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The Double Bottom Line in the NGO sector: Achieving impact, achieving profit
Research

ITALY
- Processes

Comparative

VIETNAM
- Restrictions
ITALY

Through the lens of Oxfam, the JRS, and Baobab experience
The NGO sector in Italy is extensive. These organizations have relationships with the communities they reside in and are often welcomed by the Italian government.
Due to the cultural and political implications in Italy, NGOs are at the forefront whenever there is a migrant crisis. Ex: Search and rescue missions
Division of labor between NGOs: Some work on the Mediterranean sea and others pick-up on soil.

Not all migrants go to migrant camps.
Through the lens of Oxfam and AFV
Many NGOs are born out of war as a result of the Vietnam war.

There are unique needs that sometimes differ from Italy.

- Community development
- Agriculture
- Climate and disaster
- Youth development
- Health crisis
- Poverty
Migration in Vietnam looks different, as it is more internal. Rural to urban NGOs that started due to humanitarian efforts often resolve after a sense of normalcy. Ex: JRS

The Vietnamese government is very restrictive on NGO operations.

- **Nonprofits Integrated in the 1970s**
- **The Legal Framework of Nonprofits Was Revised in 2003**
- **2015 - Designated Two Forms as Fund and Social Enterprise**
Comparative

Evident that each organization, whether global or local, shifted to cater

War and its implications

For the west, things pertained more to foreign immigrants in a European state, whereas the east had domestic individuals coming into the city.

Local organizations having more reach but less influence

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