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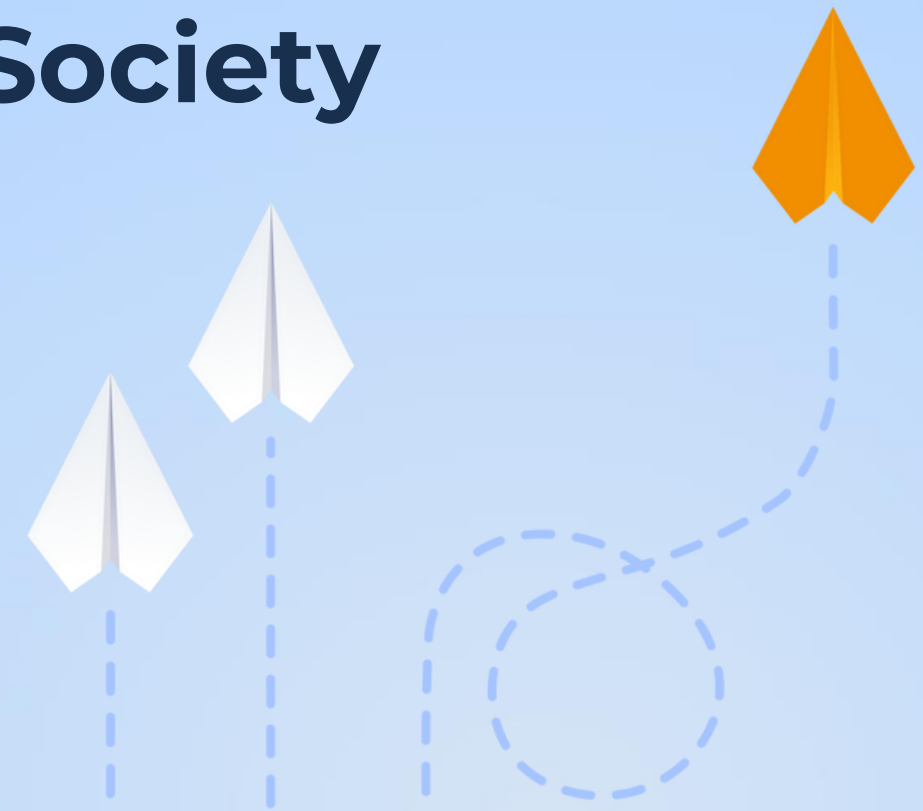


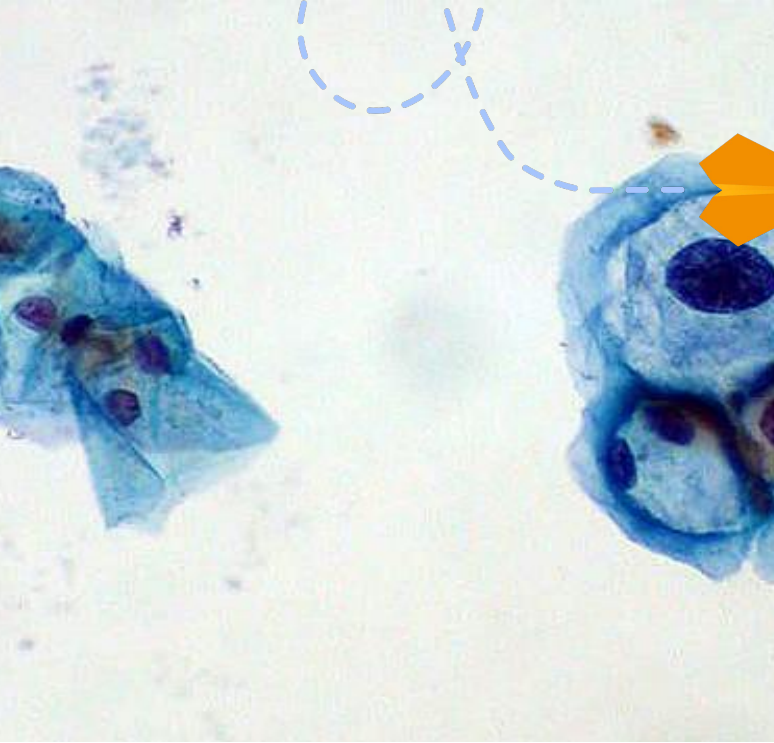
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# Incredible Impacts Seed Fund Grant 2023 Winner



**International Papillomavirus Society  
(IPVS)**





## International Papillomavirus Society (IPVS) - Seed Grant Winner

The IPVC strives to make significant impacts on communities in Scotland and around the world by elevating awareness about HPV, advocating for vaccinations, and improving screening practices through educational campaigns, strategic partnerships, and sustained monitoring efforts. Aligned with the mission of the International Papillomavirus Society and contributing to the UN Sustainable Development Goal 3 - Good Health and Well-being, IPVC's initiatives are instrumental in fostering improved health outcomes and preventive measures on a global scale.

### Objectives:

- Educate students in higher education institutions throughout Scotland about the importance of HPV vaccination
- Increase awareness and education about the value of cervical screening and how to access it
- IPVS to promote HPV vaccination, resources, and education for international students in higher education

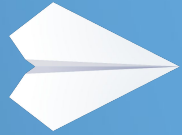
## Event Highlights

- IPVS engaged the public through press releases, talks, and iconic landmark illuminations
- IPVS collaborated with Public Health Scotland through targeted campaigns and media events
- Collaborated with educational institutions and underserved areas to educate students about the importance of HPV vaccination



## Impact

- Increase in vaccination uptakes
- IPVS discovered to reduce health disparities
- IPVS engaged local and international communities
- Ongoing continuation of monitoring and measuring of vaccination and cervical screening numbers



## Future Plans

- Ongoing data collection on vaccination and screening rates in the community
- Promote global accessibility and community engagement
- Ongoing community engagement, media monitoring, and long-term partnership formation
- Increase vaccination and screening uptake, and reduce health disparities
- Raise public awareness and collaborate with NHS Scotland campaigns





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