



£3.1m

worth of social investments made to 27 organisations

(£2.9m to 32 organisations in 19/20)



£663k

of grants made to 15 organisations as part of blended finance packages

(£240k of grants to 9 organisations in 19/20)

Current portfolio of



117

social organisations

who have received £5.6m in total

(114 organisations receiving £6.3m in 19/20)

CAF Venturesome Annual Performance Summary 2021

Social investment powered by philanthropy

CAF's pioneering social investments arm, **CAF Venturesome**, continues to offer true impact for both charities and donors and in the past year has introduced new blended financing opportunities for social enterprises, charities and community groups to help them survive the pandemic and adapt their work.

Our social investment funds are designed for private and corporate donors, as well as grant making foundations, who want to realise ever greater impact through philanthropy.

As at April 2021



Registered charity number 268369

HISBE

"Without a further loan and grant that CAF Venturesome gave us, we'd have been in a precarious position. The support from CAF Venturesome has been incredible. They are so flexible, supportive and happy for us to ring up and say "We're in a difficult position. What do you suggest?" More often than not they have some solution or a contact that can help us. They go above and beyond."

Ruth Anslow, Co-Founder, HISBE



CAF private clients, corporate foundations and grant making trusts



Most active social investor in the £25k-£400k lending bracket

(Big Society Capital data 2019)



Supported our portfolio through the pandemic with flexible loan terms and capital repayment holidays



Hubbub Food Connect

"The COVID-19 pandemic required Hubbub to develop a completely new service taking food that would have been wasted to isolated households. We knew that CAF Venturesome would respond rapidly and thoughtfully to our request for support. We were not disappointed; the CAF Venturesome team reacted quickly and challenged us to create an approach that would have a long-term impact. Thanks to their social investment, Food Connect is supporting vulnerable households in Milton Keynes with an ambition to spread to other communities".

Trewin Restorick, Founder & CEO, Hubbub UK



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