A few highlights of our history...

2007 was the first year of a first Information Management (IM) project for UNHCR supporting the return of IDPs to Uganda. CartONG gave its first large-scale support to Solidarités International.

2008 CartONG organized the first in a series of the Go4Oxfam forums, with 19 humanitarian organizations present. Our team gave a first training for ACT. 2008 was also the year of the first tutorial created in support of UNHCR.

2009 CartONG implemented its first development project in Vietnam for GIZ. We provided a training for Group UN.

2010 Beginning of Mobile Data Collection (MDC) at CartONG. It was also the year of the first emergency mission to Haiti and of an important project for WHO. CartONG started giving GIS & MDC training courses at the Bioforce Institute.

2011 First cooperation with MSF, ICRC and WFP. First volunteer mission to Madagascar to provide support for the return of IDPs to Uganda.

2012 CartONG continued to grow. The year was marked by the first emergency deployment for UNHCR in Lebanon. The CartONG conference took place at Montreux Congress Center for the first time, with more than 18 field missions supervised by our teams. First volunteer mission (City of Immigrants).

2013 CartONG launched the CallOn and signed multi-party partnership agreements with MSF-CH. The GeOnG Forum took place at Montreux Congress Center for the first time, with more volunteers attending. On the volunteer side, it was the year of the first web mapping project called “Atlas Solidarités Madagascan”.

2014 CartONG continued to grow and doubled its activity with the Ebola crisis in West Africa. CartONG organized the first edition of the GeOnG forum, with more than 120 participants attending. The Multi-Angling movements against the Mediterranean slated 2 years.

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To thanks to all staff and volunteers, CartONG provided extended support to all its partners and to the sector, mostly with the Covid 19 Map Help. We signed partnership agreements with AFD and MapAction. The CartONG tools, like online, 3D, have been studied a study. We released the 2020-2023 Volunteer & Stakeholder Strategy.

On the volunteer side, first Get-Together meeting between staff and members. On the volunteer side, a training mission took place in Madagascar. On the volunteer side, a team supported the Shelter Cluster in Indonesia. On the volunteer side, first Get Tutorial created in support of UNHCR.

2022 November: Typhoon Haishen in the Philippines.

2023

The GDPR came into effect

March: beginning of massive population movements from Myanmar to Bangladesh