

# World Media in English .org

**World of the People by the People**

Be part of an exciting new initiative to democratise the media and promote understanding of issues of vital importance to people all over the world!

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We are creating an internet based platform where volunteer contributors can translate and interpret media content from any language and make them available to global audiences in English.

How is this going to **democratise** the media and **promote understandings**?

Our lives are now interconnected economically and politically pretty well everywhere in the world; yet information and perspective about issues, events and their impact are often not shared equally well. There are divisions along lines of political influence, languages and geographies. By doing this we can work towards bridging these divisions and bringing realities of peoples and communities closer together.

How can this be done in the interest of all, in other words be kept independent of biases and other undue influences?

Research and preparation of content and all other aspects of the work are going to follow a set of guidelines that are going to be defined in a scientific and independent way. Simon Fraser University's Public Interest Research Group (SFPIRG) is hosting this project.

It seems like a huge task. What makes you optimistic?

We are not saying it can be done overnight, but we are in the age of internet. Even if each of us can do a little we will be able to reach many people globally as contributors and audiences . See our website:

**[www.worldmediainenglish.org](http://www.worldmediainenglish.org)**

You can help in many areas of interest and experience: organising, definition of guidelines, research and preparation of content, translation and writing in English, legal advice, software development, graphic design, multimedia production, fundraising, and help in outreach for contributors and audiences including social media. See "Contribute" page of the website.

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