



International Merit Box Project Distribution 2018

The International Merit Box Project brings together an international community of practitioners who wish to foster their daily practice of generosity while helping Lama Zopa Rinpoche fund beneficial projects worldwide. The international success of the Merit Box Project is reason for great rejoicing and a true testament to the collective generosity of the FPMT community.

“When we practice generosity, we are applying the exact antidote to attachment.” -Lama Zopa Rinpoche

Genuine heartfelt appreciation goes out to all our Merit Box practitioners whose generosity provided the funding for these grants, and to the Merit Box Coordinators who have worked so hard to make this beneficial project a success.

The 17 grants distributed for 2018 from the Merit Box Project Fund amounted to US\$33,490.

Organization	Project	Grant Amt
Chandrakirti Centre, New Zealand	Prayer Wheel Project	US\$1,500
Chenrezig Institute, Australia	Well-being Centre Completion	US\$1,000
De-Tong Ling, Australia	Large Prayer Wheel House Artwork	US\$1,000
FPMT Education Services, USA	Inner Job Description App in 5 Languages	US\$2,000
Ganden Tendar Ling, Russia	Basic Program Text Translation & Publication	US\$4,625
International Mahayana Institute, France	Support for Sangha to Attend Retreat with Lama Zopa Rinpoche	US\$1,000
Jamyang/CCC, UK	Repaying the Kindness Project	US\$1,000
Land of Joy, UK	Gompa Illumination: Specialist Repairs	US\$2,500
Lawudo Gompa, Nepal	Water Supply Project	US\$5,000
Lama Yeshe Wisdom Archive, USA	Publication of <i>Big Love</i>	US\$1,000
Mahamudra Centre, Australia	Prayer Wheel Project	US\$3,000
Milarepa Center, USA	Tiny House #1 Upgrade Project	US\$2,000
FPMT Mongolia	16 Guidelines English Program 2017-2019	US\$3,765
Nagarjuna's Light Center, Spain	Acquisition of Sacred Statues	US\$1,000
FPMT Spanish National Office, Spain	Improving National Office	US\$2,000
FPMT Spanish National Office, Spain	Dharma Translations into Spanish	US\$1,500
Tara Lanka, Sri Lanka	Reciting the <i>Sutra of Golden Light</i> in Sri Lanka	US\$600
Tot		US\$33,490

For additional information about the International Merit Box Project, please contact meritbox@fpmt.org. As part of the 2018 grant process, we are asking grantees to complete a progress report so we can rejoice in the latest Merit Box-funded successes with our friends throughout the year.