

Geography 101: World Geography: Summer Semester (I) 2018 9:45-11.15am: BGB 101, MTWRF

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1 Billion of world's Population lives in slums & 10% live in extreme poverty



Aids in Africa
The Orphaned continent



Deforestation in Indonesia and Loss of Sustainable Sources of Livelihood for the Poor



17 million children suffer from acute undernutrition around the world. Every single day, 1,000 children (< 5 years) die from diarrhoea, dysentery, and cholera.

In 2016, about 36.7 million people were living with HIV (including 1.8 million children), and 30% don't know their status. About 2/3rd of African population is infected with HIV. **Why does it matter? How can Geog 101 help you understand this crises?**

The Gender Gap: An American Problem or a Global Normalcy?

Arranged Marriages and the Dowry



Where do the world's poor live? What causes extreme poverty?

How can Geography help understand the inter-connectedness of major socio-economic & cultural issues at global scale? Geog 101 can help you become informed citizens?