

Justice Matters

*“Many thought, no doubt, that the
horrors of the Second World War

could never happen again”*



“And yet they have”



Photo: AP/Reporters/
Karel Prinsloo

*“This cause...is the cause of
all humanity”*

- Kofi Annan



Photo: Frank Schinski

The International Criminal Court
tries individuals for:

genocide,
war crimes and
crimes against humanity.



The Court is seeking cooperation worldwide to help prevent these crimes.



Photo: AP

Using child soldiers is
a war crime





Photo: Frank Schinski

Attacking civilian
populations is a war crime



Photo: Whitney Curtis



Rape is a war crime and a
crime against humanity



Photo: Marcus Bleasdale/VII



Willfully causing great
suffering or serious injury
to body or health
is a war crime



Photo: Trust Fund for Victims



Mutilation is a war crime





Photo: ANP/Lex van Lieshout

Forcible transfer of
population is a crime
against humanity





Photo: UN Photo



Genocide is a crime



Justice matters to the
individuals and
communities affected
by these crimes.



Photo: Trust Fund for Vict

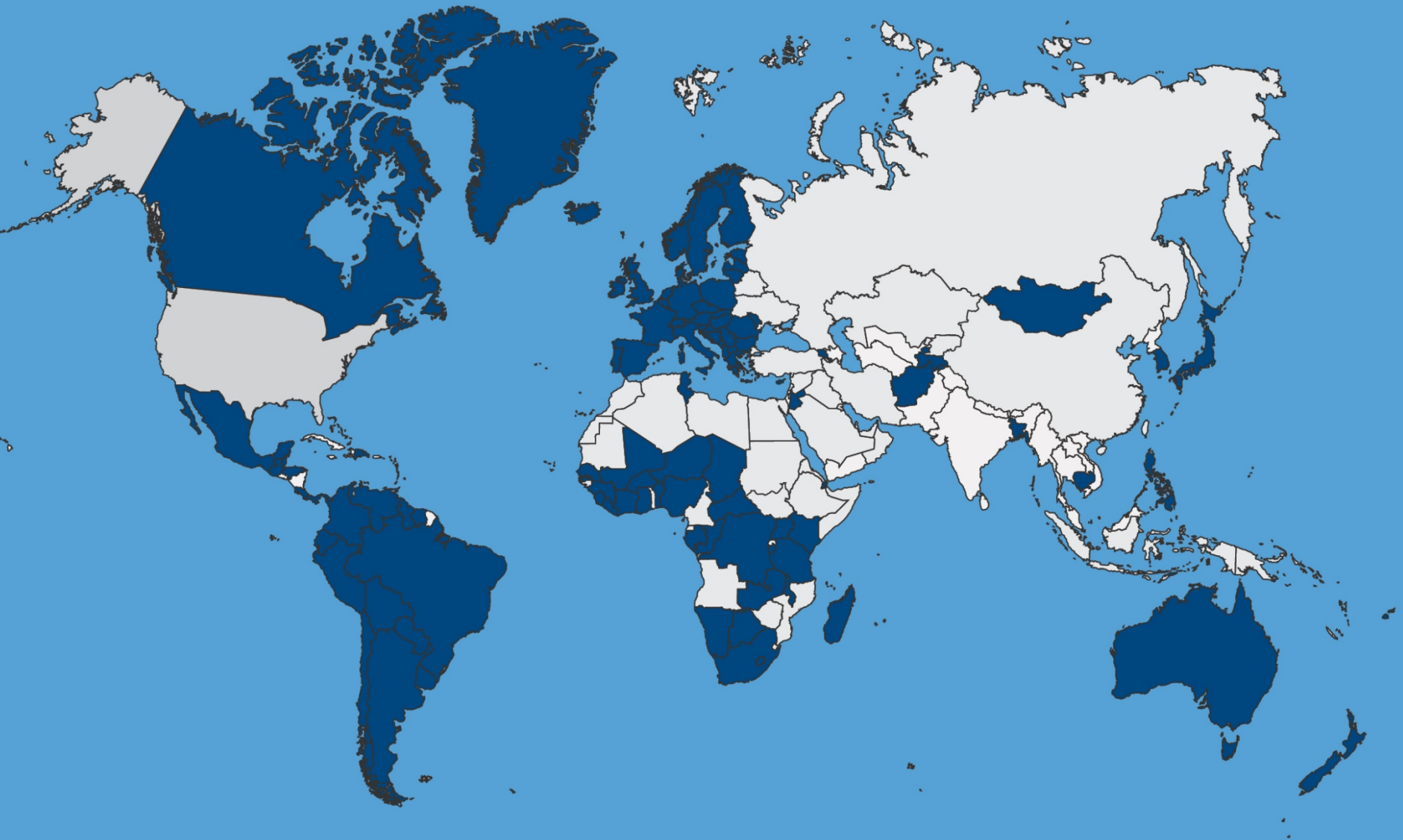


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And justice matters
to the world.

States Parties to the Rome Statute



Over 120 countries are States
Parties to the Rome Statute,
founding treaty of the Court.



Hon. RUTELLI

U.S. Secretary General

Minister D'AMATO

Prof. CONSO

Ambasciatore

Photo: UN Photo

These countries work
to harmonize their laws
with the Rome Statute

and to support the Court's
fight against impunity.

International Criminal Court

Third Session of the Assembly of States Parties

The Hague, 6-10 September 2004

1 ARABIC
2 CHINESE
3 ENGLISH
4 FRENCH
5 RUSSIAN
6 SPANISH
7 FLOOR



*“We must be united in our
resolve to defeat impunity ...*

We must persevere”

- ICC President Judge Sang-Hyun Song



Photo: Max Koot



**Cour
Pénale
Internationale**

**International
Criminal
Court**