

Increase engagement at the UN



PRESENTATION
Australia

"Our mission is to speak and act in partnership with others for global justice from a contemplative stance in a spirit of oneness with the whole of creation." *IPA Mission Statement*

Quote

"I think there is no greater happiness in the world than to be in union."

Nano Nagle 1770

Story of Impact: United Nations, New York

Snapshot of our work: United Nations, New York, USA. The IPA NGO Representative at the United Nations brings the voice of people from the grassroots level to the global level by collaborating with various non-governmental organisations, committees and working groups, strengthening our engagement with UN departments and agencies and developing important relationships with Member States. This activity sharpens our presence at the UN in order to achieve greater impact at a global scale.

IPA Strategy 2024-2026, p. 27

UN Connection

"It is critical to engage with civil society organisations, youth representatives and academia to define transformative solutions for our global challenges. While Member States remain the decision makers of the United Nations, all stakeholders must assume their role as decision shapers."

Civil Society Townhall with the 77th President of the United Nations General Assembly H.E. Mr. Csaba Kőrösi, 2023

A Call to Action

- Learn about the IPA's UN Advocacy Focus, <https://globalpres.org/un-priority-action/>
 - Register to participate in the online prayer service for the International Day for the Eradication of Poverty.
 - Contribute to the IPA's Eradication of Poverty Project.
 - Make a plan to or watch a live event on UNTV <https://webtv.un.org/en>
- See if your country is doing a Voluntary Nation Review of the SDGs, see how you could engage in this process. <https://hlpf.un.org/vnrs>