# THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH'S INTERNATIONAL AWARD WORLD FELLOWSHIP



The World Fellowship was established in 1987 to recruit an international network of major supporters to fund the development of The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award. The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award Foundation drives and supports the Award's global growth, so more young people can undertake the world's leading youth achievement award and equip themselves with skills for life.

The World Fellowship is a unique global network of like-minded individuals, equally passionate about helping more young people to fulfil their potential.

## DONATIONS (minimum of a three-year pledge)

**Fellows** – an annual donation of £15,000 and above.

Benefactors - an annual donation of £50,000 and above.

Recognition of Benefactors committing £100,000 a year and above will be bespoke and correspond to the length and level of their commitment. The title of Global Benefactor will be reserved for donors committing at the highest level.

All donors of the Fellowship may designate up to 50% of their donation to a country where we have a National Award Operator present, or to another area of our work.

#### **RECOGNITION**

Fellows and Benefactors are invited to a dinner hosted by Chairman of The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award Foundation, HRH The Prince Edward, Duke of Edinburgh KG GCVO in recognition of their outstanding support.

Fellows and Benefactors will receive a World Fellowship pin at the World Fellowship Anniversary Event.

A list of Fellows, Benefactors and Companions currently in pledge will be published in our Annual Report.

Special recognition at events and in publications for those who donate £100,000 annually and above.

### **EVENTS**

The World Fellowship thrives thanks to a strong sense of community. Events are at its core.

**Heritage Events:** Exclusive events for the World Fellowship such as the World Fellowship Anniversary Event - the annual gathering of in-pledge Fellows and Benefactors; Acknowledgement Lunches; Welcome Receptions.

**Award Events**: Award in Action events to see first-hand impact of donations; meetings and gatherings of The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award Association; Gold Award Ceremonies, where possible.

Social Events: Gala dinners and events hosted by Fellows, Benefactors and Companions.

## COMMUNICATION

Fellows, Benefactors and Companions receive a copy of The *World Fellowship Newsletter*, featuring forthcoming events, reviews and photographs of previous events, and news of Fellowship activities. They also receive regular digital updates on Award news from around the world.

Fellows, Benefactors and Companions receive The *World Fellowship Yearbook* with news on past and upcoming events, new Fellows joining, case studies and much more.