



Together, we build democracies that deliver for all.

ABOUT IFES

IFES advances democracy for a better future. We collaborate with civil society, public institutions and the private sector to build resilient democracies that deliver for everyone. As a global leader in the promotion and protection of democracy, our technical assistance and applied research develops trusted electoral bodies capable of conducting credible elections; effective and accountable governing institutions; civic and political processes in which all people can safely and equally participate; and innovative ways in which technology and data can positively serve elections and democracy. Since 1987, IFES has worked in more than 145 countries, from developing to mature democracies. IFES is a global, nonpartisan nonprofit organization based in Arlington, Virginia, and registered as a 501(c)(3).

OUR VISION

Democracy for a better future.

STRATEGIC OUTCOMES

Electoral Integrity

Trusted electoral institutions deliver credible elections.

Anti-Corruption & Democratic Trust

Effective governing institutions are accountable to the people they serve.

Democratic Inclusion & Human Rights

All people safely participate in civic and political life on an equal basis.

Cyber & Information Integrity

Technology, information and data positively serve elections and democracy.

IFES By The Numbers



Reached 90M+
people with civic and voter education in 2020



Supported 79
elections in 2020



Worked in 50+
countries in 2020