Oxfam resources

- Oxfam America advocacy campaigns <u>http://www.oxfamamerica.org/take-action/campaign/</u>
- Oxfam Action Corps Seattle <u>https://www.facebook.com/SeattleOxfamAC</u>

Lobbying

Alliance for Justice

 National network of 100 organizations. Great resource on the legal framework for nonprofit advocacy. Resource page on lobbying for 501(c)(3)/(4)/(5)/(6) organizations and 527s: http://bolderadvocacy.org/navigate-the-rules/influencing-legislation

Congressional Management Foundation

- Communicating with Congress project <u>http://www.congressfoundation.org/projects/communicating-with-congress</u>
- Report: "Perceptions of Citizen Advocacy on Capitol Hill." This report is based on an online survey of 260 congressional staff on their opinions and practices related to constituent communications, including social media. The survey was conducted between October 12 and December 13, 2010.
 http://www.congressfoundation.org/projects/communicating-with-congress/perceptions-of-citizen-advocacy-on-capitol-hill

Online advocacy

M+R Strategic Services/Nonprofit Technology Network (NTEN)

• 2014 Benchmarks Study (and archive of previous annual studies) - <u>http://www.mrbenchmarks.com/</u>

Epolitics.com

• Analysis of online advocacy efforts - <u>http://www.epolitics.com/</u>

Mobilisation Lab

• Founded by Greenpeace. Online tools and training on digital mobilization for advocacy. <u>http://www.mobilisationlab.org/</u>

Toolkits

Spitfire Strategies

• Smart Chart - <u>http://www.smartchart.org/</u>

NGO/CSO laws around the world

- The International Center for Not-for-Profit Law (ICNL) <u>http://www.icnl.org/</u>
 - See their NGO Law Monitor for the latest reports on NGO/CSO laws in different countries <u>http://www.icnl.org/research/monitor/index.html</u>
 - See their reporting project on Global Trends in NGO Law <u>http://www.icnl.org/research/trends/index.html</u>
 - And their journal, the International Journal of Not-for-Profit Law <u>http://www.icnl.org/research/journal/index.html</u>
- CIVICUS <u>http://civicus.org/</u>
 - CIVICUS also does a good job monitoring the state of civil society in countries around the world
- International Forum of National NGO Platforms <u>http://www.ong-ngo.org/en/sections/platforms/</u>
 - Good source for finding the different national NGO platforms. There are some gaps, but it's a good place to start.