainian communities in conditions of war. It was possible to attract USD 324,268.73 and redistribute almost all the raised funds through a grant competition to improve the sustainability of communities. 56 CSOs from the most affected communities of Ukraine received assistance.



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ADVOCACY

Together with partners², advocated for adopting of 2 laws on volunteering to improve regulation and exempt taxes for volunteer expenses. These and other initiatives to improve the operating environment of the civil society sector were successful due to the development of partnerships with state and local authorities, in particular the Office of the President, the Office of the First Lady, the Ministry of Youth and Sports, the Ministry of Social Policy, Kyiv, Lviv, and other city administrations.

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CONSULTATIONS

Provided support to over **600 CSOs** that received training on conducting activities and accounting in connection with new changes in legislation in wartime conditions.



GRANTS

Financed **501 projects** of civil society organizations and charitable foundations, which in turn provided direct assistance to **7,000,000 Ukrainians**. This allowed CSOs not only to respond to challenges quickly but also to increase their capacity and efficiency during the war.

From the first days of the war, ISAR Ednannia started supporting CSOs through the grant competition "Emergency capacity support for civil society of Ukraine to act in extraordinary circumstances". During the first month of the war, ISAR Ednannia supported the projects of 70 CSOs, which enabled the sector to quickly get involved in helping those who needed it the most, especially in the hottest spots (Mariupol, Kherson, Kharkiv, etc.).

CSOs within the framework of projects supported by ISAR Ednannia:

- Evacuated people
- Created and supported the work of humanitarian aid hubs
- Provided food to vulnerable groups
- Set up shelters
- Furnished shelters in educational institutions
- Provided psychological, legal, and informational support to IDPs and vulnerable groups
- Provided psychological support and counselling to the families of soldiers and missing persons
- Created digital solutions for finding people
- Taught first aid
- Purchased generators and equipment for critical infrastructure in communities
- Trained teachers in methods of working with traumatized children

- Rebuilt housing and local infrastructure
- Supported local businesses
- Supported communities in the de-occupied territories (Kherson, Kharkiv)
- Supported pregnant women and maternity homes
- Advocated and tested algorithms for receiving compensation for damaged/destroyed housing by citizens
- Trained journalists and increased access to information in the de-occupied territories
- Developed international and local fundraising to meet the humanitarian needs of the de-occupied territories
- Provided residents of the Donetsk region with information through radio broadcasting in conditions of isolation from Ukrainian information

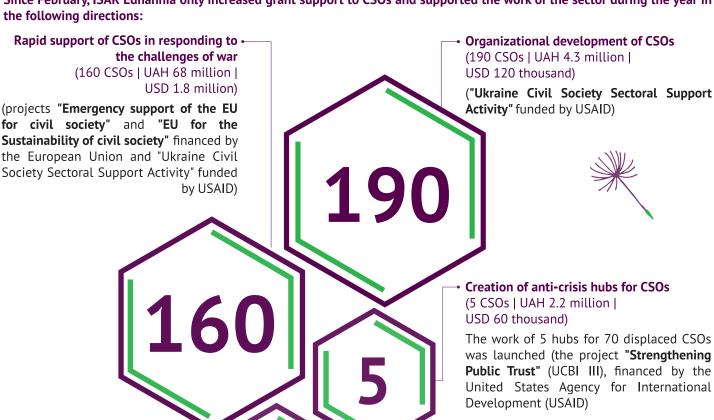
Also CSOs



- Countered propaganda and disinformation both in Ukraine and abroad
- Developed methodologies for documenting the negative impact on the environment
- Carried out environmental monitoring of soils, territories, and objects of the Nature Reserve Fund (NRF) of the Azov region
- Recorded and documented damage to religious buildings

- Produced videos, articles, and exhibitions revealing the true facts of the war and historical events that were distorted by Russian propaganda
- Supported regional media in the most affected regions
- Worked on the protection of personal data and improvement of digital security of CSOs
- Implemented dozens of other initiatives that are critically important and necessary in war conditions

Since February, ISAR Ednannia only increased grant support to CSOs and supported the work of the sector during the year in



People for People: the World Saves **Ukrainian Communities**

(56 CSOs | UAH 10.5 million | USD 284 thousand)

(private donations from abroad)

Rapid support of Community Funds of Ukraine

> (23 CSOs | UAH 9.4 million | USD 254 thousand)

23 CSOs in communities (building housing, local infrastructure, local business support (financed by the Charles Stewart Mott Foundation)

Institutional support of CSOs for scaling up their work

(15 CSOs | UAH 18 million | USD 486 thousand)

(project "Emergency support of the EU for civil society" funded by the EU) Strengthening the capacity of CSOs to take the lead in the processes of recovery and development of de-occupied territories (4 CSOs | UAH 2 million | USD 54 thousand)

("Ukraine Civil Society Sectoral Support Activity" funded by USAID)

Support of CSOs in documenting war crimes (24 CSOs | UAH 11 million | USD 297 thousand)

More than 700 war crimes have been documented (project "Emergency support of the EU for civil society" funded by EU)

Support to CSOs to strengthen them in countering propaganda and disinformation (17 CSOs | UAH 18 million | USD 486 thousand).

which will cover a million people on the territory of Ukraine and beyond (Poland, Germany, the Czech Republic) (project "Emergency support of the EU for civil **society**" funded by EU)

Strengthening digital security of Ukrainian civil society (1,5 million UAH | USD 40,5 thousand)

("Ukraine Civil Society Sectoral Support **Activity**" funded by USAID)



Webinar recordings and useful materials on tax challenges in conditions of war podatok.ednannia.ua



Opportunities for CSOs on the ISAR Ednannia website ednannia.ua



Hub Ednannia "Civil Society HOME" the space for conducting events, for building partnerships and networking



Live video broadcasts of organizational development service providers, representatives of the civil society sector and success stories from civil society organizations on the ISAR Ednannia channel voutube.com/@lsarEdnannia

¹ The events were held thanks to the financial support of the US Agency for International Development, the European Union, the US Embassy in Ukraine, the Black Sea Fund for Regional Cooperation, the German Marshall Fund project in partnership with several other programs, projects and organizations

² Ukrainian Independent Center for Political Research (UNCPD) and the Center for Democracy and the Rule of Law (CEDEM) within the "Ukraine Civil Society Sectoral Support Activity"