

BDK Financial Assistance Programs

2020

Total Number of Entries: 30, Selected: 20

A. Support for Groups

Name of Group	Project
The Japanese Association of Indian Studies	International academic and cultural exchanges through digital correspondence at the association
NPO Kamakura Terakoya	Promotion of temple communities through volunteer activities by universities, temples, local government, and people
“Freestyle Monks”	Publication of free magazine, “Freestyle Monks” and website, and holding related events

B. Support for Projects:

B-1 Buddhist Spiritual/Cultural and Humanitarian Activities

Name of Group	Project
Public Interest Incorporated Foundation <i>Zenkoku Kyokaishi Renmei</i> (Japan Buddhist Chaplain Union)	Training/education of Buddhist chaplains (*Did not subsidize due to the suspension of the project because of the COVID-19 pandemic)
Public Interest Incorporated Association <i>Zaike Bukkyo Kyokai</i> (Buddhist Followers Association)	Workshops and lectures for Buddhist followers
All Japan Young Buddhist Association	International young Buddhist exchange program (*Did not subsidize due to the suspension of the project because of the COVID-19 pandemic)
General Incorporated Association Project <i>Gamon</i>	Publication of free Buddhist magazine, “ <i>Wagense</i> ”

Public Interest Incorporated Association Shanti Volunteer Association	Publication of picture books of Buddhist tales in Myanmar
H1 HOUWA Grandprix H1 Executive Committee	2020 H1 HOUWA Grandprix in Nara (*Did not subsidize due to the suspension of the project because of the COVID-19 pandemic)
Tohoku University Graduate School of Letters, Endowed Courses of Practical Philosophy	Training/education of chaplains (*Did not subsidize due to the suspension of the project because of the COVID-19 pandemic)
All Japan Young Buddhist Association	Plum Village Mindfulness retreats of Thich Nhat Hanh (*Did not subsidize due to the suspension of the project because of the COVID-19 pandemic)
Shimane Buddhist Federation	The 45 th All Japan Buddhist Conference in Shimane (*Did not subsidize due to the suspension of the project because of the COVID-19 pandemic)
Public interest incorporated association Otani Childcare Association	Certified Childcare Psychologist Course

B. Support for Projects:

B-2 Promotions of Buddhist Academic Learning

Name of Group	Project
Public Interest Incorporated Foundation the Nakamura Hajime Eastern Institute	2020 research investigation
Ryukoku Museum	Special Exhibition 2020 “The Disciples of Buddha –Their Stories」 (*Did not subsidize due to the suspension of the project because of the COVID-19 pandemic)

Public Interest Incorporated Foundation Japanisch-Deutsches Kulturinstitut	Workshops co-hosted by research institutes in Japan and Germany “Concepts of Buddhism and Christianity” (*Did not subsidize due to the suspension of the project because of the COVID-19 pandemic)
Research Center for Buddhist Studies, Eötvös Loránd University	Research based on the philology and iconography about Samantabhadra in East Asia

B. Support for Projects:

B-3 Protections of Buddhist Cultural Properties

Name of Group	Project
Honpa Hongwanji Hawaii Betsuin	“i am a link” project

C. Numata Program in Buddhist Studies and its Related Activities

Name of Group	Project
University of Vienna	Continuing Numata Program in Buddhist Studies
University of Chicago Divinity School	Continuing Numata Programs in Buddhist Studies