

Ise Bosch



How can philanthropists give effectively and in the process transform both society and themselves? For 20 years Ise Bosch has been leveraging her wealth to create a more equitable world. This book provides insights into her holistic approach to giving.

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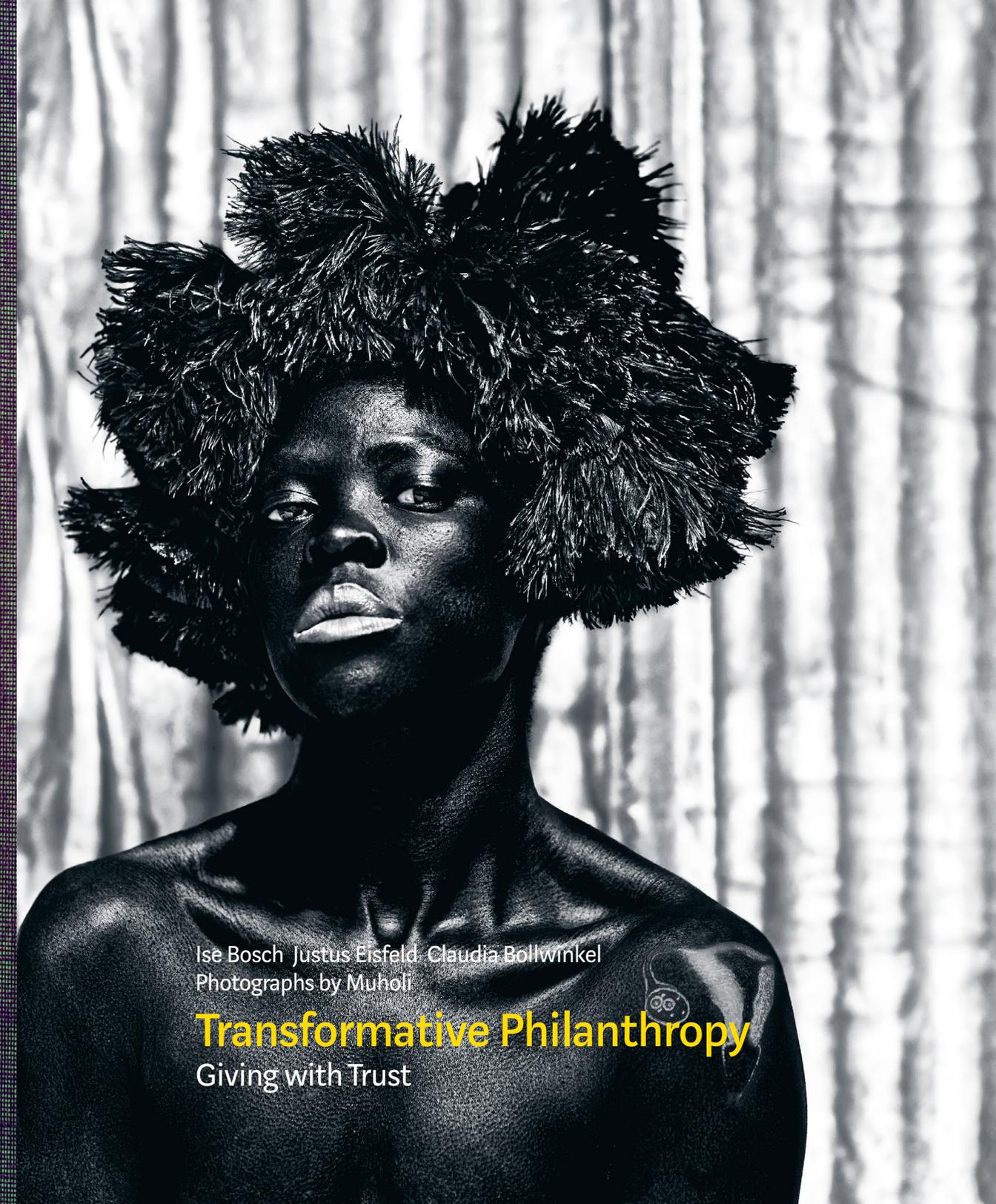
organization Bosch founded and leads, supports social movements around the world that champion the rights of lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans, intersex, and queer people. She believes societies that provide space for gender and sexual diversity are stronger, more humane societies.

This book gives voice to those who know Ise Bosch's work first-hand: grant recipients, donors, and other partners. It is illustrated with photographs by South African artist Muholi, who has received numerous awards in the fields of art and activism.

Read this book and share it widely! It is an inspiring feast for our hearts and minds. Bosch's thinking will resonate with anyone looking to transform the way they think about themselves, power, and their giving. She shares her compelling personal journey, and in so doing convincingly illustrates how one person can make a huge difference working collaboratively with others. Combining vision, thoughtful risk taking, and practical guidance, Bosch shows us how trust is a much-needed bridge between and among individuals, institutions, and movements. Her unassuming leadership gifts us with a pathway to a truly transformative philanthropy.

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