



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From Period start date 18/07/2023 To 17/07/2024 Period end date

Charity name: Mary Justina Foundation

Charity registration number: 1193015

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Objectives and Activities

	SORP referenc e	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	The object[s] of the CIO [is][are] For the public benefit, to advance the education of women aged 14-25 in Nigeria, Kenya, Ghana, Tanzania, Cameroon and Benin in such ways as the charity trustees think fit, including by: 1. Awarding to such persons scholarships, maintenance allowances or grants at any university, colleges or institution of higher or further education 2. Providing the students with online training, mentoring and face to face coaching, particularly in the subjects of computer science, STEM and digital skills 3. Raising awareness of computer science, STEM, digital skills and IT awareness to students, to prepare them for entry to any occupation, entrepreneurship, trade or profession on leaving any educational establishment.
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	• improves the qualifications, skills of the groups and individuals it engages in learning. • transforms the lives of individuals through advancement in education which in turn contributes to the development of cohesive and resilient communities. • supports the region's need to upskill its youths and address issues of education, and computer illiteracy.
Statement confirming whether the trustees	Para 1.18	

have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit		
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	N/A
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	N/A
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	N/A
Other		

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	The Charity has not functioned since COVID, and is still restructuring to resume work.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	
Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	Zero return - The Charity has not functioned since COVID, and is restructuring to resume work.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	NA
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	NA
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	NA
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	The Charity has not functioned since COVID, and is restructuring to resume work.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	
Other		

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed , royal charter)	Para 1.25	Mary Justina Foundation Constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g unincorporated association , CIO)	Para 1.25	CIO
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Trustee selection was by appointment, using the Mary Justina Foundation constitution /CIO document. Trustee understands the duties and responsibilities they will be taking on.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	N/A
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	N/A
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	N/A
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Mary Justina Foundation
Other name the charity uses	NA
Registered charity number	1193015
Charity's principal address	58 Russett Way BR8 7TT.

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Ijeoma Jane Ojukwu	Trustee		
2	Adanna Emmanuela Ononiwu	Trustee		
3	Mr Nnamdi Azorji	Trustee		
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Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

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Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

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Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	N/A
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	N/A
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	N/A

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

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Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

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Other optional information

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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)

Ijeoma Ojukwu

Position (eg Secretary,
Chair, etc)

Trustee

Date

05/05/2025