

Anti-Racism Community Grant Program 2018-19 Recipients

Recipient	Municipality	Amount	Project
Keepers of the Athabasca Watershed Society	Athabasca	\$25,000	A workshop series and radio ad competition to better understand Indigenous history and philosophies to work towards truth, reconciliation and sustainability.
Action Dignity Society	Calgary	\$25,000	A program for First Nations, newcomers and multi-generation Canadians, especially youth, to craft and perform in plays that reflect their voices, experiences and aspirations.
Association for the Alberta Network of Immigrant Women	Calgary	\$25,000	Development of a video game based on real world experiences of racialized people in Alberta so users can walk in their shoes to learn about racism and discrimination.
SEEDS Connection	Calgary	\$10,600	Creation of an anti-racism workshop curriculum for teachers to educate and provide practical actions to adult learners to support the reduction of discrimination and prejudice in their community.
Philippine Festival Council of Alberta	Calgary	\$22,750	Using creative mediums to explore, document, and share the experiences of Filipino youth so they can better understand and start community conversations to address racism.
Muslim Association of Calgary (MAC)	Calgary	\$16,460	Providing guidance, management strategies and support to victims of Islamophobia or racism through panel discussions, information resources and counselling.
Soccer Without Boundaries	Calgary	\$24,020	Engaging Soccer Without Boundaries volunteers to explore, share and use key learnings about the strengths and challenges of a community development approach to anti-racism work.
Centre d'Accueil pour Nouveaux Arrivants Francophone de Calgary (CANAF)	Calgary	\$25,000	Raising awareness about racism based on skin colour, gender and religion in French immigrant communities and its impact on their integration into Alberta.
Jewish Family Service Calgary	Calgary	\$25,000	A program to teach youth about Jewish history, explore past and current anti-Semitism, and provide tools and resources to deal with discrimination.
Aboriginal Friendship Centre of Calgary	Calgary	\$23,500	A program to enable Indigenous youth to become leaders in promoting anti-racism through cultural

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			reconnection, education and establishing relationships with peers and Elders.
uTurn Project Inc.	Calgary	\$4,970	An initiative to create awareness of racism and ways to support anti-racism in the community.
Filcanadian Broadcasters Society	Calgary	\$3,600	A project to tackle and enhance awareness on racism for Canadians of all backgrounds.
Helping Hands Society of Cochrane & Area	Cochrane	\$6,522	Providing opportunities for people to learn, discuss and address the systemic causes and consequences of racism in Cochrane and the surrounding area.
Edmonton Multicultural Coalition Association	Edmonton	\$19,658	Roundtable discussions with individuals and organizations to explore the impacts and aspects of racism. Results will be discussed at a large public anti-racism forum, and organizations will be supported to address the identified issues with follow-up activities.
The Sierra Leone Association of Alberta	Edmonton	\$25,000	Mentorship and support of a youth planning committee to host a 1.5 day forum for newcomer youth with government, service agencies and community leaders to discuss their challenges and work towards solutions to racism.
Alliance Jeunesse Famille de l'Alberta Society	Edmonton	\$25,000	A five-day training session for diverse youth about the causes, consequences and solutions to racism. Youth will learn ways to educate others and give five presentations in their own communities following training.
Action for Healthy Communities Society of Edmonton	Edmonton	\$24,917	Increasing inclusivity in Queen Mary Park by supporting residents to develop activity sets that will build resiliency in the community and increase access to outside resources.
Alberta Muslim Public Affairs Council	Edmonton	\$25,000	Uniting communities, cultures and faiths to educate, address and create awareness of Islamophobia and discrimination.
The Society of Edmonton Chinese Television	Edmonton	\$20,370	A two-part mobile video training workshop for newcomer communities to produce videos that address social inequities and racism.
Arabian Muslim Association	Edmonton	\$8,640	A series of video interviews with Christian and Muslim faith leaders on how we can end racism and hatred by focusing on shared values and goals.
Mill Woods Seniors Association	Edmonton	\$25,000	Translating print resources that encompass various cultural perspectives into Cree, Hindi, Tagalog and Spanish to broaden horizons and develop an ongoing Vlog to help support anti-racism, multi-culturalism and diversity in the community.

Edmonton Aboriginal Seniors Centre	Edmonton	\$20,560	Collecting stories from Indigenous seniors about racism, their life experiences and culture for three to five minute radio vignettes for CBC and CFWE.
Metis Nation of Alberta Association	Edmonton	\$25,000	Hosting a "Human Library" for participants to "borrow" human books and have conversations with Métis Elders and Albertans with lived experience of racism. Audio recordings, video and transcripts will be shared on social media to reach a wider audience.
Institute for the Advancement of Aboriginal Women	Edmonton	\$17,200	Coordinating a monthly community action team and shared resource tool to help Aboriginal women impacted by racism.
M.A.P.S Alberta Capital Region (Mapping and Planning Support) Ltd.	Edmonton	\$5,000	A series of community dialogues in Mill Woods for people from different cultures to discuss, learn and share ideas and challenges on the subject of race, culture and Canadian identity.
Edmonton Centre for Race and Culture	Edmonton	\$4,822	A two-day symposium for local academics, community leaders, service providers, educators, artists and the general public to focus on anti-racism education and promote a culture of respect and inclusion.
Horn of Africa Educational and Economic Development Society (HAEEDS)	Edmonton	\$5,000	A workshop to educate newcomers on racism, create a dialogue to address discrimination and help those who have been targeted.
Dene Tha' Recreation and Cultural Society	High Level	\$20,000	Bringing people together to develop positive relationships, live peacefully together and protect participants from racism.
Jasper Employment & Education Centre	Jasper	\$21,597	Training and support of clients to build understanding and respect, and remove racism within their workplaces and community organizations
Metis Nation of Alberta Association Local Council 1949 Owl River	Lac La Biche	\$25,000	A series of community discussions on how the Métis of Owl River experienced and survived the 1960s scoop, the large-scale removal of Indigenous children from their families and placement in foster homes and forced adoption. This platform will let survivors share their experiences, educate the community about what happened, brainstorm anti-racism strategies and draw up an action plan.
Red Deer Urban Aboriginal Voices Society	Red Deer	\$21,003	Training Indigenous community members, including youth and Elders, to understand racism and facilitate community conversations about Indigenous cultures and the impact of racism.

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Shining Mountains Living Community Services	Red Deer	\$17,040	Provide teaching on Aboriginal culture and perspective, and the basic truth of respect and equality.
St. Paul Community Learning Association	St. Paul	\$16,507	Raising awareness about the division between Indigenous, particularly Métis, and non-Indigenous people in St. Paul through conversations about the history of the St. Paul des Metis colony and impacts of its closure and resettlement.
12 Community Safety Initiative Society	Calgary	\$25,000	Diversity and education training sessions to organizations through a crime prevention plan and community building through inclusion.
ABC Head Start Society	Edmonton	\$17,708	This project created dialogue between individuals of different ages, ethnicities and religions regarding the causes and effects of racism within their communities.
African Schools Parents Association of Alberta	Edmonton	\$21,980	The project creates dialogue between families of new immigrants to help them better navigate the school system.
Alberta Civil Liberties Research Centre	Calgary	\$24,000	The project brings together Grades 7, 8 and 9 Indigenous and non-Indigenous students to raise awareness and create understanding about issues of culture, anti-racism and truth and reconciliation through various educational activities and art.
Alberta Youth and New Graduates Empowerment Agency (Society)	Calgary	\$15,502	In response to the diversity and complexity of the challenges that newcomer youth encounter, this project offers youth opportunities and support to enable them to feel secure and hopeful about their future.
Asian Heritage Foundation (Southern Alberta)	Calgary	\$23,250	The project addresses bias, discrimination and systemic racism in the arts, education and media, through educational sessions and change initiatives.
Aspen Foundation for Labour Education	Leduc	\$25,000	Creation of a 5-minute video, and accompanying short lesson plan, about black children's experiences in schools, paired with research and photos that explore how anti-black racism shaped the education system and students' lives.
Awo Taan Healing Lodge Society	Calgary	\$25,000	The project provides education and awareness on the issue of missing and murdered Indigenous women in Canada.
B'nai Brith of Canada League for Human Rights	Edmonton	\$25,000	The project asked Edmonton students at public, private and charter high schools to develop and illustrate children's books that tell the story of tolerance, diversity and/or inclusion.
Centre for Newcomers Society of Calgary	Calgary	\$25,000	This project is an awareness building campaign to normalize immigrants, using online videos of high-

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			profile caucasian and visible minority Calgarians sharing their families' stories of immigration.
Deep Rooted Ltd.	Edmonton	\$11,970	A workshop where participants actively explore ways to be more inclusive in the community, with the main focus of the workshop being unconscious bias and inclusive hiring practices.
Diaryo Alberta Society	Calgary	\$4,880	The project trains and educates leaders of immigrant organizations, published newsletters to sustain education and skills development of participants and train peer supporters on the impact of and ways to address racism in the community.
Edmonton Council of Muslim Communities	Edmonton	\$25,000	An illustrated information package on Alberta Muslims and their current and emerging challenges relating to racism and a supporting video documentary.
Freedom Time	Calgary	\$25,000	This project challenges stereotypes that people have of First Nations people through the use of social media, public engagement and a series of video campaigns made by First Nations youth.
Inner City Pastoral Ministry Association	Edmonton	\$25,000	Uniting community in the common task of reconciliation and healing, anti-racism and inclusion of First Nations and Métis Elders through sharing circles, blanket exercises, and intergenerational family events of celebration.
Jewish Federation of Edmonton	Edmonton	\$9,140	The project included a series of education sessions and commemoration ceremonies, which support anti-racism.
Keyano College	Fort McMurray	\$25,000	A video created giving individuals from many diverse cultures the opportunity to speak about their own experiences with racism and how they have overcome it.
Maskwacis Cultural College	Lacombe	\$25,000	The creation of a resource in the form of a certificate training course addressing reconciliation and decolonization.
Miywasin Friendship Centre (Medicine Hat)	Medicine Hat	\$23,750	The project provided a week-long event that focused on healing and reconciliation and the impacts of racism, by providing cultural awareness training workshops.
Multicultural Association of Wood Buffalo	Fort McMurray	\$13,564	A series of conversation cafés allowing the survivors of racism, discrimination and hate crimes to speak about their experiences to influential community members.
Multicultural Family Resource Society	Edmonton	\$13,750	Monthly intercultural gatherings such as sharing circles, Indigenous and ethno-cultural knowledge sharing activities, Indigenous protocol, workshops, family activities and arts.

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Olds Institute for Community & Regional Development	Olds	\$25,000	Creation of programs in the community that reduce the prevalence and impacts of racism.
Society for Safe and Caring Schools & Communities	Edmonton	\$25,000	The project has an Indigenous consultant who assists the organization in ensuring that the staff, programs, initiatives, and resources are culturally competent and inclusive of Indigenous knowledge.
Somali Canadian Education and Rural Development Organization (SCERDO)	Edmonton	\$24,300	The project addressed the causes and realities of employment discrimination and barriers towards visible minorities in Alberta.
Sweetgrass Youth Alliance	Little Bow	\$25,000	Club that meets weekly, open to people of all racial backgrounds to learn Indigenous ways and bust some myths about Indigenous culture; therefore, decreasing racism.
Talent Pool Society	Calgary	\$5,000	Developed resources for human resource professionals to address racism in their organization and their community.
The ACCT Foundation	Edmonton	\$18,650	This project enhances the community capacity of the diverse and complex communities of Chinese descent through knowledge and skill building, to empower and actively address and contribute to anti-discrimination and anti-racism.
The Pride Centre of Edmonton	Edmonton	\$9,800	A graphic novel that seeks to highlight the collective and untold stories of Queer Muslims.
The Redeemed Christian Church of God	Airdrie	\$2,500	An event focused on fostering an environment of inclusion and cultural diversity, by addressing causes and consequences of racism in the youth community.
University of Alberta- Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry	Edmonton	\$4,500	Longitudinal learning series designed to build capacity among faculty, students, and staff to work safely and respectfully with First Nation, Inuit, and Métis peoples, within health care and medicinal education settings.
Alberta Recreation and Parks Association	Banff	\$12,500	Development of training and education opportunities for their organization's staff, board, and membership communities, to enhance the understanding of racism experienced by Indigenous peoples in communities across Alberta.
Coalition for Equal Access to Education Society	Calgary	\$25,000	Individual stories that addresses the issue of racism in schools so that immigrant and racialized youth can have equal access to quality education.

Community Futures Treaty Seven	Calgary	\$25,000	Developed training workshops for staff on how to deliver anti-racist training to off-reserve stakeholders.
CommunityWise Resource Centre	Calgary	\$14,605	Through stakeholder meetings, the project cultivated and nurtured a larger more sustainable and resilient network of anti-racism and intersectional educators in Calgary.
Governors of the University of Calgary (Faculty of Social Work)	Calgary	\$25,000	The project explored educator and student experiences of racism, to develop and evaluate an effective anti-racism workshop that can be applied in post-secondary settings.
Handsome Alice Theatre Foundation	Calgary	\$2,500	The project is a three-part community event to discuss, inform, and challenge systemic racism in the creation and dissemination of theatre in the community.
Mountain Standard Time Performative Arts Festivals Society (M:ST)	Calgary	\$14,005	The project is a workshop dedicated to begin healing the wounds caused by lateral violence amongst Indigenous and new immigrant communities and to produce a series of spoken words.
Native Counselling Services of Alberta	Calgary	\$24,600	The project is intended to bring together existing partners to engage them with a focus on establishing and providing supports to groups towards institutional systemic change, with regard to anti-racism and human rights practices.
Tsuu T'ina Nation	Chestermere	\$5,000	The project hosted a one-day workshop to examine on-reserve racism and provide a safe platform for individuals to learn, discuss and address the impacts of racism.
Concordia University of Edmonton	Edmonton	\$25,000	The project is an educational opportunity for students, faculty and staff to gain awareness and understanding of the racism encountered by Indigenous community members.
Edmonton Heritage Council Society	Edmonton	\$22,275	Through a symposium, the project aims to connect Indigenous heritage practitioners to non-Indigenous heritage practitioners, towards building relationships and increasing investment into Indigenous community organizations.
Governors of the University of Alberta	Edmonton	\$25,000	The project will disseminate advice for best practices related to countering racism in rural communities, the engagement of rural citizens in community conversations regarding racism in their communities, and ongoing academic research aimed at better understanding appropriate methods to address racism in rural communities across Alberta.

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Islamic Family and Social Services Association (IFSSA)	Edmonton	\$15,500	The project is a series of initiatives that brings people from all faiths and backgrounds together to authentically build community over the course of the Muslim holy month of Ramadan.
John Humphrey Centre for Peace and Human Rights	Edmonton	\$25,000	The project will build the capacity and provide tools for community based agencies to play a vital role in responding to racism and discrimination, while building networks for collective provincial action and cross-cultural connections.
Sixties Scoop Indigenous Society of Alberta (SSISA)	Edmonton	\$25,000	A series of public sessions in rural Alberta libraries to educate Albertans on the history and atrocities that the "Sixties Scoop" had on Indigenous communities and individuals that leads to today's systemic issues.
Treaty 8 First Nations of Alberta	Edmonton	\$20,526	Worked with Elders on a First Nation cultural training presentation developed for delivery to external stakeholders, that explains the culture and history of Treaty 8 communities and provides a better understanding of Indigenous peoples.
Twin Brooks Community League-Seniors Innovation Fund within (TBCL-SIF)	Edmonton	\$5,200	A community event to develop closer relations among the dominant Caucasian & New Canadian (immigrant) groups in the community.
Portage College	Lac La Biche	\$19,839	A workshop that combines KAIROS Blanket Exercise, restorative practices and an appreciation of Indigenous culture and diversity through arts appreciation of the moccasin.
Gift Lake Metis Settlement Association	Lesser Slave Lake	\$18,510	Working with youth to help them understand racism and how to combat prejudice that comes with it, facilitated workshops on racism, and a youth conference.
Wellness Through Living Society	Lethbridge	\$1,705	A healing circle, with different topics each month, which creates a safe space for participants to gather and share their experiences of living in a community with many cultures that is not always inclusive.
Willow Creek Community Adult Learning Society	Livingstone Macleod	\$5,000	Informed and engaged community members about the benefits of having a welcoming and inclusive community.
Global Village Centre	Strathmore	\$24,300	Introduced key service providers to effective practices, which they can integrate into their organizational cultures to better support culturally diversified stakeholder and user groups in reporting and countering existing racism.

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