

NGOs and I-NGOs

The World Bank defines a **non-governmental organization (NGO)** as:

1. An organization which operates independently from any government or “inter-governmental organization” (such as the UN)
2. Organizations that pursue activities to **one or more** of the following:
 1. Promote peaceful cooperation & negotiation
 2. Relieve suffering
 3. Promote and provide education for all citizens
 4. Promote the interests of the poor or disadvantaged
 5. Protect the environment
 6. Provide basic social services
 7. Undertake community development



INGO and the United Nations

↳ To be affiliated with the United Nations, **an INGO MUST follow these certain criteria:**

1. The NGO must support and respect the principles of the Charter of the United Nations and have national or international standing
2. Should operate solely on a **not-for-profit basis** and have **tax-exempt status**
3. **Commitment to communication** through newsletters, bulletins and pamphlets; organizing conferences, seminars and round tables; or enlisting the attention of the media
4. It should provide a **transparent process** of taking decisions, reporting finances, and holding elections of officers and members of the Board of Directors.
5. Should have an established record of **continuity of work for a minimum of three years** and should show promise of sustained activity in the future.



Types of I-NGOs

Number of operating NGOs & INGOs in the world is estimated at ~40,000.

1. Service orientation/
Empowering
2. ISSUE(S): Participatory
3. Socio-Political Campaigning
4. Charitable orientation
5. Corporate



Human Rights

- [Amnesty International](#) + [Link](#)
- [International Federation for Human Rights](#)
- [Survival International](#)

Environmental

- [Greenpeace](#) + [Link](#) + [Ytube Home](#)
- [WWF \(World Wildlife Fed\)](#) + [Link](#)
- [International Union for Conservation of Nature](#)

Health

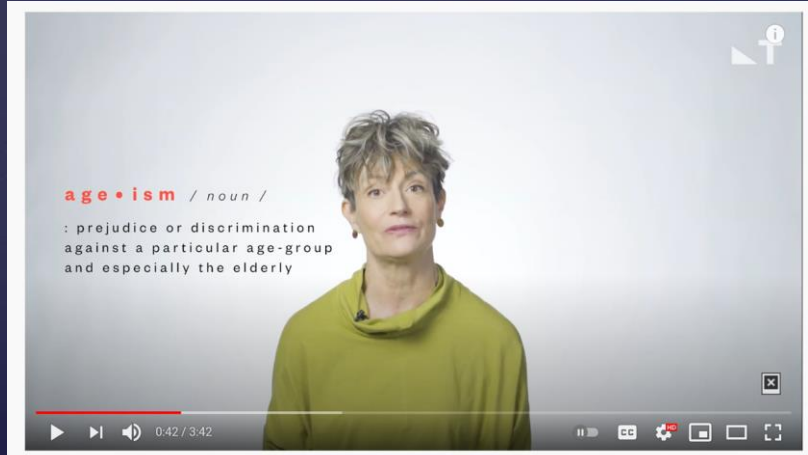
- [Doctors Without Borders](#) + [Link](#)
- [Health Rights International](#)
- [International Committee of the Red Cross](#)

Multiple Interdisciplinary Projects

- [Oxfam International](#) + [Link](#)
- [CARE](#)
- [World Vision International](#)
- [CAFOD](#)

I-NGOs and GloCal SOCIAL Politics

Global + Local = GLOcal



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