IFLA GB REPORT

Highlights August – December 2023
• Highlight all that we’ve achieved since August
• Make the connection with the IFLA Strategy
• Celebrate good work!
IFLA Strategy 2019-2024

- Inspire
- Connect
- Enable
- Engage
1. STRENGTHEN THE GLOBAL VOICE OF LIBRARIES

Our work to support effective and relevant advocacy at all levels

2. INSPIRE AND ENHANCE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

Our work to provide key information resources and spaces for professional discussion

3. CONNECT AND EMPOWER THE FIELD

Our events – in particular WLIC – and work to build the capacity of the field, especially at regional level

4. OPTIMISE OUR ORGANISATION

Our work to make IFLA more sustainable, both through outreach and better resource mobilization
1. STRENGTHEN THE GLOBAL VOICE OF LIBRARIES

IFLA accepted as an observer NGO to the UNFCCC, invited facilitator for ACE dialogues

>400 Responses to our survey on library and association engagement in climate empowerment
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4 side-events organised at the 2023 Internet Governance Forum, and engagement around the GIGA Initiative

Ongoing progress towards a WIPO Preservation Toolkit and discussions around cross-border cooperation
1. STRENGTHEN THE GLOBAL VOICE OF LIBRARIES

MoU signed with United Cities and Local Governments

Libraries in all 44 2024 VNR countries contacted, and a community established
2: INSPIRE AND ENHANCE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

141 countries and territories with data on the Library Map

30 country profiles and 58 SDG stories from 36 countries
>1100 volunteers enabled to get up to speed in committee roles

Coordinated process for regional co-option for diversity launched
3: CONNECT AND ENABLE THE FIELD

Criteria for WLIC 2025 defined, and ToR for WLIC review developed.

Regional workshops held in Brussels, Nairobi, with >80 countries represented.
3: CONNECT AND ENABLE THE FIELD

New model agreement, action plan and reporting framework for Regional Offices

12 trainers trained for impact evaluation training
4: OPTIMISE OUR ORGANISATION

105% of expected membership revenue collected

1,707 Members and Affiliates in 147 countries
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Essential steps taken to ensure the resilience of our website

Strategy review process: 4 surveys, >300 responses on average, results published within 5 days
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