

SHAREDINTEREST
FOUNDATION
Building a fairer world

Your Legacy

Bees for Business participant Alimatou Ouattara
holding beeswax on a farm in Burkina Faso

Priceless

**No matter which country you call home,
life revolves around doing the best you can
for yourself, and for your family.**

However, some parts of the world face increased challenges, including the impact of climate change. For people living in remote and disadvantaged communities, there can be limited opportunities to earn a fair income.

In fact, at an age when we expect to retire here in the UK, many people are still working to support their grandchildren who have lost their parents to conflict or disease.

With your help, we can support people to build sustainable businesses. Together, we can reach more communities, people and families.

After remembering your own family and loved ones in your Will, you could leave a gift that will make a lasting difference to people's lives and future generations.

**TradeAid basket weaver, Atule Azeyoke holds harvested
vegetables grown using soiless farming on a farm in Ghana**



What we do

Shared Interest Foundation is a registered charity that relies upon legacies, grants and donations to deliver vital business support to communities in Africa and Latin America.

Together with Shared Interest Society, we offer a vital combination of enriching training programmes and fair finance.

With your help, we can continue to support the development of new enterprises, focusing on innovative farming techniques, product diversification, and increased opportunities for women and young people.

You can arrange to leave a gift to us in your Will. There are many ways to do this and, no matter how big or small, the value will be priceless for the next generation.





BEES FOR BUSINESS

After supporting 50 women in rural Burkina Faso to become beekeepers, we helped them diversify into sesame. The participants also received training in Good Agricultural Practices and Climate Smart Agriculture. The sesame farm has since been certified organic and contributed to an increase in the household income of all participants.

"This project has enabled us to make money to take care of the needs of our families. It has contributed to strengthen social cohesion and to make savings."

Bees for Business participant

ECO-FRIENDLY FARMING

In Peru, we have worked with coffee co-operative CECAFE to increase their environmental resilience. Over 100 farmers have used a new eco-friendly method to protect their plants against the devastating effects of the coffee borer beetle. They have also produced organic compost from natural waste products including coffee peel and animal manure.

"Feeling the trust that Shared Interest gives us is something that motivates us a lot; especially if it comes from people whom we have a lot of respect and admiration for."

Segundo Garcia



Leaving a legacy

I would like to leave a gift of up to £5,000

If you have up to £5,000 invested in Shared Interest Society Limited you can arrange to leave it to Shared Interest Foundation by completing this form and returning it to us.

I would like to leave a gift of more than £5,000

If you have more than £5,000 invested in Shared Interest Society Limited you can still arrange to leave the first £5,000 to Shared Interest Foundation by filling in and returning the form opposite, but for anything over that you will need to make a provision in your Will stating that you would like to leave your Society investment as a legacy to Shared Interest Foundation.

For any changes to your Will we would always suggest that you speak to a solicitor.

Joint Account Holders

Shared Interest's rules detail that on the death of a joint holder their share shall revert to the survivor or survivors. For you to nominate your investment to Shared Interest Foundation, all joint holders will need to sign the form and upon the death of the last surviving shareholder the investment will be donated to Shared Interest Foundation. Where the amount you choose to leave is above £5,000, each account holder will need to make a provision in their Will.

To get started just complete the form opposite and post it back to us.

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Grace Tutua receives cocoa trees
distributed as part of a project in Ghana



A close-up photograph of a middle-aged Black man with a friendly smile, wearing a light-colored zip-up jacket over a dark shirt. He is crouching outdoors, sorting through a large wooden tray filled with freshly harvested, light-brown coffee beans. His right hand is reaching into the tray. The background is softly blurred, showing a wooden fence and green foliage. The overall tone is warm and positive.

**Make a lasting difference
to people's lives and
future generations.**

Bukonzo coffee farmer Jackson Kyabanawahi quality sorts
fresh coffee beans at a coffee micro processing station in Uganda

COMPLETE THE FORM BELOW TO LEAVE A LEGACY

Standard form of nomination of shares in Shared Interest Society Limited

(section 37 of the Co-operative and Community Benefit Societies Act 2014)

I/We, the undersigned, do hereby name the person below specified to succeed upon my death to (please tick as appropriate):

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The full amount of my Share Account investment

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A specific amount of £ of my total share account investment (please fill in amount)

N.B. Please remember that this form can only guarantee the first £5,000 of any gift. For any amount above the first £5,000 you will need to make a specific provision in your Will.

Full name of nominee:

Shared Interest Foundation
Registered Charity Number 1102375

Shared Interest Share Account number:

Sole/Joint Shareholder Name:

Sole/first joint shareholder signature:

Date:

Second joint Shareholder Name:

Signature:

Date:

Third joint Shareholder Name:

Signature:

Date:

Fourth joint Shareholder Name:

Signature:


Date:

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A close-up photograph of a person's hands holding a small, vibrant green coffee seedling. The seedling has several large, glossy leaves and is growing out of a black plastic nursery bag filled with dark soil. The person holding the plant is wearing a red shirt, which is visible in the background. The lighting is soft, highlighting the texture of the leaves and the soil.

**Together, we can support
people to build strong and
sustainable businesses for
future generations.**

Coffee plants collected from a CECAFE farm
in Lonya Grande, Peru