

Disarmament for Sustainable
Development 

Annual Report 2024–2025

Triennial Meeting

25 October 2025





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Disarmament for Sustainable Development

- **Global Campaign on
Military Spending**

GLOBAL CAMPAIGNS OF ACTION ON MILITARY SPENDING (GCOMS)



UNODA's Statement on the Global Days of Action on Military Spending



The path to peace and sustainable development lies in dialogue, trust-building, and collective action—not in the accumulation of weapons.

Izumi Nakamitsu
Representative for Disarmament Affairs

10 APRIL- 9 MAY
GDAMS 2025

GLOBAL DAYS OF ACTION ON MILITARY SPENDING

#GDAMS

#WarCostsUsTheEarth

@DemilitarizeDay

IPB's Global Campaign on Military Spending - GCOMS



Peace Boat's 120th Global Voyage, May 8



ARTWORK:
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Presidential candidates must present plans for building peace through dialogue and trust, **not military expansion**



South Korean Civil Society Joint Statement issued in conjunction with SIPRI's 2024 global military expenditure report

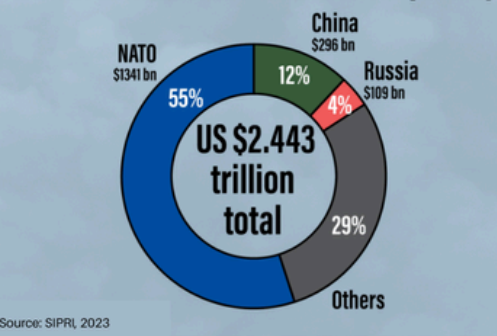


Military Spending vs Human Security

Around the world, basic human needs are unmet—yet military budgets continue to soar. In 2023, global military expenditures surpassed \$2.2 trillion. Imagine the impact if just a fraction of that went to housing, clean water, or sustainable jobs. ✓

This year, let's raise awareness: True security comes from justice, equity, and peace—not weapons.

GLOBAL MILITARY SPENDING (2023)



Source: SIPRI, 2023

MAKE YOUR GDAMS ACTION NOW



Share the facts. Shift the narrative.



During the (ECOSOC Youth Forum Side Event) event, I contributed to the discussion by sharing insights from IPB's Global Campaign on Military Spending (GCOMS) and how the campaign aims to address this issue.

Through these collective digital efforts, we aim to raise awareness and call for the reallocation of military budgets toward social needs and sustainable development.



— Angelo Cardona, IPB Board Member, 2005

Participation Summary: ECOSOC Youth Forum Side Event: "The Impact of the Global Increase in Military Expenditure on the Achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)"



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Nuclear Disarmament

- **Appeal: The World Wants Peace, Not Nuclear War!**
- **NWFZ**
- **TPNW**
- **NPT Prepcom**
- **Hibakusha Visit in Berlin**
- **World Conference Against A- and H- Bombs**
- **International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons**

**APPEAL: THE
WORLD WANTS
PEACE, NOT
NUCLEAR WAR!**





Full Appeal:



Appeal: The World Wants Peace, Not Nuclear War!

On **December 10, 2024**, marking the 76th anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the signatories expressed concern over the rising risk of nuclear war, worsened by U.S. support for Ukraine's long-range missiles. They urged an **immediate ceasefire, peace negotiations, and renewed disarmament efforts**, warning of the **global consequences of nuclear conflict** and escalating **tensions** highlighted by the **Doomsday Clock**.

NUCLEAR- WEAPON-FREE ZONES (NWFZS)





A Needed Step to Strengthen the Nuclear-Weapon-Free Zones (NWFZs) Regime

17 Dec 2024, Publication By: Enkhsaikhan Jargalsaikhan,
IPB Board Member and Blue Banner Chairman

'Nuclear-weapon-free zones (NWFZs) are important and practical regional measures of non-nuclear-weapon states (NNWSs) in promoting the goals of maintaining strategic stability, nuclear non-proliferation and strengthening confidence among states. Today there are more than 115 states the territories of which cover about 84 mln km² of the world's landmass, representing 39% of its population and making up almost 60% of United Nations membership.

TREATY ON THE PROHIBITION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS (TPNW)



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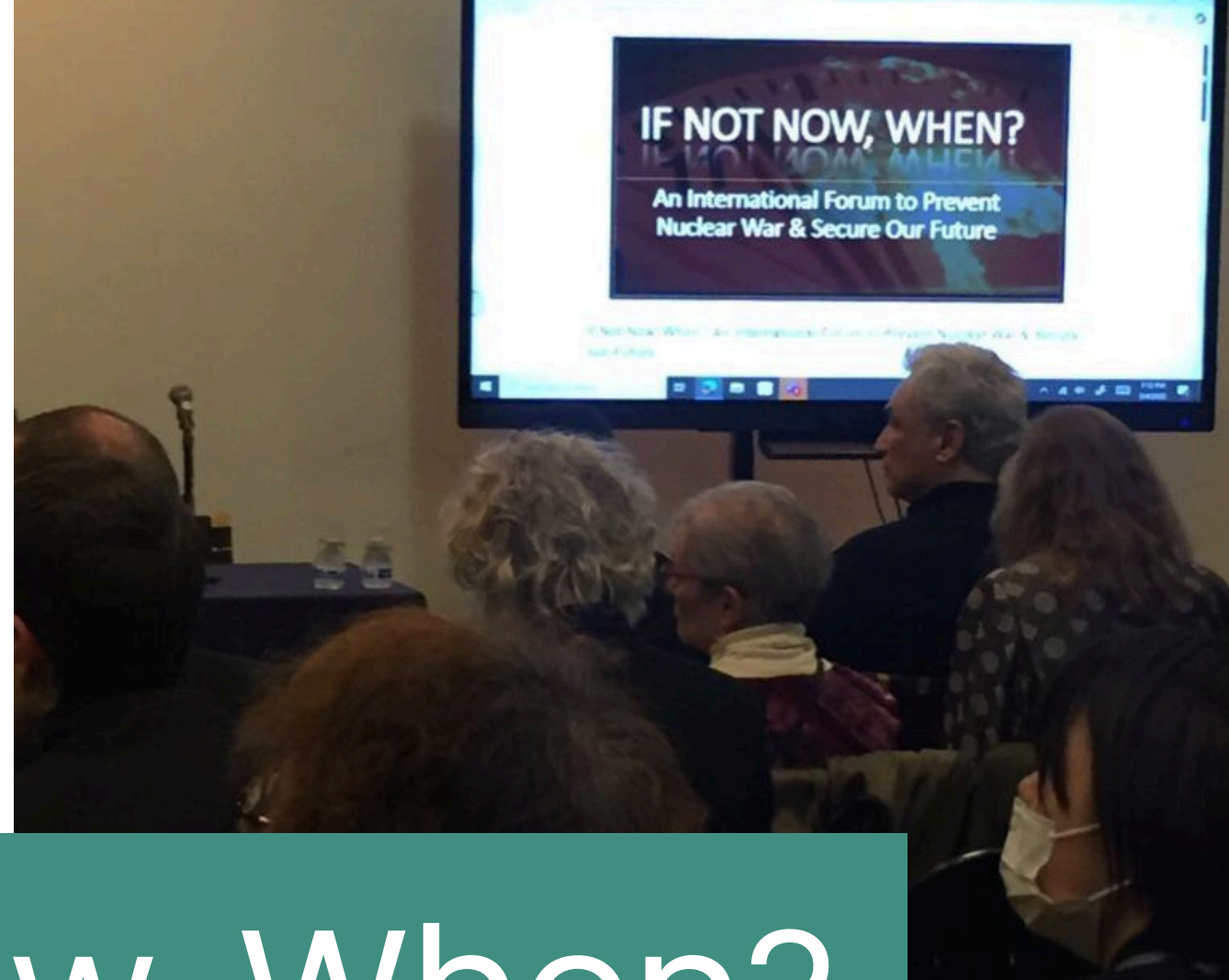


The Third Meeting of States Parties to the TPNW (3MSP) was held at the United Nations in New York from 3 to 7 March 2025.

The international forum '**If Not Now, When?**' was held on March 4, 2025, at Scandinavia House in New York City.

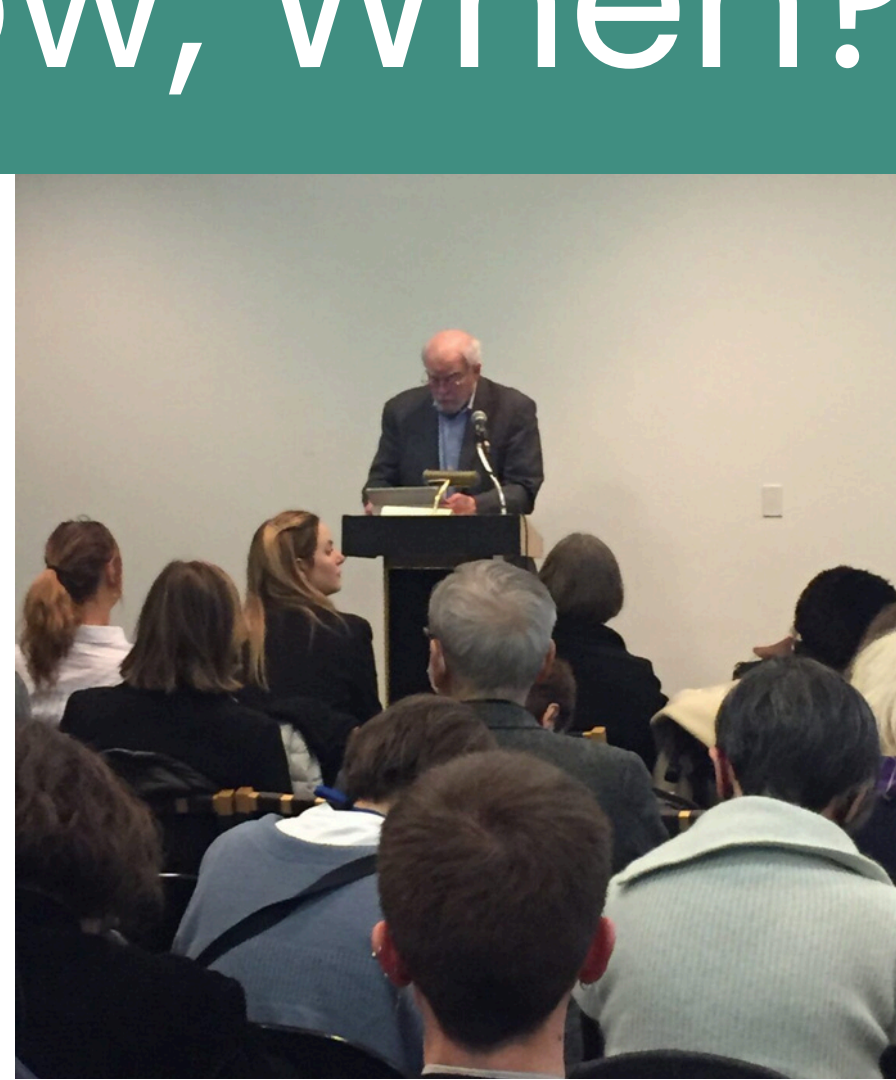
Organized by: IPB, CPDCS, PANYS

The world was facing nuclear threats over Ukraine and Taiwan, while all nuclear-armed states continued upgrading their arsenals. The forum also followed significant geopolitical shifts and came shortly after the Nobel Committee sent an urgent message to the world by awarding its Peace Prize to Nihon Hidankyo, the Japan Confederation of A- & H-Bomb Sufferers Organizations.



'If Not Now, When?

Followed by a private event at
RLS for strategizing around
TPNW/nuclear abolition



IF NOT NOW, WHEN?
An International Forum to
Prevent Nuclear War & Secure
Our Future
 Mar 4, 7-9:30 PM EST
 Scandinavia House, 58 Park Ave, NYC and Online
 Don't miss your opportunities
 JACQUE CARASSO MAYLENE HUGHES MASAKO WADA

Regional Pathways to Global Disarmament

6 March – This TNPW explored how regional approaches—especially Nuclear-Weapon-Free Zones (NWFZs)—can advance global nuclear disarmament and stability. Speakers examined the strengths and challenges of existing and aspiring zones, such as those in the Middle East, the Korean Peninsula, and Mongolia, and discussed how civil society could help close gaps and enhance inclusivity.



**2025 NPT
PREPCOM,
UN NEW YORK**



NPT PREPCOM

SOME WAY OUT OF HERE: DISARMING NUCLEAR POWERS & PREVENTING PROLIFERATION

On **April 29, 2025**, at UN Headquarters in New York, the IPB, Gensuikyo, CPDCS, PANYS, and the RLS organized a session featuring Yayoi Tsuchida (Gensuikyo), Dr. Marco Marzo (ABACC), and John Burroughs (Lawyers Committee on Nuclear Policy). Speakers discussed **rising nuclear dangers, plans for the 80th anniversary of Hiroshima and Nagasaki, the history and impact of ABACC, and the achievements and challenges of the TPNW.**



SOME WAY OUT OF HERE: Disarming Nuclear Powers & Preventing Proliferation

NUCLEAR NONPROLIFERATION TREATY PREPCOM SIDE EVENT

April 29, 2025, 3-6 p.m. United Nations New York, Meeting Room A

Contrary to their Article VI obligations and previous NPT Review Conference commitments, we face an increasingly dangerous period. All of the nuclear weapons states are “modernizing” their omniscidal nuclear arsenals. The Kremlin’s nuclear threats in the Ukraine War, emulating those of the U.S. in the past, have fueled political pressures in too many nations that nuclear deterrence is a necessity rather than a danger. China is significantly increasing its nuclear arsenal creating a situation in which the world is held hostage to three nuclear scorpions in a bottle. Uncertainties over Trump administration commitments are increasing proliferation pressures in Europe, the Middle East, and across Northeast Asia.

In these circumstances, nuclear abolitionist social movements in Britain and Japan, and grassroots movements in many countries continue to build political pressure and provide models to prevent nuclear war and win a nuclear-free future.

Speakers include:



John Burroughs, Senior Analyst, Lawyers Committee on Nuclear Policy (USA)



Marco Marzo, Secretary-General of ABACC, The Brazilian-Argentine Agency for Accounting and Control of Nuclear Materials (Brazil)



Tsuchida Yayoi, Assistant Secretary, General Gensuikyo Japan Council against A & H- Bombs (Japan)



Sharon Dolev, Executive Director, Middle East Treaty Organization (Israel) - *Invited*



Some Way Out of Here: Disarming Nuclear Powers & Preventing Proliferation



HIBAKUSHA IN BERLIN:

**HONORING THE 2024
NOBEL PEACE PRIZE
LAUREATES
WITH MR. KUNIHICO
SAKUMA**



Hibakusha in Berlin: Honoring the 2024 Nobel Peace Prize Laureates with Mr. Kunihiko Sakuma



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Hibakusha in Berlin: Honoring the 2024 Nobel Peace Prize Laureates

Speaker: Mr. Kunihiko Sakuma - a survivor of the Hiroshima atomic bombing and Chairperson of Hiroshima Hidankyo, a regional branch of the 2024 Nobel Peace Prize laureate Nihon Hidankyo

LIVE EVENT

📍 Marienstr. 19-20, 10117 Berlin, Germany & via Zoom

📅 22 May 2025, 6:30-8:00 PM
(Doors open at 6:15 PM)

📱 REGISTER NOW

📄 In-person attendance

📄 Zoom attendance



2025 World Conference against A & H Bombs



"No More Hiroshimas, No More Nagasakis"

July 14, GWUAN and IPB. A webinar to explore the terrible mistakes of the past, and the possibilities for nuclear nonproliferation and peace in the future. Remembering the bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki prior to its anniversaries.



No More Hiroshimas! No More Nagasakis!

Webinar on Sunday July 27th 2025, 10.00am Pacific time, 6.00pm London

Register here:



A webinar to explore the terrible mistakes of the past, and the possibilities for nuclear nonproliferation and peace in the future.

Hideko Tamura - Hiroshima survivor, Founder of One Sunny Day Initiatives

Lisa Savage - blogger, environmental and anti-nuclear campaigner

Cora Fabros - Co-President of International Peace Bureau

www.womenagainstnato.org



2025 World Conference against Atomic and Hydrogen Bombs

August 2-9, Japan

Theme: With the Hibakusha, Let Us Achieve a Nuclear Weapon-free, Peaceful and Just World – for the Future of the Humankind and Our Planet



核兵器のない平和で公正な世界を
2025 WORLD CONFERENCE
AGAINST
A&H
BOMBS

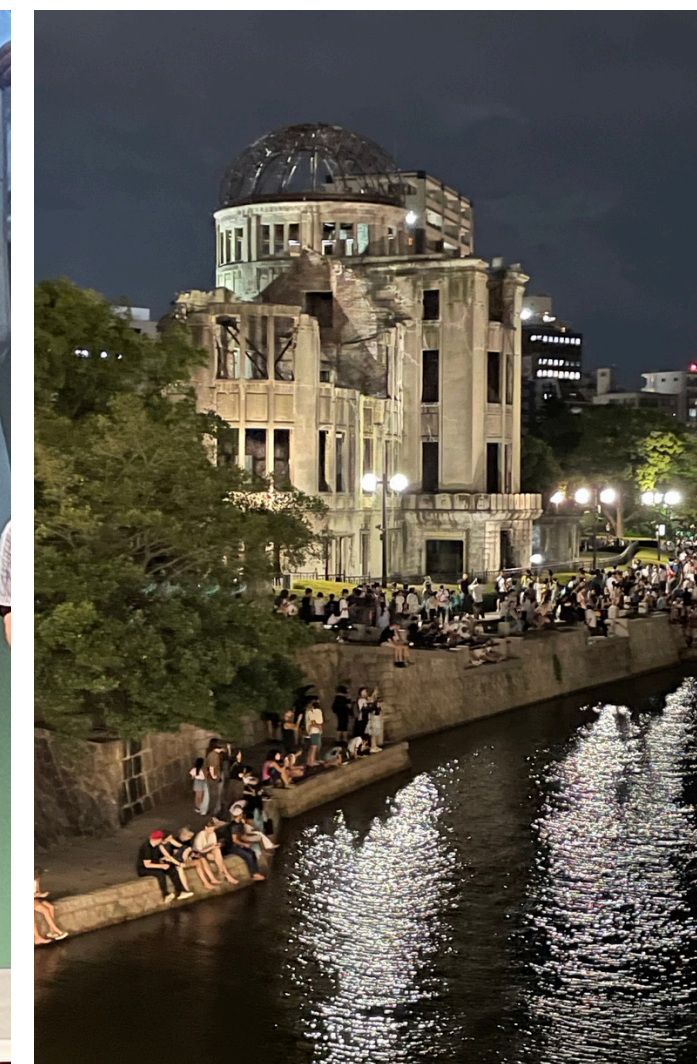
被爆80年
核兵器禁止条約に
参加する日本へ

広島
8/3 4 国際会議
8/4 特別集会「被爆80年被爆体験の継承と未来－広島をついて」
8/5 分科会
8/6 被爆80年ヒロシマデー集会

長崎
8/7 特別集会「被爆80年被爆体験の継承と未来－長崎をついて」
8/8 分科会
8/9 被爆80年ナガサキデー集会

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2025年世界大会

原水爆禁止世界大会実行委員会 〒113-8464 東京都文京区湯島2-4-4 平和と労働センター6階
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INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE TOTAL ELIMINATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS



International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons

September 26

Goal: Convince more of the nuclear-armed and allied States to participate in the High-Level Meeting, and to engage in good faith in deliberations on measures and pathways to achieve a nuclear-weapon-free world.

Actions:

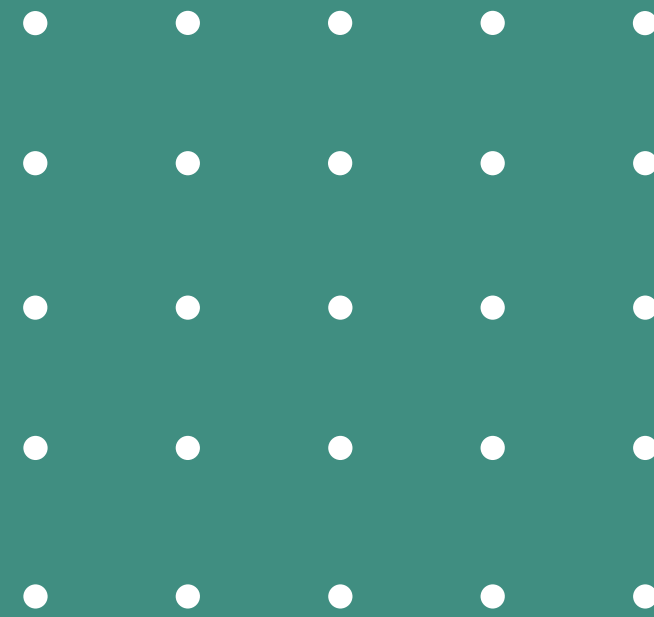
- Joint Appeal for the International Day for the Total Elimination of Nuclear Weapons
- Social Media Action: Stop Nuclear Weapons: Peace is in our Hands



*Peace is in our
Hands*



Joint- Appeal



03

Common Security

- **Human Security and Common Security**
- **2025 Common Security Conference**
- **Helsinki+50**

HUMAN SECURITY AND COMMON SECURITY



How can parliaments secure a peace dividend? - Allocating for peace

27 November 2024. The IPU, with the World Academy for Art and Science and the International Peace Bureau, hosted a **webinar on the “peace dividend,”** exploring **how redirecting military spending to healthcare, education, and environmental protection can address insecurity.** Based on the IPU’s Human Security and Common Security to Build Peace toolkit, the session offered insights on advancing disarmament and promoting human security.

Human security
and common
security to build
peace

**COMMON
SECURITY
CONFERENCE
2025: REDEFINING
SECURITY FOR THE
21ST CENTURY**



REDEFINING SECURITY FOR THE 21ST CENTURY: COMMON SECURITY CONFERENCE 2025



10-11 APRIL
2025

REGISTER
NOW



Common Security Conference 2025: Redefining Security for the 21st Century

10 –11 April. It convened a diverse array of voices—from trade union leaders to grassroots activists and UN officials—to address the urgent need for a redefinition of global security frameworks. The event was co-organized by the **IPB**, the International Trade Union Confederation (**ITUC**), and the Olof Palme International Center (**Palme Center**), and spanned **pre-conference sessions, high-level plenary panels, and regional discussions. It provided a platform to examine the evolving concept of Common Security** amid multiple global crises, including climate breakdown, armed conflict, rising authoritarianism, and inequality.

Key Themes & Insights

01

Failure of Militarized Security: Current approaches escalate conflicts while neglecting human needs.

02

Common Security's Relevance: The 1982 Palme Commission principles (cooperation over confrontation) remain vital amid climate collapse, war, and inequality.

03

Multilateralism in Crisis: UN reforms are urgent, but civil society must push for accountability.

04

Regional Realities: From Latin America's resource wars to Asia's arms races, local solutions require global solidarity.

05

Intersectional Security: Peace depends on human security, climate justice, labor rights, and feminist foreign policies.

THE GLOBAL IMPORTANCE OF HELSINKI+50 FOR COMMON SECURITY AND HUMAN RIGHTS



The Global Importance of Helsinki+50 for Common Security and Human Rights

Webinar - On July 17, civil society organizations took part in a webinar and activities in Helsinki

Declaration - On 30 July, the declaration and signatures from some 60 organizations were handed over to the embassies of the 57 states that have signed the Helsinki Final Act.

The Global Importance of Helsinki+50 for Common Security and Human Rights

Asia&Pacific
JUNE 17 UTC 10-11:30
India 15:30-17:00

Europe&Africa
JUNE 17 UTC 14-15:30
Paris 16-17:30

Latin&NorthAmerica
JUNE 17 UTC 16-17:30
Mexico 8-9:30 AM



The Helsinki +50 People's declaration on common security and human rights

Updated 6 August, 2025

The declaration was drafted by the Nordic Peace Alliance's working group on Helsinki+50 in June-July this year with input from organizations and people around the world, including World Beyond War and International Peace Bureau.

**FOR DEMOCRACY
THAT DELIVERS
PEACE AND
PROSPERITY FOR
ALL**



A GLOBAL CALL TO ACTION: **FOR DEMOCRACY THAT DELIVERS PEACE AND PROSPERITY FOR ALL**



A CALL FOR COMMON SECURITY AND SOLIDARITY

In response to these pressing issues, we advocate for a transformative shift in how governments conceive of security. We call for common security and solidarity, in which human development, environmental sustainability, democracy, and multilateralism take precedence over military might. Immediate action can be taken by governments this year to change course, including but not limited to:

1. **Universal ratification of the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons (TPNW).** The catastrophic potential of nuclear weapons is incompatible with the principles of international human rights and humanitarian law and poses an existential

For Democracy that Delivers Peace and Prosperity for All

IPB Press Release: For Democracy that Delivers Peace and Prosperity for All



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What we need now is a resurgence of diplomacy and dialogue, based in international law and human security, to foster global cooperation and understanding. We must recognize that the security of one is inextricably linked to the security of all and that only through cooperation and solidarity can we achieve true, common security.

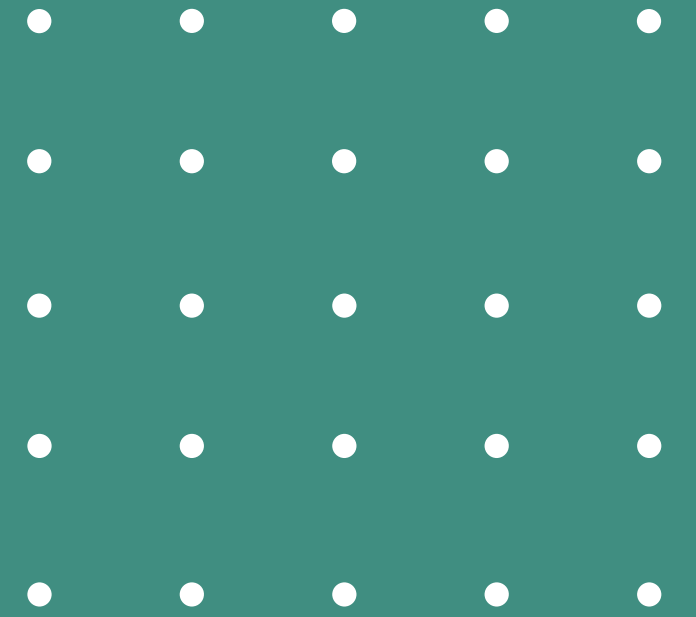
SEAN CONNER
Executive Director, IPB



July 28, 2025 - ITUC, IPB, Greenpeace, ICAN, Oxfam, and 350.org

- Book Published including Common Security Recommendations
- Webinar Launched
- Press Releases issued

04



Peace Education

- Peaceful Tools for Navigating Toxic Communication



DISARMAMENT FOR SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT

A BRIEF

A **4-part training series for peacebuilders and human rights defenders.**

In activist work, communication can quietly drain energy – whether through self-criticism, tensions in teams, pressure from institutions, or blurred boundaries with communities. This course offers a safe space and practical tools to recognize these patterns and shift them with clarity, resilience, and care.

Dates: September 18 – October 9
90 minutes per session (Thursdays)

Facilitator: Esset Samatova – Mental Health & Resilience Expert, Sean MacBride Peace Prize Laureate





PEACE EDUCATION ONLINE COURSE

Peaceful Tools for Navigating Toxic Communication

A course created to support human rights defenders and peacebuilders in navigating difficult communication patterns (from internal pressure to external power dynamics) while preserving energy, clarity, and solidarity.

1. Rebuilding
your inner
voice

2. Navigating
tensions and
building trust
in teams

3. Responding
wisely to
pressure and
power

4. Setting
boundaries
with care and
compassion



ESSET SAMATOVA

MENTAL HEALTH AND RESILIENCE EXPERT
SEAN MACBRIDE PEACE PRIZE LAUREATE

REGISTER NOW: bit.ly/PeaceCommsTools

Takeaways from Participants

“

**That my inner
talk can be
reframed to stop
me becoming
burnt out.**

Session 1 Feedback

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**Deal with toxic
vampirism
better!**

Session 2 Feedback

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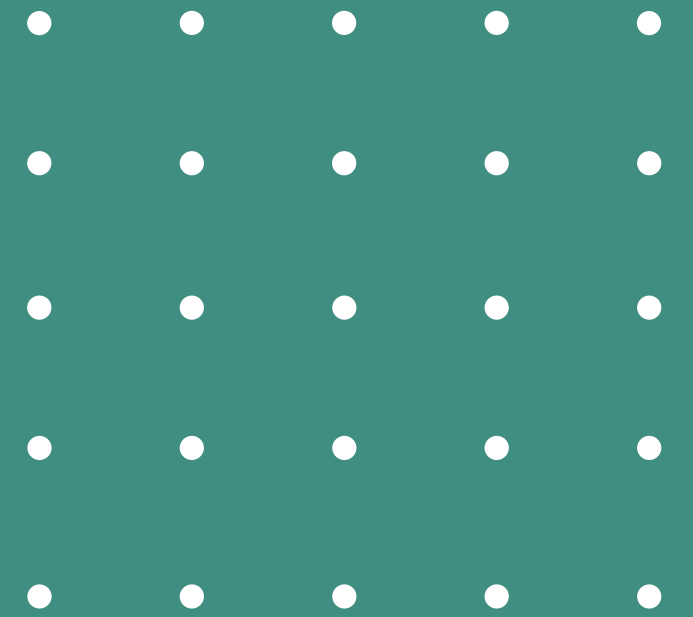
**No need to
humiliate myself
in face of powerful
persons, maintain
adult status.**

Session 3 Feedback

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**All the sessions
were very good,
but I think that
the last one was
the best**

Session 4 Feedback



Climate Justice and Peace

- **The World needs Peace and Climate Justice NOW!**
- **Week of Action for Peace and Climate Justice!**

**THE WORLD NEEDS
PEACE AND
CLIMATE JUSTICE
NOW!**



The World needs Peace and Climate Justice NOW!

April 24–27, 2025,
Conference in Vilnius, Lithuania



**WEEK OF ACTION
FOR PEACE AND
CLIMATE JUSTICE!**



Demilitarise for The Just Transition!

The **second annual Week of Action for Peace & Climate Justice** highlighted the links between war, militarism, and social, economic, and climate injustice. It promoted grassroots action and policymaking to address genocide and ecocide, joining a global mobilization to call on world leaders for urgent action toward a safe, just, and peaceful future.

DEMILITARISE FOR CLIMATE JUSTICE – WHAT, WHY, AND HOW

19 Sept. 2025 | 15:00 CEST | Online



Fatma Khafagy
Arab States CSOs & Feminist Network



MA. Adrián Martínez Blanco
La Ruta del Clima



Waqar Ahmad
SPADO Youth



REGISTER NOW!



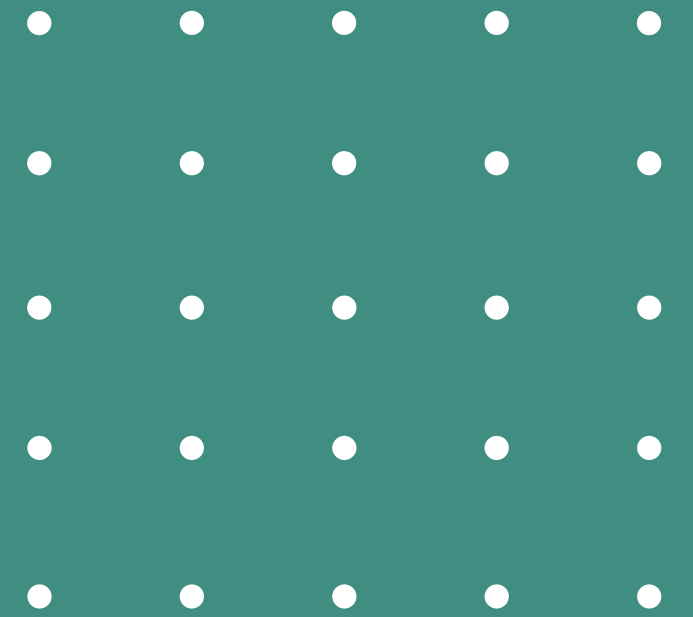
SCAN ME



**Global Week
of Action
for Peace &
Climate Justice**

15–21 September 2025

**[weekofaction@
climatemilitarism.org](mailto:weekofaction@climatemilitarism.org)**



Gender and Peacebuilding

- **Webinars**
- **CSW Side Event**
- **Women as Agents of Change Series**

GENDER AND PEACEBUILDING WEBINARS



Webinars

Sexual and Gender-based violence in Armed Conflict: Transformative Practices of Resilience

Nov 20, 2024

Held to mark the International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women, the event highlighted transformative practices and resilience strategies by survivors of sexual and gender-based violence in conflict, uniting voices worldwide for healing and justice.

Women in Conflict Zones Webinar

March 19, 2025

By: World BEYOND War, the Southern Anti-Racism Network, the IPB, the Convention for Panafricanism and Progress (CPP), and CodePink

Speakers from Belarus, Cameroon, the Democratic Republic of Congo, Gaza, Lebanon, Mozambique, Nigeria, South Korea, Sudan, and Syria shared personal stories of resilience and highlighted local initiatives promoting safety, healing, and peace.

**2025
COMMISSION ON
THE STATUS OF
WOMEN (CSW)
SIDE EVENT**



CSW Side Event

Women Leading Peace, Mediation, and Reconciliation Efforts

mitigating violent conflicts & securing a more peaceful world

14 March 2025

Recommendations for Women Leading Peace, Mediation, and Reconciliation Efforts

- **Increasing Women Representation in Decision-Making Processes.** Women should be lead mediators. Also, female participants need to be included in negotiation teams and international decision-making bodies. This is crucial in developing peace agreements, which should address the specific needs and concerns of women and their children.
- **Creating training and capacity building for women mediators,** to help them enhance their skills in peace and reconciliation negotiations.
- **Fostering collaboration between women mediators** by creating a network of grassroots organizations across regions and countries. It will help to fight isolation, many women experience during difficult times, and will help to recognize community needs during negotiation process.
- **Education.** There is a need to educate public about the critical role of women in peacebuilding process to challenge stereotypes that only men are capable for peace negotiations.

Women Leading Peace, Mediation, and Reconciliation Efforts

Friday 14 March 2025, 1:15 pm to 3:00pm
866 United Nations Plaza, Suite 120, New York City



Ambassador Carolyn Rodrigues-Birkett

Guayana's Permanent Representative to the United Nations



Ambassador Stephanie Copus Campbell

Australia's Ambassador for Gender Equality



Laura Flores

Director, Americas Division of the UN Departments of Political and Peacebuilding Affairs



Aparna Mehrotra

Director, UN System Coordination Division, UN Women



Bani Dugal

Principal Representative, Bahá'í International Community

PANEL SPEAKERS

- **Otilia Lux de Cotí**, Former Minister of Culture and Sports & only women member, Commission for Historical Clarification - La Comisión para el Esclarecimiento Histórico (CEH), Guatemala
- **Elsa Stamatopoulou**, Director, Indigenous Peoples' Rights Program, ISHR, Columbia University
- **Manal Taha**, Program Adviser, US Institute of Peace, Sudan with **Fatima Medani**, Independent Consultant
- **Amrita Kapur**, Secretary General, Women International League for Peace and Freedom
- **Ana Escobar**, UN Representative, Peace Direct
- **Mariam Aboubakrine**, Former Chair of UN Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues, Mali
- **Vera Solovyeva**, Sakha Indigenous Woman Leader Siberia

Event Moderator: **Binalakshmi Nepram**, Founder-Director, Manipur Women Gun Survivors Network & Global Alliance of Indigenous Peoples, Gender Justice & Peace Board Member, International Peace Bureau

Recommendations finalization and Q & A followed by vote of thanks, **Michelle Clemente**, IPB

Please arrive at the venue by 1 PM on March 14, as security checks may take time. Light snacks, including tea and samosas, will be available. For any questions regarding the event, please contact Binalakshmi Nepram at Binalakshmi@gmail.com or Michelle Clemente at michelle.clemente@ipb-office.berlin.



WOMEN AS AGENTS OF CHANGE SERIES



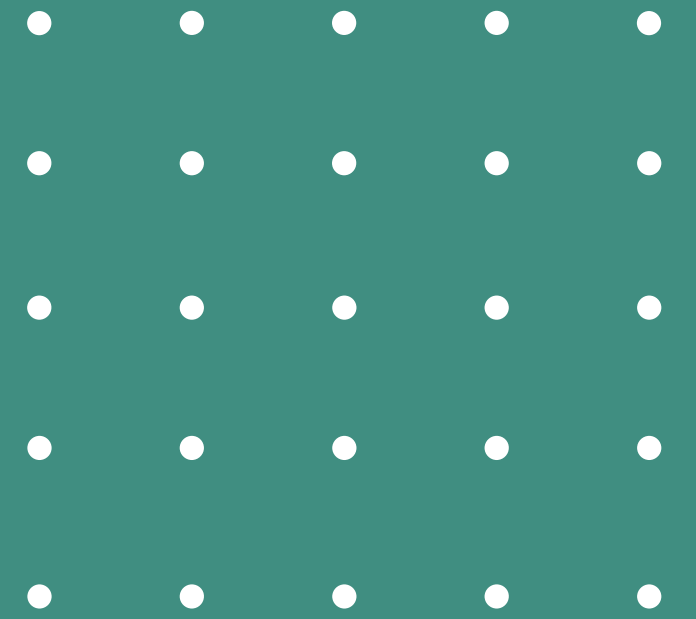
Women as Agents of Change Series

24 May - In honor of **International Women's Day for Peace and Disarmament**, the International Peace Bureau (IPB) and the Eight Billion Podcast launched a new video podcast series celebrating women who are shaping peace, driving change, and sharing powerful stories from across the globe.

In every corner of the world, women rise — shaping peace, sparking change, and carrying stories that echo through generations.

This is the twenty-first century — told by the women who are transforming it.





Global and Regional Updates

ISRAEL-PALESTINE

- » Supported Events, and Campaigns



Palestine – Events



Stand Against Militarism and Support Justice for Palestine

Forum – Nov 29, 2024

Global Solidarity for Peace in Palestine webinar featuring Palestinian religious voices calling for an end to war

Webinar – May 19, 2025

Palestinian Political Leaders Discuss the Viability of the Two-State Solution

Webinar – June 2, 2025

Wars, Genocide and Resistance Webinar

Webinar – June 30, 2025

Palestine – Campaigns

01 **From Bridges to Streets: Permanent Ceasefire Now and Stop the Occupation**

Global Solidarity for Palestinian People (GSPP) – May 27, 2025

02 **Palestinian and Global Civil Society Call for a Global Day of Action and Strike**

Palestinian NGO Network – September 18, 2025

03 **Call of the International Forum for Peace Against Wars, Blockades, Military Spending, and the Genocide of the Palestinian People**

International Forum for Peace – September 21, 2025



GLOBAL INITIATIVES, EVENTS, AND CAMPAIGNS LED AND SUPPORTED

- 6th International Conference for World Balance
- Global Bases
- CLACSO 2025
- Peace Wave
- 10% for All
- Global NATO
- Neutrality Congress
- International forum for peace in brussels



6th International Conference for World Balance/ VI Conferencia para el Equilibrio del Mundo

January 28, 2025 – 31, 2025 in
Cuba



SOBERANÍA Y PAZ
FUERA BASES MILITARES DE EE.UU.
DE COLOMBIA Y EL MUNDO



10th Latin American and Caribbean Conference on Social Sciences #CLACSO2025

June 9-12, 2025, Bogota, Colombia

Peace Wave 2025

The **Fourth Annual** 24-Hour Peace Wave took place on **July 12, 2025**. Organized by the IPB in collaboration with Stop the War Coalition (Philippines), Gensuikyo (Japan), and World BEYOND War.

This wave focused on abolishing nuclear weapons, inviting individuals and organizations to **raise awareness and promote a world free of war and nuclear threats**.





Full 10%
Call:



10% for All: A global campaign to cut military spending, reframe security, and invest in humanity

July 16, 2025

The '10% for All' campaign is **more than a policy proposal**—it's a **vision for renegotiating our collective futures**. By working together across borders, exploring collaborative approaches, and building trust, we can create a world that prioritizes human life, environmental sustainability, and genuine security.

The Peace Manifesto 2025

23 June 2025 | Online Campaign
For All, Educators, Anti-war activists



*I'm sick and tired of the culture of war,
so I give my support to the culture of
peace, and I will keep spreading the word
on social media until we win.*



RAISING AWARENESS, RESISTANCE AND ALTERNATIVES TO NATO



WORLD**BEYOND**WAR.org
a global movement to end all wars



GLOBAL NATO

Webinars

European Nukes- Time To Go!’ – International Webinar (25 Jan)

Discussion on the growing NATO presence in Europe and the imposition of nuclear weapons in NATO countries.

Trump’s second term: NATO, War, and the Economy (18 Feb)

Donald Trump returned to the presidency, pushing higher NATO spending, threatening tariffs, and proposing a \$100 billion Pentagon increase, while his stance on NATO, Ukraine, and ceasefire diplomacy remained uncertain. This raised concerns for Euro-American relations, NATO cohesion, global economies, and the response of peace movements.



NATO’S 3.5% SPENDING GOAL: Unsustainable on every count

Issue Briefing – June 2025

In 2025, there is one glaring security challenge facing everyone in the world – and that is the climate crisis. Every scientist studying climate change is sounding an alarm that we are close to dangerous tipping points that threaten liveability on this planet for millions of people. We have faced two of the hottest years on record consecutively, unprecedented forest fires and extreme weather events are becoming ever more normal, and we will almost certainly breach the 1.5 degree Celsius increase in global temperatures from pre-industrial levels within the next five years. Yet in June, the world’s biggest ‘security’ alliance, NATO, will be meeting in The Hague not to tackle this crisis but to add yet more petroleum to the fire.

Key findings

- NATO’s 2% GDP spending commitment has already had major climate impacts with its hike in military spending and emissions. NATO military expenditure has surged by 25% from US\$1177bn in 2021 to US\$1506bn in 2024 while the corresponding estimated military carbon footprint has increased nearly 40% from 196 million metric tons of CO₂ equivalent (MtCO₂e) to 273 MtCO₂e. In 2024, NATO’s European members plus Canada made the largest spending increase in decades (17.9%).
- NATO’s new 3.5% GDP spending goal would lead to a total military expenditure of US\$13.4 trillion by 2030, a US\$2.6 trillion increase above current expenditure. This can cover nearly three years worth of climate finance needs of developing countries at \$1 trillion a year or pay outright for the world’s global electricity grid to be made Net Zero compatible by 2030.
- NATO’s new 3.5% spending goal would also lead to 2,330 MtCO₂e of total carbon emissions by 2030, almost the same amount as the combined annual GHG emissions of Brazil and Japan; an additional 692 MtCO₂e emitted above current levels. It would also cancel out the annual emission reduction of 134 MtCO₂e needed to achieve the EU’s 2030 target of reducing GHG emissions by at least 55% compared with 1990 levels.
- Prioritisation of military expenditure is already weakening Europe’s climate and environmental goals. The Recovery and

Resilience Facility (RRF), the largest source of EU grants for a green transition, is due to end in 2026. This will leave a major gap in EU funding of at least €180 billion for the 2024 to 2030 solely to meet existing inadequate levels of investment.

- NATO members have already failed over the last decade to deliver even limited promised climate finance to the poorest countries, spending 52 times as much on the military as they have on climate finance. This looks set to worsen. NATO member states have increased military investment by an average of 14.8% while reducing aid budgets by 7.3% between 2023 and 2024. With roughly a third of ODA spent on climate funding, there is a high risk that these decreases lead to less spending on climate change adaptation and mitigation. Escalations in military investment and further reductions in aid budgets in 2025 suggest even more broken promises.
- NATO’s 3.5% spending goal could escalate a dangerous arms race if it becomes the standard globally. If China also adopted the same goal, for example, it would immediately double China’s military expenditure to \$646bn, with the consequent impacts on military emissions and possible diversion of climate and social investments to military ends.
- Arms companies are the big winners of the current wave of militarisation with the top ten largest arms companies in NATO countries revenues rising by an average of 7.79% between 2023 and 2024.

NATO’S 3.5% SPENDING GOAL: UNSUSTAINABLE ON EVERY COUNT

Issue Briefing – June 2025

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International Protest Against the NATO War Summit

The Hague, Netherlands, June 22, 2025



Neutrality Colloquium: A Call to Action for Active Neutrality & World Peace

Geneva, Switzerland, JUNE 26 & 27, 2025



International Forum for Peace

Brussels, 23-24 June



INTERNATIONAL DAYS

- International Children's Day
- International Human Rights Day
- International Day Against Nuclear Tests
- International Peace Day



International Children's Day

**Press Release – Empowering
Youth for Global Peace:
Celebrating World Children's
Day (20 Nov 2024)**

International Human Rights Day

**Press Release – Nuclear
Weapons are Antithetical to
Human Rights: Honoring Nihon
Hidankyo on International
Human Rights Day (10 Dec 2024)**

International Day Against Nuclear Tests

**Statement – Joint Statement on
the International Day Against
Nuclear Tests (5 Sep 2025)**



International Peace Day

21 September 2025 | Actions around the Globe



Quelles actions entreprendre pour lutter contre les gangs armés et construire une société haïtienne pacifique et non-meurtrière ?

Contexte : Journée internationale de la paix

Invités : la parole sera donnée aux leaders communautaires, jeunes et étudiants

La discussion sera menée par Roland Joseph, Ph.D.

Date : dimanche 21 septembre 2025
Heure : 2 pm

Où : Online via Zoom et live sur Facebook

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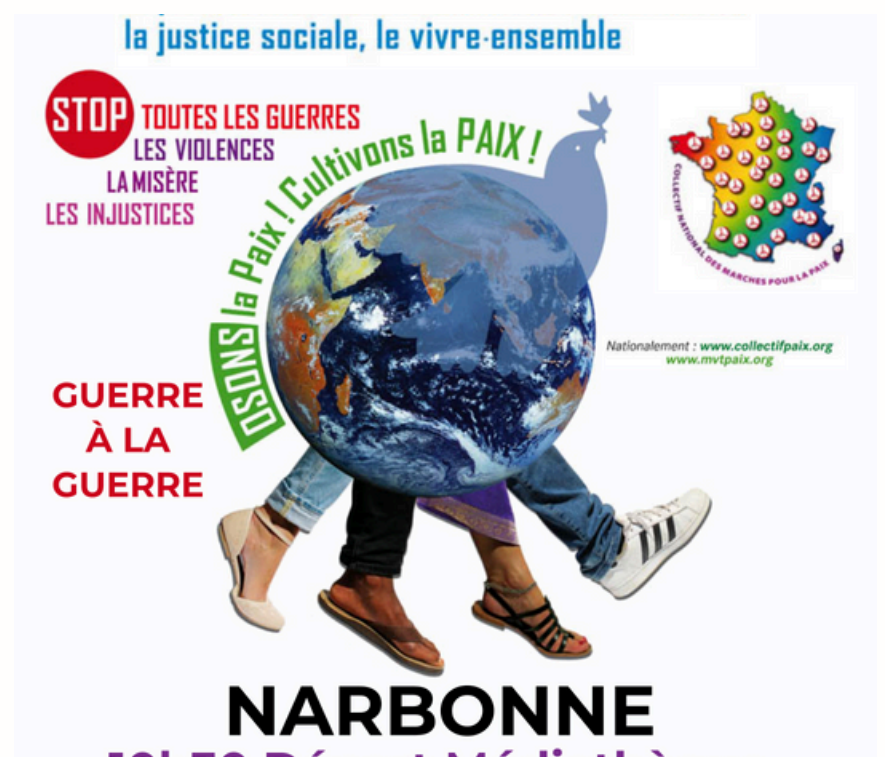
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Asia-Pacific Australia

- Forum: Is AUKUS Worth Dying For? (30 Nov 2024)
- Declare Neutrality and Help Prevent a U.S.–China War (21 June 2025)
- Pacific Peace Conference (2 Aug 2025)





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Asia-Pacific

Cambodia – Thailand

- IPB Statement on Thailand-Cambodia Border Clashes (25 July)



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Asia-Pacific

India- Pakistan

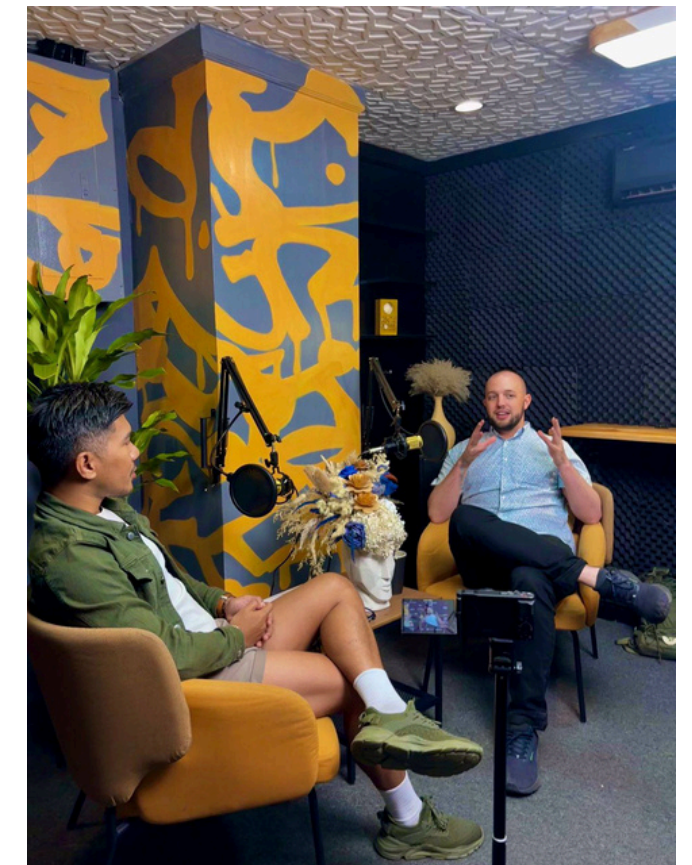
- **Statement:** Call for De-escalation in the India-Pakistan Military Standoff (9 May)
- **Webinar:** India – Pakistan Conflicts: A Call for De-escalation of Tension and Peaceful Resolution (11 May)



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Asia-Pacific Philippines

- Forum: All Eyes on US: Impact on the Philippines and the World of Trump 2.0 (25 Jan)
- The Philippines Speaking Tour & Meeting Our Partners (Feb 2025)
- Forum: Global Solidarity for Peace and Social Justice: Supporting Peace Movements for Palestine, Ukraine, Sudan, and Other Conflict Regions (5 Feb)





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Asia-Pacific Philippines

- Forum: Europe & the Philippines: In the Service of the U.S. Empire?! (11 Aug)





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Asia-Pacific South Korea

- Korea Speaking Tour & Meeting Our Partners (Feb 2025)
 - ✓ Meeting with SPARK
 - ✓ Event with People's Solidarity for Participatory Democracy (PSPD) & PeaceMOMO
 - ✓ Event with Gangjeong International Team and Association of Gangjeong Villagers Against the Jeju Navy Base





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Asia-Pacific

South Korea

- Statement: A Call for Solutions to Safeguard Democracy in South Korea (13 Dec)
- Webinar: Martial Law, Militarisation and People's Opposition in South Korea (23 Dec)



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Asia-Pacific

ASEAN Civil Society Conference / ASEAN Peoples' Forum (ACSC/APF) 2025

- Webinar: POWER TO THE PEOPLE, NO TO WAR!: Challenging U.S. Led Militarisation and Imperialism in the Asia-Pacific Under Trump (27 Sep)
- Webinar: From Complicity to Principled Leadership: ASEAN's Responsibility to Myanmar's People (29 Sep)



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Africa

Cameroon

- **Statement:** IPB Condemns the Violent Attack on Nouveaux Droits de l'Homme: Call for Accountability and Justice in Cameroon (22 Jan)
- **Sign On:** International Declaration for Free, Credible and Inclusive Elections in Cameroon (19 Sep)

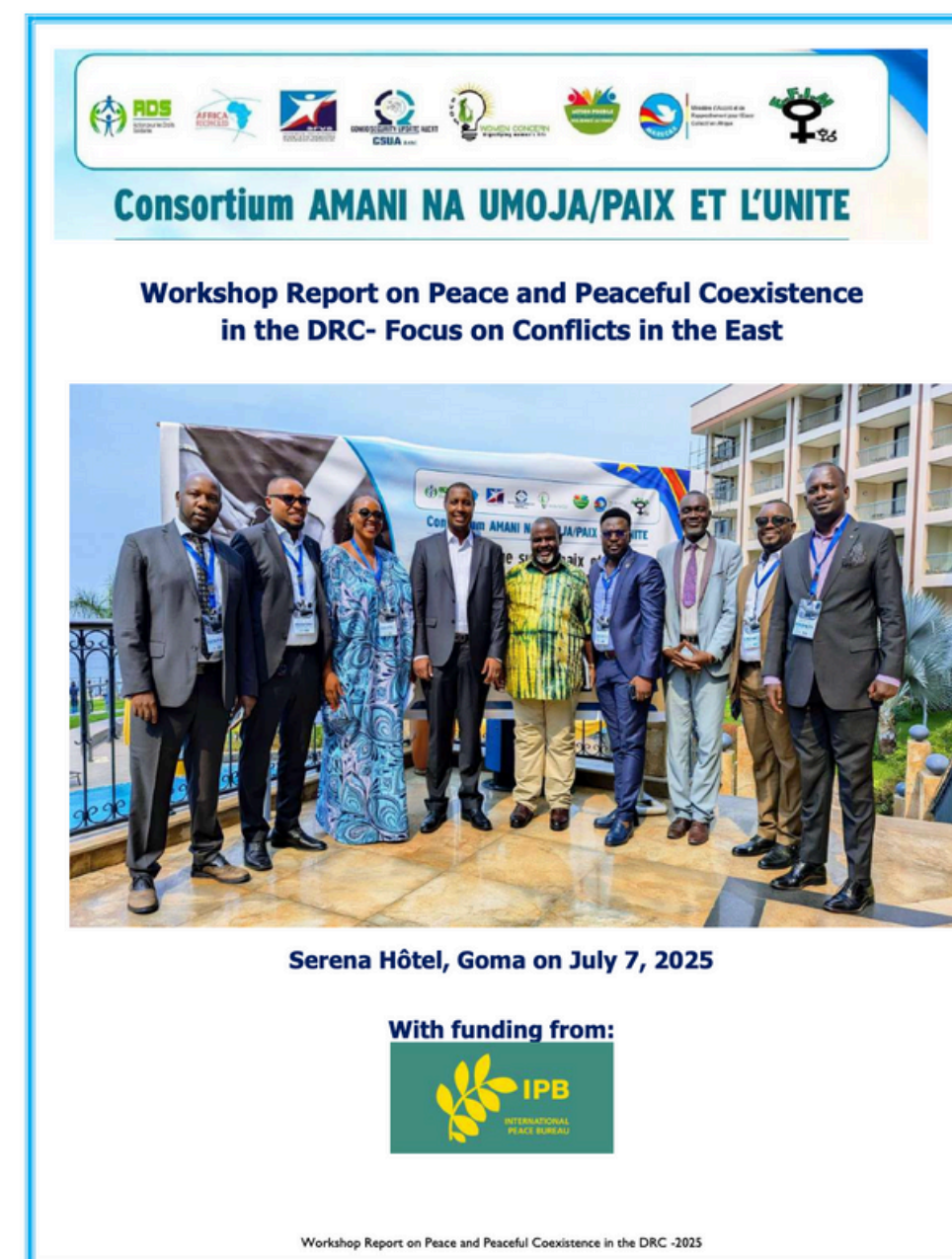


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Africa

Democratic Republic of Congo

- IPB Statement on Democratic Republic of Congo (17 Feb)
- Workshop on Peace and Peaceful Coexistence in the DRC- Focus on Conflicts in the East (7 July)





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Africa

Liberia

- **Article and Call to Action:** Legislative Deadlock and Democratic Challenges in Liberia's House of Representatives: October 2024 to Present (13 Jan)
- **Podcast Episode with Africanist Press:** Community Voices: IPB Calls for Unity and Peace in Liberia's House of Representatives



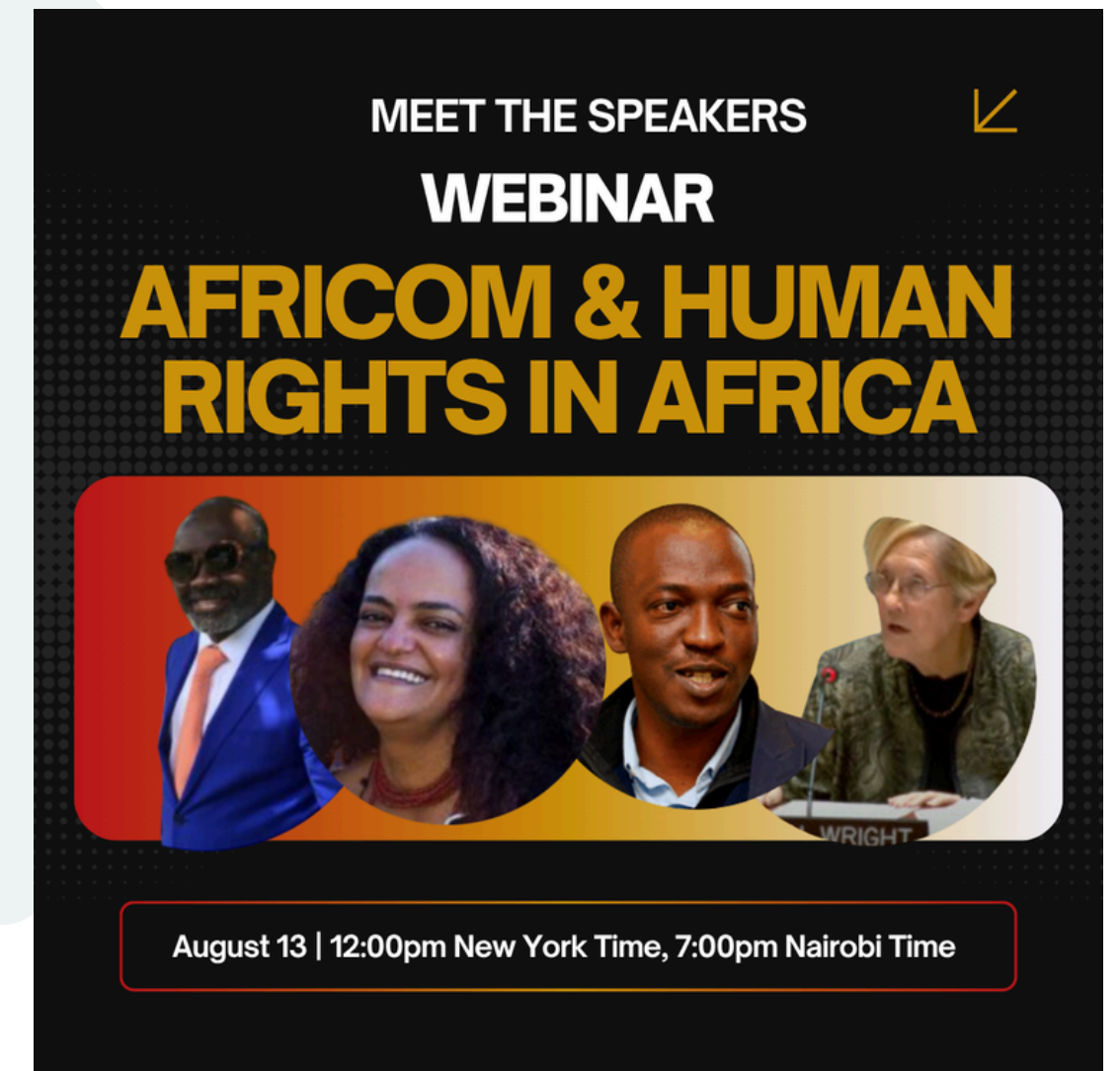


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Africa

AFRICOM

- Webinar: AFRICOM & Human Rights in Africa (13 Aug)





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Middle East

- Statement by the International Peace Bureau on Current Developments in the Middle East (3 Feb)





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Middle East

Syria

- Statement from the International Peace Bureau (IPB) on the Current Situation in Syria and Aspirations for Its Future (18 Dec)
- Statement by the International Peace Bureau on the Recent Violence in Syria's Coastal Regions (12 Mar)



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Middle East

Iran

- Statement On the Israeli Military Strikes on Iran – A Call for Restraint, Diplomacy, and Nuclear Disarmament (13 June)
- IPB Condemns U.S. Strikes on Iranian Nuclear Sites: An Illegal Escalation (22 June)



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Latin America and the Caribbean

Venezuela

- Statement by the IPB on the U.S. Attacks Against Venezuelan Vessels and the Escalation of Military Deployments in the Caribbean (18 Sep)





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Europe

Visits in Berlin

- Alternative Civil Death: What it means to be a conscientious objector in Turkey with Merve Arkun, and Hüseyin Civan (27 Feb)
- Africanist Press on the Move: IPB Member Embarks on European and African Solidarity Tour with Dr. Chernoh Alpha M. Bah (7–17 Aug)



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Europe

Visits in Berlin

- Hibakusha in Berlin: Honoring the 2024 Nobel Peace Prize Laureates with Mr. Kunihiko Sakuma (22 May)



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Europe

Peace Events in Europe June – July

- Protest for Peace and Justice: No to NATO War Summit (22 June, Hague, Netherlands)
- International Forum For Peace in Brussels (23–24 June, Brussels)
- ITUC Youth Forum – Common Security and Democracy by Sean Conner (25 June)
- Neutrality Colloquium: A Call to Action for Active Neutrality & World Peace (26–27 June, Geneva, Switzerland)

Europe

Peace Events in Europe June – July

- Demonstration in Ramstein (27–28 June, Ramstein Air Base and Kaiserslautern, Germany)
- Helsinki+50 activities in Helsinki July 30 – August 1



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Europe

Spain

- **Event:** Naciones DesUnidas:¿Cuál es el futuro de la gobernanza global? (12 Dec)

A seminar with our catalan peace partners to discuss what the future of global governance is

- **Event:** DisUnited Nations – What Is the Future of Global Governance after the 2024 UN Summit of the Future? (13 Dec)

Panels with students at Blanquerna university



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Europe

Rome

- Event: The Future Factory 2025
– Exploring Utopias for Peace
and Justice (23–26 Jan)





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Europe

United Kingdom

- Event: 2025 Peace Camp: The Lakenheath Alliance for Peace (14–25 April)



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Europe

Finland

- Petition: Finland Considers Withdrawal from the Ottawa Treaty (5 Jun)





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Europe

Ireland

- **Open Letter:** Alarm at Irish Government Plans to Dismantle Ireland's Triple Lock (18 Feb)

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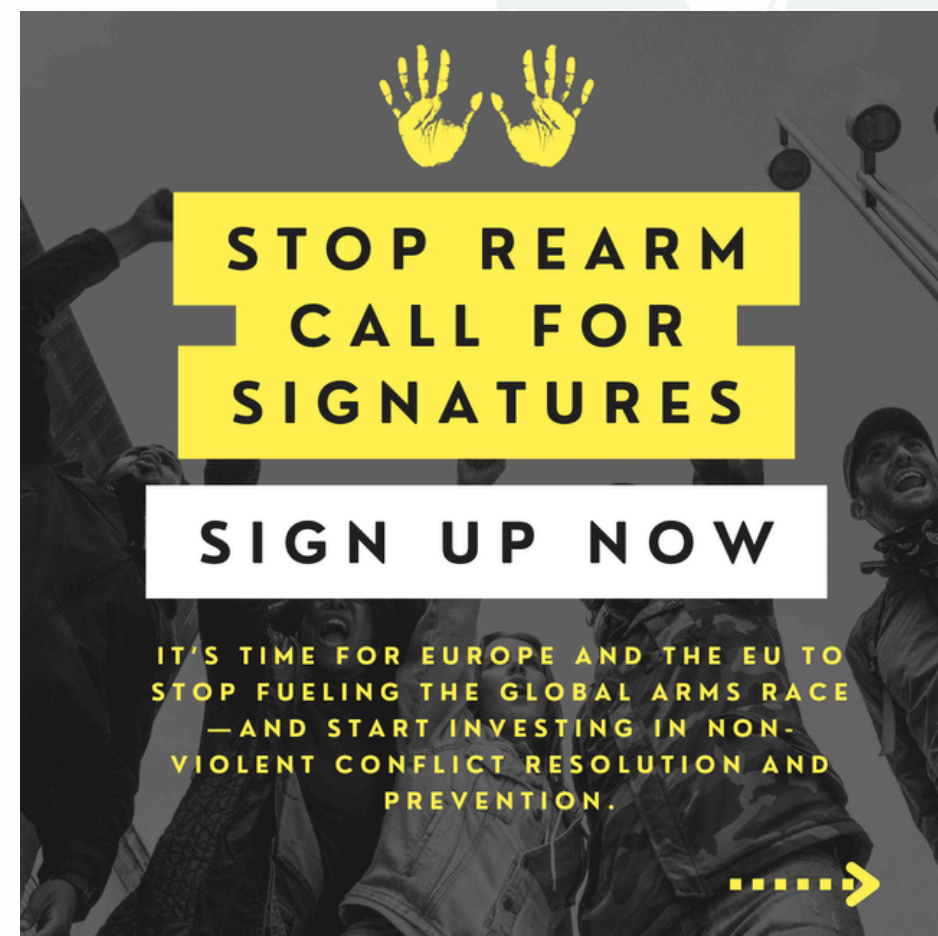
Arctic Council

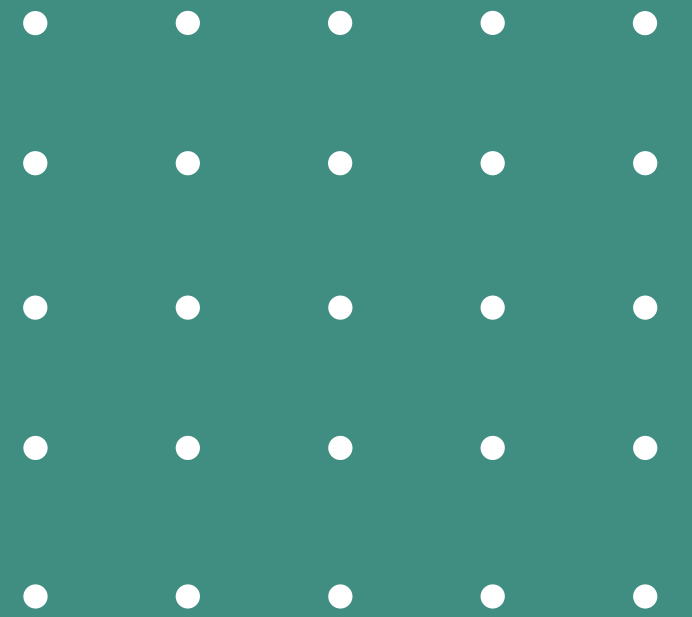
- Publication – what and where to? Arctic Council – too important to be squeezed between the great powers! (4 Feb)

Europe

Stop ReArm Europe

- Campaign – It's time for Europe and the EU to stop fueling the global arms race—and start investing in non-violent conflict resolution and prevention.





Seán MacBride Peace Prize

2025 Seán MacBride Peace Prize Nominations

01

Joint Award

Hania Bitar

Director General, Palestinian
Youth Association for Leadership
and Rights Activation (PYALARA)

Randa Siniora

Director General, Women's
Center for Legal Aid and
Counseling (WCLAC)

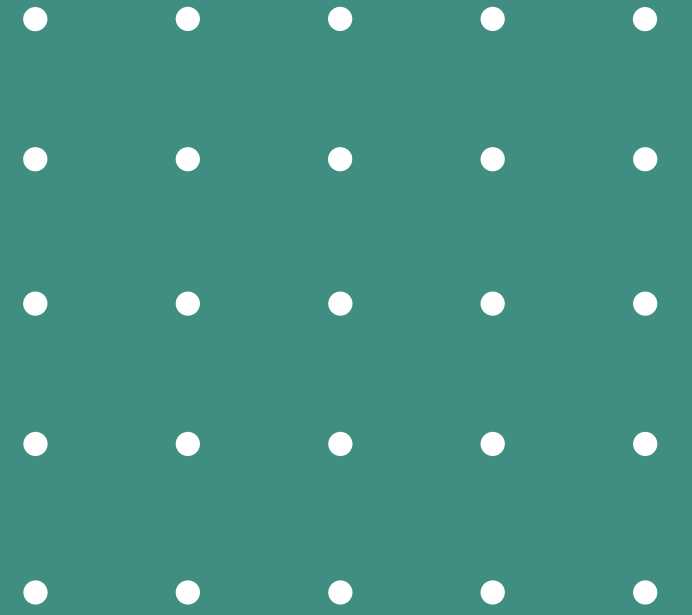
02

Individual Award

Boris Kagarlitsky

Russian intellectual and anti-
war activist

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New Memberships

19

No. of New
Individual
Members

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Organization
Members

Organizations: Provisionally Approved

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| 01 | Africa Culture Window | 05 | Consortium PAMOJA KWA AMANI
(Ensemble pour la Paix) |
| 02 | Africanist Press | | |
| 03 | Agent Green | 06 | DHESARME – Ação Brasileira pelo
Desarmamento Humanitário |
| 04 | Amani & Afya Foundation | 07 | Lumbini-Kapilvastu Global
Campaign, Belgium |

Organizations: Provisionally Approved

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08 Peace and Conflict
Science Institute

09 Scholars for Peace

10 Somalia Peace Institute

11 Solidarity for Peace and
Reunification of Korea (SPARK)

12 Society for Peace Studies and
Practice (SPSP)

13 Stopp NATO

14 The Peace Manifesto Team

Organizations Awaiting Approval

2025

- 01** Global Ministries and Infrastructures for Peace (GAMIP)
- 02** Entidades de Alfombristas de Arte Efímero; Ephemeral Art Carpet Makers Organization
- 03** Solution Social Initiative
- 04** SHOAA for Human Rights
- 05** Sukaar Welfare Organization

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