

# **ABOUT UNV**

The United Nations Volunteers (UNV) programme contributes to peace and development through volunteerism worldwide. We work with partners to integrate qualified, highly motivated and well supported UN Volunteers into development programming and promote the value and global recognition of volunteerism.

# MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE WORLD

Online volunteering allows organizations and volunteers to team up to address sustainable development challenges – anywhere in the world, from any device. Online volunteering is fast, easy – and most of all, effective. When skilled, passionate individuals join forces online with great organizations working toward sustainable development goals, everyone wins.

### ONLINE VOLUNTEERING IN NUMBERS



650,000 Online volunteers available



60% people from developing countries



187 countries engaged in online volunteering



96% satisfaction of organizations and online volunteers



### **PUTTING SKILLS IN ACTION**

Online volunteers are professionals, students, home makers, retirees, people with disabilities and expatriates from across the globe who support development organizations over the internet. What they have in common is a strong commitment to making a real difference to development. What they do is as varied as the needs of the organizations they support.

## WHAT ONLINE VOLUNTEERS DO FOR ORGNIZATIONS?



**Technology** development



**Teaching** and training



Art and design



**Translation** 



Research



Writing and editing



Leadership & strategy

**UNV** reviews and publishes task

### **HOW DOES IT WORK?**

Organization registers at onlinevolunteering.com



Organization and Volunteers collaborate online to complete task

UNV reviews eligibility and approves



Organizations receive applications and select volunteers



Volunteers search for tasks

Organization defines

and submits tasks



Organization recognizes volunteers' contribution



Organization, volunteers and UNV achieve the goals together







