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**SDIA Annual Report 2024**

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# Who We Are

Susila Dharma International Association (SDIA) is an international association promoting just and sustainable development. With activities in 26 countries, SDIA has 22 voting and 35 associate civil society organisations as members. We form a global community committed to 'building with humanity'.

SDIA was originally founded in 1968 under the name of the Subud Brotherhood International Foundation (SBIF). In 1998, it was incorporated in the US as an affiliate organisation of the World Subud Association (WSA) with a mandate to implement the charitable aims of Subud. 'Susila Dharma' (SD) can be translated as 'guided from within to action in the world'.

SDIA is a US-registered non-profit organisation (US Charitable tax No. 98-0156249) and holds special consultative status with the United Nations Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC), UNICEF, and the Department of Public Information (DPI). SDIA is governed by an international board and by the decisions of voting members at its Annual General Meeting.

The strength of SDIA is our global network. This Annual Report covers key SDIA activities and services to its members for the year 2024. It does not cover the activities and achievements of all our network's 57 members. You can get more information about SDIA and its members at [www.susiladharma.org](http://www.susiladharma.org)

## The location of SDIA Members around the world





# Message from the Chairman

*Dear Friends and Supporters,*

*2024 has been a busy year for us, as we galvanised ourselves for participating in the Subud World Congress event in Kalimantan in July. It was a very successful time for us, gathering project members and SD national representatives together, facilitating visits to many projects in the local area, holding meetings and workshops together to hear updates and discuss challenges being faced by everyone. We also had a fantastic opportunity to celebrate a success story together. One of our projects, Borneo Football International Association, completed its building of the large sports hall and associated dormitory accommodation in time to hold its inauguration at the World congress. Following several years of development and fundraising, in which SDIA was actively supportive, it was a pleasure to witness the coming together of all these Subud members who have given of their money to fund this project, and to tangibly feel the gratitude and joy in the faces of all the children and families from the local area, greeting us with whoops of delight and big smiles. There was no better welcome and I felt deeply humbled to be part of the opening of this new facility. Long may it endure for the people there. Well done everyone! It just goes to show what can be achieved when we all put our minds to something.*

*Apart from the world congress event, we can see from the report below how active the network is, with wonderful new projects and a national representative in Malawi and Indonesia. We look forward to getting to know them and learning from them.*

*We are proud to see the inspiring achievements of young Subud volunteers out in the world, contributing and learning from their experiences. We are pleased to have been able to support these initiatives and will encourage them in their future endeavours in the humanitarian field in their lives.*

*And so the wheel of life goes on, and we are a happy and committed part of it.*

**Vincent Mount, Chair**

# What We Do – Building Sustainable Futures



SDIA equips our network of member organisations with the inner and outer resources to nourish, strengthen, and protect local communities. Through connections, collaboration and knowledge-sharing, each member organisation of SDIA supports communities to build sustainable futures: through education and child development, health and well-being, sustainable livelihoods and protecting the natural environment.

SDIA works globally for just and sustainable development by:

- Empowering individuals and communities to engage in positive human, social and economic change; and
- Creating partnerships to achieve grassroots, participatory initiatives.

In 2024, SDIA spent \$91,828 USD on services and technical support to its members and distributed \$172,621 USD in grants to projects. SD Nationals also provide grants directly to projects, and most of these do not go through SDIA, hence the total footprint of the SD Network worldwide can be valued in the hundreds of thousands of USD.

In order to provide a source of stable funding, SDIA maintains an Endowment Fund valued at \$1,314,986 USD at the end of 2024. Our Endowment Fund allows SDIA to deliver its programmes and services, provide grants to its members and affiliates and contribute to the sound administration and good governance of SDIA.

Many thanks to all those whose gifts have helped grow our Endowment Fund to sustain the work of SDIA and its members (see page 24 for a list of all our donors);

Please help us grow SDIA's Endowment Fund to support current and future SD projects!



# 2024

Photo 1. Project leader Shaheena Omar in Malawi surrounded by the children in her Hopeful Hearts Child Care Center  
Photo 2. SD Indonesia Chairlady Alina Fay and KHUB Chairman Suteja  
Photo 3. Colectivo Melao, from Cali, Colombia

## Sharing our experience with each other and the World

### Welcoming new members of our Association in 2024

In 2024, SDIA was pleased to welcome three new members to our association:

Susila Dharma Malawi was made a voting member in July 2024, by virtue of the application made by Subud Malawi.

Later in the year, the not-for-profit organisation Hopeful Hearts – Mayamiko Foundation in Malawi which operates an emergency child protection center for 65 children, applied to be an SDIA associate member.

With SDIA's new focus on social enterprise we were pleased to welcome a new type of project to the network:

Koperasi Hapakat Usaha Bersama (KHUB) - a Kalimantan-based social enterprise cooperative formed by Subud members serving 132 members of the local community at Rungan Sari, improving the sustainable livelihoods of both Subud members and those from the local community choosing to save together and lend to each other.

Each of our member projects reflects the diversity within Susila Dharma - there is no "one size fits all", what steers us is our inner experience and outer knowledge to make a positive difference to humanity. Learn more about the range and diversity of SD initiatives by visiting our website at [www.susiladharma.org](http://www.susiladharma.org)



It starts with a whisper, and grows into a roar – SDIA helps youth explore their talents through volunteering, internships and the Youth Ignite! Fund

Sustainability for the SD Network is required in both environmental and financial dimensions – but it is also about providing youth with opportunities that they might not otherwise have, to follow their dreams and see where these sometimes meet harsh realities of injustice, inequality, poverty and violence. In 2024, SDIA helped young people who were moved by a deep desire to connect and help others to use their skills and develop new ones.

Colectivo Melao is a non-profit association of young professionals and recreologists based in Cali, Colombia, motivated by the desire to contribute to the social development of their communities through culture and education, through recreation and the arts. Working through play, dance and theater, the Collective uses social awareness and pedagogical processes to address different social problems in underprivileged groups. In 2024, SDIA used its Youth Ignite! Fund to support the Collective's initiative "Beyond Our Neighborhood, Every Street Tells a Story" in the neighborhood El Vallado II, Commune 15 in the city of Cali. The project provided safe, creative, social meeting spaces on a weekly basis for disadvantaged children and youth through recreation, art and culture.



Ruthie Brown was a young volunteer. In the fall of 2024, she travelled to Port Elizabeth, South Africa, to volunteer for I Protect Me (IPM). IPM is an organization focused on preventing domestic violence, sexual assault, femicide and teen pregnancy in South Africa. They teach women and children social skills such as setting boundaries, the importance of standing up to bullies and family planning through in school and after-school programmes. IPM also provides victim support by building and sharing a network of psychologists, therapists and other NGOs that can provide resources and help to victims of violence.

With a second-degree black belt in karate and as a student of gender and sexuality studies, she was deeply committed to empowering people to protect themselves via martial arts. IPM was looking to incorporate self-defense into its curriculum, and she wanted to learn from an organization doing important prevention work in communities heavily impacted by gender-based violence. It was a perfect match. Ruthie helped IPM staff improve their teaching and she learned that working toward gender equality would be a lifelong vocation. Read more about Ruthie's experience, here: <https://us6.campaign-archive.com/?u=ccc6d61e7224c1a74aed94dc9&id=188bcb9be8>



Emil Stevenson Sapir and Ramiro Mount also learned a lot about volunteering at two Susila Dharma projects in South America. The first one, from September to the end of November 2024, was FUEGOS (Food for Change) in Manabi, Ecuador. Emil and Ramiro worked at the Iche food school where FUEGOS has its base. <https://www.fuegosec.org/escuela>. As volunteers, they played a number of different roles, including teaching English to the students at the food school, working at Iche's high-end restaurant, and making videos to document various food transformation processes developed at the school.

They later travelled to Colombia where they volunteered at Fundacion Amanecer, helping to build playground equipment for the children and decorating the kiosks used by the EcoAventuras programme.



## Fundraising and Granting

Thanks to you, our donors, SDIA is able to catalyse contributions from Subud members and encourage matching of funds from larger donors, foundations and governments. In 2024, thanks to you, SDIA raised USD \$172,621 for projects and services and was able to leverage significantly more funds by coordinating the efforts of the SD network. By working as one, benefitting from the strengths and opportunities of the entire SD global network, we are able to maximize the impact of your donations. Here are some examples of the important initiatives that we were able to support in 2024.

## Education and Child Development



Ecoventuras, Amanecer, Colombia



Anisha, India



Sine Cera Rainforest Retreat, Australia

## Launching the Borneo Football Complex in Rungan Sari

Many SD projects are working to promote gender equality through formal and informal education – to give girls and boys equal opportunities to develop their human potential. Among these is BFIA (Borneo Football International Academy) which benefits 3,000 boys and girls in Central Kalimantan – 460 in the different Academy branches, 2200 in the morning schools' programmes and 340 participants in tournaments.

In 2020, BFIA approached SDIA with a proposal – “Let us create an amazing structure in the lead-up to World Congress that will be a lasting gift from Subud members to the children of Kalimantan”. The SD Network agreed to dollar-match this construction in partnership with Dharma Care in Australia and many other donors.

In 2024, SDIA provided a final tranche of \$14,670 USD so that the work could be completed in time for World Congress celebrations in Rungan Sari. BFIA kept its promise and completed the new training complex, dormitory building and a multi-purpose Sports Hall which was officially inaugurated at World Congress. All participants were astonished at the scale of vision and the infrastructure, and felt that BFIA truly delivered on its promise to the children of Kalimantan.



## Community Learning Centers (CLCs) for Women and Girls in the DRC

'Community Learning Centers for Women and Girls' is a five-year project supported by the Canadian Government and implemented by SD Canada and SD Congo, with the support of the Blond Trust, the Buchan International Fund and Crucible Foundation. SDIA has provided technical and management support to develop three learning centers to provide literacy/numeracy, basic education, technical training and entrepreneurship skills to women and girls who have been forced to abandon their studies due to early pregnancy and early marriage.



The project has three main components – one pillar focuses on providing gender-sensitive training and education; the second focuses on providing women and girls access to healthcare and in particular reproductive health services; and the third focuses on promoting women's voices and advocacy in framing their demands for changes in local community institutions and governance practices.

Between October 2023 and September 2024, 1,036 women and girls were registered to follow a range of courses and receive personalized training to help them develop their small business and increase their incomes.

**Table 1. Women/girls registered (%) by age and Community Learning Centre to September 2024**

Age groups	Centre			Total	
	<i>Kinganto ko</i>	<i>Ngiri Ngiri</i>	<i>Nkandu</i>	(%)	<i>N</i>
14-17 years	244	86	136	136	140
18-24 years	375	291	546	426	440
25-34 years	185	289	210	234	242
35-49 years	125	203	79	132	136
50 years +	71	131	29	73	75
Total	100	100	100	100	1036

Of these, more than half have gone on to receive their diplomas of professional qualifications in the fields of basic education, food transformation, chemical transformation, aesthetics and information technology and as of September 2024, more than 300 benefited from small loans to support the growth and development of their micro-enterprises with a 97% repayment rate. Early indications show that women's incomes are increasing as a result of the project investments. Many thanks to our donors from many countries for making this project possible.



Photo: Graduates of the first Community Learning Center receive their diplomas from the Ministry of Social Affairs in Nkandu, DRC

## I Protect Me (IPM)

IPM was officially launched on the 18th of February 2014, to raise awareness and help prevent sexual violence in South Africa by teaching school children how to set boundaries and respond in cases of physical/sexual abuse. By November that same year, it put in place a successful pilot of sexual violence interventions which was conducted in five primary schools in the Cape Town Metropolitan Central District through collaboration with the Safer Schools Programme (a Western Cape Provincial government programme). For the next two years, IPM continued their work in Cape Town. In 2016, an independent researcher conducted an evaluation of the IPM activities and compiled the findings into a report fittingly entitled, 'They taught me not to be afraid'. Since 2017, IPM has become fully operational in the Port Elizabeth area of South Africa, recently renamed Gqeberha, which

is located in the Eastern Cape province. In 2024, SDIA and the SD Network was able to sustain funding for IPM's operations in order to cover the costs of its in-school programme of Resilience, Preventative and Self-Protection training for 10,923 students in 10 primary and secondary schools. IPM was also able to offer an after-school programme of Reading and Tutoring at three stations, to 45 learners; Sports and Recreation to 90 participants, and Food Security - preparing 316 meals per week for children, youth and elderly people. SDIA supported Ruthie Brown from the USA to volunteer at the project where she gave classes and participated in the work there.



**Subud Education Association** continues to operate under the umbrella of SDIA to stimulate thinking among Subud Educators. The Subud Education Association (SEA) was created by a group of dedicated educators to support others working in the same field, to share good practices and inspire each other. They now have 300 educators on their communications lists. SEA meets regularly online and provides a series of stimulating workshops and presentations on topics related to education. SEA also distributed small grants to assist Subud children to complete their studies, and is working to compile a directory of free, web-based learning programmes accessible to learners from around the world.

SEA has also been developing a play-based learning center known as Co-Play Indiana, with core team members coming together to support this new initiative. In 2024, SDIA provided financial support to enable a member of the SEA team to attend World Congress in Kalimantan.



Photo:  
Dr. Pasha Agoes  
SEA Chair



Photo:  
Dr. Mae Doran  
SEA Vice Chair



Photo:  
Dr. Priya Sharma  
SEA Executive Director

## Providing health and nutritional care

Physical and mental health are fundamental to achieving our human potential. Thanks to you, in 2024, SDIA and the SD Network helped to leverage hundreds of thousands of dollars to contribute to improved healthcare and nutrition for the most vulnerable, but we continue to need your support to do more for the many who are without these services.



Photo: From Blue Spirit, UK

## Preventing stunting through improved nutrition

In 2024, SDIA raised \$ 26,483 USD to support Yayasan Usaha Mulia (YUM)'s stunting prevention project, which operates in the region of Central Kalimantan, specifically in the Katingan Regency, located in Central Kalimantan Province, which ranks fifth in terms of stunting prevalence, with a rate of 29.9% among 15 regencies in the province.



This year the YUM team chose to focus its Stunting Prevention efforts in Katingan Hilir District, Katingan Regency.

The Stunting Prevention Project aims to support pregnant women in delivering healthy babies and to reduce the incidence of stunting. As part of the initiative, local health leaders (or 'kader') receive training in interpersonal communication and stunting prevention. Working alongside the YUM team, these leaders disseminate key information on stunting prevention, and pregnant women are assessed on their knowledge levels both before and after the sessions. Participants also receive monthly food packages for a period of 10 months and commit to regularly monitoring their health by checking hemoglobin levels and upper arm circumference. Additionally, one ultrasound examination was provided by a volunteer doctor, although this service was not originally included in the programme.

The project engaged 95 pregnant women and 341 mothers attending the monthly health post. The YUM team strengthened the capacity of 14 community leaders in Kasongan Lama Village,

Katingan Hilir District, Katingan Regency, Central Kalimantan Province, to deliver and sustain the programme. In addition, the Prevention of Stunting Workshops were provided by the leaders for teenagers, prospective brides, women intending to get pregnant, and grandmothers taking care of grandchildren. Husbands and fathers were also included through special events and the distribution of booklets, leaflets and recipe books. The capacity to monitor the health of pregnant and lactating women and the growth of their children was supported through the distribution of promotional kits to all 7 local health centers, which also each received complementary equipment: 2 blood pressure monitors, 3 hemoglobin level monitors, 4 weighing scales for toddlers, 4 weighing scales for babies and 8 upper arm circumference measuring devices.

As a result of the project, 97% of at-risk babies born fell within the normal WHO growth parameters, with 70% of them requiring ongoing monitoring and only 3% identified as experiencing stunting.

According to one woman who was trained as a leader in the Stunting Prevention programme: "After attending the training from YUM, I feel that in addition to increased knowledge, my desire to help the surrounding community has also increased because I think we must prevent stunting." One mother benefiting from the programme reported that: ". In the past, with my first child, I was worried about the child's body looking small but for my twins it is not a burden because I already know how to measure their growth and "Alhamdulillah", every month the children's weight and height always increase. I hope that YUM can provide more assistance to the community, especially underprivileged pregnant women who need additional nutritional intake like I did, so that we can prevent stunting in children as early as possible."





## Improving pediatric care in four communities in the Democratic Republic of Congo (DRC)

Thanks to the long partnership between SD Canada, SD Congo, SD Germany, SDIA and the Buchan Family Foundation, we were able to continue to support the improvement of healthcare in the DRC - working together to leverage funds from the German Ministry of Foreign Affairs (BMZ). In 2024, SD Congo was able to complete the project to build and inaugurate 3 new paediatric wards, train health staff, provide specialised equipment and begin drilling for clean water to help prevent and detect life-threatening diseases and in 2025, we expect the Mother-Child Hospital Center of Kwilu Ngongo to be officially recognized as the regional hospital under the Ministry of Health.

## Protecting the environment

Today, much of Indonesia has lost a lot of its virgin forest leaving behind harsh conditions for agriculture due to poor, acid, sandy soils and high temperatures all year round. Local people struggle to cultivate the land. Productivity is obtained primarily through the extensive use of chemical fertilisers and much effort and expense for farmers. However, lands devastated by fires and deforestation can naturally regenerate: bare land can produce, and in a short period of time, grow ground cover that develops into shrubs and young trees.

In 2024, SDIA supported YUM's pilot project "Developing Agroforestry as a basis for enhanced, biodiverse food production, farmer livelihoods and carbon capture". This \$19,000 contribution towards SDIA's overall total of counterpart funding for the SD Germany-led 100,000-euro German government-funded project, contributed to the develop of a training model in agroforestry techniques for women community leaders and small farmers, raising awareness on the important role of agroforestry as a sustainable land use solution for improving carbon sequestration and addressing climate change.

As an alternative form of agriculture, agroforestry enables the parallel cultivation and harvesting of different crops in forested areas. Rainforest trees do not have to be felled; the soil is ecologically fertilized. The low humus layer on tropical peat soils is preserved and thus small farmers do not have to apply pesticides or chemical fertilizers to achieve better harvests, ensuring a safer and lower cost production by combining different crops and fruit plants. This project achieved the following:

1. Capacity building of 25 community leaders that will implement an awareness campaign over a period of 10 months reaching 2,000 beneficiaries
2. Training and support of 10 farmers, men and women, to implement 2,000 m<sup>2</sup> pilot plots of agroforestry in their land over a period of 8 months.
3. Additionally, it helped develop a manual for the implementations of agroforestry solutions in the region and prepare for the eventual evaluation and assessment of the pilot project based on a baseline survey with 300 farmers, men and women, and focus groups' discussions.

Thanks to the success of the pilot phase, with more and more local farmers expressing interest in learning about the agro-forestry model developed by YUM, SDIA in collaboration with SD Germany have been successful in obtaining funding for a full-scale project implementation over the coming three years starting in 2025.

SD Indonesia (SDI) has also done its part and actively promotes climate change awareness through various programmes including: hosting discussions on the impact of climate change for young people, housewives and office workers (April, 2024). This was followed by a teacher training seminar for 120 teachers in Palangkaraya on environmental and climate change issues on the 20th of July, 2024. Finally, SDI put on the Borneo Ecofest at the local stadium across from the Swissbel Hotel - a four-day exhibition showcasing eco-friendly products from local, small and medium sized enterprises in Palangkaraya, held alongside the 17th Subud World Congress. SDIA provided funds to help support the teacher training activities.



Internally, on behalf of the SD Network, SDIA offered training to the network on development of environmental action plans and with the support of Indra Halviala and our Environmental Working group, produced an Environmental Protection Policy, this summarises the key commitments of SDIA to increase awareness and improve performance on environmental protection and efforts to reduce carbon emissions. This policy was approved by the Board in early 2024.

Among initiatives supported, was an emergency response of Usaha Mulia Abadi (UMA) to support government efforts to restore a protected forest area destroyed by blight.

SDIA provided emergency funding to allow SD Mexico and UMA to join forces with Subud members and locals helping to plant new trees to conserve forest cover.

SDIA was also pleased to help Dharma Care in Australia with the cost of electrification of its Sine Cera property to allow it to operate independently of the power grid which frequently experiences power cuts.

## Helping Subud members respond to chronic and sudden-onset emergencies with caring and compassion

Wherever Subud members are willing to give of themselves, their time and their dedication to help others, SDIA will be there with them. We welcome your support for Subud Ukraine members working to provide food to those in need.

In 2024, Subud members in Ukraine continued to support their communities during a continuation of hostilities. Many of you wanted to help. Thanks to your support, SDIA was able to send \$28,000 to the humanitarian activities carried out by Subud members in the Ukraine in the form of a Soup Project to bring soup and other food packages to those in need.



Photo: At UMA's site in Mexico, baby trees are waiting to be planted



Photo: SD Mexico and UMA gather with a team of young tree planters to do the forest restoration



# SDIA Strengthens the Network – Capacity Building, Networking and Collaborations within and outside our Subud Community

*It's about working together for a common purpose.*

Throughout the first half of 2024, SDIA collaborated closely with the WSA and Wing organisations to prepare for World Congress in Kalimantan. Through a grant to Bina Cita Utama school in Rungan Sari, SDIA contributed to the refurbishment of the Latihan Hall, to make it ready for the meetings and activities that would be carried out there during the 17th World Congress.



In 2024, our focus was, among other things, on helping activities in and around World Congress. This included the organization of travel and accommodation for SD National and SDIA Associate members; organizing workshops and opportunities for our members to connect; formal presentations to World Congress; and providing unique opportunities for visitors to participate in project visits to see for themselves the work that is done to support local communities and protect the environment.





In all, more than 233 people participated in 10 “guided tour” visits to 7 local projects, with interpretation available in English, French and Spanish. After the costs of transport and other expenses were met, the visits allowed for a small ‘thank you’ gift for each project that participated.



SDIA also supported SD Indonesia’s efforts to put on a teach-training programme on Climate Change and a local Ecofest market as an opportunity for visitors to support local culture and the crafts of artisans from the Palankaraya community.



SDIA also held its Annual General Meeting, a series of seven sharing and learning workshops on various topics of interest to members and all participants and an exhibition in the main Congress area of the Swissbel hotel. New members, like the K-HUB Cooperative, were able to get to know and join the Network.



Photo: SDIA World Congress Display, Kalimantan 2024



Photo: World Congress was a chance to facilitate learning and sharing between members and with the broader donor and supporter community

Within the Network, SDIA performs a range of services to support our members in their collective decision-making. Among these are our quarterly calls among SD nationals and the maintenance of the SD Grants Matrix, providing information to all SD nationals on active project requests and what they need to be fulfilled.

**Volunteer Coaching:** SD Project leaders, many of whom are operating in high stress environments, also require direct support from us. Thanks to Roland Evans, a psychologist and expert coach of NGO leaders in the US, and our Board members Danica Robertson and Mariallah Hugenholtz, we were able to offer Coaching to support project leaders to better steer their initiatives in the right direction.

**Inner Leap Training Series:** SDIA continues to provide training to SDIA members on topics of common interest. In 2024, these sessions were delivered in person during a number of workshops on education, child development and health and wellbeing, where members had the opportunity to learn from each other and gain insight into how to improve their own practices.

## SDIA Communications, Publications and Outreach

SDIA holds consultative status with the UN through ECOSOC (the United Nations Economic and Social Council), UNICEF and DPI (Department of Information). This provides SDIA and its member projects with a platform for sharing our good practices and learning with governments and NGOs from around the world. SDIA shares publications and opportunities from different United Nations agencies and other organisations with its members.

SDIA gathers stories and information about our members to engage others in our activities – volunteers, donors, partners, and the general public. In 2024, the SDIA office published three eNewsletters and our Annual Report in four languages. The SD Passport Virtual Visits and interviews allow participants to get to know the work of practitioners within our SD Network and what inspires them to take action. In 2024, SDIA hosted two SD Passport online seminars: the first in April was a virtual visit to the DRC led by the SD Congo team; and the second, in November, was a session on projects working on Sustainable Livelihoods.

You can find all our past SD Passport presentations at:  
<http://www.youtube.com/@susiladharmainternational>

SDIA's on-going communications included updating the website [www.susiladharma.org](http://www.susiladharma.org) and maintaining and expanding our online presence via Facebook and Instagram.

## SDIA Board, Management and Administration

SDIA is governed by an international membership of SD organisations, the representatives of which meet annually to set policy and review progress towards the goals of the Association. The SDIA Annual General Meeting of members took place in three distinct sections – July 6 as an online meeting, July 19th as an in person meeting in Rungan Sari, and a final segment on September 6th 2024 to finalise commitments and decisions made. Between members' meetings, an international, volunteer Board of Directors oversees SDIA's operations. In 2024, the SDIA Board held monthly meetings online and weekly meetings with the executive team.

For the first half of 2024, the SDIA Board consisted of:

Vincent Mount - Chair  
Danica Robertson de Wild – Vice Chair  
Viktor Boehm – Director – Treasurer (outgoing)  
Nahum Harlap - Director – WSA Chair (outgoing)  
Aminah Herrman – Director (outgoing)  
Ashwin Rajaraman - Director (outgoing)  
Monica Clarke - Director (outgoing)  
Osanna Favre – Director

SDIA Office Executive Team consisted of:

Virginia Thomas - Executive Director  
Isidro Jimenez - Media Coordinator  
Margarita Fiscó - Publications and Network Coordinator  
Isabel Ana María Álvarez - Administration and Finance Officer

And we welcomed:

Mariallah Hugenholtz - Director – Treasurer (incoming)  
Rifka Several – Director – WSA Chair (incoming)  
Purnama Widjajakusumah - Director (incoming)  
Dianteza Dimpiokia - Director (incoming)  
Mary Salisbury - Director (incoming)  
Howard Ray - Director (incoming)  
Nurul Harnadi - Director (incoming)

## Making connections

*Ensure the future of SD Work in the World – support the SDIA Endowment Fund*



Many thanks to Vincent and Philesia Brimecome of New Zealand who, in 2024, left a bequest of \$120,000 USD to SDIA. They made us their charity of choice.

SD projects work to solve real-world problems and bring innovative solutions, inspired from within. As humanity evolves, our problems change, and new challenges arise to replace the ones we solve. It is impossible today to fully predict what tomorrow's problems will look like, but we hope to be there, to bring our skills, empathy and guidance to those most affected. With your support and our international network, we will help the most vulnerable, **now and in the future**.

What is the legacy you would like to leave? Contact the SDIA office at [bequest@susiladharma.org](mailto:bequest@susiladharma.org) to explore how you can leave a lasting legacy to support future SD work in the world.

## SDIA Membership 2024

In 2024, SDIA had **22 voting members** — Susila Dharma National organizations in Australia, Britain, Canada, Colombia, Cuba, D.R. Congo, Ecuador, France, Germany, Indonesia, Israel, Japan, Malawi, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, USA, and Vietnam.

In 2024, SDIA had **35 Associate Member projects** and **2 SD National organisations** implementing projects in the following areas:

### Children, Youth, and Education

**Africa:** SD Congo (Democratic Republic of Congo), SD Malawi, I Protect Me (South Africa), Fundación Milla 91 (Spain/Sierra Leone), RSD Guelson (Angola).

**Americas:** A Child's Garden of Peace and Atalanta (USA), Fundación Amanecer (Terkemuka Project) and ICDP Colombia (Colombia), FUEGOS (Ecuador), Fundación Vida Plena (Paraguay), Fundación Change Makers For Kids (Colombia).

**Asia Pacific:** Anisha Foundation (India), Borneo Football International Academy, Bina Cita Utama School, Ransel Buku, Yayasan Usaha Mulia and Yayasan Tambuhak Sinta (Indonesia).

**Europe:** Blue Spirit (UK), Enthum Foundation (UK), ICDP International Foundation (Norway—with activities in 43 countries), SD Portugal: Roda Viva (Portugal).

## Health and Well-Being

**Africa:** CEDERI-Madimba, Polyclinique Nandora-Vunguta, Yenge Health Center and SD Congo: Kingantoko, Kwilu Ngongo, Ndjili Kilambu, and Nkandu III community health centers (D.R. Congo), I Protect Me (South Africa), Fundación Milla 91 (Spain/Sierra Leone).

**Americas:** Asociación Vivir (Ecuador), FUEGOS (Ecuador), Mis Corazones Alegres (Colombia), Quest Center for Integrative Health (USA), Right Use of Power Institute (USA), Usaha Mulia Abadi (Mexico). Asia Pacific: Yayasan Permakultur Kalimantan, Yayasan Tambuhak Sinta and Yayasan Usaha Mulia (Indonesia), Dharma Care (Australia).

**Europe:** Enthum Foundation (UK), Blue Spirit (UK), Fountain Housing Association/Wisma Mulia (UK) and Living Well, Dying Well (UK).

## Sustainable Livelihoods

**Africa:** CEDERI-Madimba (D.R. Congo).

**Americas:** Fundación Trópico (Colombia), FUEGOS (Ecuador).

**Asia Pacific:** Anisha Foundation (India), Koperasi Hapakat Usaha Bersama (KHUB), Yayasan Permakultur Kalimantan (YPK), Yayasan Tambuhak Sinta (YTS) and Yayasan Usaha Mulia (YUM) (Indonesia).

**Europe:** Enthum Foundation (UK)

## Environment

**Africa:** CEDERI-Madimba (D.R. Congo).

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# SUSILA DHARMA INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (In US dollars)

## Unaudited

### Statement of Financial Position As of Dec 31, 2024

ASSETS	Without Donor Restriction	With Donor Restriction	Total 2024
			\$
Cash and term deposits	142.998	600.802	743.800
Unconditional Promises to Give	4.666	-	4.666
Advance for Activities	-	700	700
Marketable Securities Released from Restriction	1.171.457	34.557	1.206.015
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>1.319.122</b>	<b>636.059</b>	<b>1.955.181</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
Accounts Payable	16.116	-	16.116
Deferred Revenue	-	-	-
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>16.116</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>16.116</b>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>			
Unrestricted	1.303.006	-	1.303.006
Temporarily Restricted - Projects	-	601.502	601.502
Permanently Restricted Endowments	-	34.557	34.557
<b>TOTAL NET ASSETS</b>	<b>1.303.006</b>	<b>636.059</b>	<b>1.939.065</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>	<b>1.319.122</b>	<b>636.059</b>	<b>1.955.181</b>

### Changes in Net Assets 2024

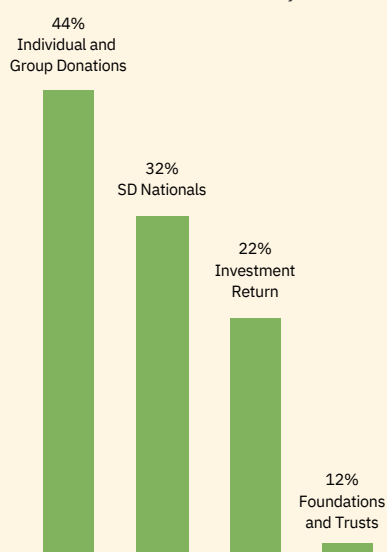
	Without Donor Restriction	With Donor Restriction	2024
			\$
<b>BEGINNING BALANCE</b>	<b>1.115.885</b>	<b>759.320</b>	<b>1.875.205</b>
<b>EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES Released from Restriction</b>	<b>187.120</b>	<b>(123.261)</b>	<b>63.860</b>
<b>ENDING BALANCE</b>	<b>1.303.006</b>	<b>636.059</b>	<b>1.939.065</b>

# Statement of Activities

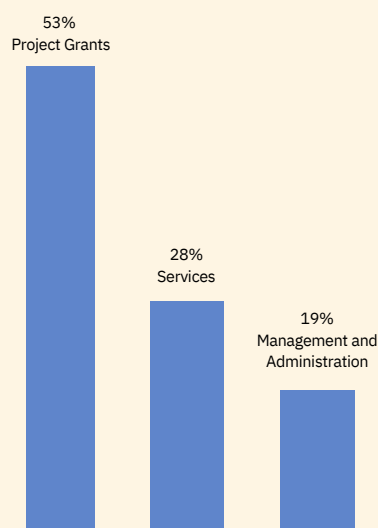
## Year ended December 31, 2024

	Total 2023	Without Donor restriction	With Donor restriction	Total 2024
<b>REVENUES, GAINS AND OTHER SUPPORT</b>				
Foundations and trusts	156.987	-	6.475	6.475
Individual and group donations	48.606	138.986	31.238	170.225
SD Nationals	78.161	42.196	82.264	124.460
Membership dues	605	660	-	660
Investment return and other income	138.181	85.872	974	86.846
Internal transfers		17.791	(17.791)	-
<b>Total Revenues, Gains and Other Support</b>	<b>422.540</b>	<b>285.505</b>	<b>103.161</b>	<b>388.666</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>				
<b>Program Services:</b>				
Direct Grants	163.511	-	172.621	172.621
Granting and financial support	19.000	20.000	-	20.000
Publications	21.506	20.984	950	21.934
Capacity Building	22.374	8.000	-	8.000
Sustaining Networks & Partnerships	9.678	8.614	33.281	41.895
				-
<b>Management and Administration:</b>				
Board expenses	2.248	1.672	8.067	9.739
Professional Services	7.595	15.969	-	15.969
Office and miscellaneous	10.496	5.407	11.236	16.643
Personnel Cost	16.404	17.739		17.739
				-
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>272.812</b>	<b>98.385</b>	<b>226.422</b>	<b>324.806</b>
	-			-
<b>EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>149.728</b>	<b>187.120</b>	<b>(123.261)</b>	<b>63.860</b>

### Total Revenue \$ 388,666



### Use of Funds \$ 324,806





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