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ANNOUNCEMENT:

Visas have been applied for, but due to unforeseen delays with USCIS the board has decided to reschedule the program dates to allow for visa processing.

New proposed dates:
Mid Sept-mid Nov 2026

>>> IN NEED OF: <<<

- **RESEARCH VOLUNTEER:** to research potential corporate sponsors in the areas of our tour.
- **GRANT ASSISTANT VOLUNTEER:** to take on small writing and research projects for different grants
- **SOCIAL MEDIA TEAM VOLUNTEERS:** Commitment is 30 - 60 minutes per week
- **COORDINATION VOLUNTEERS:** to help with day of event logistics
- **DONORS AND CORPORATE SPONSORSHIP PARTNERS:** We still need help with funding this project.

>>> CANDIDATE SPOTLIGHT: ANGEL FROM ZAMBIA <<<

Hello, my name is Angel Phiri. I am 23 years old, and I come from Lusaka, Zambia. I started doing circus when I was 16 years old. My skills are acrobatics, the chinese pole, the lyra, silks, theater acting, stilt walking, and dancing. Pursuing circus training wasn't always easy. As the eldest sibling, my parents initially didn't want me to join circus training because they needed me to stay home and help care for my younger siblings. Over time, though, they now see the confidence I've gained and the skills I've learned through the circus. For me, the circus is a place where I can be myself — or anyone I want to be. It's a space that allows me to express myself through the arts in any possible way. I love watching the audience connect with the performance and experiencing their emotions. One of my proudest achievements in recent years is becoming a circus coach and facilitator. I enjoy sharing my ideas and skills and engaging with kids and youth groups.

THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR DONORS!

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Your generosity toward this project is the reason we are able to provide a life changing opportunity to a group of hardworking women artists!

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>>> Our Mission <<<

Staging Her is a 501c3 nonprofit organization (EIN: 99-0784240) dedicated to empowering young women from developing countries through the transformative art of circus performance. Our mission is to provide these women with opportunities to showcase their talents in the United States, fostering personal growth, cultural exchange, and professional development.

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NEW PARTNERSHIP WITH

The Salida Circus Outreach Foundation has agreed to use their newly renovated hostel to host the candidates during their stay in Salida.



Where the mountains meet the magic, and every bed supports a dreamer. Tucked in the heart of the Rockies, the Salida Cirque-Haus is no ordinary hostel –it’s a whimsical sanctuary for the creatively inclined, the globally curious, and the community-hearted. Whether you’re a traveling performer, a snow-dusted skier, a whitewater rafter, wide-eyed intern, or a soul in search of inspiration, you’ll find your place here. Sleep like a dreamer.



GET YOUR OWN CUSTOM TEE!!

Support your favorite candidate by buying a custom T-shirt! All profits go toward the project.

Go to stagingher.org under “Global Threads” Tab

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Check out an itemized
list of our entire budget
HERE!!