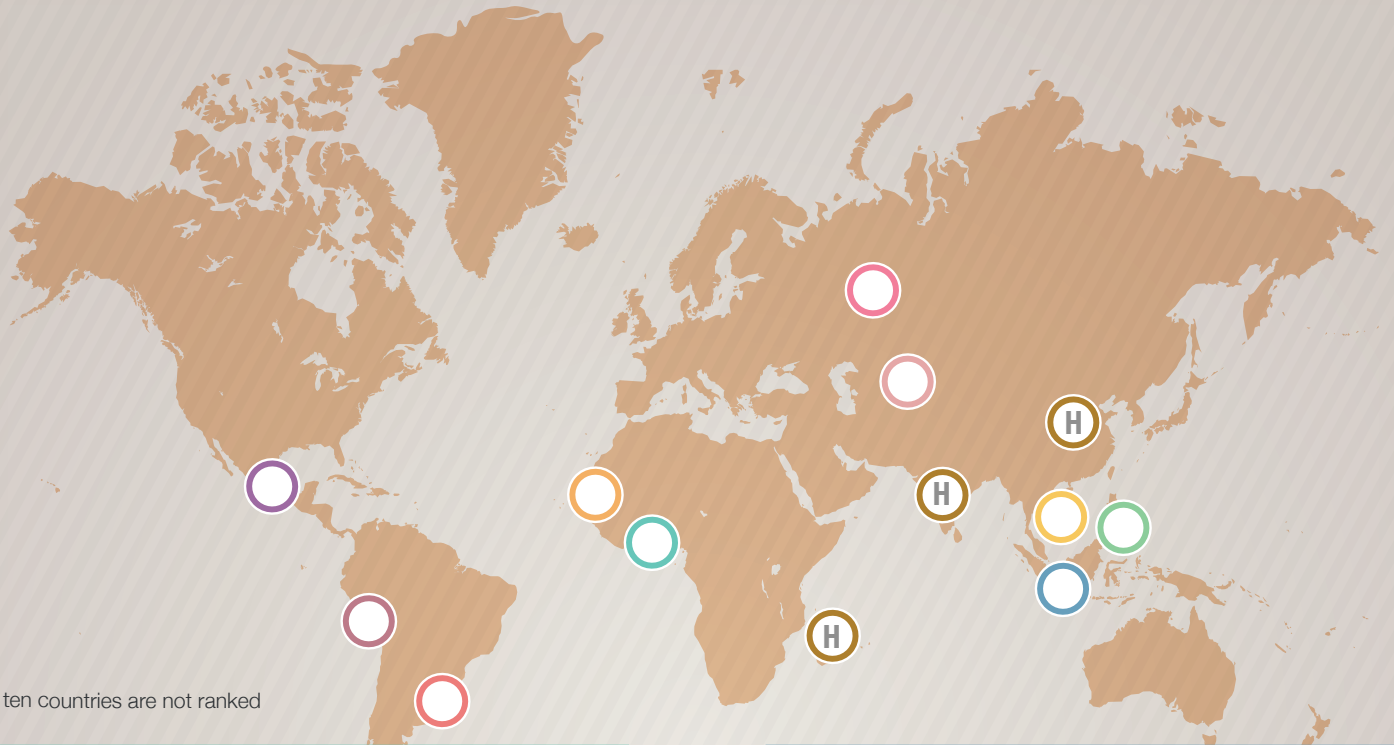


Top Ten Countries

Turning the Corner on Toxic Pollution – 2014



The top ten countries are not ranked



Ghana, Agbogbloshie

Dangerous burning of electronic waste replaced by mechanized recycling



Senegal, Thiaroye Sur Mer

Replacing deadly lead recycling with profitable hydroponic gardens



Peru, Lima

New Soil Pollution Laws and Remediation Timelines



Uruguay, Montevideo

Reclaiming neighborhoods by cleaning up electronic waste toxic hot spots



Mexico, Mexico City

Contaminated oil refinery turned into urban park with a million visitors a year

Indonesia, Cinangka

Soccer field used as an old lead-battery dump, now safe for children



Philippines, Marilao, Meycauayan and Obando River System

Cleaning up with zeolite and probiotic filtering systems



Vietnam, Dong Mai

\$20 per person ends dangerous lead poisoning of an entire village



Former Soviet Union

Hunting down thousands of tons of old, but still toxic pesticides



Kyrgyzstan, Mailuu-Suu

Filters improve safety of water contaminated by radionuclides, while children take on an education campaign



Honorable Mentions

India, China and Madagascar

For China and India, the world's two largest emerging economies, environmental degradation and compromised public health have been the dark side of breakneck economic development. Both nations are taking strong steps and investing resources to turn the corner on toxic pollution.

Madagascar is taking its first steps to halt environmental damage and protect biodiversity by joining GAHP to access assistance.

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