



*We desire to see lives  
transformed through the  
translated Word of God*

"The transformational impact God desires for language communities guides and shapes Bible translation programs... Sustainable progress will require networks of committed individuals, institutions and organizations that cooperate with each other and recognize their vulnerability by working interdependently rather than independently."

- Wycliffe Global Alliance Bible Translation Programs Philosophy Statement

Committed to an understanding of Bible translation as a fundamental activity in God's mission and believing that God calls us to reflect His character and attributes as we participate in His mission, Global Partnerships seeks to be a platform for collaboration in the Bible translation movement, with a desire for organizations to participate and explore new ways of cooperating with each other and working together interdependently. Through this collaborative model, Global Partnerships seeks to advance the mission by leveraging the motivation and accountability of nationals and contribute to their capacity building.

Our desire is that Bible translation be done in such a way that:

- honors God and reflects His character
- supports the common principles and values for Bible translation programs (including the Wycliffe Global Alliance's Philosophy of Bible Translation Programs and the principles of Common Framework)
- benefits local and global movements through increased collaboration
- better manages the kingdom's resources by minimizing duplication of services
- eliminates redundancy wherever possible, and contributes to staff development
- recognizes that no one organization has all the skills and knowledge necessary to successfully accomplish Bible translation
- builds on the strengths of the organizations to bring together the different elements that will enable us to better achieve our shared vision and objectives
- supports the vision of the church and the local community, and fosters ownership of the program's objectives and the development of a capacity to achieve them





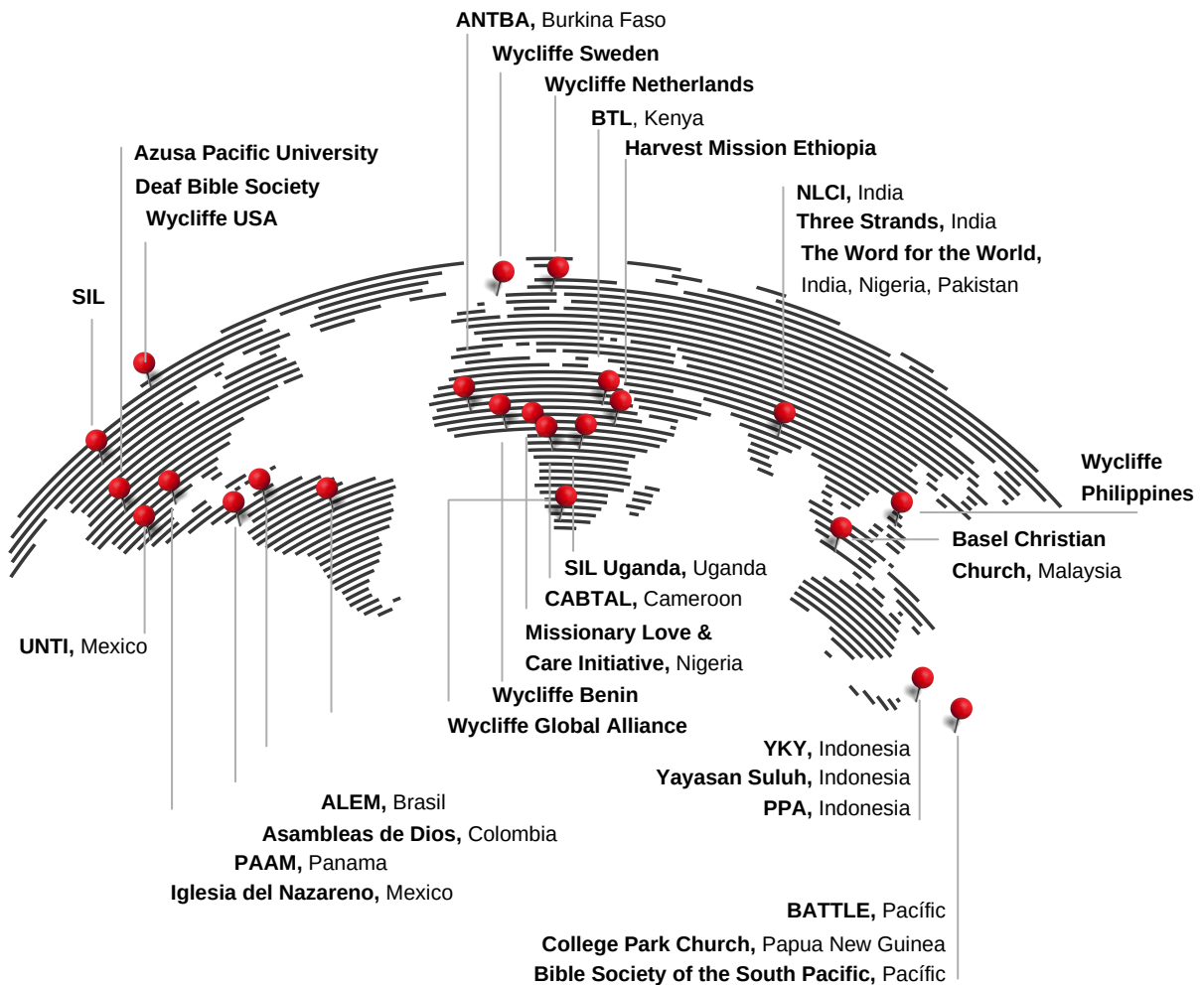
Our vision is  
 “the transformation  
 of lives through the  
 translated Word of God”

*Identity*



The desired future is a true multi-organizational collaboration in the Bible translation movement, locally, regionally, and globally, that receives inspiration, momentum, and leadership from the Global Church. The organizations participating in some way in the current Global Partnerships effort share this dream and are committed to working together towards its achievement.

*Examples of organizations providing Global Partnership members (updated April 2023).*



*Description*

# Strategic Goals



## Vision 2025

We embrace the vision that by the year 2025 there will be a Bible translation project in progress for every people group that needs it.

By the year 2033 we hope to have contributed to the following:

## 2033 All Access Goals

- 95% of all people have access to a complete Bible.
- 99.9% of all people have access to a New Testament.
- 100% of all people have access to at least a portion of the Scriptures.

## Serving the Church

Our desire is to be inspired, and directed, by the Church. We want to respond to what God is calling the Church to do and we want to reflect the body of Christ working interdependently and not independently.





# Services

## Partnerships

**We contribute to building a network of people, institutions, churches, and organizations that work interdependently towards Bible translation.**

*Multiple churches and organizations are working together to create a team of regional partnership facilitators. These Partnership Facilitators are advocates for community and fellowship within the Bible translation movement and play a key role in catalyzing and maintaining relationships with church and ministry leaders and partner organizations in the field.*

## Projects

**We promote life transformation through Bible translation in planning, monitoring, and resourcing.**

*The Global Partnerships Projects team works with field partners to design, develop, oversee and resource Bible translation projects. This team plays a key role in building strong relationships among all those involved in a Bible translation project, including the churches, the language community, the translation team, service providers, those who donate, and, most importantly, those who pray.*

## People

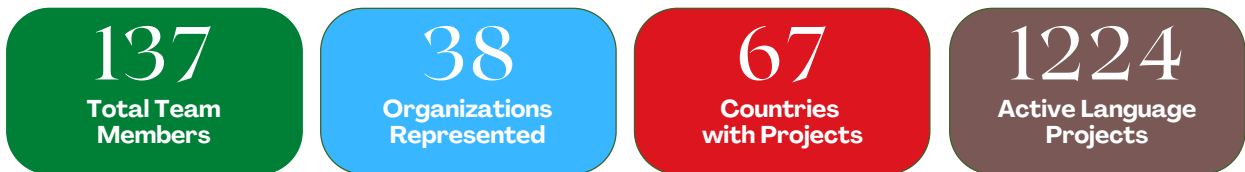
**We encourage opportunities and strategies for building local capacity and developing sustainable Bible translation movements.**

*Global Partnerships works with partner organizations-local, national and international-to develop new strategic approaches to staffing and financial resources to achieve the goals of impact partners in the Bible translation movement. Collaborative planning and resource development help build strong partnerships and develop local capacity to achieve shared goals.*





# Global Partnerships numbers



# 1,448,407,629

TOTAL POPULATION WE SERVE THROUGH ACTIVE PROJECTS

Updated April 2023



Results