



Communication has always been a human need.



We believe it is also a human right.

At the International Telecommunication Union (ITU), we believe that no human right, including the right to communicate, can survive unless it is made real and relevant. As the United Nations specialized agency for telecommunications, it is our mission to bring the benefits of information and communication technologies to as many of the world's people as possible. This is why our 191 Member States and more than 700 Sector Members and Associates work together to set universal telecommunication standards, establish international agreements on spectrum and promote global development. Everyone has the right to communicate. We help give them the means.