How to become a member

Guideline



These Guidelines are designed to help socialprotection.org users to become members of the platform and gain access to its array of interactive features.

1. Visit the socialprotection.org homepage and click on the '**Join Us'** button located on the right-hand side of the webpage header.

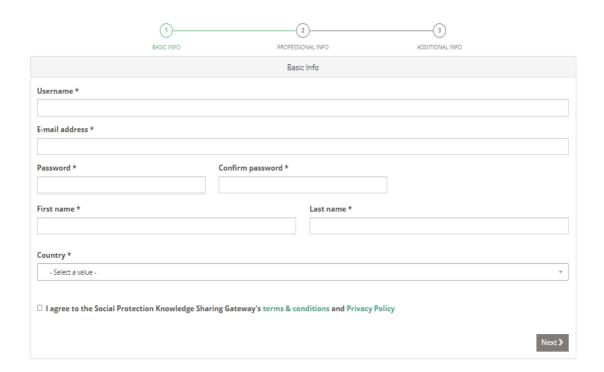


You will be directed to the 'User Account' form.

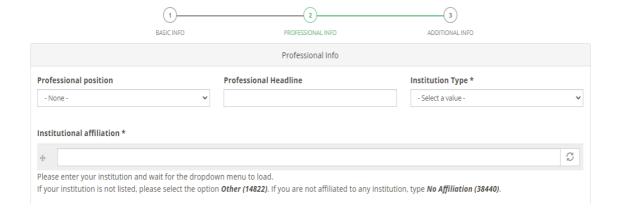
2. Complete your account profile, making sure to fill in all required fields marked with an asterisk (*). Please make sure you choose a unique username. Your username is what you use to log in to the platform, along with your password. When choosing a username, do not use your real name, and do not include spaces.

Once you have filled the required fields, select the checkbox to agree to the platform's **Terms and Conditions**, then click on **'Next'**.





3. Under 'Institutional affiliation', start typing the name of your institution. If your institution is listed, a drop-down menu will appear. Select your institution name from the menu.



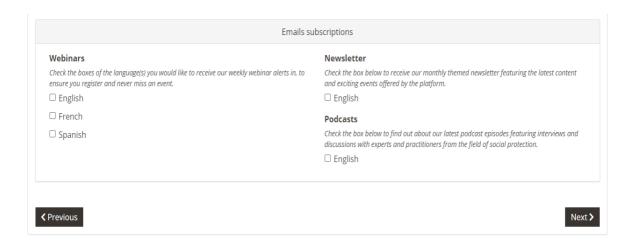
If your institution doesn't show up on the menu or a menu doesn't appear at all, please type **Other** (14822), and wait for the option to load. Once you are registered, you will be able to create your institution's stakeholder



profile and link it to yours. You can do this in the platform's 'Share > Stakeholder area.

If you are not affiliated to any institution, or do not wish to disclose this information, type **No affiliation** (30798).

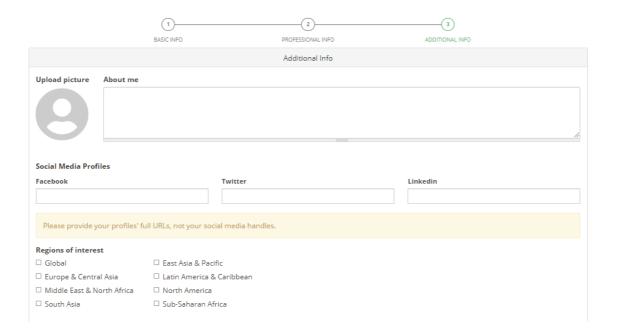
4. When registering, choose whether you would like to subscribe to socialprotection.org's **Webinar alerts**, **Newsletter** and **Podcasts**. After selecting your preferences click on 'Next'.



5. You can upload a profile picture and write about yourself in the 'About me' section, share your social media profiles, and choose the regions you are most interested in. Once you have filled in these fields, click 'Save' and your profile will be created.

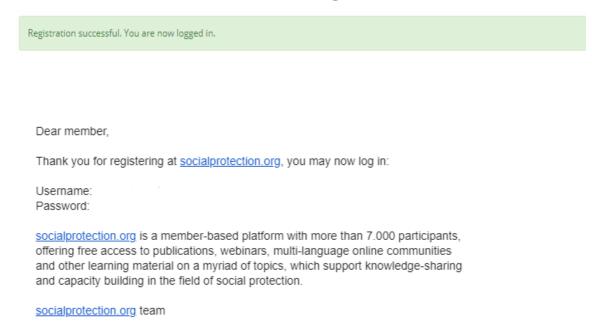
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6. A message will appear confirming that you have successfully submitted the registration form:

You will receive an email with the following information:



You are now successfully registered on the platform and may <u>share</u> content!

