

# Ashoka Europe Fellowship Program

We do offer stipends, in case of need. Find all information here!

## Stipend information

**OUR SOLIDARITY FUND IS THERE,  
TO MAKE IT HAPPEN!**

If you have any questions about the  
solidarity fund, please reach out to us:

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# Solidarity Fund for Partners

This note is for Ashoka Partners who are interested in participating in any offline sessions or retreats (“workshops”) offered through the Ashoka Europe Fellowship Program.

## WHAT IS IT? THE PURPOSE OF THE FUND

The Solidarity Fund is primarily set up to give **financial aid to Ashoka Fellows** who need it to partake in our workshops. If you are a **partner of Ashoka** and struggle to provide the workshop fee, we want to explore ways for you to still be able to participate.

We carry out assessments to each application, in order to achieve fairness across all participants of a workshop, and to assess the need of the applicants. **We cannot guarantee all applications will be successful, as we are limited by funding.**

We know circumstances can change from time to time. Therefore, if you need it, you can apply to the Fund for every workshop you are attending. Not applying for the Fund for one workshop does not mean you cannot apply for the Fund for another workshop. A(n) (un)successful application at one time does not increase or decrease your chance the next time you apply, as applications to a workshop are considered independently from the other workshops. You can only submit one application for each workshop you attend.

## WHO CAN APPLY? ELIGIBILITY

You are eligible to apply for the Solidarity Fund if you meet all of the following criteria:

- You are an **Ashoka Partner**.
- You have applied to one of the **European Fellowship Program workshops**.
- You are **financially stretched**, both personally and through your organization, and it is difficult for you to pay the required workshop fee (2.000€).

(This criteria is self-assessed – we trust you.)

## WHAT / HOW MUCH IS COVERED? SCOPE

The workshop fee can be covered by this Fund.

If your application is successful, we resign from charging the workshop fee that is required in order to participate in each module.

The funding **does not cover** the following: Cost of city-to-city travel within Europe, cost of lodging during the workshop, in-city travelling, e.g. taxi ride from airport.

## HOW CAN I APPLY? STEPS

1. **Indicate you want to apply for the Fund when applying online** for the workshops.
2. **You will receive a confirmation** when we have received your application.
3. **Write an email to [gsergi@ashoka.org](mailto:gsergi@ashoka.org)** explaining your situation and the financial need for the stipend.
4. **Your request will be processed individually** depending on your situation and our possibilities. You will be informed by email whether or not we can resign from the workshop fee of 2.000 Euros per module.
5. Thank you for your understanding!



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