



17 YEARS OF INTERNATIONAL VOLUNTEERING

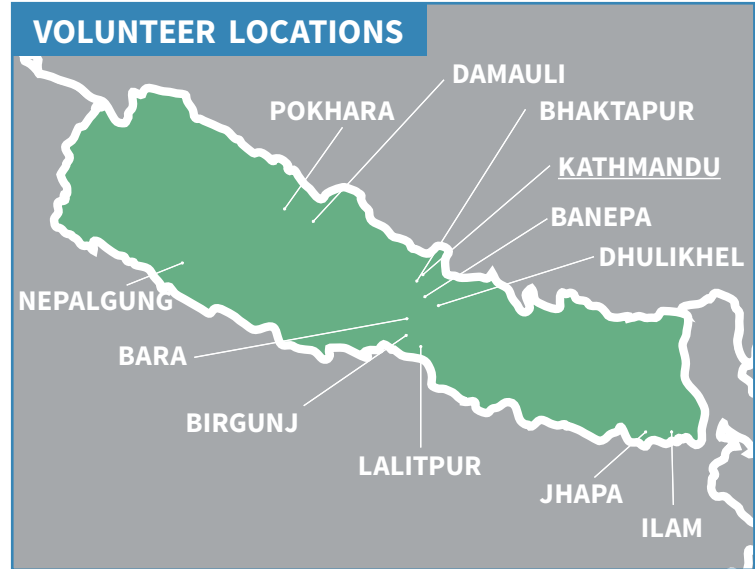
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Scope Global has 17 years of expertise in managing volunteer programs to enable positive change through building the capacity of people and organisations in developing countries.

In Nepal, Scope Global managed the Australian Youth Ambassadors for Development (AYAD), Volunteering for International Development from Australia (VIDA) and Australian Volunteers for International Development (AVID) programs on behalf of the Australian Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade.

Scope Global was responsible for all aspects of the volunteer programs, from program promotion to recruitment, selection, training, mobilisation, in-country management and alumni engagement.



AUSTRALIAN VOLUNTEER PROGRAM DATA 2001 - 2017



196 VOLUNTEERS



**69% FEMALE
31% MALE**



10 MONTHS

AVERAGE
ASSIGNMENT
DURATION



**AID INVESTMENT
PRIORITIES (2017)**

EDUCATION
HEALTH
ENTERPRISE AND
SUSTAINABLE
JOB CREATION



**29 AUSTRALIAN
PARTNER
ORGANISATIONS**
SUPPORTED 56
ASSIGNMENTS

CROSS-CUTTING THEMES*



DISABILITY

10% OF ASSIGNMENTS FOCUSED ON DISABILITY INCLUSIVE DEVELOPMENT



GENDER

20% OF ASSIGNMENTS HAD A SECONDARY FOCUS ON GENDER EQUALITY (FROM JULY 2016)



CHILD PROTECTION

100% OF ORGANISATIONS WERE SUPPORTED TO DEVELOP THEIR OWN CHILD PROTECTION POLICIES AND CHILD SAFE PRACTICES BY 2017

MOST COMMON ASSIGNMENT SECTORS*



22% HEALTH



20% GOVERNMENT AND CIVIL SOCIETY



15% EDUCATION



10% EMERGENCY, DISASTER RESPONSE, REHABILITATION



9% WATER AND SANITATION



8% INDUSTRY

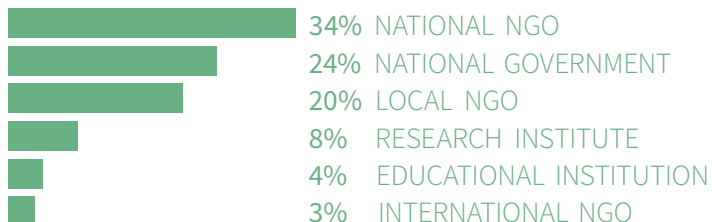


6% BUSINESS AND SERVICES

*AUSTRALIAN VOLUNTEERS FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT DATA ONLY

NUMBER OF HOST ORGANISATIONS 107

HOST ORGANISATION CATEGORIES TOP 6*





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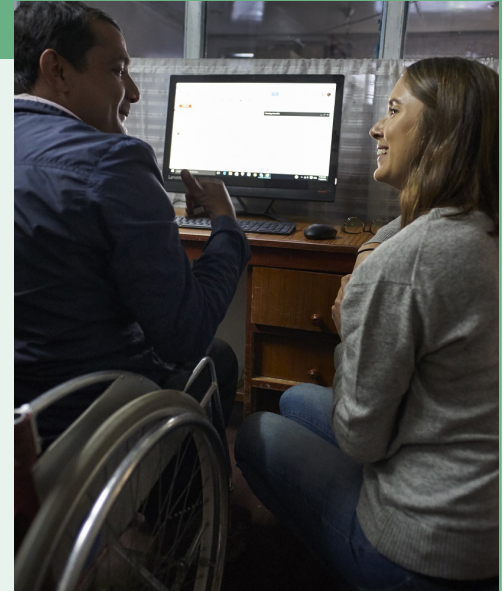


DISABILITY ENGAGEMENT

The Independent Living Centre for Persons with Disabilities, Kathmandu (CIL-Kathmandu) is a non-profit self-help organisation run by, and for, persons with disabilities. It is the first disabled persons' organisation established to promote and protect the rights of people with disabilities in Nepal based on a social human rights model.

CIL-Kathmandu has hosted two pairs of volunteers in a coordinated team approach to improve advocacy, stakeholder engagement and organisational reporting systems.

Volunteers at CIL-Kathmandu were awarded two Disability Initiative Grants that were used to develop a suite of CIL marketing materials, a new accessible website and provide a mental health training package to employees of CIL, people with disabilities, family and carers and other disabled people's organisations. The grants support the twin-track approach and ensure that persons with disability are involved as both beneficiaries and agents of development.



AUSTRALIAN PARTNERSHIP LOCAL GOVERNMENT PROFESSIONALS AUSTRALIA

Australian partner organisations play a key role in creating and strengthening relationships with overseas partner organisations while also supporting Australian volunteers to achieve optimal assignment outcomes.

Local Government Professionals Australia (LGPro) established a Memorandum of Understanding with the Municipal Association of Nepal in 2016. The partnership enables the two organisations to share knowledge and experience and develop institutional and people-to-people links between local governments in Nepal and Australia.

LGPro is a membership-based, not-for-profit organisation which represents and supports local government professionals, senior managers and emerging leaders to develop and improve government management in Australia.

HOST ORGANISATION PROFILE KATHMANDU UNIVERSITY, SCHOOL OF MEDICAL SCIENCES

The Kathmandu University School of Medical Sciences (KUSMS) was established through a collaboration between Kathmandu University and Dhulikhel Hospital. The university is an independent, not for profit, non-government institution conceived and supported by the Dhulikhel community to provide quality health services to the poor.

KUSMS launched Nepal's first Bachelor Degree in Midwifery Education (B.Mid) in 2016 thanks to the significant contribution of Australian volunteer Alicia Khan.

The new B.Mid will help improve the quality of healthcare services in Nepal and increase the skills of local health professionals.

NATURAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT



Nepal is in a highly active earthquake region. The devastating magnitude 7.8 earthquake of April 2015, and the subsequent aftershocks, had significant impacts on the AVID program in Nepal. Volunteers were temporarily evacuated to Australia due to safety concerns.

Prior to redeployment, a protocol was developed to ensure the risk for volunteers was within acceptable safety standards. Volunteers and Scope Global staff played critical roles in assisting host organisations to respond to the disaster at a national level.

The earthquake paused mobilisations to Nepal for six months. Many subsequent assignments focused on relief and rehabilitation works.