



HAND IN HAND SWITZERLAND



2025

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INTRODUCTION

Hand In Hand Switzerland was founded in 2013 as an expert entity to support the activities of Hand in Hand India, Cambodia, Myanmar and Sri Lanka.



OUR VISION

Alleviating poverty through job creation, climate action, and education.



OUR MISSION

Working towards economic, ecological, and social stability among poor and underserved communities.

Our Founding Organisation

Hand in Hand India, our founding organisation, was registered in 2004. The organisation's roots can be traced to the vision of eradicating child labour in Kancheepuram, a district in Tamil Nadu, India, known for its 500-year-old silk weaving industry. What began as a focus on one thematic area has significantly expanded into five major thematic areas, namely:

- i) Child Labour Elimination and Education
- ii) Women Empowerment and Job Creation
- iii) Access to Affordable Healthcare
- iv) Skill Development & Technology Centres
- v) Environment – Natural Resource Management and Sustainable Waste Management

Over the past 25 years, Hand in Hand India's experience has reinforced the belief that women are powerful catalysts for change and that empowered communities can drive lasting transformation. This learning continues to shape its approach towards creating inclusive opportunities and strengthening communities.

Hand in Hand India now works in 20 states in India, and its global presence can be traced to 9 countries spread over 3 continents. It is also noteworthy to highlight that Hand in Hand India is a UNFCCC Observer NGO.

Hand in Hand Switzerland's Focus Areas

Education: We engage with vulnerable children and youth from remote and rural areas and provide them with access to quality education and opportunities through our residential and non-residential programmes, which are holistic in nature.

Empowerment: We believe that women can be the powerhouse of change and thereby financially empower women from rural communities through our Self Help Group-Micro Enterprises programme so they can become self-sufficient entrepreneurs and bring about social change.

Environment: We create climate-resilient communities through large-scale environment initiatives that focus on climate-smart agriculture and waste management programmes, with major emphasis on marginal farmers, water conservation, waste segregation, and knowledge dissemination.

Dream Village: Directly addressing poverty, our 30-month Dream Village programme elevates rural spaces by improving social indicators of education, empowerment, and environment, through a community-oriented participatory approach leading to sustainability.

Hand in Hand Switzerland's Approach

Outreach & Partnerships: Build meaningful partnerships and host knowledge-sharing events to promote best practices

Resource Mobilisation: Generate grants and funds to achieve goals

Communication: Demonstrate effectiveness and communicate the value of interventions



President's Message

Dear friends,

2025 has been a year of purposeful action and collective commitment for Hand in Hand Switzerland. Across our programmes and partnerships, we have continued to work towards creating lasting solutions that address critical challenges faced by vulnerable communities.

A significant highlight of the year was bringing grassroots experiences to global platforms in Geneva, including discussions at the United Nations Headquarters on gender equality, girls' empowerment and sustainable development. These conversations reinforced the importance of education, healthcare, participation and economic opportunities in building more inclusive societies.

Through our partnerships, we have supported initiatives that have generated meaningful progress - improving healthcare access for remote tribal communities through telemedicine, strengthening climate-resilient farming practices, supporting children's transition to education, enhancing rural livelihoods, and promoting environmental sustainability. These efforts demonstrate the importance of locally driven approaches, supported by strong collaboration, in addressing diverse social and developmental challenges.

The progress achieved this year has been made possible through the dedication of our partners, donors, supporters, auditors, accountants and the Hand in Hand Switzerland team. Their continued trust enables us to reach communities with solutions that are practical, sustainable and responsive to local needs.

As we look ahead, Hand in Hand Switzerland remains committed to strengthening these collaborations and creating greater opportunities to empower communities, improve lives and contribute towards a more inclusive and sustainable future.

Dr. Kalpana Sankar

President



KEY EVENTS

Empowering Girls Through Global Partnership at the United Nations

Hand in Hand Switzerland proudly joined forces with global organisations to commemorate the International Day of the Girl Child at the UN Headquarters in Geneva on 7 October 2025. With the theme “Empowering Girls through Education, Protection, Innovation, Global Practices and Norms”, the event featured powerful talks from global experts, including Dr. Kalpana Sankar, President of Hand in Hand Switzerland and Co-Founder of



Hand in Hand India. Drawing from decades of grassroots experience across rural India, Dr. Sankar spoke about key issues – including undernourishment, access to education and healthcare, child marriage, and the emerging threat of mobile phone addiction among children.

All speakers brought forward diverse global perspectives, including the grim challenges faced by children in conflict zones. A moving film showcasing Hand in Hand India's impact was followed by a thought-provoking panel discussion led by the Hand in Hand Switzerland team. The event also marked the launch of the updated edition of Dr. Sankar's book, “Childhood Regained”, drawing on over two decades of experience and illustrating the organisation's vision of restoring childhood through education and the elimination of child labour. Attendees included UN representatives, members of the Indian diplomatic mission in Geneva, social development practitioners, and guests from across Europe. The event fostered rich dialogue, uniting voices for a more empowered future for girls everywhere.



Inclusive Gender Empowerment

A multi-stakeholder dialogue on “Inclusive Gender Empowerment for a More Sustainable World” was held at the United Nations Headquarters in Geneva on 17 March 2025. Bringing together senior UN officials, diplomats, sustainability experts and social development practitioners, the event explored the vital links between gender equality, women's rights and sustainable development. Dr. Kalpana Sankar, President of Hand in Hand Switzerland, delivered the keynote address, sharing insights from the Hand in Hand model, which has helped create over 10 million jobs. She highlighted how education, healthcare, clean water and sanitation empower women, strengthen families and build resilient communities.

Speakers offered diverse global perspectives on advancing gender equality, with discussions covering women's political and economic participation, housing inequality, climate action and the need to challenge entrenched gender stereotypes. The event concluded with an engaging question-and-answer session, reinforcing the importance of gender-responsive policies and collective action to achieve a more inclusive and sustainable future.

KEY EVENTS



Meeting with India's Permanent Representative to the UN, Geneva

On 6 October 2025, the delegation of Hand in Hand Switzerland, led by Mr. Sandip Mookerjee, Director General, along with Dr. Arun Pabari, General Assembly Member, Mr. Byrav N and Mr. Prem Anand, Team Members, met His Excellency Mr. Arindam Bagchi, Permanent Representative of India to the United Nations in Geneva. The delegation shared an overview of Hand in Hand Switzerland and Hand in Hand India, including their activities, contributions, and achievements, and invited His Excellency to the programme commemorating the International Day of the Girl Child at the United Nations Headquarters in Geneva on 7 October 2025. While His Excellency was unable to attend personally, he nominated a representative from the Indian Diplomatic Mission to participate in the programme.

KEY EVENTS



General Assembly Meeting

Date: 7 October 2025

Location: Geneva



Executive Committee Meeting

Date: 17 March 2025

Location: Geneva



PROJECTS



Shallow Wells and Green Cover Development in Jawad Hills Range

Supported by:

Audemars-Watkins Foundation, Switzerland
National Bank for Agriculture and Rural
Development (NABARD), India and
Hand in Hand India

Location:

Tiruvannamalai district,
Tamil Nadu, India

The 'Shallow Wells and Green Cover Development in Jawad Hills Range' project successfully helped strengthen climate resilience and improve the livelihoods of tribal farming communities in the Jawad Hills of Tiruvannamalai district. By addressing water scarcity, deforestation and declining agricultural productivity, the project created sustainable irrigation systems and expanded green cover on degraded farmland.

An independent impact assessment by IIT Madras, one of India's premier institutions, confirmed improvements in vegetation health, soil moisture and cultivated land, demonstrating the project's lasting environmental and livelihood benefits. By integrating sustainable natural resource management with farmer capacity building, the initiative has strengthened food security, increased farm incomes and enhanced climate resilience for tribal communities.

Impact

- Constructed **300 shallow wells**, providing reliable irrigation to **300 tribal farming families**.
- Planted **39,000 horticultural and agroforestry saplings** across **390 acres**, restoring degraded land and increasing green cover.
- Trained **300 farmers** in water conservation, agroforestry and sustainable farming practices.
- Achieved a **95% plant survival rate**, with many trees already bearing fruit.
- Piloted **solar-powered drip irrigation** on selected farms, improving water efficiency and showcasing climate-smart agriculture.



Case Study:

Reviving a Farmer's Future

Mr. Srinivasan, a farmer from Kuriyanur village, faced dwindling crop yields. For years, the primary source of irrigation for his crops was a dug well, which was becoming inefficient due to cracks and silt accumulation, coupled with issues like decreasing groundwater levels. This well was no longer sufficient to support his farm's needs. As a result, Srinivasan struggled with crop failures, debt, and the potential loss of his livelihood.

Through this project, which focused on restoring traditional water sources to improve the availability of water for irrigation, Srinivasan received financial support of INR 35,000 (approx. €320) and guidance for his well renovation. The funds allowed him to repair the cracks, remove debris, and deepen the well, with water levels thereon rising steadily.

The well renovation enabled Srinivasan to irrigate his farm effectively. Additionally, efficient irrigation techniques like drip irrigation were also introduced, which he had learnt from the training sessions conducted. His production and income increased, allowing him to repay debts and invest in quality seeds, fertilisers, and farm equipment. This intervention rejuvenated his passion for farming, setting him on a path toward long-term success.



Implementing Telemedicine Solutions for Enhanced Healthcare in Remote Tribal Communities

Supported by:

JK Wonderland Foundation

Location:

Namakkal district,
Tamil Nadu, India

The 'Implementing Telemedicine Solutions for Enhanced Healthcare in Remote Tribal Communities' project was undertaken in the tribal communities of Bargur Hills, Erode district and Kolli Hills, Namakkal district. The project aimed to improve access to quality healthcare services among tribal communities through digital health solutions, preventive healthcare interventions, and stronger linkages with government health systems. It focused on telemedicine services, non-communicable disease (NCD) screening, anaemia prevention, first aid training, and healthcare capacity strengthening.

Impact

- **20,028 telemedicine consultations** enabled remote access to medical advice and reduced barriers to healthcare access.
- **6,095 individuals screened for NCD risks**, supporting early identification and timely referral of health conditions.
- **968 speciality and referral camps conducted**, improving access to specialised healthcare services.
- **1,111 women and adolescent girls reached through anaemia prevention** interventions, including haemoglobin testing, nutrition awareness, and health support.
- **1,206 community members trained in first aid and emergency response**, strengthening local preparedness and response capacity.
- **100+ medical and diagnostic devices provided to Primary Health Centres**, enhancing healthcare service delivery and continuity.



Case Study:

Fighting Anaemia among Adolescents

Ms. Suganya, a 15-year-old Class 11 student from Kongadai, Bargur, was diagnosed with anaemia at Osur Primary Health Centre (PHC) after experiencing fatigue, dizziness, and weakness. Belonging to a low-income family dependent on daily wage earnings, her recovery was affected by limited access to a nutrient-rich diet despite receiving regular iron supplements from the PHC. Her condition was identified during a school medical camp supported by the project.

Through telemedicine support and follow-up care, the medical team assessed her condition, provided nutritional support, and conducted anaemia awareness sessions focusing on healthy dietary practices, medication adherence, and hygiene. The nutritional kit included iron- and nutrient-rich food items to complement her ongoing treatment. Following the intervention, Suganya showed improved energy levels, concentration, and participation in school activities. The intervention also increased awareness among her family about the importance of nutritious food and anaemia prevention.



Supporting Out of School Boys through Poongavanam Residential Special Training Centre

Supported by:

Greendale Education Foundation

Location:

Kancheepuram,
Tamil Nadu, India

The project aimed to provide holistic care, protection, and education support to 60 out-of-school boys from vulnerable backgrounds through the Poongavanam Residential Special Training Centre. The intervention focused on addressing barriers to education through residential care, academic support, psychosocial counselling, life skills education, and health services. The project focused on children facing challenges such as poverty, school dropout, unsafe family environments, and learning gaps, enabling them to rebuild confidence, develop essential skills, and transition towards formal education.

Impact

- **60 out-of-school boys** enrolled in a safe residential learning environment.
- Academic support, counselling, life skills education, and extracurricular activities provided for **holistic development**.
- Over **80% of children** demonstrated increased interest in academics and expressed readiness to continue education.
- **40 children** identified for mainstreaming into age-appropriate classes in government schools.
- Improved **confidence, emotional well-being, and participation** through sports, arts, music, and skill-building activities



Climate Resilient Agriculture and Farming Techniques

Supported by:

National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD), India and Sandoz Family Foundation, Switzerland

Location:

Tamil Nadu, India

The 'Climate Resilient Agriculture and Farming Techniques' project is implemented under the Eapakkam Watershed Development and Management Project in Villupuram district, Tamil Nadu. The project supports 100 small and marginal farmers in adopting climate-resilient agricultural practices to improve farm productivity, restore degraded lands, enhance water-use efficiency, and strengthen sustainable livelihoods.

The intervention promotes drought-tolerant crops, regenerative farming practices, efficient irrigation systems, farmer capacity building, and technology-based advisory services. Dragon fruit cultivation has been introduced across the Eapakkam, Nolambur, and Theevanur clusters, providing farmers with a high-value, climate-adaptive crop option.

Impact

- **100 soil samples and 25 water samples** tested to support scientific farm planning.
- **40,000 dragon fruit saplings and 15,500 jasmine plants** introduced across **100 acres**, promoting crop diversification and income generation.
- **Drip irrigation systems installed across 100 acres**, improving water-use efficiency and crop sustainability.
- **26 Farmer Field School sessions conducted**, with **591 cumulative farmer participations** on climate-smart agriculture practices.
- **Automatic Weather Station installed in Nolambur**, providing real-time weather data and agro-advisories to farmers.
- **903 farmers sensitised** on crop insurance and climate risk management.
- **100 farmers linked with Tindivanam Farmers Producer Company Limited** to strengthen market access and collective action.



Case Study:

From Challenge to Opportunity

The 'Climate Resilient Agriculture and Farming Techniques' project is helping farmers like Mr. Govindha transform challenges into opportunities. In the Theevanur village of Tamil Nadu, Govindha shifted from conventional cropping to a climate-smart approach by intercropping watermelon with dragon fruit, recognising the long gestation period of the latter. This fast-growing, high-demand fruit thrives in the same drip-irrigated system, earning him INR 25,000 (approx. €230) in just 60 days while improving soil health and ensuring steady cash flow. Today, his flourishing field stands as a powerful example of how resilience, innovation, and sustainable techniques can convert uncertainty into profitability and inspire neighbouring farmers to rethink traditional practices.



Impacting Rural Lives through Village Uplift Program

Supported by:

Fondation Lord Michelham of Hellingly

Location:

Tamil Nadu, India

The 30-month 'Impacting Rural Lives through Village Uplift Program' is a holistic village development initiative implemented across five Panchayats (i.e. village communes) in Kundrathur Block, Tamil Nadu. The project focuses on child protection and education, women's empowerment, skill development, healthcare, water security, and sustainable waste management to strengthen community resilience and improve livelihoods. Key achievements include strengthening Self-Help Groups, providing livelihood-oriented skills training, establishing community health services, improving access to safe drinking water, and promoting responsible waste management practices.

Impact

- Strengthened **child protection and education** through awareness programmes, school support and community engagement initiatives.
- Supported **32 Self-Help Groups** and trained **23 Knowledge Volunteers** to promote women's empowerment and financial inclusion.
- Improved financial literacy among **74 women** and supported **69 women's** enrolment in social security schemes, strengthening financial inclusion and household resilience.
- Equipped **46 women** with Sewing Machine Operation and Aari Embroidery skills for improved livelihood opportunities.
- Provided physiotherapy services to **1,244 community members** through a physiotherapy clinic and multiple outreach camps.
- Established a solar-powered RO water plant benefiting **200 households**, reducing drinking water costs by **80%**.
- Promoted sustainable waste management through community awareness for **100 participants**, school programmes reaching **298 students**, and training of **18 sanitary workers** and **local stakeholders**.



Case Study:

Creating Pathways to Sustainable Livelihoods

Ms. Poongothai, a 36-year-old woman from Sethupattu village comes from a low-income household where her husband works as an agricultural labourer earning approximately INR 8,000 (approx. €73) per month. With limited livelihood opportunities and no independent source of income, she enrolled in the Aari Embroidery Training Programme. Through dedicated participation and practical, hands-on training, Poongothai developed skills in Aari embroidery and gained the confidence to take up income-generating work. She now earns approximately INR 7,000 (approx. €64) per month through embroidery assignments, providing valuable financial support to her family and contributing towards her children's education.

Beyond improving her household income, the training has strengthened her confidence, independence and participation in family decision-making. With her newly acquired skills and growing experience, Poongothai aspires to establish her own embroidery enterprise in the future. Her journey highlights how targeted skill development initiatives can create sustainable livelihood opportunities and empower rural women economically.



Recycle Guardians: Empowering Informal Waste Pickers

Location:

Puducherry and Karaikal,
India

The 'Recycle Guardians: Empowering Informal Waste Pickers' project aims to improve the livelihoods, safety and social inclusion of informal waste pickers. By strengthening skills, promoting occupational safety and connecting participants with welfare schemes and market opportunities, the initiative supports waste pickers towards safer, more dignified and sustainable livelihoods. A guidebook on empowering informal waste pickers was developed to document key learnings, resources and approaches for advancing the recognition, safety and well-being of Recycle Guardians.

The project has mobilised Recycle Guardians, the majority of whom were women, and provided training in literacy, financial management, occupational health and safety, waste segregation and recycling practices. Participants received personal protective equipment, high-visibility T-shirts carrying the message "We are Recycle Guardians, Not Waste Pickers", and waste collection tools to improve safety, recognition and working conditions. Exposure visits to recycling facilities, digital networking groups and linkages to government welfare schemes further enhanced access to services, markets and knowledge-sharing opportunities.

Impact

- Mobilised and organised **76 Recycle Guardians from 64 families** to strengthen livelihoods and community engagement.
- Distributed **76 personal protective equipment (PPE) kits** and **63 waste collection bags** to promote safer and more efficient working practices.
- Supported access to government welfare schemes through **14 ABHA Cards (enabling digital health records and healthcare access)** and **15 THADCO enrolments (enabling government support and livelihood opportunities)**.
- Provided **five tricycles** to selected Recycle Guardians, enhancing mobility, waste collection capacity and income opportunities.



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General Assembly



Dr. Kalpana Sankar
President

With a double doctorate, one in nuclear physics and another in gender studies, Dr. Kalpana Sankar has specialised in participatory assessment of Self Help Groups, NGOs, participatory rural appraisal, gender-differentiated impact, developing monitoring tools and indicators, and preparation of manuals / guidelines on gender issues for the past 20 years. She has handled several international missions and received special commendation from the United Nations Office for Project Services. Dr. Sankar has trained high-level government delegates from South Africa and Afghanistan and has supported microfinance and poverty reduction programmes in Afghanistan and Brazil. She has been a consultant to UNDP, UNOPS, Wetlands International, and Christian Aid. She was awarded the Nari Shakti Puraskar in 2017 and the Global Award for Women Empowerment from UN Women and the Kingdom of Bahrain.

Dr. Sankar is currently Chairperson of Hand in Hand India and formerly served as Managing Director of Belstar Microfinance Private Ltd. She has received scholarships to attend the INSEAD Business School and the HBS – ACCION programme, and has been a student of the TRIUM E-MBA course. In 2009, she was felicitated by the US Congress as a leading Woman Social Entrepreneur in recognition of her role in providing leadership and fostering economic growth in local communities.



Ms. Mihoko Kobayashi
Member

Ms. Kobayashi is the Director of Management Committee Governance for the regions of Africa, Middle East, India, Oceania, and Europe in a global corporate, and is also an executive coach serving leaders to make a difference. Mihoko says, "I met Dr. Kalpana 10 years ago, inspired by her passion and the clear governance of Hand in Hand India, and occasionally had my own charitable activities with the organisation. I'm honoured and delighted to be a part of it and hope to make my contribution with love and care."

General Assembly



Ms. Blerina Zoto

Member

Ms. Blerina Zoto is a dedicated advocate for human rights, education, and humanitarian work. With nearly a decade of holding positions in the Albanian government, she championed the rights of vulnerable minorities, working to advance their social, economic, and intellectual development, and founded and led the Albanian Association of University Women (AAFDU). In 2015, Ms. Zoto moved to Switzerland, serving as a human rights expert diplomat representing Albania at the United Nations Human Rights Council. As an ambassador for FEDE (Federation for Education in Europe) in Switzerland and the current president of the Liaison Center for Women's Associations in Geneva, she continues to lead initiatives that uplift women and strengthen civil society across Europe and beyond.



Prof. Jaya Krishnakumar

Member

Prof. Dr. Jaya Krishnakumar holds the title of Honorary Professor Emeritus at the University of Geneva, Switzerland, where she was a Full Professor of Econometrics. Her research spans panel data econometrics, multivariate modelling, household consumption, inequality and human development, and quantitative methods to analyse well-being. She has published extensively in top-tier journals such as *Econometric Theory*, *Journal of Econometrics*, *World Development*, and *Health Economics*. Dr. Krishnakumar serves on various editorial boards, international advisory panels, and research committees, including for the UNDP and World Bank. Featured in the book '100 Women and Thousands More', she is celebrated for her impactful academic and professional journey.

General Assembly

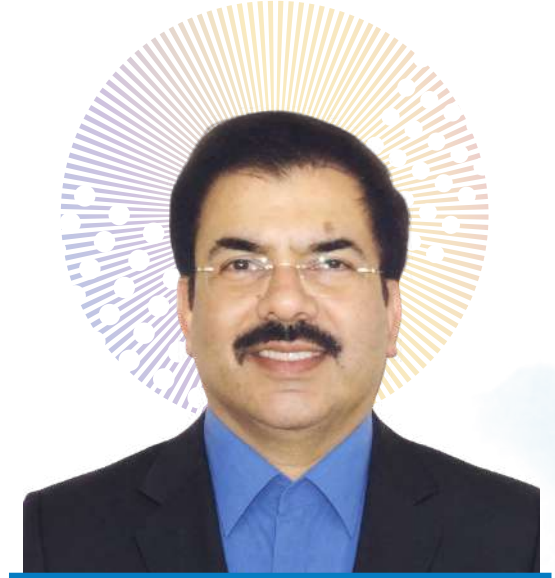


Mr. Arndt Soret

Chief Executive Officer and Member

Mr. Soret is a senior Corporate Counsel and Lawyer with over 15 years of experience in commercial law. He has worked primarily in Europe and the UK with corporate giants such as Toshiba, Symantic, and Lonza. Highly specialised and known for his negotiation acumen, he comes with strong business knowledge and passion, having briefly worked for the UN and a law firm in the US.

Wanting to bring about positive change since his younger days, especially since he heard about alarming infant mortality rates, Mr. Soret has dedicated his passion towards social causes. He co-founded Humanium, a voluntary child rights-oriented non-profit, in 2008 in Switzerland, Germany, and France. Through Humanium, he has visited grassroots projects in India, a place that transformed him and where he has made some of his closest friends. Calling himself 'an Indian at heart,' Arndt is dedicated and committed to making a difference to those who most need it.



Dr. Arun Pabari

Member

Dr. Pabari founded a management consulting company to offer specialised services in the fields of finance, tax advisory, conflict resolution, compliance monitoring, and continuous improvement training. Known for his 'never-give-up' mindset, empathy, exceptional communication, and interpersonal skills, he effectively builds relationships and drives collaboration. In addition to his professional experience, Dr. Pabari is an author and has contributed to various international organisations in a voluntary capacity, supporting several causes. He is based in Geneva.

Members of the Executive Committee



Mr. Sandip Mookerjee
Director General



Mr. Arndt Soret
Chief Executive Officer and Member



Mr. S. Padmanabhan
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Ms. Pritha Mani
Member



Ms. Sahaana Sankar
Member

Our Team



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Partnerships Manager
(Joined in April 2026)



Ms. Isabel Valdez
Volunteer Programme Officer



Mr. Byrav N
Field Coordinator

OUR IMPACT



Jobs Created

11,694,881



Self Help Groups Formed

602,980



Households under Solid Waste Management

758,351



Children Mainstreamed in Government Schools

373,428



Hectares covered under Natural Resource Management

161,212



Women and Youth Skill - trained

269,645



* The above mentioned data showcase the impact created by Hand in Hand India, as on June 2026

Financials

Hand in Hand Switzerland, Genève

Balance sheet as at 31 December 2025

<u>Assets</u>		
	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
<u>Current Assets</u>	CHF	CHF
<u>Cash</u>		
Credit Suisse	29 903.64	76 858.73
	<u>29 903.64</u>	<u>76 858.73</u>
Total Assets	<u>29 903.64</u>	<u>76 858.73</u>
<u>Equity and Liabilities</u>		
	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
<u>Current liabilities</u>	CHF	CHF
<u>Short-term liabilities</u>		
Accrued expenses	3 400.00	6 000.00
	<u>3 400.00</u>	<u>6 000.00</u>
Total current liabilities	<u>3 400.00</u>	<u>6 000.00</u>
<u>Equity</u>		
Retained earnings	70 858.73	233 946.36
Annual (loss) / profit	<u>(44 355.09)</u>	<u>(163 087.63)</u>
Total equity	<u>26 503.64</u>	<u>70 858.73</u>
Total Equity and Liabilities	<u>29 903.64</u>	<u>76 858.73</u>

Hand in Hand Switzerland, Genève

Profit and loss account 2025

Operating revenues

	<u>2025</u>	<u>2024</u>
	CHF	CHF
<u>Income</u>		
Donations	144 515.76	253 870.88
	<u>144 515.76</u>	<u>253 870.88</u>
Total operating revenues	<u>144 515.76</u>	<u>253 870.88</u>

Operating expenses

Contributions to Hand in Hand India	110 000.00	351 097.00
Contributions to Hand in Hand Cambodia	0.00	27 425.64
Other contributions	5 000.00	0.00
	<u>115 000.00</u>	<u>378 522.64</u>
<u>Other operational costs</u>		
Other office expenses	2 141.25	2 551.25
Accounting and Audit fees	3 681.20	3 302.60
Consultant charges	67 907.60	32 477.02
	<u>73 730.05</u>	<u>38 330.87</u>
Total operating expenses	<u>188 730.05</u>	<u>416 853.51</u>

(Financial costs) and financial income

Bank charges	(90.00)	(105.00)
	<u>(90.00)</u>	<u>(105.00)</u>
Taxes	(50.80)	0.00
Annual (loss) / profit	<u>(44 355.09)</u>	<u>(163 087.63)</u>

Hand in Hand Switzerland, Genève

Notes 2025

1) Description of the Association

Hand in Hand Switzerland is dedicated to poverty alleviation through job creation and integrated community development efforts and is part of a network organizations led by Hand in Hand India, a public charitable trust registered in India in 2002. The organisation implements projects in the areas of Women Empowerment, Microfinance, Child Labor Elimination, Education, Health, Environment, Information Technology and Governance.

Hand in Hand Switzerland was registered on the 23rd June, 2013.

The company has changed its seat in 2025.

2) Details of the accounting principles applied in the financial statements

These financial statements have been prepared according to the articles of the Swiss law, specially according to the accounting principles and financial statements presentation (art. 957 to 960e of the Swiss Code of Obligations).

The financial statements are established based on the going-concern principle.

The accounts are in CHF.

No other information mentioned in the article 959c of the Swiss Code of Obligations has to be indicated here for the year ending 2025.

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This year's achievements were made possible through the generosity and steadfast support of our donors. We are sincerely grateful for your commitment.

			
			
			
			
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We also extend our heartfelt thanks to every individual who made a donation and helped us create lasting, meaningful impact throughout the year.





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