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**Edmund Rice International**



**Edmund Rice International (ERI)** is an international non-governmental organisation, founded in 2005 and with Special Consultative Status with ECOSOC since 2012. ERI is supported by two Catholic Religious Congregations, the Christian Brothers and the Presentation Brothers. It works with networks of like-minded organisations and in the countries where the two Congregations are present. ERI has a special interest in the rights of the child, the right to education (RTE) and in eco-justice.

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**PRATYeK** is a child and earth rights organisation based in India with a presence across all states and union territories of India through a vibrant and engaged network of schools and civil society organisations. It seeks to promote child-led advocacy as a fundamental medium to promote Child rights and Earth rights. PRATYeK received its special consultative status with The Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) in the year 2020. PRATYeK engages with children from across the country towards the creation of a just, equitable, inclusive and sustainable world through its national child-led advocacy initiative called **NINEISMINE**.

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