



World Humanitarian Summit Commitments

The Tent Foundation

2019

Individual commitments

3A Reduce and address displacement

Individual Commitments

Commitment Description	Commitment Type	Core Responsibility	Commitment ID
The Tent Foundation commits to a new approach to addressing forced displacement that not only meets immediate humanitarian needs but reduces vulnerability and improves the resilience and self-reliance of refugees and IDPs. The Tent Foundation commits to implementing this new approach through international and national programmes, and by taking the necessary political, policy, legal and financial steps requiring for the specific context.	Policy	Leave No One Behind	270002
The Tent Foundation commits to collectively work towards a strengthened international framework for predictable and equitable responsibility sharing in response to large-scale movements for refugees.	Policy	Leave No One Behind	270004
The Tent Foundation commits to communicate that businesses are committed to ending the refugee crisis and deserve a seat at the table alongside governments, NGOs and international organizations.	Advocacy	Leave No One Behind	270005
The Tent Foundation commits to continuing the Tent Challenge effort over the next year.	Partnership	Leave No One Behind	270006
The Tent Foundation commits to develop a one-stop-shop to enable businesses to more effectively navigate the complex maze of humanitarian assistance, so they can best determine how to contribute their resources to support international organizations and NGOs that are supporting refugees and internally displaced persons.	Operational	Leave No One Behind	270007

The Tent Foundation commits to develop technology tools to support the ability of businesses to collaborate with one another, and the public and NGO sectors, to support refugees and internally displaced persons.	Operational	Leave No One Behind	270008
The Tent Foundation commits to expand the public opinion surveys to include refugee community perceptions.	Operational	Leave No One Behind	270010
The Tent Foundation commits to inspire businesses that are not currently supporting refugees to consider making such support a part of their corporate responsibility.	Partnership	Leave No One Behind	270012
The Tent Foundation commits to promote greater collaboration among businesses, and between the private sector, the public sector and NGOs, to improve the quality of refugee and internally displaced.	Partnership	Leave No One Behind	270013
The Tent Foundation commits to redoubling its focus to expand the Tent Alliance to not only include global businesses, but also local businesses in the regions most affected by refugees and internally displaced persons.	Partnership	Leave No One Behind	270015
The Tent Foundation commits to update its public opinion surveys to track host community perceptions on an annual basis.	Operational	Leave No One Behind	270017
Through the Tent Challenge grant program, the Tent Foundation commits to developing partnerships to encourage innovative approaches to support the self-reliance of refugees and internally displaced persons.	Partnership	Leave No One Behind	270018



4A Reinforce, do not replace, national and local systems

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The Tent Foundation commits to increase substantially and diversify global support and share of resources for humanitarian assistance aimed to address the differentiated needs of populations affected by humanitarian crises in fragile situations and complex emergencies, including increasing cash-based programming in situations where relevant.	Financial	Change People's Lives: From Delivering Aid to Ending Need	270011
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Deliver collective outcomes: transcend humanitarian-development divides

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The Tent Foundation will develop a useful knowledge base for governments, international organizations and NGOs to craft more effective solutions to humanitarian crises.	Operational	Change People's Lives: From Delivering Aid to Ending Need	270001
The Tent Foundation commits to advocating for greater inclusiveness of the private sector in humanitarian assistance through the Tent Alliance program.	Advocacy	Change People's Lives: From Delivering Aid to Ending Need	270003
The Tent Foundation commits to promoting research to advocate for a comprehensive approach to the management of humanitarian systems.	Advocacy	Change People's Lives: From Delivering Aid to Ending Need	270014
The Tent Foundation commits to strengthening the mechanisms for country and local-level coordination and globally to maximize policy coherence through the Tent Challenge grant program.	Operational	Change People's Lives: From Delivering Aid to Ending Need	270016

Invest in local capacities

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<p>The Tent Foundation commits to empower national and local humanitarian action by increasing the share of financing accessible to local and national humanitarian actors and supporting the enhancement of their national delivery systems, capacities and preparedness planning.</p>	Financial	Invest in Humanity	270009
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Core Commitments

Leave No One Behind

LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND - A COMMITMENT TO ADDRESS FORCED DISPLACEMENT

- Commit to a new approach to addressing forced displacement that not only meets immediate humanitarian needs but reduces vulnerability and improves the resilience, self-reliance and protection of refugees and IDPs. Commit to implementing this new approach through coherent international, regional and national efforts that recognize both the humanitarian and development challenges of displacement. Commit to take the necessary political, policy, legal and financial steps required to address these challenges for the specific context.
- Acknowledge the global public good provided by countries and communities which are hosting large numbers of refugees. Commit to providing communities with large numbers of displaced population or receiving large numbers of returnees with the necessary political, policy and financial, support to address the humanitarian and socio-economic impact. To this end, commit to strengthen multilateral financing instruments. Commit to foster host communities' self-reliance and resilience, as part of the comprehensive and integrated approach outlined in core commitment 1.
- Commit to collectively work towards a Global Compact on responsibility-sharing for refugees to safeguard the rights of refugees, while also effectively and predictably supporting States affected by such movements.

Change People's Lives: From Delivering Aid to Ending Need

HUMANITARIAN FINANCING - INVESTING IN HUMANITY

- Commit to increase substantially and diversify global support and share of resources for humanitarian assistance aimed to address the differentiated needs of populations affected by humanitarian crises in fragile situations and complex emergencies, including increasing cash-based programming in situations where relevant.
- Commit to empower national and local humanitarian action by increasing the share of financing accessible to local and national humanitarian actors and supporting the enhancement of their national delivery systems, capacities and preparedness planning.

Invest in Humanity

HUMANITARIAN FINANCING - INVESTING IN HUMANITY

- Commit to broaden and adapt the global instruments and approaches to meet urgent needs, reduce risk and vulnerability and increase resilience, without adverse impact on humanitarian principles and overall action (as also proposed in Round Table on "Changing Lives").