

### NETWORK MEMBERSHIP



## What is the TrustBridge Global Network?

The TrustBridge Global Network is an affiliated network of like-minded foundations in countries across the globe. Network Members agree to collaborate and work across borders to help facilitate grant making and increase generosity around the world.

#### **Network Member Countries**

Switzerland, United States, Canada, Australia, United Kingdom, South Africa, New Zealand, Germany, Philippines, Netherlands, Romania

#### The Journey to Becoming a Global Network Member

It takes time and trust to build something that lasts, and the journey to becoming a TrustBridge Global Network Member involves both. This ensures the Network is built from members that safeguard the value of the Network for everyone. Each Network Member goes through this process to certify their membership in the Network.



Learn more about the journey and each phase in our resource "The Network Member Journey."

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#### What does it take to become a Network Member?

Our team will work with you and your foundation staff to unpack the requirements for Network Membership. If you are forming a new entity or foundation we can work alongside you to ensure that the legal structure and processes will ensure adherence to best practices already established by other Network Members.



#### Quality Leadership

Does your leadership possess world-class expertise in grant-making and philanthropic matters? Are you committed to advancing global generosity with integrity and transparency?

#### Legal Structure

Is your organization a nonprofit and following local statutes correctly? Can your entity receive and send charitable gifts internationally?

#### Operational Readiness

Can you receive charitable contributions in your country? Do you have systems for operating a donor-advised fund in compliance with international best practices?

# It's okay to ask questions!

Congratulations! You have entered the LEARNING stage of becoming a Network Member. We welcome questions of all kinds and are here to serve you as you seek understanding about a variety of topics. We realize that donor-advised funds, cross-border grants, impact investments, and other philanthropic solutions can be complicated, but we hope to make things simple and easy to understand. Our team of experts has decades of experience and is here to guide you.

### **JOIN THE NETWORK**

Contact one of our Network Relations staff members to learn about becoming a TrustBridge Global Network Member.



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