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Are you in a developing country and looking to access legal information? Check out GOALI, a new programme providing online access to legal content and training materials for eligible institutions in 115 developing countries.

Researchers, law students, policymakers, judges, and legal experts in institutions in low- and middle-income countries can now get free or low-cost online access to legal information and training from the world's leading academic publishers.

Eligible institutions include governments, universities, law schools, national libraries, research, and non-profit institutions, as well as secretariats of national workers' and employers' organizations.

The programme, known as GOALI (Global Online Access to Legal Information), gives users in more than 115 developing countries access to a wide range of essential legal information for their research, scholarship, teaching, studies, advocacy, and work.

Some of the key topics covered in the programme are international law, human rights, humanitarian law, and labour law – areas that can enhance legal scholarship and

practice, and strengthen legal frameworks and institutions. The programme also contributes to realizing UN Sustainable Development Goal 16: Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions.

GOALI was developed with the participation of publishers, UN organizations, and academics as part of Research4Life, a partnership dedicated to providing information to facilitate evidence-based research, healthcare, policymaking, and global justice.

GOALI was launched by the International Labour Organization (ILO) and its partners, Brill Nijhoff, as founding publisher, the International Training Centre of the ILO, Lillian Goldman Law Library at Yale Law School, and the Cornell Law School Library as academic partners.

GOALI is the fifth programme of Research4Life, a public-private partnership of the WHO, FAO, UNEP, WIPO, ILO, Yale and Cornell Universities, and more than 200 academic publishers with the aim to bridge the gap in scientific knowledge between industrialized countries and the developing world. The other Research4Life programmes include agriculture, health, environment, and science and innovation.

Publishers wishing to join the initiative, please contact Ms Stacia Stein at stacia.stein@yale.edu



For more information about GOALI, please visit www.ilo.org/goali or email goali@ilo.org

Research4Life: www.research4life.org

Eligible countries, areas and territories for Research4Life



Group A (free access)

- ✓ Afghanistan
- ✓ Angola
- ✓ Bangladesh
- ✓ Belize
- ✓ Benin
- ✓ Bhutan
- ✓ Burkina Faso
- ✓ Burundi
- ✓ Cabo Verde
- ✓ Cambodia
- ✓ Cameroon
- ✓ Central African Republic
- ✓ Chad
- ✓ Comoros
- ✓ Congo
- ✓ Côte d'Ivoire
- ✓ Democratic People's Republic of Korea
- ✓ Democratic Republic of the Congo
- ✓ Djibouti
- ✓ Equatorial Guinea
- ✓ Eritrea
- ✓ Eswatini
- ✓ Ethiopia
- ✓ Gambia
- ✓ Ghana
- ✓ Guinea
- ✓ Guinea-Bissau
- ✓ Haiti
- ✓ Kenya
- ✓ Kiribati
- ✓ Kyrgyzstan
- ✓ Lao People's Democratic Republic
- ✓ Lesotho
- ✓ Liberia
- ✓ Madagascar
- ✓ Malawi
- ✓ Mali
- ✓ Marshall Islands
- ✓ Mauritania
- ✓ Micronesia (Federated States of)
- ✓ Mozambique
- ✓ Myanmar
- ✓ Nepal
- ✓ Nicaragua
- ✓ Niger
- ✓ Papua New Guinea
- ✓ Republic of Moldova
- ✓ Rwanda
- ✓ Samoa
- ✓ Sao Tome and Principe
- ✓ Senegal
- ✓ Sierra Leone
- ✓ Solomon Islands
- ✓ Somalia
- ✓ South Sudan
- ✓ Sudan
- ✓ Syrian Arab Republic
- ✓ Tajikistan
- ✓ Timor-Leste
- ✓ Togo
- ✓ Tokelau
- ✓ Tonga
- ✓ Tuvalu
- ✓ Uganda
- ✓ United Republic of Tanzania
- ✓ Vanuatu
- ✓ Yemen
- ✓ Zambia
- ✓ Zimbabwe

Group B (low-cost access)

- ✓ Albania
- ✓ Algeria
- ✓ Antigua and Barbuda
- ✓ Armenia
- ✓ Azerbaijan
- ✓ Belarus
- ✓ Bolivia (Plurinational State of)
- ✓ Bosnia and Herzegovina
- ✓ Botswana
- ✓ Cook Islands
- ✓ Dominica
- ✓ Egypt
- ✓ El Salvador
- ✓ Fiji
- ✓ Gabon
- ✓ Georgia
- ✓ Grenada
- ✓ Guatemala
- ✓ Guyana
- ✓ Honduras
- ✓ Iraq
- ✓ Jamaica
- ✓ Jordan
- ✓ Kosovo
- ✓ Libya
- ✓ Maldives
- ✓ Mauritius
- ✓ Mongolia
- ✓ Montenegro
- ✓ Morocco
- ✓ Namibia
- ✓ Nauru
- ✓ Nigeria
- ✓ Niue
- ✓ Pakistan
- ✓ Palau
- ✓ Paraguay
- ✓ Republic of North Macedonia
- ✓ Saint Helena
- ✓ Saint Kitts and Nevis
- ✓ Saint Lucia
- ✓ Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
- ✓ Serbia
- ✓ Seychelles
- ✓ Sri Lanka
- ✓ Suriname
- ✓ Tunisia
- ✓ Ukraine
- ✓ Uzbekistan
- ✓ Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)
- ✓ Viet Nam
- ✓ West Bank and Gaza Strip

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