



BARACO  
FOUNDATION

# 2022 ANNUAL REPORT



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*what Michael says on  
2022*

# A THANKFULLY LETTER FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR-MICHAEL S.



Dear All,

Greetings from Baraco Foundation.

I would like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank friends and supporters of the Baraco Foundation for their amazing and heart-fully support in 2022 in-fact that with their support we were able to move the needle in the positive direction by raising \$3500 both grants and donations, and as few examples below explains;

For children & gender based violence and abuse, **KidsRights Foundation** from Netherland and **Peace First** from Boston USA helped us stand for girls, women and Children; And when schools in my rural district of Mbozi-Songwe had no both resources and awareness to respond towards Covid-19, **Global Youth Mobilization** from California USA, was able to help us raise awareness among communities and distribute protection and prevention resources such as PPEs and hand washing facilities where needed most.

I am writing this letter to welcome you All to the Baraco Foundation as for 2023 by taking you back a bit to the 2022 to see what we achieved together including the victory against Covid-19 pandemic, and review what we have learned from our partners. Simply, to see where we from, where we are and where we go.

Warm regards,

Michael Sikalengo,  
Founder & Executive director.





*Our story so far*

## MISSION & VISION

# Our Mission

To catalyze socio-economic change in most rural communities of Tanzania through talents, inspiration and participation

# Our Vision

To have a free and independent society in which its citizens can stand by their own feet and gain the confidence to fulfil their potentials

# Short founding story

Growing-up in rural Mbozi, Nambinzo village, Personal experiences and hustles including; limited educational and vocational training resources, poor access to safe drinking water and poor access to medical treatment in the village made Michael S think about reshaping the future of his community by founding Baraco Foundation.

It was 2018 when he was in high school at Hollywood Sec School. At that time BF served as an informal group of young scholars from rural Mbozi helping education of juniors from undeserved families by giving few exercise books and school uniforms until 2022 when BF officially gained an NGO status to operate in Tanzania mainland.



*what we achieved*

# 2022 PROGRAMS ACTIVITIES & IMPACTS

## Covid-19 response and Awareness creation project, Nambinzo ward, \$3,000

### Situation analysis

After the outbreak of the global pandemic Covid-19 in 2019 most local communities from the third world countries were not able to respond towards the pandemic and its effects.

People in the villages of Mbozi-Songwe including Nambinzo, Nkanga and Isenzanya had limited **info-education** on prevention measures to be taken and mostly affected by "Infodemic" of fake news.



### Response plan

By the support from **Global Youth Organization, Baraco Foundation** trained 20 young people to organize awareness creation workshops amongst community members of Nambinzo, Nkanga, Isenzanya, Utambalila and Nampanji to empower them with protection and prevention measures to be taken to slow down the spread of the pandemic.

Furthermore, the workshops aimed to mobilize the community members on taking vaccines as a suggested way by WHO in slowing down the virus.

### Outcomes

-20 young people were trained and empowered

-2000+ community members were reached through training workshops organized by young people

## Ending Child Marriage Project, Nambinzo ward, \$200 + EUR154

### Situation analysis

Early, forced and family arranged marriage undermines most girls' future in the developing world. 1 of 3 girls is expected to marry under legal age every year in third world countries. The situation deprives girls from accessing education and hence leaving them under extreme poverty forever.

### Response plan

Since its inception in 2018, Baraco foundation committed to end child marriage in most rural communities of Tanzania through edusports and peer education. Since then BF have partnered with Peace First from USA and KidsRights of Netherlands to achieve this task at hand.



### Outcomes

-05 school clubs have been established

-1500+ beneficiaries have been reached through our programs



*what we achieved*

# 2022 PROGRAMS ACTIVITIES & IMPACTS

## ChildPlant, Nambinzo village

### Situation analysis

If there's a great threat to our planet earth nowadays, then it's climate change. Climate change have affected and keeps impacting all sectors of economy and hence deepening poverty and gender based violence.

Agriculture being an example has been impacted by climate change hence threatening food security around the world.



### Response plan

Baraco foundation believes that Climatic action is a long term process. It requires investment to the younger generation so that they grow understanding better practices to restore the nature and create a better world. Therefore, BF has introduced ChildPlant project, just to ensure that every child grow his/her own tree to take care of. The project looks to engage young people in climatic action as they grow.



### Outcomes

- 200 trees have been planted
- 200 children have been trained and engaged in climate action

*partners*

# OUR SUPPORTERS



## A GLOBAL REVIEW

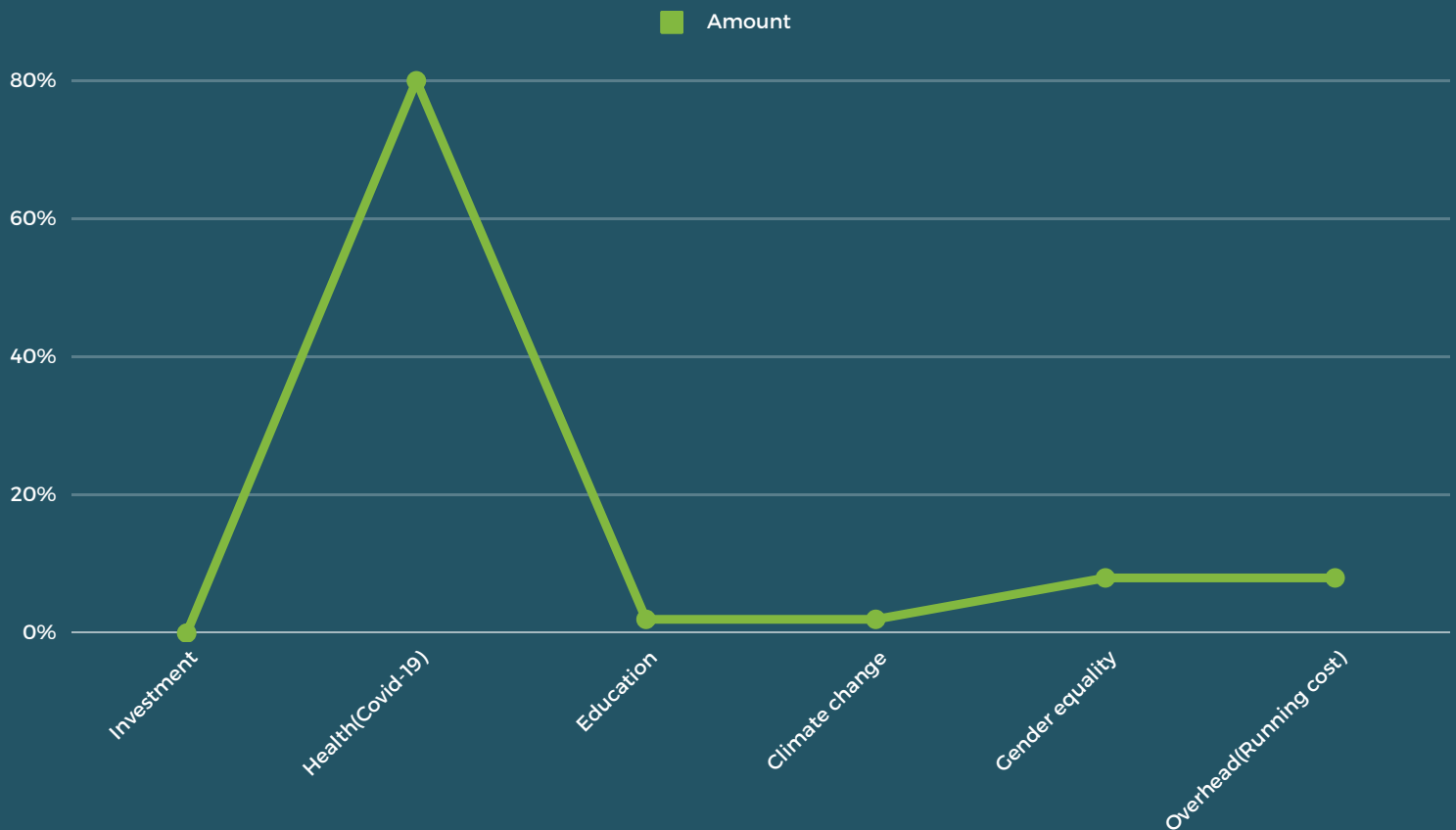
Our work, impacts and achievements in 2022 have been supported and contributed by different organizations and individuals around the world. Global Youth Mobilization, Peace First and KidsRights Foundation being an examples.

These partners have made a meaningful impacts to around 2000+ local beneficiaries through our programs.

*financials & statistics*

# NUMBERS & STATISTICS

As of 2022, the organization raised up to \$3,500 from both individuals and organization partners to carry-out different program activities reaching out 2000+ beneficiaries around Mbozi.

**\$3,500***amount raised***2000+***beneficiaries reached*

Health, being the most prioritized sector in 2022, the \$3000 grant support from GYM made us empower 20 young people to lead Covid-19 initiatives in their communities reaching 2000+ beneficiaries.

Only 8% went towards organizational running costs including Office space rental and Website hosting.



*Our next move*

# WHAT WE THINK OF 2023

**\$5000**  
should be  
raised

**AND  
INVESTED**  
in skills  
development  
programs

Tailoring

computer

**TO  
EMPOWER**  
100+ youth  
including girls

*Our special thanks*

# ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

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## BARACO FOUNDATION OFFICIALLY GAINED AN NGO STATUS IN 2022

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2022 was not just a year of victory against Covid-19 around Baraco Foundation, was a most successful year within the organization as we officially gained an NGO status to operate in Tanzania mainland..... What a year!

We therefore acknowledging and appreciating the support of few partners shown below to this step because if not for their support we could have not reached this step.

Thank You.

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