

## volunteering...

FORUM's website is regularly updated and contains conference reports, research papers and newsletters. It is a port of call for information related to international volunteering and development service. Members are encouraged to share research, trends, experiences and good practice amongst each other and via our website [www.forum-ids.org](http://www.forum-ids.org).

## engaging...

Each year, FORUM commissions research on issues related to international volunteering. Results are shared with our members and at the annual FORUM conference. Past papers include, *Models of International Volunteering*, *Climate Change*, *Public Engagement* and *Gender Mainstreaming*. These papers and more are available at [www.forum-ids.org](http://www.forum-ids.org).

## uniting...

At FORUM's annual conference of International Volunteer Cooperation Organisations, delegates from agencies across the world, including many of FORUM's members, gather to discuss key contemporary issues in international volunteering and development and share good practice in a supportive environment.



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**About us...** International FORUM on Development Service (FORUM) is a network of agencies engaged in international volunteering, personnel support and exchange. FORUM aims to share information, develop good practice and enhance co-operation between its members. Founded in 1964 in Strasbourg, FORUM was originally an organisation for European international volunteering agencies, but has since opened up to organisations across the world and now hosts the annual meeting of senior staff of International Volunteer Cooperation Organisations. [www.forum-ids.org](http://www.forum-ids.org)

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**Become a member...** Membership of FORUM is open to non-profit organisations, including NGOs and state bodies that are actively engaged in international volunteering, whether directly or in terms of coordinating such work on behalf of other organisations. For more information about FORUM membership and subscription fees, please contact the FORUM Coordinator at: [info@forum-ids.org](mailto:info@forum-ids.org)

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