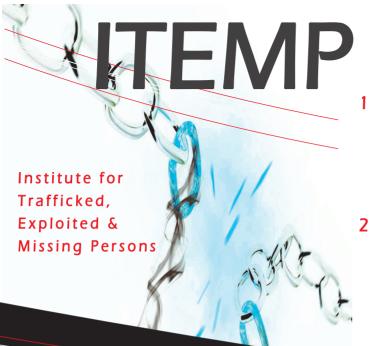
## Public Speaking & Seminars

ITEMP provides human trafficking (HT) lectures and professional training for government agencies, colleges, non-profit organizations, educational and community groups, psychological professionals, first responders and medical personnel in Asia, Africa, Central America and the United States.



# Four steps YOU can take right now to fight human trafficking

## 1. Understand the Problem

Learn about the realities of modern day slavery. Invite one of our speakers to address your group. Go to www.ITEMP.org for more information, stories, statistics and resources. And please, view victims of human slavery for what they are: men, women and children in need of immediate help.

## 2. Learn and Teach Prevention Measures

Teach your children to take personal safety seriously. Keep communicating with your family and friends. Realize there may be dangers in your community or at your travel destination. When older children are traveling, emphasize the need to stay together. NEVER give anyone your passport or travel documents. Regardless of any threats, if you find yourself in trouble, get help immediately.



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## HT 101

This 60-90 minute presentation includes video, first- hand accounts and artifacts. It covers the history and dynamics of HT, and how to contribute to the fight against HT.

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## WORKFORCE TRAINING

This course provides government, law enforcement and other professionals with an understanding of HT laws in their state, and provides victim recognition and support services training.

### SPEAKING & FORUMS

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## 3. Volunteer

Volunteer at a local runaway, abuse or homeless shelter; answer a hotline; work in a mentoring program; or help with after school program for disadvantaged youth. Your local support multiplies into a world of difference for many individual lives.



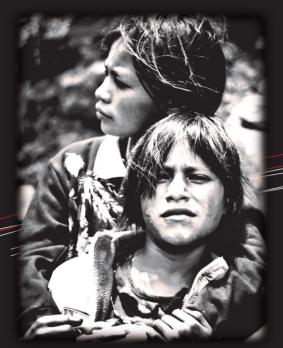
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## 4. Report and Prosecute

To stop the cycle of violence. If you believe someone is working against their will or a child is being exploited, contact the local authorities or ITEMP immediately. Gather as much information as you can, but do not place yourself at risk. Make yourself available to testify. Your participation may make all the difference.

Breaking the chains of modern day slavery





## Carmen & Claudia

Engulfed in toxic smoke, Carmen (age 10) and Claudia (age 11) were forced to scavenge through the landfill all day. Digging through piles of burning garbage, they searched desperately to find anything of value. Often ill, poverty stricken and on the verge of being sold into prostitution, Carmen and Claudia were discovered by ITEMP workers. Now they are well-fed, clean, and, most importantly, in school. They no longer have to rummage through the noxious fumes of burning debris. They now have a bright future, and thanks to ITEMP, a second chance at life. Do what you can. Get involved today.

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## Basic Facts on Human Trafficking

## **ITEMP Advocacy & Services**

#### PREVENTION

ITEMP educates groups around the world about human trafficking (HT), bringing together individuals and groups to better coordinate the anti-HT efforts.

#### INVESTIGATION

ITEMP investigates cases of human trafficking involving forced prostitution and labor around the world.

#### RESCUE

ITEMP intervenes on behalf of the victim in order to obtain their release.

## REHABILITATION

ITEMP provides victims with shelter, legal aid, medical care, psychological care, education and vocational training.

## GOVERNMENT ADVOCACY

ITEMP assists governments whenever possible in developing and implementing trafficking legislation and victim rehabilitative services.

## INTERNATIONAL HT

- 12 million adults and children are in forced labor, bonded labor and commercial sexual servitude today (UN International Labor Organization).
- 1.4 million people are engaged in commercial sexual servitude.
- 80% of victims are women and 50% are children.



- Child soldiers, some as young as 6, number in the tens of thousands. In 2007. 57 armed militant groups were using children as soldiers.
- 214 million are engaged in child labor, and 126 million work under hazardous conditions.
- 8.1 million forced Image by Glenn Tornell laborers were denied

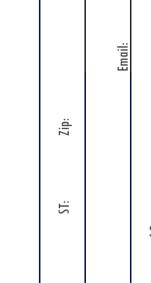
more than \$20 billion in wages in 2008. Profits gained by the perpetrators exceeded \$31.6 billion worldwide.



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## UNITED STATES HT

- + 100.000 American children are trafficked for sex within the U.S. each year.
- + 17.500 foreign men, women and children are trafficked into the U.S. each year.
- 8,500 foreign children, ages 10-17, are brought into the U.S. illegally for the purpose of sexual exploitation.
- 1,130 child sex trafficking victims were arrested in the U.S. in 2009.
- + 1,000 American children are trafficked abroad each year.



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