

Notetaking: The Role of Global Dispute Agencies

Instructions:

Watch the videos on the United Nations, World Trade Organization, and International Court of Justice. Take notes in the chart on the next page. Add your own additional questions or topics for further discussion. You may also want to access the additional web resources for further understanding.

Use these questions to prepare for our class discussion on the role of global dispute institutions and agencies.

- What do these agencies do?
- Identify the stakeholders that could be involved in each of the agencies
- Identify examples of human rights issues addressed or affected by each agencies.
- Identify examples of economic development issues addressed or affected by each agency.
- What controversies exist regarding these agencies?
- Define global change in the context of each agencies
- How effective is each agency? (and how do we measure success or effectiveness?)
- What impact do these institutions have on domestic legal systems?

Video Resources:

The UN is Created - Flashback History <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FnQESSTouNU>

World Trade Organization in One Minute <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8-voHl16vFE>

What is the International Court of Justice? <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DME-wfbt08c>

Additional Resources:

“Building Trade Capacity.” [n.d.] *World Trade Organization*, World Trade Organization. https://www.wto.org/english/tratop_e/devel_e/build_tr_capa_e.htm

International Criminal Court. [n.d.] <https://www.icc-cpi.int/>

International Court of Justice. 2021. “List of All Cases.” *International Court of Justice*. <https://www.icj-cij.org/en/list-of-all-cases>

United Nations. [n/d] “What We Do.” *United Nations*. <https://www.un.org/en/sections/what-we-do/>

World Trade Organization. 2021. “World Trade Organization - Global Trade.” *World Trade Organization*. <https://www.wto.org/>



	United Nations	World Trade Organization	International Court of Justice
Purpose			
Stakeholders			
Human Rights Issues			
Economic Development Issues			
Controversies			
Global Change			
Effectiveness			
Impact on Domestic Legal Systems			