

BRISTOL CITY OF SANCTUARY

England & Wales · Charity number 1177122

Details

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2018-02-12

Register [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

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Activities

Objects: FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT:1. THE PROMOTION OF SOCIAL INCLUSION FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT AMONG PEOPLE WHO ARE REFUGEES AND ASYLUM SEEKERS, SOCIALLY EXCLUDED ON THE GROUNDS OF THEIR SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC POSITION, BY PROMOTING AND/OR CO-ORDINATING SERVICES AND FACILITIES TO ASSIST THEM TO ADAPT WITHIN A NEW COMMUNITY 2. THE RELIEF OF FINANCIAL HARDSHIP AMONG ASYLUM SEEKERS AND REFUGEES LIVING OR WORKING IN BRISTOL AND SURROUNDING AREAS BY ACTING AS AN UMBRELLA AND RESOURCE FOR LOCAL REFUGEE SUPPORT SERVICES, 3. THE ADVANCEMENT OF THE EDUCATION OF THE PUBLIC IN GENERAL ABOUT THE ISSUES RELATING TO REFUGEES AND THOSE SEEKING ASYLUM AND HUMAN RIGHTS.4. THE PROMOTION OF EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT BY PROMOTING ACTIVITIES TO FOSTER UNDERSTANDING AND GOOD RELATIONS BETWEEN THE GENERAL PUBLIC AND PEOPLE SEEKING SANCTUARY.

Activities: Bristol City of Sanctuary works with organisations and individuals in Bristol to take practical activities to promote welcome and safety for all, including people seeking sanctuary fleeing from war, violence and persecution.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Advocacy/advice/information, Acts As An Umbrella Or Resource Body
- **What:** Education/training, Disability, The Prevention Or Relief Of Poverty, Economic/community Development/employment, Human Rights/religious Or Racial Harmony/equality Or Diversity
- **Who:** Other Defined Groups, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- Bristol City
- South Gloucestershire

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	£101,670	£42,906	-	-
2024-03-31	£36,888	£19,135	-	-
2023-03-31	£30,517	£34,879	-	-
2022-03-31	£35,272	£28,413	-	-
2021-03-31	£41,747	£22,534	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
Nathalie Jaifar	Chair	2019-07-17
Amy Elizabeth Hitchcock		2025-03-19
Caroline Mary Beatty		2017-05-10
Dr Katie Bales		2018-12-05
Helen Kidan		2019-11-06
Reem Elnady		2025-10-02
Ruth Mawnan Pickersgill		2026-01-29
Souvik Saha		2019-07-17
Susana Askew		2018-02-12

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2024-25 IMPACT REPORT



Bristol City of Sanctuary



Building a City of Welcome, Safety and Hope

Your friends at City of Sanctuary remain deeply committed to building a more cohesive, compassionate Bristol, a city where individuals, communities, and organisations across all sectors stand shoulder to shoulder with those seeking sanctuary. Our vision is bold and hopeful: an island of solidarity, where welcome and belonging replace fear and division; not an island of strangers, but a shared home for all.

Yasmin Millican, Bristol City of Sanctuary Director.

Highlights from Our Programmes:

Schools of Sanctuary



- We now have over 25 Schools of Sanctuary in Bristol, with 7 new schools to receive the award at this year's Awards Ceremony!
- Our Schools of Sanctuary network is ever-growing; BBC Point West produced this [feature](#) and two schools have enjoyed MP visits from Darren Jones MP and Damien Egan in their constituencies.
- Our partnerships with BCC, the Refugee Employability Programme, Bristol Refugee Festival and the Bell Foundation are growing stronger. Three Schools of Sanctuary have now successfully welcomed refugee volunteers or staff members.
- Additionally, we've secured funding to launch a new initiative that will train 'Education Champions' with lived experience, who will help sanctuary-seeking families connect with and engage in their school communities.

Universities of Sanctuary



- The University of Bristol was granted Sanctuary Status in 2019 and has been awarding 10-15 scholarships annually, covering both full tuition fees and living costs. Since 2016, this has amounted to nearly 100 scholarships, valued at over £7.8 million.
- UWE Bristol's Sanctuary Award will be announced this year! UWE has been offering sanctuary scholars a full tuition fee waiver along with a maintenance grant since 2020.
- In January 2025, UWE staff and students organised the annual Asylum Seeker and Refugee Wellbeing Conference and have spearheaded the design of the Memorial Garden.
- BCoS facilitated student workshops at both universities, focusing on how to leverage the student community's potential to support refugees.

Bristol City Council as a Local Authority of Sanctuary



- This year, Bristol City Council (BCC) was re-credited as a Local Authority of Sanctuary and marked the achievement by hosting a sector-wide celebration event in January 2025.
- As of March 2025, the service supports 315 individuals with NRPF, 486 resettled refugees, and 630 Ukrainians. BCC has agreed to resettle 30 families every year which is well above the national average.
- BCoS contributed to the development of the new strategic plan for sanctuary services and remains actively involved in the City of Sanctuary Strategic Partnership Forum.

Arts Organisations of Sanctuary



- This year, we expanded our work to include new partnerships with local businesses and arts organisations in Bristol, hosting participatory workshops for cultural and industry leaders at the Bristol Beacon in October 2024 and February 2025.
- We have established a Sanctuary in Arts Steering Group made up of 13 of Bristol's much-loved cultural institutions, who lead on widening participation for sanctuary seekers in the arts.
- Excitingly, Arnolfini is now the first Arts Organisation of Sanctuary in Bristol and Dovetail the first Orchestra of Sanctuary in the UK!
- 'We've really appreciated all the support you have given us and I think the Arts Sanctuary steering group is the first time that I have been able to connect with some of the arts venues across the city' – Keiko, Arnolfini.

Engaging Faith Organisations



- There are now 5 Churches of Sanctuary across Bristol offering practical and spiritual support to refugees and asylum seekers, including bilingual prayer groups and food bank services.
- We are developing our partnership with Bristol Muslim Strategic Leadership Group and Good Faith Partnership to grow the network.
- ECFC hosted a special service to announce their Sanctuary Award, with bilingual prayers and songs from long-term members of the congregation as well as sanctuary seekers.

Bristol Sanctuary Transport Fund



- We have a long standing partnership with First Bus to provide free bus tickets for people seeking sanctuary in our city, who would otherwise not be able to access vital services and appointments.
- Through this partnership, First Bus agreed to issue 500 free tickets for the Refugee Week celebration in Queen Square.
- During this period, we provided 8876 free tickets for destitute asylum seekers.
- We organised three community fundraising events at the Watershed and St George's which collectively raised over £1500 for the Transport Fund.

Memorial Garden



- Through our engagement with the Avon & Wiltshire Mental Health Trust, Bristol Quakers and BCC, we successfully protected the Quaker Burial Ground in Redcliffe from being repurposed as a builder's ground and developed a plan to turn this area into a new safe space for people seeking sanctuary.
- Together with sanctuary seekers, we have co-produced events in the garden to increase engagement in the space.

Health



- There are now over 20 Safe Surgeries across Bristol.
- We continue to collaborate with Doctors of the World, Public Health consultants at Bristol City Council, the Haven, Montpelier Health Centre, and Bristol University Medical School to engage clinical leads.
- City of Sanctuary UK relaunched the Maternity Stream of Sanctuary and Project Mama became the first Maternity Service of Sanctuary in Bristol.
- In partnership with Project Mama, we are supporting both NHS Trusts in their efforts to achieve the Sanctuary Award.

Influencing and advocacy



- We have partnered with Citizens UK to deliver campaign training for 15 individuals with lived experience with lived experience to help hone their messages, understand the political system and prepare to speak with decision makers.
- We are leading partnership campaign events for people with lived experience to tell local decision makers about challenges they face, namely barriers to public transport.
- "I am so happy today that my voice has been heard". "I am happy to be here, to be in a room with ministers / organisations, I feel blessed to be here!"

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For the period from	Period start date 1 Apr 24	To	Period end date 31 Mar 25
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	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Last year
	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Pledge Fees	285			285	
Membership Fees	641			641	475
Grants	7,000	85,632		92,632	15,000
Donations	2,958			2,958	12,206
Transport Fund	15	3,689		3,704	7,607
Other Restricted					
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	10,899	89,321		100,220	35,288
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
Loan Repayment	1,450			1,450	1,600
Sub total	1,450			1,450	1,600
Total receipts	12,349	89,321		101,670	36,888
A3 Payments					
Transport Fund		6,916		6,916	5,163
Events		2,346		2,346	800
Workers	13,142	12,695		25,836	10,000
Comms		1,452		1,452	
Administration		1,335		1,335	3,172
Training		661		661	
Bank Charges	71			71	
Other expenses	260	2,310		2,570	
Office costs	1,718			1,718	
Sub total	15,191	27,714		42,906	19,135
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
Sub total					
Total payments	15,191	27,714		42,906	19,135
Net of receipts/(payments)	- 2,843	61,607		58,765	17,753
A5 Transfers between funds					
A6 Cash funds last year end	19,771	21,390		41,161	23,408
Cash funds this year end	16,928	82,997		99,926	41,161

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Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Unity Trust	16,928	82,997	
	Total cash funds	16,928	82,997	OK
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK

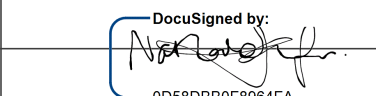
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B2 Other monetary assets	Loans	6,200		

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B3 Investment assets				

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use				

Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities	Independent Examination	Unrestricted funds	899	
	HMRC & Pensions	Unrestricted funds	681	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	Nathalie Jaifar	13/10/2025

There was no remuneration or expenses paid to any trustee or related party



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

**Report to the trustees/
members of**

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**On accounts for the year
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31st March 2025

**Charity no
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I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended 31st March 2025.

**Responsibilities and
basis of report**

As the charity trustees of the Trust, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the Trust's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

**Independent
examiner's statement**

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention (other than that disclosed below *) in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

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** Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.*

Signed:

Signed by:

Geoff Archer

Date:

13/10/2025

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Geoff Archer

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Disclosure

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Building a City of Welcome, Safety and Hope

Bristol City of Sanctuary has really lived through interesting times! The past months have allowed us to rebuild and strengthen the organisation whilst continuing with our work towards building a city that welcomes and includes everybody, especially those that come in search of sanctuary. I have met so many amazing, generous people both from the sector and from other organisations around the city. They showed their generosity when they came out in thousands to defend the rights of sanctuary seekers to protect them during the summer riots. It has been a real privilege to lead Bristol City of Sanctuary at a time when our work seems more necessary than ever - Susana Askew, Bristol City of Sanctuary Trustee and former Manager.

Highlights from Our Programmes:

Schools of Sanctuary



- 19 schools across Bristol have been awarded Sanctuary Status and 18 have signed the pledge, starting their sanctuary journey.
- 25,593 pupils are now studying in a School of Sanctuary in Bristol.
- We have hired a new Schools of Sanctuary Co-ordinator who is taking the programme to new strengths.

Universities of Sanctuary



- University of Bristol was awarded Sanctuary Status in 2019 and continues to award 10-15 scholarships covering the full tuition fee and full living costs every year. That's almost 100 scholarships worth at least £7,897,500 since 2016.
- Each year since 2020, UWE has awarded a full waiver of tuition fees and a maintenance grant for its sanctuary scholars.
- Staff and students at UWE are taking innovative steps to advance the university's sanctuary ethos, such as hosting the Asylum Seeker and Refugee Wellbeing Conference and leading on the design of the Memorial Garden.
- UWE is likely to receive the Sanctuary Award early next year.

Re-accreditation of Bristol City Council



- Bristol City Council (BCC) was re-accredited this year as a Local Authority of Sanctuary and is planning a celebratory event for the New Year.
- BCC Sanctuary Services' caseload has doubled since 2014. It now supports 430 people with NRPF, 581 resettled refugees and 630 Ukrainians (Oct 2024).
- BCC has agreed to resettle 30 families every year (well above national average).
- BCC has a new strategic plan for sanctuary seekers and BCoS and BRASP are part of the new City of Sanctuary Strategic Partnership Forum.

Launching our Arts and Business Networks



- In October this year, we launched new areas of work with local businesses and arts organisations in Bristol.
- 8 local businesses and 8 arts organisations have expressed interest in taking action to support refugees and asylum seekers.
- The group has begun sharing resources and ideas to strengthen inclusion, improve employment practices, and provide training programmes.
- 3 arts organisations and 1 Bristol business have signed the CoS pledge.

Engaging Faith Organisations



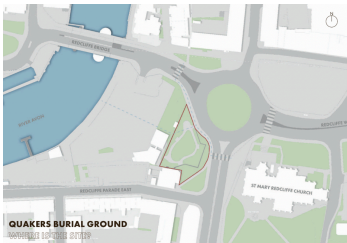
- There are now 4 Churches of Sanctuary across Bristol and 1 more is waiting assessment.
- Muslim faith leaders from Bristol Muslim Strategic Leadership Group joined the faith network this year.
- The Cathedral has expressed interest in applying and the Bishop of Bristol spoke out in support of people seeking sanctuary in response to the summer riots.

Bristol Sanctuary Transport Fund



- We have partnered with First Bus to provide free bus tickets for people seeking sanctuary in our city, who would otherwise not be able to access vital services and appointments.
- In 2024 we raised £7307 and we provided 8640 free tickets for destitute asylum seekers.
- We are in constant need of additional funding to keep this community initiative alive and really welcome your generous donations.

Bristol City of Sanctuary Memorial Garden



- Through our engagement Bristol City Councillors and the Planning department, we have saved the Quaker Burial Ground in Redcliffe from being used as a builder's ground.
- In partnership with UWE architecture students, we have developed a plan to turn this area into a new safe space for people seeking sanctuary.
- Our next step is to reflect on the huge progress made in recent months and to engage sanctuary seekers in the use of the space.

Plans for the year ahead!

I'm really excited to be part of this important movement that keeps Bristol striving to welcome and support every person seeking sanctuary in our city. We have ambitious plans for 2025, including growing our small team, expanding our work with faith groups, arts organisations and local businesses, and campaigning locally for free bus travel for asylum seekers. Please stay in touch to find out more! - Yasmin Millican, New Bristol City of Sanctuary Manager



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A1 Receipts					
Earned					
Membership Fees	475			475	440
Grants		15,000		15,000	500
Unrestricted Gifts	12,206			12,206	23,557
Transport Fund		7,607		7,607	2,040
Other Restricted					1,480
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	12,681	22,607		35,288	28,017
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
Loan Repayment	1,600			1,600	2,500
Sub total	1,600			1,600	2,500
Total receipts	14,281	22,607		36,888	30,517
A3 Payments					
Transport Fund		5,163		5,163	7,828
Other events		800		800	324
Workers	9,335	665		10,000	21,474
Governance					
Administration	3,172			3,172	4,387
Mural					206
Show Your Heart					660
Sub total	12,507	6,628		19,135	34,879
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
Sub total					
Total payments	12,507	6,628		19,135	34,879
Net of receipts/(payments)	1,774	15,979		17,753	- 4,362
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A6 Cash funds last year end	17,997	5,411		23,408	27,770
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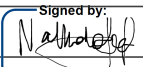
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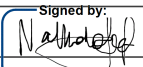
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A1 Receipts					
Earned					120
Membership Fees	440			440	382
Grants	500			500	
Unrestricted Gifts	16,057	7,500		23,557	23,107
Transport Fund		2,040		2,040	6,044
Other Restricted		1,480		1,480	3,420
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	16,997	11,020		28,017	33,072
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
Loan Repayment	2,500			2,500	2,200
Sub total	2,500			2,500	2,200
Total receipts	19,497	11,020		30,517	35,272
A3 Payments					
Transport Fund		7,828		7,828	3,989
Other events	324			324	1,841
Workers	15,539	5,935		21,474	19,589
Governance					
Administration	4,387			4,387	2,994
Mural	206			206	
Show Your Heart	660			660	
Sub total	21,116	13,763		34,879	28,414
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
Sub total					
Total payments	21,116	13,763		34,879	28,414
Net of receipts/(payments)	- 1,619	- 2,743		- 4,362	6,858
A5 Transfers between funds					
A6 Cash funds last year end	19,616	8,154		27,770	20,911
Cash funds this year end	17,997	5,411		23,408	27,770

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Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Unity Trust	17,997	5,411	
	Total cash funds	17,997	5,411	
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK

	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets	Loans	9,250		

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets				

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use				

	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities	Independent Examination	Unrestricted funds	695	

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There was no remuneration or expenses paid to any trustee or related party



**CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES**

**Independent examiner's
report on the accounts**

Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

**Report to the trustees/
members of**

Bristol City of Sanctuary

**On accounts for the year
ended**

31st March 2023

**Charity no
(if any)**

1177122

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**Responsibilities and
basis of report**

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**Independent
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Date:

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BRISTOL CITY OF SANCTUARY

England & Wales - Charity number 1177122

Accounts

Bristol City of Sanctuary

Assisi Centre, Lawford's Gate, Bristol BS5 0RE

Trustees' Annual Report for the period from 1 April 2021 to 31 March 2022

Charity name: Bristol City of Sanctuary

Charity registration number: 1177122

Objectives and Activities

For the public benefit:

- (1) The promotion of social inclusion for the public benefit among people who are refugees and asylum seekers, socially excluded on the grounds of their social and economic position, by promoting and/or co-ordinating services and facilities to assist them to adapt within a new community.
- (2) The relief of financial hardship among asylum seekers and refugees living or working in Bristol and surrounding areas by acting as an umbrella and resource for local refugee support services.
- (3) The advancement of the education of the public in general about the issues relating to refugees and those seeking asylum and human rights.
- (4) The promotion of equality and diversity for the public benefit by promoting activities to foster understanding and good relations between the general public and people seeking sanctuary.

Public Benefit

In fulfilling the above objectives the Trustees at all times have regard to the Charity Commission's guidance on Public Benefit.

Chairs' report

From April to November 2021, Anna Wardell stepped up to the post of interim manager. She ably held the organisation until we were able to recruit Sarah Cooper on a one year fixed term contract from November 21 to November 22. Sarah came with extensive experience in business and seconded for the hours needed in the post from her university position as a Careers Consultant, with a particular focus on international students. We are especially grateful to her for assisting the Board in putting in a full up to date suite of policies for BCoS, and for laying the ground for further fund-raising.

The role and profile of Bristol City of Sanctuary remains strong in the city through the work of our staff and trustees, together with Bristol University interns Freya, Lauren and Daisy. We thank them all for their commitment and input. Some notable activities during the year are given below

Caroline Beatty, Susana Askew, co-chairs

BCoS:: Trustees' Annual Report 2021-2022

Activity Highlights:

1. 10th Anniversary Celebrations

In June the City could proudly claim ten years as a City of Sanctuary. BCoS ensured this was celebrated with [night lighting of City Hall](#), a series of online ‘teach-outs’ and a fund-raising auction



2. Advocacy and Representation



Show Your Heart was a striking visual event, using the symbol of orange Hearts on boats as they sailed through the harbour. The public then gathered at the Tree of Sanctuary on College Green to hear speakers with lived experience of seeking sanctuary tell of life saving significance of being welcomed in the city.



A series of public events during the year drew attention to the Nationality and Borders Bill, which runs counter to the Refugee Convention. Throughout the year we have expressed profound concern about new restrictive plans in asylum policy - via the website, in coordinating petitions and letter writing and in getting 1000 local signatures on an Open Statement to the Home Secretary.

3. Transport Fund

The Transport Fund continues to thrive. Through the continuing partnership with First Bus, the Transport Fund work brings awareness raising amongst the public about the reality of seeking asylum, together with access to urgently needed bus travel. The scheme’s scope has been extended and we are grateful for the continuing relationship with First Bus. A highly successful [Sanctuary Walk](#) raised a total of over £3300 for the fund.

4. Schools and Colleges of Sanctuary



A number of new Schools and colleges have come forward to receive this award, including Blaise High School, St Mary Redcliffe Primary, Oasis Academy, City of Bristol College, Easton Academy. We rely heavily on the volunteer team which supports this Stream of Sanctuary

Blaise High School receive their certificate

5. Bristol Refugee and Asylum Seeker Partnership

BCoS has continued to attend and play its part in BRASP, especially in the role of strategic development.

6. Website and Social Media

Anna continued to provide an excellent series of newsletters and made improvements to the website

7. Interns

We have had excellent input this year, in particular to social media and donor fundraising, from Bristol University interns Freya Mutimer, Lauren Brown and Daisy Robins. Following her internship Freya also joined the Trustee Board of BCoS.

8. Business Stream

Sarah laid foundations for starting a business stream of sanctuary in Bristol

Structure, Governance and Management

BCoS is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation with voting members other than trustees. The governing document of BCoS is its constitution last updated on 7th July 2019.

The charity has funds to employ staff equivalent to 4 days during the period in question. It is an independent member of the national City of Sanctuary network. There are no structural legal or financial connections with the national organisation, but they provide our Internet sub-domain, email and website.

There are no persons or bodies entitled to appoint any trustees. There were no corporate trustees. There were no trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity. There were no funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year
1	Susana Askew	Co-Chair	
2	Katie Bales		
3	Caroline Beatty	Co-Chair	
5	Paul Hazelden	Treasurer	
6	Nathalie Jaifar		
7	Helen Kidan		
8	Ruth Pickersgill		
9	Souvik Saha		
10	Freya Mutimer		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	The charity had income of £35,272. The majority of the income came from unrestricted gifts (£23,107) and donations to the Transport Fund (£6,044). Total expenditure was £28,413. The largest expense was staffing (£19,589), followed by the Transport Fund (£3,989) and general administrative costs (£2,993).
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	The Trustees have decided that the Reserves should cover 6 months of core spending (salaries, Transport Fund, and general running costs) plus another £2,000 to enable a response to unexpected opportunities. The detailed calculation is described in our Reserves Policy.
Amount of reserves held	£16,650
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	There are no uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern, as long as funds become available

Additional information (optional)

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	When established as a charity, two large grants of £30,000 were received from R H Southern Trust. There have also been smaller grants from Bristol City Council and Quartet. We fundraise separately on an ongoing basis for the Transport Fund
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Declarations

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Caroline Beatty	Susana Askew
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Co-Chair	Co-chair
Date		

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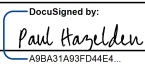
Bristol City of Sanctuary		1177122	CC16a
Receipts and payments accounts			
For the period from	Period start date 1 Apr 21	To 31 Mar 22	

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Earned	120			120	480
Membership Fees	382			382	238
Grants					30,000
Unrestricted Gifts	23,107			23,107	2,472
Transport Fund		6,044		6,044	751
Other Restricted		3,420		3,420	1,356
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	23,609	9,463		33,072	35,297
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
Loan Repayment	2,200			2,200	6,450
Sub total	2,200			2,200	6,450
Total receipts	25,809	9,463		35,272	41,747
A3 Payments					
Transport Fund		3,989		3,989	1,200
Other events		1,841		1,841	1,356
Workers	17,339	2,250		19,589	17,639
Governance					410
Administration	2,993			2,993	1,929
Sub total	20,332	8,081		28,413	22,534
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
Sub total					
Total payments	20,332	8,081		28,413	22,534
Net of receipts/(payments)	5,477	1,382		6,859	19,213
A5 Transfers between funds	-	792			
A6 Cash funds last year end	14,931	5,980		20,911	1,698
Cash funds this year end	19,616	8,154		27,771	20,911

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Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

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B2 Other monetary assets	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
	Loans	11,750		
B3 Investment assets	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
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B5 Liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
	Independent Examination	527		
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name	Date of approval	
		Paul Hazelden	31/1/2023	

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**CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES**

**Independent examiner's
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Bristol City of Sanctuary		1177122	CC16a
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For the period from	Period start date 1 Apr 21	To 31 Mar 22	

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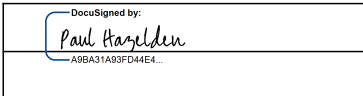
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B2 Other monetary assets	Loans	11,750		

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
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Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
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**Independent examiner's
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BRISTOL CITY OF SANCTUARY

England & Wales - Charity number 1177122

Accounts

Bristol City of Sanctuary

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Trustees' Annual Report for the period from 1 April 2020 to 31 March 2021

***Charity name: Bristol City of Sanctuary
Charity registration number: 1177122***

Objectives and Activities

For the public benefit:

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Public Benefit

In fulfilling the above objectives the Trustees at all times have regard to the Charity Commission's guidance on Public Benefit.

Chairs' report

During this year we have had staff changes within Bristol City of Sanctuary. Forward Maisokwadzo, the original coordinator of Bristol City of Sanctuary before it acquired CIO status in 2018, and BCoS first formally employed Manager, left the organisation in December 2020. Anna Wardell, our Office Administrator and Campaigns Manager has stepped in to the role of Manager un-

til we recruit a permanent replacement. Trustees have engaged fully in a process of training and proper oversight of BCoS activities and financial position, and we are very grateful to all fellow trustees for their time and expertise over this year. We especially wish to thank the painstaking work of our Treasurer, Paul Hazelden, and our independent examiner Ruth Nott for bringing the financial records of BCoS up to date and on track. We thank Forward for his major contribution to the development of the organisation between 2008 and 2020, and wish him well in the future. Finally we owe a huge thanks to Anna for stepping up so ably into Forward's large shoes, and keeping the focus of BCoS firmly on its vision of public welcome and support for people seeking sanctuary in Bristol.

The above significant changes within the organisation, together with the pandemic and successive lockdowns, have inevitably had an impact on the work of BCoS. Nevertheless BCoS has maintained its profile and message throughout the year as the report below indicates. We are delighted to join the new Bristol Refugee and Asylum Seeker Partnership (BRASP), bringing together the service delivery concerns of Bristol's refugee support organisations, and have been much encouraged by the cooperation and shared endeavour which have developed over the year between the voluntary sector and the local authority.

Caroline Beatty, Susana Askew, co-chairs

Activities:

1. Campaigns and Advocacy

Much of BCoS' activities focused around campaigning during this period. Seeing the unequal impact of the pandemic on people seeking sanctuary our Co-Chair, Caroline Beatty, drafted a letter with others in the refugee support sector to local politicians calling on them work with us to create a fairer society. It resulted in a sector meeting with Thangam Debbonaire MP to discuss our asks and how to action them.

BCoS also spearheaded campaigns against new legislation which allowed for people to be deported for rough sleeping, along with campaigning for an end of in-person reporting at Patchway Police Station during the pandemic. At the end of this period, the New Plan for Immigration was announced, which BCoS are now actively campaigning against.

2. Transport Fund

The Transport Fund was partially suspended during the pandemic as tickets were not required. However, discussions between the sector were ongoing to ensure that tickets were available when needed. BCoS took this opportunity to revisit allocation, expand who could receive tickets and ensure a formal written agreement was established with First Bus.

3. Schools and Colleges of Sanctuary

Despite the school closures, our Schools and Colleges of Sanctuary sub-group have been busy behind the scenes. They worked with several schools and colleges to seek accreditation/re-accreditation and also to re-engage schools who had previously been accredited.

4. Work with BRASP and Bristol City Council during the Pandemic

We worked closely with Bristol City Council and the refugee support sector during the pandemic, making sure that we were part of all key discussions, including those around the “everyone in” initiative.

5. Website and Social Media

We have continued to develop our website, keeping it up to date with local news and events. We have also continued to develop our social media, creating an Instagram account to engage with a younger audience.

6. Fundraising

In response to the pandemic, we organised a joint fundraiser between ourselves and five other local charities called “Building a City of Welcome, Safety and Hope.” We also carried out several call-outs for smartphones, raising awareness of the digital divide for many seeking sanctuary.

Structure, Governance and Management

BCoS is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation with voting members other than trustees. The governing document of BCoS is its constitution last updated on 7th July 2019. It does not have any trusts.

Our Trustee Recruitment Policy was adopted in July 2018. Adverts encouraging people considering becoming a trustee are circulated; people who express an interest are invited to two board meetings; potential trustees present a short statement about themselves to the AGM and potentially answer questions; the AGM elects trustees. If there are not enough trustees from a refugee or asylum seeker background, the trustees can appoint a suitable person, who may serve until the next AGM. We are particularly concerned to recruit trustees with lived experience of being refugees. We have developed a process for trustee induction and training

The charity employs a part-time manager and a part-time administrator for the day to day operations. It is an independent member of the national City of Sanctuary network. There are no structural legal or financial connections with the national organisation, but they provide our Internet sub-domain, email and website.

There are no persons or bodies entitled to appoint any trustees. There were no corporate trustees. There were no trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity. There were no funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year
1	Susana Askew	Co-Chair	
2	Katie Bales		
3	Caroline Beatty	Co-Chair	
4	Eleanor Combley		
5	Paul Hazelden	Treasurer	
6	Nathalie Jaifar		
7	Helen Kidan		
8	Richard McKay		
9	Souvik Saha		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period

The charity had income of £41,747. The majority of the income came from a grant (£30,000) from R H Southern Trust and loan repayment (£6,450).

Total expenditure was £22,534. The largest expense was staffing (£17,639), followed by Administration (£1,929).

Along with many charities, our activities were significantly impacted by the Covid-19 pandemic, which affected both both our income and expenditure.

Reserves

During this period, the trustees did not discuss a policy for holding reserves. This was partly because other matters were more urgent and more important, and it was partly a pragmatic recognition that establishing an interest-paying account to hold the reserves was not worth the effort due to the extremely low interest rates available to us.

No funds were identified as being reserves because we had not yet determined a policy for deciding on the reserves level.

Additional information

At the start of the period, the Transport Fund was in deficit to the general funds but, as anticipated, this was rectified within 3 months. This did not cause any problems because the Transport Fund was significantly in credit, and was not paying out because the pandemic restricted travel.

There are no uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern, as long as funds become available.

Over the past few years, our principal sources of funds have been grants: two larger grants from R H Southern Trust and several smaller grants from Bristol City Council and Quartet. We fundraise separately on an ongoing basis for the Transport Fund, and this year we also engaged in joint fundraising for a group of related charities, of which we are a member.

Declarations

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Caroline Beatty	Susana Askew
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Co-Chair	Co-Chair
Date	5 January 2022	

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Bristol City of Sanctuary			1177122	CC16a
Receipts and payments accounts				
For the period from	Period start date 01/04/20	To	Period end date 31/03/21	

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Earned	480	-	-	480	720
Membership Fees	238	-	-	238	585
Grants	30,000			30,000	4,750
Unrestricted Gifts	2,472		-	2,472	1,136
Transport Fund		751	-	751	7,844
Other Restricted		1,356	-	1,356	421
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	33,190	2,107	-	35,297	15,456
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
Loan Repayment	6,450			6,450	6,250
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	6,450	-	-	6,450	6,250
Total receipts	39,640	2,107	-	41,747	21,706
A3 Payments					
Transport Fund	-	1,200	-	1,200	3,350
Other events		1,356	-	1,356	925
Workers	17,639	-	-	17,639	9,228
Administration	1,929	-	-	1,929	2,730
Governance	410	-	-	410	847
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	19,978	2,556	-	22,534	17,079
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
Loan	-	-	-	-	3,900
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	3,900
Total payments	19,978	2,556	-	22,534	20,979
Net of receipts/(payments)	19,662	- 449	-	19,213	727
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	- 4,731	6,429	-	1,698	971
Cash funds this year end	14,931	5,980	-	20,911	1,698

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Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	In Bank	14,931	5,980	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	14,931	5,980	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets	Loan	13,950	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

Categories	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	Paul Hazelden		

There was no remuneration or expenses paid to any trustee or related party



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Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Charity Name
Bristol City of Sanctuary CIO

31/03/21	Charity no (if any)	1177122
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I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above CIO for the year ended **31 March 2021** (DD / MM / YYYY).

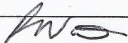
As the charity's trustees of the CIO, you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the Act").

I report in respect of my examination of the CIO's accounts carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act and in carrying out my examination, I have followed all the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the Act.

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- the accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act; or
- the accounts did not accord with the accounting records; or
- the accounts did not comply with the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a "true and fair" view which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.



Date: 22nd September 2021

Ruth Nott

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Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

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