

2008 Membership Reports

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Membership

Total 2008 Membership
Student Members – 1
Regular Members – 30
Pensioner Members – 1

In 2008, was your organization actively engaged in recruiting members?

No

What successful efforts did your organization undertake in 2008 to increase membership?

NONE

How will you change membership efforts that were not successful to increase outreach in 2009? BY UNDERTAKING ACTIVITIES LIKE UNPA, AND OTHERS

What are your membership recruitment goals for 2009?

Student Members – 5

Regular Members – 30

Pensioner Members – 1

Promoting Federalism

How did you successfully promote federalism on a local, regional, or international level in 2008?
BY PROMOTING THE WORLD FEDERALISM CAUSE . SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS

How will you change the way you promote federalism in 2009?
BY GETTING IN TOUCH WITH FEDERALISTS AND PUBLICATIONS LIKE FEDERAL DEBATE

Does your organization publish a newsletter?

If yes, what is the name of your newsletter?

In addition to your members, how many other subscribers receive your newsletter?

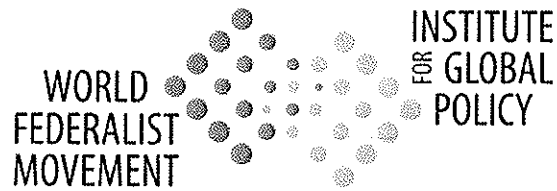
If you also publish your newsletter on the Internet, what is the web address of the newsletter?

Do you send a copy of your newsletter to the International Secretariat?

On which of the following issues did your organization coordinate public education and/or training in 2008?

On which of the following issues did you lobby your government officials in 2008?

On which of the following issues did your organization conduct outreach and/or contact media for in 2008?



2008 Membership Report

Citizens for Global Solutions

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Executive Committee Chair -
Executive Committee Vice Chair -
Membership Committee Chair -
Policy Committee Chair -
Secretary - Tom Camarella
Executive Director –

Membership

Total 2008 Membership
Student Members – 1,027
Regular Members – 1088

In 2008, was your organization actively engaged in recruiting members?
Yes

What successful efforts did your organization undertake in 2008 to increase membership?

Hired a new Outreach Director (Laura Hendrick), executed Chapter recruitment events, sent targeted mailings to non-members

How will you change membership efforts that were not successful to increase outreach in 2009? creation of a Responsible Global Policy Network, aimed at increasing membership and participation in areas not generally considered progressive, more outreach to universities

Promoting Federalism

How did you successfully promote federalism on a local, regional, or international level in 2008?
publication of World Federalist Institute quarterly newsletter, Minerva

How will you change the way you promote federalism in 2009?

We are making it an organizational goal to "Promote democratic global governance in the U.S. as an important, credible, and mainstream means of achieving global policy objectives." WFI also published the RING report this year.

Does your organization publish a newsletter?

Yes

If yes, what is the name of your newsletter?

The Global Citizen / Minerva

In addition to your members, how many other subscribers receive your newsletter?

300

If you also publish your newsletter on the Internet, what is the web address of the newsletter?

<http://www.globalsolutions.org/press/publications>

Do you send a copy of your newsletter to the International Secretariat?

No

On which of the following issues did your organization coordinate public education and/or training in 2008?

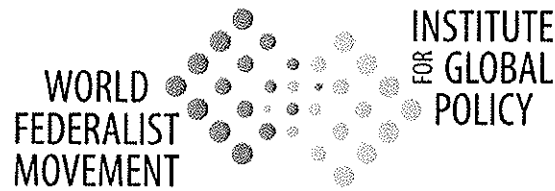
International Criminal Court
Ending Genocide / R2P
UN Reform - General
United Nations Parliamentary Assembly
United Nations Emergency Peace Service
Promoting Federalism

On which of the following issues did you lobby your government officials in 2008?

International Criminal Court
Ending Genocide / R2P
United Nations Emergency Peace Service

On which of the following issues did your organization conduct outreach and/or contact media for in 2008?

International Criminal Court
Ending Genocide / R2P
UN Reform - General
United Nations Parliamentary Assembly
United Nations Emergency Peace Service



2008 Membership Report

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Senior Officers

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Vice President – Torleif Jonasson
Treasurer – Flemming Thøgersen
Secretary - Anni Herfort Andersen

Membership

Total 2008 Membership
Student Members – 59
Regular Members – 108
Pensioner Members – 85

In 2008, was your organization actively engaged in recruiting members?

No

What successful efforts did your organization undertake in 2008 to increase membership?

How will you change membership efforts that were not successful to increase outreach in 2009? This year we focus on recruitment, and we have hired a student to implement a pilot project on member recruitment.

What are your membership recruitment goals for 2009?

Student Members – 1
Regular Members – 108
Pensioner Members – 85

Promoting Federalism

How did you successfully promote federalism on a local, regional, or international level in 2008?

By promoting the concept of the UN in meetings, in newsletters, in our school department and in Model UN's.

How will you change the way you promote federalism in 2009?

In addition to the above mentioned methods we will participate in the Danish delegation to the UN General Assembly in 2009.

Does your organization publish a newsletter?

Yes

If yes, what is the name of your newsletter?

FN-forbundets Nyhedsbrev

In addition to your members, how many other subscribers receive your newsletter?

If you also publish your newsletter on the Internet, what is the web address of the newsletter?

The Newsletter is only published on the Internet

Do you send a copy of your newsletter to the International Secretariat?

No

On which of the following issues did your organization coordinate public education and/or training in 2008?

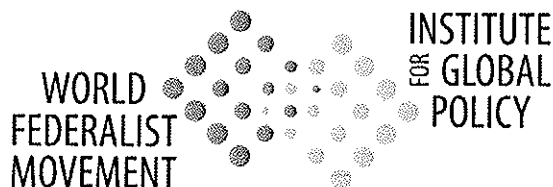
International Criminal Court
UN Reform - General
UN Reform - Security Council
Peacebuilding Commission
United Nations Parliamentary Assembly
United Nations Emergency Peace Service
Global Economic Governance
Promoting Federalism

On which of the following issues did you lobby your government officials in 2008?

Ending Genocide / R2P
UN Reform - General
UN Reform - Security Council
Global Environmental Governance
United Nations Parliamentary Assembly
United Nations Emergency Peace Service
Global Economic Governance
We promote federalism by promoting the UN

On which of the following issues did your organization conduct outreach and/or contact media for in 2008?

International Criminal Court
Ending Genocide / R2P
UN Reform - General
UN Reform - Security Council
Peacebuilding Commission
United Nations Parliamentary Assembly



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Senior Officers

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Board/Council Vice Chair – Mercedes Carluccio
Treasurer – Juan Carlos Balduzzi
Executive Committee Chair - Mercedes Carluccio
Executive Committee Vice Chair – Andrea Gerardi
Secretary - Fernando Iglesias
Executive Director – Mercedes Carluccio

Membership

Total 2008 Membership
Student Members – 10
Regular Members – 30
Pensioner Members –

In 2008, was your organization actively engaged in recruiting members?

Yes

What successful efforts did your organization undertake in 2008 to increase membership?

- Participation at the Citizens for Global Solutions Annual Meeting:

In March, Fernando A. Iglesias was invited as speaker for the Panel “Is the World ready for a Parliamentary Assembly?” that took place in Washington D.C. Such event provided DG with an additional space to project our

principles and contact people working on global issues such as climate change –which was an important issue in the agenda of the meeting.

- Participation in the opening and closing conferences of the High Education Course on European Studies at the CUIA.

DG Executive Secretary was part of the Table “European Union - MERCOSUR: the challenges of interregional cooperation” that closed the ceremony for the High Education Course on European Studies at the CUIA (Italian Interuniversity Consortium for Argentina - Buenos Aires, June 12th). Fernando Pedrosa, DG President, and Delfina Lopez Freijido, DG Substitute Auditor, also assisted to both opening and closing ceremonies, taking it as an opportunity to let people know about DG principles as well as its work on the UNPA Campaign, Justice without Frontiers and the Regional Network.

- Conference at the Argentine Annual Book Fair (Feria del Libro):

On Friday, 1st May, at 8.30 pm, Global Democracy, Movement for a South-American Union and a World Parliament, presented the Conference “Obama and the new world scenario”, within the 35^o International Buenos Aires Book Fair, at the Predio Ferial, Buenos Aires City.

The Conference had the honor of having the attendance of three prestigious lecturers: Osvaldo Guariglia, philosopher, writer; Juan David Tokatlián, professor, specialist in International Affairs, and Fernando Iglesias, writer, journalist, specialist on subjects related to Globalization and MP for the city of Buenos Aires.
http://democraciaglobal.blogspot.com/2009_05_01_archive.html

- Congreso de la SAAP (Argentine Society for Political Analysis):

Within the Framework of the Annual SAAP Congress, Democracia Global organized a panel on the Social-democracy future in South America. The table was formed by Argentine scholars and politicians, including Chilean Senator Mr. Nuñez, Santa Fe province Governor and Senator, Mr. Binner and Mr. Rubén Giustiniani, respectively, and DG Executive Secretary, Fernando Iglesias.

What are your membership recruitment goals for 2009?

Student Members – 20

Regular Members – 30

Pensioner Members –

Promoting Federalism

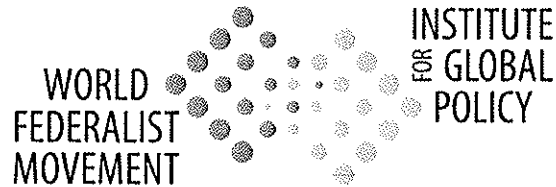
How did you successfully promote federalism on a local, regional, or international level in 2008?

Described in the question about membership recruitment.

How will you change the way you promote federalism in 2009?

Does your organization publish a newsletter?

Not yet, but coming soon!



2008 Membership Report

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Vice President – Knut-Roger Andersen
Board/Council Chair - Kjartan Almenning
Board/Council Vice Chair – Magnus Ruud
Treasurer – Knut G. berdeal

Membership

Total 2008 Membership
Student Members – 100
Regular Members – 100
Pensioner Members – 70

In 2008, was your organization actively engaged in recruiting members?

No

What successful efforts did your organization undertake in 2008 to increase membership?

How will you change membership efforts that were not successful to increase outreach in 2009?

What are your membership recruitment goals for 2009?

Student Members – 50
Regular Members – 100
Pensioner Members – 70

Promoting Federalism

How did you successfully promote federalism on a local, regional, or international level in 2008?

Among other thing we had a series of artcles on related topics in a Norwegian weekly news paper

How will you change the way you promote federalism in 2009?

Does your organization publish a newsletter?

No

If yes, what is the name of your newsletter?

In addition to your members, how many other subscribers receive your newsletter?

If you also publish your newsletter on the Internet, what is the web address of the newsletter?

Do you send a copy of your newsletter to the International Secretariat?

No

On which of the following issues did your organization coordinate public education and/or training in 2008?

United Nations Parliamentary Assembly

Promoting Federalism

On which of the following issues did you lobby your government officials in 2008?

Ending Genocide / R2P

UN Reform - General

UN Reform - Security Council

United Nations Parliamentary Assembly

On which of the following issues did your organization conduct outreach and/or contact media for in 2008?

Ending Genocide / R2P

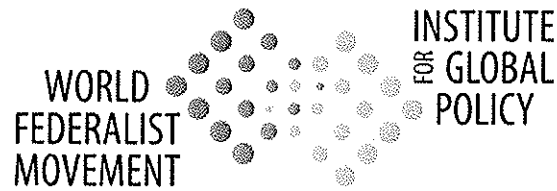
UN Reform - General

UN Reform - Security Council

United Nations Parliamentary Assembly

Global Economic Governance

Promoting Federalism



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Federal Union

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Board/Council Chair - Brendan Donnelly
Board/Council Vice Chair – Patrick Mc Nally, Keith Best, Ernest Wistrich
Treasurer – Lawrence Fullick

Membership

Total 2008 Membership
Student Members – 0
Regular Members – 122
Pensioner Members – 25

In 2008, was your organization actively engaged in recruiting members?
Yes

What are your membership recruitment goals for 2009?

Student Members –
Regular Members – 122
Pensioner Members – 25

Promoting Federalism

Does your organization publish a newsletter? Yes

In addition to your members, how many other subscribers receive your newsletter? 1100

Do you send a copy of your newsletter to the International Secretariat? Yes

On which of the following issues did your organization coordinate public education and/or training in 2008?

Global Environmental Governance

Global Economic Governance

Promoting Federalism

On which of the following issues did you lobby your government officials in 2008?

Global Economic Governance

On which of the following issues did your organization conduct outreach and/or contact media for in 2008?

Global Environmental Governance

Global Economic Governance

Federal Union report to the World Federalist Movement, October 2009

In the past year, the main focus of our work has been the future of Britain and the European Union, but in keeping with our traditions and our principles, we have also looked at issues of world federalism, too.

On the day of our AGM, 28 March 2009, one of the two conference sessions was on the subject of “The case for a global parliamentary assembly”, with a debate introduced by Lord Peter Archer.

The Federal Union website has been busy with articles, blog posts and comments on a number of relevant issues:

Financial regulation and trade

- unfair tax havens
- the financial crash: what caused it; who saw it coming; and how to get out of it
- the ethical obligations of the rich towards the poor
- the role that currencies play in national strategies
- the role of ethical considerations in WTO decisions

Environmental issues

- greening America to green the world
- an environmental keynesianism

International summits

- the effectiveness and accountability of the G20 summit system
- sleep and its impact on decision-making

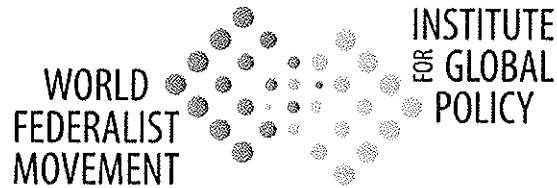
Issues of law and order

- the release from prison of Abdelbaset Ali Al-Megrahi
- the demand for the extradition of Roman Polanski
- the demand for the extradition to America of computer hacker Gary McKinnon
- the activities of pirates off the coast of Somalia

Other issues

- the proposal to build a tunnel from Bolivia to an artificial island in the Pacific Ocean
- the use of DNA testing to prove the nationality of asylum seekers
- the development of regional cooperation in Africa
- the complicity of British government officials in torture

You can find details of all of this on the Federal Union website at www.federalunion.org.uk



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Fundación Federalista

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Senior Officers

President – Rommel Santos Diaz

Membership

Total 2008 Membership
Student Members – 38
Regular Members – 22
Pensioner Members – 0

Report of the Fundación Federalista 2008.

The Fundación Federalista for the year 2008 had an outstanding participation in various activities with the support of the Organization of American States. Within the same highlights the participation in the Central Sub-Regional Forum and the Dominican Republic civil society in preparation of the V Summit of the America held in San Salvador. We also received support from the OAS to participate in the Hemispheric Forum of Civil Society in preparation for the General Assembly of the OAS and the V Summit of the Americas held in Washington, DC.

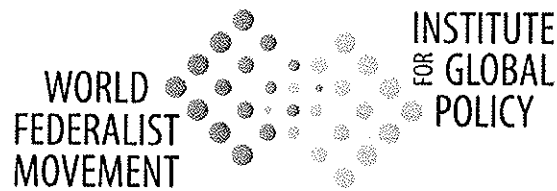
The Fundación Federalista in 2008 assumed the Coordination of Latin American and Caribbean Network for Democracy. With this network in the First Forum of the Subregions Mexico, Central America and the Caribbean. Defense of Democracy and Civil Society, held in Costa Rica. In 2008 developed a comprehensive program of lectures and conferences on the International Criminal Court at Universities in the Dominican Republic and organized groups of civil society. The Fundación Federalista coordinate the participation of the Dominican Civil Society Forum 30 PGA.

The Fundación Federalista had an outstanding participation in the Fight Against Corruption in the Dominican Republic through hard work and public impact of lectures and conferences on anti-corruption conventions. Our Foundation has specialized in the Inter-American Convention Against Corruption and the UN Convention Against Corruption.

We want to inform this important meeting of the Board of WFM that the Fundación Federalista is registered in the Organization of American States. In this regard we have been actively working with the OAS on issues relevant to civil society.

Report of the Fundación Federalista 2009.

In 2009 the Fundación Federalista has been an active participant of the local and the international level, stressing the participation in the Regional Meeting of Latin American and Caribbean Civil Advocacy Society in Washington, DC Headquarters of the World Movement for Democracy. In the national context participated in several courses and conferences sharing coordination with the Lawyers Institute for Environmental Protection and the National Council of Competivity. The topics covered in these events were: Democratic Environmental Governance, log-frame for the design and evaluation of partner projects. Also a workshop on financial analysis of projects. We perform on Methodology for the preparation of reports Independent anti-corruption conventions. This is supported by the Inter-American Development Bank. Another important educational journey has been our participation in the First International Course on Application of environmental legal instruments in the Dominican Republic. In relation to the International Criminal Court have held our campaign to support this important international tribunal. We had several major events to mark the World Day for International Justice. In particular the Fundación Federalista maintains an active promotion of Federalism in the Dominican Republic. In 2008 y2009 been informing the population about our proposal to reform the Dominican Constitution from the tenets of federalism.



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Senior Officers

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Board/Council Vice Chair – Claudia Kissling, Peter Spiegel
Executive Director – Andreas Bummel

Membership

Total 2008 Membership
Student Members – 0
Regular Members – 50
Pensioner Members – 0

In 2008, was your organization actively engaged in recruiting members?

No

What successful efforts did your organization undertake in 2008 to increase membership?

How will you change membership efforts that were not successful to increase outreach in 2009?

What are your membership recruitment goals for 2009?

Student Members –
Regular Members – 50
Pensioner Members – 0

Promoting Federalism

Does your organization publish a newsletter?

Yes

If yes, what is the name of your newsletter?

Campaign for a UN Parliamentary Assembly Newsletter

In addition to your members, how many other subscribers receive your newsletter?

2000

Do you send a copy of your newsletter to the International Secretariat?

Yes

On which of the following issues did your organization coordinate public education and/or training in 2008?

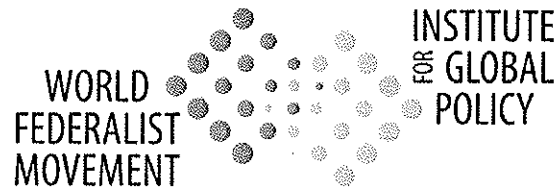
United Nations Parliamentary Assembly

On which of the following issues did you lobby your government officials in 2008?

United Nations Parliamentary Assembly

On which of the following issues did your organization conduct outreach and/or contact media for in 2008?

United Nations Parliamentary Assembly



2008 Membership Report

Weltföderalisten der Schweiz / Fédéralistes mondiaux de Suisse

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Senior Officers

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Board/Council Chair - Vice-president: Max Geiger
Treasurer – Willi Herrmann
Secretary - Rolf Paul Haegler, Dr.iur.

Membership

Total 2008 Membership
Student Members – 0
Regular Members – 40
Pensioner Members – 0

In 2008, was your organization actively engaged in recruiting members?

No

What successful efforts did your organization undertake in 2008 to increase membership?

How will you change membership efforts that were not successful to increase outreach in 2009?

What are your membership recruitment goals for 2009?

Student Members –
Regular Members – 40
Pensioner Members – 0

Promoting Federalism

How did you successfully promote federalism on a local, regional, or international level in 2008?

How will you change the way you promote federalism in 2009?

Does your organization publish a newsletter?

Yes

If yes, what is the name of your newsletter?

Mundial

In addition to your members, how many other subscribers receive your newsletter?

If you also publish your newsletter on the Internet, what is the web address of the newsletter?

Do you send a copy of your newsletter to the International Secretariat?

Yes

On which of the following issues did your organization coordinate public education and/or training in 2008?

International Criminal Court

United Nations Parliamentary Assembly

United Nations Emergency Peace Service

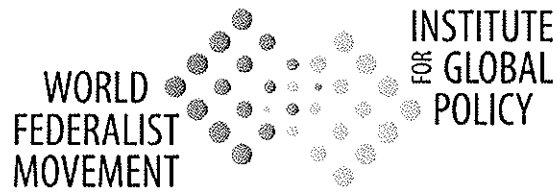
Promoting Federalism

On which of the following issues did you lobby your government officials in 2008?

International Criminal Court

On which of the following issues did your organization conduct outreach and/or contact media for in 2008?

International Criminal Court



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Senior Officers

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Board/Council Vice Chair – Floris Methorst
Secretary - Peter Davidse

Membership

Total 2008 Membership
Student Members – 0
Regular Members – 43
Pensioner Members – 20

In 2008, was your organization actively engaged in recruiting members?

Yes

What successful efforts did your organization undertake in 2008 to increase membership?

about 7 new members

How will you change membership efforts that were not successful to increase outreach in 2009? improve the website

What are your membership recruitment goals for 2009?

Student Members – 0
Regular Members – 43
Pensioner Members – 20

Promoting Federalism

How did you successfully promote federalism on a local, regional, or international level in 2008?

By holding meetings

How will you change the way you promote federalism in 2009? no change

Does your organization publish a newsletter? Yes

If yes, what is the name of your newsletter? Eén Wereld

In addition to your members, how many other subscribers receive your newsletter? 350

If you also publish your newsletter on the Internet, what is the web address of the newsletter? www.wfbn.nl

Do you send a copy of your newsletter to the International Secretariat? Yes

On which of the following issues did your organization coordinate public education and/or training in 2008?

Promoting Federalism

Palestine question, human rights, esperanto, reconciliation

On which of the following issues did you lobby your government officials in 2008?

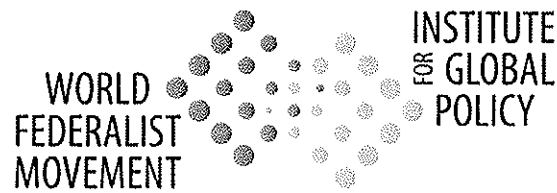
Promoting Federalism

Palestine question, sustainable development - animal welfare

On which of the following issues did your organization conduct outreach and/or contact media for in 2008?

United Nations Emergency Peace Service

Year of reconciliation: Rawagedeh



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World Citizens Association (Australia)

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Vice President – Dr Abul Wali Islam
Treasurer – Mrs Michelle Cavanagh
Secretary - Mr Michael de Mol

Membership

Total 2008 Membership
Student Members – 3
Regular Members – 17
Pensioner Members – 3

In 2008, was your organization actively engaged in recruiting members?

Yes

What successful efforts did your organization undertake in 2008 to increase membership?

Student 0-week stalls; public talks

How will you change membership efforts that were not successful to increase outreach in 2009? No immediate plans

What are your membership recruitment goals for 2009?

Regular Members – 17
Pensioner Members – 3

Promoting Federalism

How did you successfully promote federalism on a local, regional, or international level in 2008?

Mini-workshop at the Centre for Peace and Conflict Studies, University of Sydney on 'Human Security, Global Governance', October 2008; Talk by Chris Hamer, 'Australia and NATO – A Closer Relationship', Australian Institute for International Affairs, Sydn

How will you change the way you promote federalism in 2009?

We are hoping to promote a high-level conference on the topic of a Community of Democracies

Does your organization publish a newsletter?

Yes

If yes, what is the name of your newsletter?

The Bulletin

In addition to your members, how many other subscribers receive your newsletter?

0

If you also publish your newsletter on the Internet, what is the web address of the newsletter?

http://www.worldcitizens.org.au/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=31&Itemid=15

Do you send a copy of your newsletter to the International Secretariat?

No

On which of the following issues did your organization coordinate public education and/or training in 2008?

UN Reform - General
Global Environmental Governance
United Nations Parliamentary Assembly
Promoting Federalism
Promoting a Community of Democratic Nations

On which of the following issues did you lobby your government officials in 2008?

United Nations Parliamentary Assembly
Promoting Federalism
Strengthening Non-Proliferation Treaty

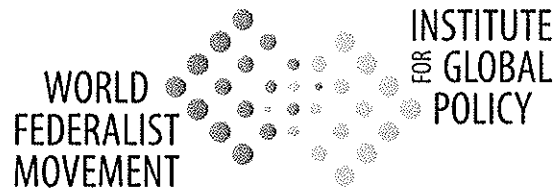
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United Nations Parliamentary Assembly
Promoting Federalism

Narrative Report

I believe the most likely way to achieve world federation is via a gradual and evolutionary path, such as Jean Monnet and friends found for Europe, rather than via wholesale reform of the UN. A Community of Democratic Nations may be the way to make a start. I would like to see the WFM add an approach like this to their goals, as a 'second string to their bow'. There have been recent proposals along somewhat similar lines in the US: John McCain's 'League of Democracies', or Ivo Daalder's 'Concert of Democracies'. Our current efforts are directed along these lines - we would like to see an international conference organized on these topics, and have been trying to interest the Brookings

Institute and the Centre for International Governance Innovation in Canada, so far without success. Would the WFM be interested in getting behind this program? Chris Hamer



2008 Membership Report

World Federalist Movement - Canada

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Membership

Total 2008 Membership
Student Members – 0
Regular Members – 529
Pensioner Members – 0

In 2008, was your organization actively engaged in recruiting members?

No

What successful efforts did your organization undertake in 2008 to increase membership?

Our organization does not recruit members per se but have plans to move forward with recruitment in 2009.

How will you change membership efforts that were not successful to increase outreach in 2009?

We are planning two initiatives this year to assist with our recruitment of new members in 2009. We will contact both the lapsed members as well as those individuals that have not donated to either WFMC or WFF in the last few

years. We plan to contact these individuals both by letter as well as by telephone. Our other initiative includes the outreach to other accessible lists (eg UNPA supporters, persons (non-members) attending branch meetings).

What are your membership recruitment goals for 2009?

Student Members – 0

Regular Members – 529

Pensioner Members – 0

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How did you successfully promote federalism on a local, regional, or international level in 2008?

UNPA campaign - various discussions, networking regarding UN reform - program work networking NGOs regarding peace operations, peacebuilding; focus on Canadian policy in Afghanistan.

How will you change the way you promote federalism in 2009?

Federalism is sometimes misunderstood or poorly understood. Rarely resisted in Canada. We aim to improve ways of explaining organization's goals applying federalist principles above level of state.

Does your organization publish a newsletter? Yes

If yes, what is the name of your newsletter? Mondial

In addition to your members, how many other subscribers receive your newsletter?

If you also publish your newsletter on the Internet, what is the web address of the newsletter?

www.worldfederalistscanada.org

Do you send a copy of your newsletter to the International Secretariat? Yes

On which of the following issues did your organization coordinate public education and/or training in 2008?

International Criminal Court

Ending Genocide / R2P

UN Reform - General

Peacebuilding Commission

United Nations Parliamentary Assembly

United Nations Emergency Peace Service

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On which of the following issues did you lobby your government officials in 2008?

International Criminal Court

Ending Genocide / R2P

UN Reform - General

Peacebuilding Commission

United Nations Parliamentary Assembly

United Nations Emergency Peace Service

On which of the following issues did your organization conduct outreach and/or contact media for in 2008?

International Criminal Court

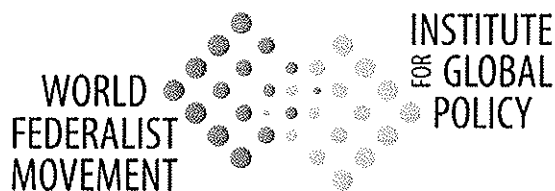
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UN Reform - General

UN Reform - Security Council
Peacebuilding Commission
United Nations Parliamentary Assembly
United Nations Emergency Peace Service
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The January meeting of the Executive Committee approved the following WFM-Canada program areas: Peace Operations Working Group (POWG) UN Parliamentary Assembly Responsibility to Protect (including UNEPS) In addition in 2009 the organization is tracking international developments related to global governance and the financial crisis.



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Membership

Total 2008 Membership
Student Members – 1000
Regular Members – 1020
Pensioner Members – 0

In 2008, was your organization actively engaged in recruiting members?

Yes

What successful efforts did your organization undertake in 2008 to increase membership?

The Japan annual grand convention was undertaken at the United Nations University in Tokyo which resulted successful to increase membership and outreach in 2008.

How will you change membership efforts that were not successful to increase outreach in 2009? We will change membership strategy for individuals to increase number of branch offices in Japan in 2009

What are your membership recruitment goals for 2009?

Student Members – 1000

Regular Members – 1020

Pensioner Members – 0

Promoting Federalism

How did you successfully promote federalism on a local, regional, or international level in 2008?

On September 2, 2008 we presented the Arms Reduction Plans to the G8 Lower House Speakers Conference.

How will you change the way you promote federalism in 2009?

We will get together exclusively younger generation and organize a new chapter at Tokyo Metropolis.

Does your organization publish a newsletter?

Yes

If yes, what is the name of your newsletter?

Sekai Rempo News Letter

In addition to your members, how many other subscribers receive your newsletter?

3500

If you also publish your newsletter on the Internet, what is the web address of the newsletter?

We do not publish our newsletter on the Internet.

Do you send a copy of your newsletter to the International Secretariat?

Yes

On which of the following issues did your organization coordinate public education and/or training in 2008?

International Criminal Court

UN Reform - General

UN Reform - Security Council

United Nations Parliamentary Assembly

United Nations Emergency Peace Service

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International Solidarity Levis

On which of the following issues did you lobby your government officials in 2008?

International Criminal Court

United Nations Parliamentary Assembly

United Nations Emergency Peace Service

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On which of the following issues did your organization conduct outreach and/or contact media for in 2008?

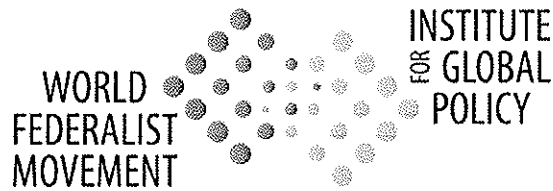
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The 64th WFMJ Annual Assembly held on 15 May 2009 concluded by adopting the “Nine Prioritized Goals” that required all Japanese World Federalist to comply. The goals set forth that in a concerted effort, all branches/chapters of WFM Japan shall:

1. *Address* the issue of diminishing membership of the Japanese Parliamentary Committee for World Federation (JPCWF) in order to increase the existing 200 members to gain a majority in both houses of the National Diet.
2. *Facilitate* the establishment of additional new chapters throughout Japan to increase the number of Japanese world federalists.
3. *Continue* to submit every year a strategic policy recommendation to the World Federation Section of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.
4. *Reform completely the* Mundialization Program for Mundialized Localities throughout Japan that has been rendered useless during the last decade due to the enforcement of the Great Annexation Program by the Japanese government.
5. *Globalize* the so-called “World Federation Resolution” that was approved in 2 August 2005 at the Lower House of the Japanese National Diet as recalled in the resolutions of the 25th WFM Geneva World Congress that urged WFM to encourage our Members to follow suit with the Japanese initiative in adopting such resolutions in their respective parliaments, and *facilitate* the adoption of the provision prohibiting the uses or threat of use of nuclear weapons and other weapons of mass destruction in the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court.
6. *Facilitate* the increase of number of applicants from elementary and junior high schools to the prestigious 37-year-old “Posters and Essay Competition”.
7. *Consider* the new option of international solidarity levies as innovative financial mechanism for financing development, and *act* as one of co-secretariats for outreach and awareness-raising, as the system represents a form of global governance that is envisaged in a world federation.
8. *Assist* to promote the Campaign for the Establishment of a United Nations Parliamentary Assembly (CEUNPA) to increase parliamentary support by holding study sessions and symposiums for outreach and awareness-raising, while also aiming to inform the general public and parliamentarians with the enhanced understanding of world federalism
9. *Appeal* to the government to organize a nuclear disarmament conference as early as possible in Japan to facilitate a successful completion of the NPT Review conference in May 2010, and as a preparatory stage for a comprehensive strategy in pursuit of a complete nuclear abolition with the International Commission on Nuclear Non-proliferation and Disarmament (ICNND).



2008 Membership Report

Young European Federalists

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Membership

Total 2008 Membership
Student Members – 8000
Regular Members – 2000

In 2008, was your organization actively engaged in recruiting members? Yes

What successful efforts did your organization undertake in 2008 to increase membership?

- international seminars - youth exchanges - training - pan-European campaigns

How will you change membership efforts that were not successful to increase outreach in 2009? - make better use of the website (provide information about JEF and explanation of benefits of being a member in languages of all member sections) - - make better use of the website (provide information about JEF and explanation of benefits of being a member in languages of all member sections) - make better use of the available promotional material (make sure it is available and distributed at all JEF events)

What are your membership recruitment goals for 2009?

Student Members – 8100
Regular Members – 2000

Promoting Federalism

How did you successfully promote federalism on a local, regional, or international level in 2008?

We organised two international seminars, the annual training days with the aim to equip members with know-how and tools how to promote federalism in their section's activities. We also had two Federal Committee meetings that adopted several resolutions

How will you change the way you promote federalism in 2009?

We will continue organising awareness raising campaigns and activities. In addition to that we will try to attend public debates and round table discussions (either as guest speakers or part of the public), where we will try to promote federalism.

Does your organization publish a newsletter? Yes

If yes, what is the name of your newsletter? JEF Info

In addition to your members, how many other subscribers receive your newsletter? 500

If you also publish your newsletter on the Internet, what is the web address of the newsletter?

http://www.jef.eu/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=414

Do you send a copy of your newsletter to the International Secretariat? No

On which of the following issues did your organization coordinate public education and/or training in 2008?

UN Reform - General

Global Environmental Governance

Global Economic Governance

Promoting Federalism

On which of the following issues did you lobby your government officials in 2008?

Global Environmental Governance

Global Economic Governance

Promoting Federalism

On which of the following issues did your organization conduct outreach and/or contact media for in 2008?

Global Environmental Governance

Global Economic Governance

Promoting Federalism

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JEF ACTIVITIES across EUROPE in 2008 BERLIN08 - CREAT(iv)E EUROPE, International Seminar, Berlin, 29.02. – 02.03.2008 18-19 March: 3rd Belarus Action On the night of 18th to 19th March 2008 JEF organised for the 3rd consecutive year a coordinated pan-European action in more than 80 cities across Europe and the world to show support to the suppressed civil society and opposition movements in Belarus. The action consists of gagging statues throughout the world that will symbolically be prevented from speaking freely, much like the current situation of the people in Belarus. This time JEF stressed the fact that European authorities don't take steps towards changing the situation in the last dictatorship in Europe. 23-28 March: International Seminar "Empowering Participation in a Heterogeneous Society". Biel/Bienne (Switzerland) 28-30 March: Spring Federal Committee. Biel/Bienne (Switzerland) 2-6 April: regional JEF seminar in Bardonecchia, Piedmont [IT] entitled Europe: have your say! 17-20 April: traditional Paris seminar, FR (JEF-FR, JEF-DE, JEF-IT) 9 May: Europe Day 11-12 June: YES2Lisbon campaign for positive vote on Ireland's referendum on Lisbon Treaty. Dublin (Ireland) European Youth for an Irish YES was campaigning in Ireland between 11th and 12th June prior the Irish referendum on the Lisbon Treaty. The aim was to

convince young voters to turn up at the polling stations backing the Treaty and inform them of the many opportunities that the EU has to offer. 27-29 June: JEF-Europe training days in Alsemberg (Belgium) JEF-Europe organised its annual training days from 27-29 June 2008 in the calm setting of the old paper mill Herisem in Alsemberg just outside Brussels, Belgium. The natural environment and delicious bio-food gave the participants and organisers the necessary energy to implement three fully-packed days of activities, ranging from lectures, workshops, power brainstorming to a movie night and international evening. Summer: Launch of the campaign "EU Olympic Team" 16 August: JEF at the Gay Pride parade in Copenhagen, DK 23-24 August: annual castle seminar in Helsinki, FI 31 August – 5 September: international Ventotene seminar September: JEF-BiH, JEF-MK, JEF-DK and JEF-LV multilateral youth exchange 7-13 September: Challenge Europe event in Brussels (Belgium) [Young European Swiss – YES] For the fifth time since 2002, the young European Swiss, youth organisation of the New European Movement Switzerland, organised the successful youth project «Challenge Europe» for 30 German and French speaking young people from Switzerland. In preliminary preparing seminars and a field trip to the European capital of Brussels, the participants were offered the unique chance to get to know Swiss EU-policy and the European Union gaining a differentiated view of Switzerland's most important economic, cultural and political partner. Additionally, not only the Swiss EU-policy but also current developments within the European Union were critically discussed. 12-14 September: JEF-Germany campaign prep-meeting in Brussels, BE 26-28 September: EB meeting, Brussels (Belgium) The third physical meeting of the Executive Board of JEF-Europe took place from 26-28 September in Brussels, Belgium. It was the first EB meeting in the re-vamped European Secretariat with the new SG and the main focus of the political debate was the preparations for the Riga FC and planning the JEF campaign for the EP Elections 2009. From the organisational point of view the EB focused on the finalisation of the Secretariat handover, the new bookkeeping system, the concluding of the Local Europe project and update on the new projects. 30 September – 5 October: BTD in Budva, Montenegro 26-31 October: International Seminar "Active Youth for Truly Democratic European Family". Saulkrasti (Latvia) The main topics of the seminar „Active Youth for Truly Democratic European Family” concerned active citizenship and participation of the citizens in political life. The participants had the opportunity to discuss about this topic among themselves, with some activities such as a powerbrainstorming, or working groups about youth participation in civil society. Moreover, they went "on the field", and asked to people in Saulkrasti about what they think about active citizenship. And, of course, there were lectures with qualified speakers, such as Romualds Razuks, Nils Muiznieks and Andreas Klein; or a panel discussion "Lisbon Treaty: Quo vadis?" in order to satisfy different expectations and needs. There was also the possibility to talk about other topics not strictly linked to the main ones, such as federalism, education, collaboration within different organisations. And there were also many opportunities to stay together and share a bit of the own culture, thanks to an international evening and a small "European Short Movies Festival". 31 October-2 November: Autumn Federal Committee. Riga (Latvia) In Riga JEF-Europe held its Autumn Federal Committee meeting, the first of its kind taking place in Latvia and the Baltic region in general. JEF-Europe was discussing and managed to adopt a JEF Manifesto to guide us through our EP elections campaign; we adopted a total of ten different resolutions, and re-adopted a lapsing resolution on the true freedom of movement for all EU citizens. 6-8 November: WFM Council meeting in the Hague (JEF presence) 1 December: "Who is your candidate?" action during the Council of the Party of European Socialists. Madrid (Spain) A group of 25 JEFers gathered in Madrid very early on Monday morning in order to welcome the participants to the Council of the Party of European Socialists (PES) with t-shirts and flyers asking "Who is your candidate?". Inside, a group of almost 10 JEFers managed to distribute leaflets and put a motion to insert a new agenda point "Election of the Socialist Candidate for the President of the European Commission" on the seats and tables of the Council. 12 December: EP elections campaign launch "It's Time for Change, It's Time for Europe!" (Throughout Europe) 80 Street Actions across Europe took place simultaneously at 12:00 on 12th December 2008 in towns and cities across the continent to demand CHANGE in Europe and to demand a true Federal Government for the citizens of Europe able to exercise and implement ambitious European wide policies to address global ecological, financial and security matters. In 2009 we will focus on our traditional Belarus Action, we will further develop and carry out our EP elections campaign and the Yes 2 Lisbon campaign. The objective of all our activities will be to consolidate and strengthen our well-established network.