

NETWORKS



Toronto Action Network for Women's Human Rights

6:30 PM, 3rd Wed of every month
AI Toronto Office 1992 Yonge St.
www.facebook.com/ANWHR
women@aito.ca



Health Network

Contact: Shobana Ananth
647 406 0010

Urgent Action Network

urgentaction@amnesty.ca
416 363 9933
Marilyn McKim ext. 325
Jesse Mintz ext. 330



SPEAKERS BUREAU

The Toronto Speakers Bureau is formed of enthusiastic AI members in the GTA who help raise awareness about AI and human rights violations around the world by doing public speaking/presentations in schools and at public events.

If you would like someone from AI to speak at your school or event please use the contact below.

416 363 9933 ext 333

gtapublicspeaking@aito.ca

GTA YOUTH ORGANIZERS

If you are interested in starting a youth group, getting involved with Amnesty as an individual, or you have some questions about youth involvement, contact us at youth@aito.ca

ABOUT US AITO & THE TORONTO OFFICE

Amnesty International Toronto Organization (AITO) supports Amnesty International groups, entities, networks, and members in the Greater Toronto Area and is a registered charity with the Canada Revenue Agency. AITO enables local Amnesty International volunteer initiatives and helps to fund human rights public awareness events.

NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION

For new and potential members, AITO offers an orientation session where you can find out about our human rights work, how we are structured, our mandate, how you can get involved and what is going on in Toronto.

You don't need to call, just turn up at our office at
1992 Yonge. St 3rd Floor

Fourth Thursday of each month at 7PM

For more info: information@aito.ca



SPECIALIZED TEAMS

Art in Action team

A dedicated group of artists from diverse fields including: graphic design, photography, videography, and writing. We take pride in providing dynamic artistic support to help raise awareness about Amnesty International's actions, campaigns, and events.

artforhumanrights@aito.ca

Web & Digital Media Team

The team formed of a group of people specializing in or passionate about the effective use of technologies in promoting AI's work for human rights. Our team includes web and graphic designers, photographers, and writers.

Email: aitowebmaster@aito.ca

Twitter: @AmnestyToronto, Instagram: @AmnestyToronto
FB: AmnestyToronto

Business and Human Rights & Indigenous People's Rights Action Circle

The BHR/IAC team advocates for human rights in areas like corporate accountability of the Canadian extractive industry. We also raise our voices against marginalization, impoverishment and victimization of Indigenous peoples.

Email: bhr@aito.ca

Film Team

A team of enthusiastic activists working to raise public awareness about human rights issues around the globe through the medium of film. Email: filmteam@aito.ca

I WELCOME #Refugees Team

A team of volunteers focused on raising awareness and getting the public engaged in AI's Global I WELCOME campaign. Email: edumitru@amnesty.ca

Community Groups

Meeting Area, Time,
Contact Info and Focus

Group 65

Fairlawn United Church
7:00 PM
28 Fairlawn Ave
1st Tuesday of the month
Contact: 416 766 4017
bgodden@toronto.ca

Group 98

Cummer Ave United Church
53 Cummer Ave
7:30 PM
2nd Friday of each month
416 993 8154
applewoodalley@gmail.com
Death Penalty, AI Campaigns

Group 123 (The Beaches)

7:30 PM
2nd Tuesday of each month
beachamnesty@gmail.com

Group 164

Danforth/Riverdale
1st Tuesday of each month
Contact: 416 465 7365
ai164toronto@gmail.com
ai164toronto.blogspot.ca/
Turkey, Death penalty

Group 142

First Unitarian Congregation
7:30pm
175 St. Clair Ave West
3rd Wednesday of each month
Ted Wood 416 429 6391
Indigenous Rights , AI current campaigns

Group 18

Friends House, 60 Lowther Ave
7:00PM
2nd Monday of each month
Contract: Patricia Grenier
416 975 4771
pmgrenier@sympatico.ca
AI current Campaigns, Mexico

Groupe 50 Francophone

1992 Yonge St, 3rd floor
6:30PM
2nd Wednesday of the month
Contact: Chantal
905 271 5944
chantal.smieliauskas@gmail.com
Asia, Morocco, Africa, Turkey

Group 55

Royal York Rd United Church
851 Royal York Road
7:30PM
Last Monday of each month
Contact: Mary Hall
maryhall@rogers.com
West Africa Region

Group 63

Bloor and Spadina
7:30PM

1st Thurs of Dec, Feb, Apr, Jun
Contact: Dawn Michael
416 690 6885

LGBT Action Circle

amnestylgbt@aito.ca

Iran Action Circle

1992 Yonge St, 3rd floor
2nd Thurs of the month
6:30pm
iranteam@aito.ca

Glebe Road United Action Circle A132

Contact:
andrew.dundass@ubs.com

St James Cathedral Action Circle

65 Church St.
info@stjamescathedral.on.ca

Redeemer Action Circle Church of the Redeemer

162 Bloor St West
10:15AM - 11:45 AM
2nd Sunday of each month
(except Aug and Dec)
redemeramnesty@gmail.com

GROUPS OUTSIDE OF TORONTO

Group 21

Burlington
7:30PM
3rd Monday of each month
Contact: Wilf Ruland
905 648 1296
deerspring1@gmail.com
Colombia, SE Asia

Group 75

Oakville
7:30PM
1st Tuesday of each month
Contact: Wendy Belcher
905 844 4194

Group 90

Ajax/Pickering
s.zurbrigg@sympatico.ca

Group 1

Hamilton
7:30 PM
3rd Thurs of each month
amnestygroup1@yahoo.ca
www.amnestyhamilton.com

New Market/Aurora Action Circle

Newmarket/Aurora
7:30PM
3rd Thurs of each month
Contact: Renee Leblanc
905 712 6713
reneeandlen@rogers.com

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groups, networks and specialized teams

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