

How can you be involved ?

Join a national network

Organisations sharing the values of JJ2020 can self-organise and partner with the campaign. They will then create Jai Jagat networks in their country and thus engage in the formation of a new and bottom-up international network of peace organisations. Eventually, they are encouraged to participate in the drafting of our advocacy to the UN during the Geneva's People's Action Forum 2020.

Be part of a virtual campaign

One of the goal of the Jai Jagat 2020 campaign is to link people from all around the world with the quest for global peace and well-being. Therefore, we will conduct a dynamic online campaign, so that everyone can support various actions through social media.

Join an ongoing list of partner organisations

- * **OMTD**, France ;
- * **Navdanya**, India ;
- * **Nature's Rights**, Bolivia ;
- * **Asia Forum for Human Rights**, Thailand ;
- * **Deepa Mehta**, Movie Producer, Canada ;
- * **Quakers**, UK ;
- * **Sulak Sivarksha**, Buddhist Monk, Thailand ;
- * **Gandhi International**, France ;
- * **ANGOC**, Philippines ;
- * **Oliver De Schutter**, Former UN Rapporteur for Land and Agriculture, Belgium ;
- * **European Green Party**, France ;
- * **ESCR-net**, USA ;
- * **Jigma Thinley**, Former Prime Minister of Bhutan ;
- * **CRSC**, Nepal ;
- * **Chico Wittaker**, Founder Member of World Social Forum, Brazil ;
- * **SAPA**, India ;
- * **Satish Kumar**, Resurgence, UK ;
- * **IMTD**, Georgia ;
- * **International Land Coalition**, Italy ;
- * **FIAN**, Germany ;
- * **SAIN Party**, Spain ;
- * **Gandhi Foundation for World Peace**, Canada.

Upcoming events

There will be several events in different countries over the next three years to launch the campaign. Here are some you can get involved in:

- * **Asian Meeting on Women and Nonviolent Action, 23rd to 27th of March, 2017 (Manila, Philippines)**. This International Conference will focus on women leadership in peace negotiation processes and the conceptual framework in which they take place.
- * **Nonviolent Economy Conference, May, 2018 (Delhi, India)**. This Conference will gather 300 participants to discuss why and how to move towards an economic system that does not create socio-economic violence.
- * **March for Land Rights in October, 2018 (Palwal to Delhi, India)**. 150 000 people will march to press the Indian Government further on land legislation.

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JAI JAGAT 2020

A GLOBAL PEACE CAMPAIGN

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IS ACTIVE NONVIOLENCE »

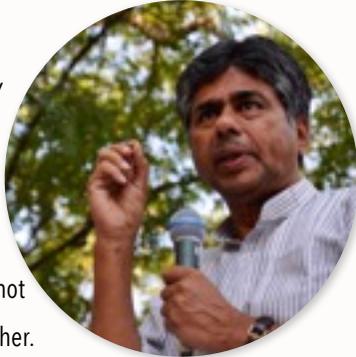


A campaign initially coordinated by Ekta Europe, Ekta Parishad and IGINP

Jai Jagat

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« *Jai Jagat* actually means VICTORY OF THE WORLD. The underlying principle is that, if there is a victory then it should be the victory of our common humanity, not the victory of one nation over another.



We are aware that the above terms are drawn from Hindi, but we believe that these words are very relevant in this contemporary global campaign. No one country or group of people can bring genuine change. The increasingly destructive trends need to be countered by coordinated and simultaneous, local and global action. All around the globe, there is a growing discontent among those that are disadvantaged which feeds into an increasing number of conflicts. The Jai Jagat 2020 Global Peace Campaign is designed to uplift people from fear and discontent to have them take positive action. The reason the Jai Jagat campaign is conceived to be international is to advance the survival agenda of nature and people on the planet. It is in this way that the Jai Jagat is promoting local to global solidarity through a **Global Peace Walk** and a **Geneva's People's Action Forum**. Those events aim to bring together a large number of young people to reconstruct a world that gives hope and values peace, using the frameworks of human rights, social justice, opposition to militarisation and war, climate change and people's access to resources.

We are calling to as many organisations as possible, at every level, to engage in the Jai Jagat campaign ».

Millions can walk

In the tradition of Gandhian foot-marches, the Jai Jagat 2020 Global Peace March will be taken up by 150 young people from Rajghat, New Delhi (India) to the seat of the United Nations in Geneva (Switzerland). The march is the ultimate action of our global campaign and is designed to internationalise hope. The march embodies the empowerment that common ordinary people will meet when they nonviolently mobilise for their rights and for the future.

150 PEOPLE

To celebrate Gandhi's 150th birth centenary, the march will enrol 150 marchers from all countries and backgrounds. The walk will promote nonviolent action for positive change. Each person can walk for a minimum of one month and for as long as they please.

This initiative builds off 25 years of work of Ekta Parishad, an organisation made up of the landless and marginalised in India who struggle for their land, forest and water rights. For their development to be salutary, it needs to be « bottom-up ».

This march is only one of many initiatives, and people are encouraged to hold marches in their own countries for aligning with the larger Jai Jagat campaign.



Geneva's People's Action Forum

Coming together to empower peace

During the three-years-campaign, partner organisations and networks will involve in international discussions on positive change. Their findings and recommendations will design the Jai Jagat 2020 advocacy platform, and this platform will ultimately be discussed during the Geneva People's Action Forum before being presented to the UN institutions in Geneva.

The Forum agenda will focus on the impact of international financial institutions' policies on marginalised communities, with the goal of defining a new path for human development - one that is compatible with the well-being of all and taking into account the UN Sustainable Development Goals.

Addressing the UN in Geneva

The Geneva People's Action Forum will start when the march reaches Geneva and will last for two weeks, from September 19th to October 3rd, 2020. This international meeting will be the last of the campaign and will gather all organisations which part in the preliminary discussions and the designing of our advocacy platform.

In parallel and to stay faithful to the bottom-up spirit of Gandhian activism, ordinary grassroots citizens will also take part to our campaign. As part of the Geneva Action, thousands of people will assemble in the city for a two-weeks action, to pressure the UN and financial institutions while the advocacy groups are presenting their recommendations. This event is intended as an informal People's Parliament, and is gaining support of a large number of individuals and organisations.