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Established in 1970, the BMW Stiftung Herbert Quandt was conceived to improve the mutual understanding among the political, business and academic communities at the international level and thus contribute to the development of society. This process-oriented, as opposed to issue-oriented, purpose of the Foundation is based on the assumption that the sectoral stratification of society leaves great potential untapped. What does that mean and – provided one agrees with this assessment – how can one strengthen and promote intersectoral competencies and experiences?

The BMW Stiftung Herbert Quandt supports young leaders between the age of 30 and 40 who, in their professional and personal lives, take into consideration the greater common good and who are committed to developing a lively civil society in cooperation with others, and encourages them to gain cross-sectoral experiences and get involved in interdisciplinary projects. Through its forums, programmes and ideas competitions, the Foundation provides decision-makers in all sectors of society with an opportunity to contribute their knowledge and practical know-how to the development of society.

In addition to developing its own programmes to promote cross- and intersectoral competencies, the BMW Foundation also engages in long-term partnerships to support other organisations and programmes that pursue the same objectives. In egalitarian partnerships, the Foundation, too, not only gives, but also learns and profits from its partners. The BMW Foundation has launched a new programme to promote civil society infrastructure and innovation entitled 'Give & Gain! Cross-sectoral Entrepreneurial Cooperation.'