



Clinton Global Initiative

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Die CGI ist eine Non-Profit Organisation, die sich weltweit um die nachhaltige Verbesserung und um die Umsetzung von Umwelt-, Sozial- und Gesundheitsstandards kümmert.

Die Organisation zeichnet sich dadurch aus, dass sie nicht durch öffentliche Spenden getragen wird, sondern durch Beiträge und Spenden der eigenen Mitglieder, die seit 2005 bis heute ein Gesamtvermögen von über 63 Mrd. US-Dollar zusammengetragen haben. Das Geld wird investiert in Non-Profit Projekte die von den meisten Mitgliedern selbst betreut werden. Die Mitglieder setzen sich zusammen aus über 150 aktuellen und ehemaligen Regierungschefs, 18 Nobelpreisträgern und ein paar hundert CEO's, sowie von Prominenten aus der Medienwelt.



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Established in 2005 by President Bill Clinton, the Clinton Global Initiative (CGI) convenes global leaders to devise and implement innovative solutions to some of the world's most pressing challenges. Since 2005, CGI Annual Meetings have brought together nearly 150 current and former heads of state, 18 Nobel Prize laureates, hundreds of leading CEOs, heads of foundations, major philanthropists, directors of the most effective nongovernmental organizations, and prominent members of the media. These CGI members have made nearly 2,000 commitments, which have already improved the lives of 300 million people in more than 180 countries. When fully funded and implemented, these commitments will be valued in excess of \$63 billion.

This year, CGI will also convene a meeting focused on developing ideas for driving economic growth in the United States. The meeting, CGI America, will be the first CGI event solely dedicated to U.S. issues and will take place in Chicago June 29-30. The CGI community also includes CGI U, which hosts an annual meeting for undergraduate and graduate students, and CGI Lead, which engages a select group of young CGI members for leadership development and collective commitment-making.

Because of commitments made by CGI's members:

- * More than 16 million women and girls have had access to empowerment initiatives.
- * More than 10 million people have improved their access to capital and financial services.
- * Nearly 5 million people have obtained access to information technology.
- * More than 2 million girls have been reached with school enrollment efforts.
- * 50 million children have been given access to educational programs.
- * More than 90 million acres of forest have been protected or restored.
- * More than 400 million metric tons of CO2 emissions have been cut or abated.
- * Enough clean energy has been generated to power more than 400,000 homes.
- * 75 million people have increased access to maternal and child health and survival programs.
- * Nearly 20 million people have increased access to safe drinking water. More than \$1.75 billion in capital has been invested in or loaned to small and medium enterprises.



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Part of the List of Members

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King of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan

Her Majesty Rania Al-Abdullah

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Bill Clinton und Ghassan Arab



Ghassan Arab, Bill Clinton und Jasmin Arab



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