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A new direction, built together

When I look back at 2025, what I feel most proud of is our new strategy and how we developed it through internal collaboration with input from partners and peers.

Despite it being a year of transition, we did not slow down. We launched a new strategy while continuing to move record levels of funding: over €354 million to grantees driving climate action around the world, and €50 million to humanitarian responses.

Our new strategy sharpens our mission: we fight global warming with and for the many people, by reducing and avoiding greenhouse gas emissions through people-centred solutions. Our partners are central to that. They work in difficult conditions, on urgent problems, and they do not give up. And with only 2% of global philanthropic funding currently going to climate mitigation, their work has never been more important.

Driven by IKEA values, I am stubbornly optimistic. Not because the challenges are small, but because of what our partners achieve every day. We are deeply grateful to them for their action, commitment, collaboration, and passion. Their work turns ambition into meaningful impact, and that is what gives us confidence and hope for our journey ahead. Because together, real, lasting change becomes possible.



Jessica Anderen
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Credits: Global Methane Hub

OUR VISION

The IKEA Foundation is dedicated to building a world where low emission economies create wellbeing for the many people and sustain planetary health. Founded by Swedish entrepreneur Ingvar Kamprad, we are proud to share the values of the business he started: IKEA. Though we operate independently from IKEA, we hold a common vision: to create a better everyday life for the many people. To pursue this vision, we make grants to partners around the world, with a focus on emerging economies.

HIGHLIGHTS IN NUMBERS

47 new grants

focusing on climate action and sustainable livelihoods, and 9 grants to emergency response.

€404 million

in grants paid out, working with 128 active partners.

Almost €3 billion

in funding has been provided by the IKEA Foundation since its founding.

