

FIDH/International Federation for Human Rights

FIDH, an international human rights NGO created in 1922, is made up of a federation of 192 organisations from 112 countries, including Israel and Palestine. It defends human rights worldwide and accompany victims of the most serious crimes, wherever they occur and whomever the perpetrators. During the United Nations Diplomatic Conference of Plenipotentiaries ICC in Rome,¹ FIDH strongly advocated for the establishment of a permanent international criminal tribunal with the goal to put an end to impunity for the perpetrators of the most serious crimes. Since 2002, FIDH has been supporting the ICC's vital role in the pursuit of global justice by preventing and punishing the commission of core crimes. FIDH, in collaboration with its members and partners, has transmitted communications and information to the Office of the Prosecutor of the ICC, concerning crimes which fall within the ICC's jurisdiction.

No Peace Without Justice

No Peace Without Justice (NPWJ) is an international non-profit organisation working for the promotion and protection of human rights, democracy, the rule of law and international justice. NPWJ has more than 20 years' experience working on international criminal justice legal and policy issues and on public international law issues, including on the International Criminal Court, before, during and after the Diplomatic Conference that adopted the Rome Statute. NPWJ has long-standing experience working with civil society on international justice and accountability issues and has supported the work of the ICC since it was established.

REDRESS

REDRESS is an international non-governmental organisation that has special consultative status with the United Nations Economic and Social Council. Its mandate is to seek justice and reparation for victims of torture and related international crimes. It has over 25 years' expertise in advocating for the rights of victims to gain both access to the courts and redress for their suffering, in over 50 countries worldwide. REDRESS has extensive experience in directly representing victims before national, regional, and international courts and tribunals, as well as UN treaty bodies and special procedures. REDRESS has regularly been granted leave to intervene in cases before the Court, the African Commission on Human and Peoples' Rights, the European Court of Human Rights, the Special Court for Sierra Leone, and the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia.

Women's Initiatives for Gender Justice

Women's Initiatives for Gender Justice (WIGJ) is an international women's human rights organisation that advocates for gender equality, women's human rights and international justice.

¹ U.N. Diplomatic Conference of Plenipotentiaries on the Establishment of an International Criminal Court, Rome, Italy, June 15-July 17, 1998,

Since 2004 Women's Initiatives has worked to ensure justice for women and communities affected by armed conflict through the promotion of an independent and effective International Criminal Court and promote use of the Rome Statute to advance women's rights. WIGJ has been granted leave to submit amicus curiae filings before the International Criminal Court focusing on issues related to sexual and gender based crimes.