

**WIN  
£10,000**  
APPLICATION DEADLINE  
31 JANUARY 2011



Are you helping people **OUT OF POVERTY?**

Is your organisation **TURNING LIVES AROUND?**

**CSJawards**  
2011

THE  
**CENTRE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE**  
AWARDS 2011



## WHAT ARE WE LOOKING FOR?

If you are a local community-based charity, social enterprise or small voluntary group, and you are changing lives for people stuck in poverty, we want to hear from you. Winning groups will be addressing the causes of poverty, not just the symptoms; they will be practical, entrepreneurial, driven by conviction and motivated by compassion.

### WINNING QUALITIES:

- **Effectiveness** (You can show through evidence that you are transforming lives)
- **Innovation** (You have developed solutions that are practical, successful and unique)
- **Compassion** (Your ethos is person-centred)
- **Excellence** (You can show through evidence that you are a leader in your field)

### YOU CANNOT APPLY IF YOU:

- Have already won a CSJ Award
- Were shortlisted in 2009 or 2010
- Are not delivering services directly to clients
- Are a national organisation

### WHAT HAPPENS NEXT:

All applicants will be informed of the progress of your application by 1 March 2011. Shortlisted organisations will be visited by the CSJ in March, by appointment, and winners will be announced on 6 July 2011 at the awards ceremony.



## HOW TO APPLY

Read the 'What are we looking for?' section. Application forms are available at [www.centreforsocialjustice.org.uk](http://www.centreforsocialjustice.org.uk), or you can submit your answers to the following questions, by email or by post, by Monday 31 January 2011:

- Contact details and website.
- What is the social need you are addressing? (50 words max)
- What are you doing to address this need, and what is unique, outstanding or innovative about your approach? (200 words max)
- How do you know you are being successful? (200 words max)
- Key statistics showing your success (if not included in the above.)
- A case study of a typical client of your organisation. (100 words max)
- Annual turnover, number of staff, and number of volunteers.

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## PLEASE SEND TO

CSJ Awards 2011, The Centre for Social Justice, 1 Westminster Palace Gardens, Artillery Row, London SW1P 1RL

## OR EMAIL

[awards@centreforsocialjustice.org.uk](mailto:awards@centreforsocialjustice.org.uk)

## WHAT ARE THE CSJ AWARDS?

CSJ Awards recognise and reward effective poverty-fighting groups from across the UK. Winning organisations receive £10,000, and their work is showcased at an evening celebration in London, attended by senior politicians, philanthropists, business people, celebrities and the media. Winners are selected by an independent panel of expert judges.



## WHAT IS THE CSJ?

The Centre for Social Justice was established by Rt. Hon Iain Duncan Smith MP in 2004 to find effective poverty-fighting solutions for Britain. Many of those solutions have been developed by outstanding voluntary groups working in our most disadvantaged communities. The CSJ brings this grassroots experience to policy makers of all political parties in local and central government.

## PREVIOUS GUESTS

Previous guests and Award presenters include:

**Politicians:** Rt. Hon David Cameron MP (Con), Rt. Hon Charles Clarke (Lab), Rt. Hon David Blunkett (Lab), Rt. Hon Sir Menzies Campbell MP (Lib), Rt. Hon Frank Field MP (Lab), Rt. Hon Francis Maude MP (Con), David Willetts MP (Con), Rt. Hon Charles Kennedy MP (Lib).

**Celebrities:** Sir Bob Geldof, Jemima Khan, June Sarpong MBE, Simon Callow CBE, Dame Kelly Holmes MBE, Patsy Palmer, Julian Fellowes, Mark Nicholas, Keith Wood and Tamsin Greig.

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