



# A human rights INGO in Taiwan

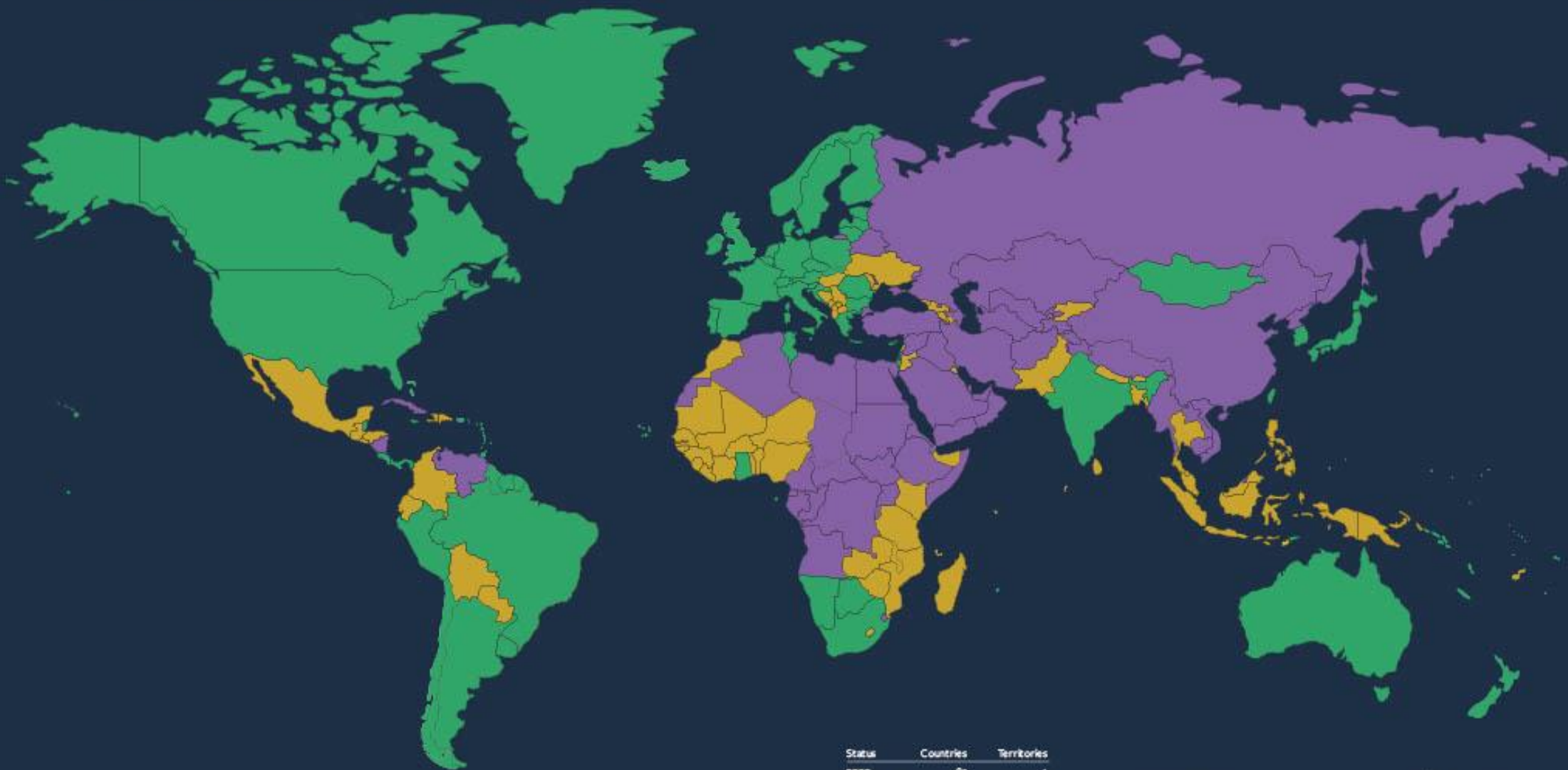


# History

- ▶ Formed in 1941
- ▶ Oldest democracy organization in the United States
- ▶ Original mission: countering isolationism
- ▶ Promotion of democracy as a norm after WW2
- ▶ Support for civil rights movement and opposition to McCarthyism



# FREEDOM IN THE WORLD 2020



FREE PARTLY FREE NOT FREE

Status	Countries	Territories
FREE	83	1
PARTLY FREE	63	4
NOT FREE	49	10
Total	195	15

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# Beijing's Global Media Influence 2022

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# Programs



Regional  
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# Establishing a regional office in Taiwan

- ▶ Regional base for work in Asia
- ▶ Taiwan as a favorable location
- ▶ Application process for representative office
- ▶ Officially register in September 2022
- ▶ Direction of Asia regional office

# International public interest field

- ▶ Many entries:
  - ▶ study abroad
  - ▶ work with MNC
  - ▶ work with Taiwanese NGO with international orientation
- ▶ How to engage with INGOs
  - ▶ job openings
  - ▶ attend events
  - ▶ reach out directly
  - ▶ work with local NGOs that partner with INGOs



# What FH looks for in team members

- ▶ Expertise on specific issue areas
- ▶ Commitment to the mission
- ▶ Experience living/working abroad
- ▶ Language competencies
- ▶ Grant application or management experience
- ▶ Experience working in teams
- ▶ Willingness to take initiative and responsibility

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