PACIFIC FEMINIST FUND

FOTUKI GRANT CALL 2026

ABOUT PACIFIC FEMINIST FUND

The Pacific Feminist Fund is for and by Pacific feminists and the Pacific feminist movement, responding to needs as defined by them.

We deliver swift, responsive and impactful support and we advocate transforming the broader funding landscape so that more resources can reach Pacific changemakers at the frontlines.

We are focused on building wealth and resources for feminist, women and gender non-conforming human rights defenders' movements in the Pacific. We are proud to be a Pacific-led, feminist, and independent fund dedicated to increasing resources for and amplifying the voices of the Pacific feminist movement. PFF's work is driven by a deep commitment to feminist change in the Pacific.

ABOUT THE FOTUKI GRANT CALL

The Fotuki Grant Call seeks to resource solutions, innovations and imaginations that are of, by and for Pacific feminists and the Pacific feminist movement. Alongside the need for core flexible funding to sustain the movement's resistance and operations, this call recognizes the importance of creativity, imagination and experimentation in building feminist futures.

We are interested in cross-collaboration, complementary work across regions, and ideas and solidarities that help the movement move beyond survival into thriving futures. Our funding approach is intersectional, flexible and visionary: grounded in lived realities while holding space for Pacific feminists to resist, imagine and thrive.

WHO WILL PFF FUND?

We are focusing on supporting activities, projects and programs that are undertaken by networks and organizations working with any of the following:

- Women
- Girls
- Gender non-conforming people
- Young people
- Young women
- Registered networks or coalitions
- Unregistered networks or coalitions

- Young populations
- People living with disabilities, their carers and advocates
- Indigenous networks and communities
- Rural networks and communities
- Urban networks and communities
- Sex workers
- Climate & Environmental Justice

The Fotuki Grant Call invites applications from organisations and networks from the following countries: **Federated States of Micronesia, Marshall Islands, Niue, and Papua New Guinea.**
PFF welcomes applications for grants of up to NZD 300,000 over three years. Approximately three grants are expected to be awarded, each providing NZD 100,000 per year for three years. Given the limited number of grants available, the application process will be highly competitive.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

To help our grant making support a diverse range of applicants, we have developed the following eligibility criteria for organisations and networks that are interested in applying.

You must meet both of the following criteria 1 and 2 below:

1. **You are based in the Federated States of Micronesia, Marshall Islands, Niue or Papua New Guinea and are self-led by diverse Pacific women, girls and gender non-conforming Pacific identities.**
2. **You focus on issues that are under-addressed and/or contested, or politically sensitive.**

THE FOLLOWING ARE ADDITIONAL CRITERIA THAT YOUR ORGANIZATION OR NETWORK MAY IDENTIFY WITH, HOWEVER IT IS NOT NECESSARY TO MEET ALL OF THESE:

- You work from a women's rights and feminist perspective.
- You primarily focus on promoting and supporting women in all their diversity.
- You push for structural and fundamental change.

- You promote inter-connectedness of national and/or regional feminists' movements and apply an intersectional approach.
- You have programs or projects which have accompaniment or advocacy focused activities with remote, rural or other marginalized women's groups, organizations and networks.

YOUR APPLICATION

- Submit an application through the online Grant Application Portal.
- For instructions on how to fill in the form – refer to the PFF Handbook for Prospective Grantee Partners.
- Offline application – we understand that there can be network and connectivity issues in loading the online application form. Please email grants@pacfemfund.org if this is an issue for you and we can consider emailing you the form that you will download, fill out and email back to PFF with the required documents.
- Written submissions are requested in English. If you feel more comfortable using your own vernacular, we respect this and will cater for interpretation as needed.
- If you are not able to provide a written submission - You may submit an audio or video recording where you are verbally responding to the questions in the application form. You may submit the file through the upload button provided in the online application form.

QUERIES

For any queries, email grants@pacfemfund.org with the subject line 'PFF Fotuki Grant Enquiry'.

DURATION OF GRANT CALL

10 weeks : 23 November 2026 to 5 February 2027