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## Headquarters of World's Organizations

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Here, you will have all the **Headquarters of World's Organizations**.

### **What is an international organization?**

An **international organization** is an **organization** with an **international** membership, scope, or presence.

### **What are the types of international organizations?**

There are two main types:

1. **International** nongovernmental **organizations** (INGOs):
2. Non-governmental **organizations** (NGOs)

A **non-governmental organization (NGO)** is any non-profit, voluntary citizens' group which is **organized** on a local, national or international level.

Here we have listed some important Organizations with its Headquarters. We hope it will help you to score more marks in the upcoming examinations.

## Lists of Headquarters of World's Organizations

### **1. World Trade Organization (WTO) -**

1. Headquarters - **Geneva, Switzerland**
2. Head - Roberto Azevedo
3. Founded on - 1 January, 1995

### **2. World Health Organization (WHO) -**

1. Headquarters - **Geneva, Switzerland**
2. Head - Tedros Adhanom
3. Founded on - 7 April, 1948

### **3. World Economic Forum (WEF) -**

1. Headquarters - **Geneva, Switzerland**
2. Head - Klaus Schwab
3. Founded on - 1971

### **4. International Labour Organisation (ILO) -**

1. Headquarters - **Geneva, Switzerland**
2. Head - Guy Ryder
3. Founded on - 1919

### **5. United Nations Conference on Trade & Development (UNCTAD) -**

1. Headquarters - **Geneva, Switzerland**
2. Head - MukhisaKituyi
3. Founded on - 1964

### **6. World Meteorological Organisation (WMO) -**

1. Headquarters - **Geneva, Switzerland**
2. Head - Petteri Taalas (Secretary-General) David Grimes (President)
3. Founded on - 23 March, 1950

### **7. International Monetary Fund (IMF) -**

1. Headquarters - **Washington DC, US**
2. Head - Christine Lagarde
3. Founded on - 27 December, 1945

### **8. The World Bank -**

1. Headquarters - **Washington DC, US**
2. Founded on - July, 1944
3. President- Jim Young Kim

## **9. United Nations Organization (UN) -**

1. Headquarters - **New York, US**
2. Secretary General- Latest UN Secretary-General for united nations organisation was António Guterres appointed 13 October 2016
3. Founded on - 24 October, 1945

## **10. United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) -**

1. Headquarters - **New York, US**
2. Head - Anthony Lake
3. Founded on - December, 1946

## **11. United Nations Education Scientific & Cultural Organisation (UNESCO) -**

1. Headquarters - **Paris, France**
2. Head - Irina Bokova
3. Founded on - 16 November, 1945

## **12. Organisation for Economic Cooperation & Development (OECD) -**

1. Headquarters - **Paris, France**
2. Head - Jose Angel Gurría
3. Founded on - 30 September, 1961

## **13. North Atlantic Treaty Organisation (NATO) -**

1. Headquarters - **Brussels, Belgium**
2. Secretary General - The current Secretary General is Jens Stoltenberg, the former Prime Minister of Norway, who took office on 1 October 2014
3. Founded on - 4 April, 1949

## **14. International Maritime Organisation (IMO) -**

1. Headquarters - **London, UK**
2. Head - Ki Tack Lim
3. Founded on - 1959

### **15. International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) -**

1. Headquarters - **Vienna, Austria**
2. Head - Yukiya Amano
3. Founded on - July 29, 1957

### **16. Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) -**

1. Headquarters - **Vienna, Austria**
2. Secretary General - OPEC Secretary General is Mohammed Sanusi Barkindo from 1 August 2016
3. Founded on - 1961-62

### **17. International Olympic Committee (IOC) -**

1. Headquarters - **Lausanne, Switzerland**
2. Head - Thomas Bach
3. Founded on - 23 June, 1894

### **18. Food & Agricultural Organisation (FAO) -**

1. Headquarters - **Rome, Italy**
2. Head - Jose Graziano da Silva
3. Founded on - 16 October, 1945

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