

# La contribution du GCSP à la sécurité de la Suisse

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# Hard Power



# Soft Power



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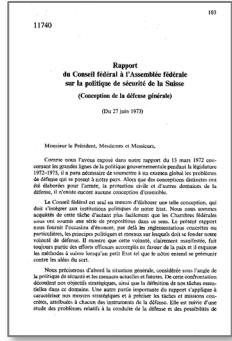
# HIROSHIMA NAGASAKI

6 et 9 Août 1945





# Rapport de politique de sécurité



1973



- la *diplomatie* ... fournit la contribution de la Suisse à la solution pacifique des conflits;
  - *l'armée* constitue l'instrument dont l'Etat dispose pour faire obstacle à la guerre; en cas de conflit, elle livre le combat défensif;
  - la *protection civile, l'économie de guerre, l'information* et la *protection de l'Etat* rendent la résistance possible et assurent la protection de la population ;
- ...



# Sommet Reagan- Gorbatschev

Genève,  
19 et 20 Novembre 1985



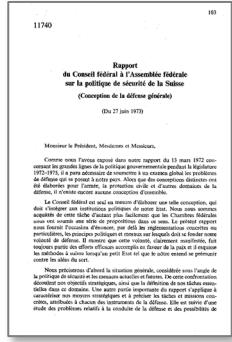
# SIPOLEX

GSC Zumstein “tasked me to design a training programme that would produce the needed experts”

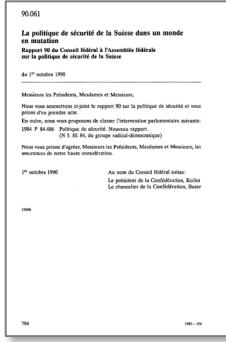


# Rapport de politique de sécurité

# Coopération



1973



1990

# Référendum contre la LOMP

1994



# Guerre en ex-Yougoslavie

31 mars 1991 –  
12 novembre 2001



# Partenariat pour la Paix

“Le témoignage de notre engagement concret et pas seulement verbal pour la stabilité en Europe”

Diplomate Suisse, GdL, 1996.



# 1995 – Signature de l'acte de fondation

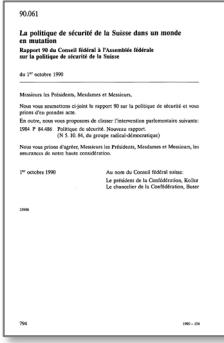
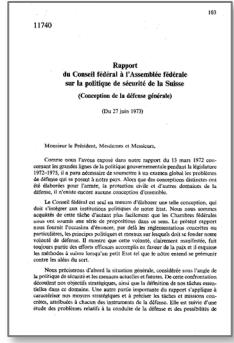


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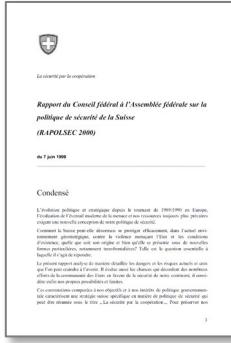
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2021





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# Mission, Vision and Values

## MISSION

Our mission is to advance peace, security and international cooperation

## VISION

Offer a platform to build and maintain peace, security and advance international cooperation.

## VALUES

Impartial  
Inclusive  
Independent

# Our location

## In the heart of international Geneva



# Our location

## Maison de la Paix



# Membres du Conseil de fondation



## PRESIDENT

Amb. Jean-David Levitte

# Governance



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# What we do

# People make peace and security possible



**Governments**



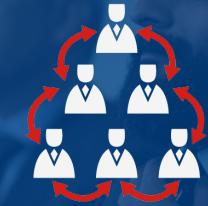
**International  
Organisations**



**NGO's**

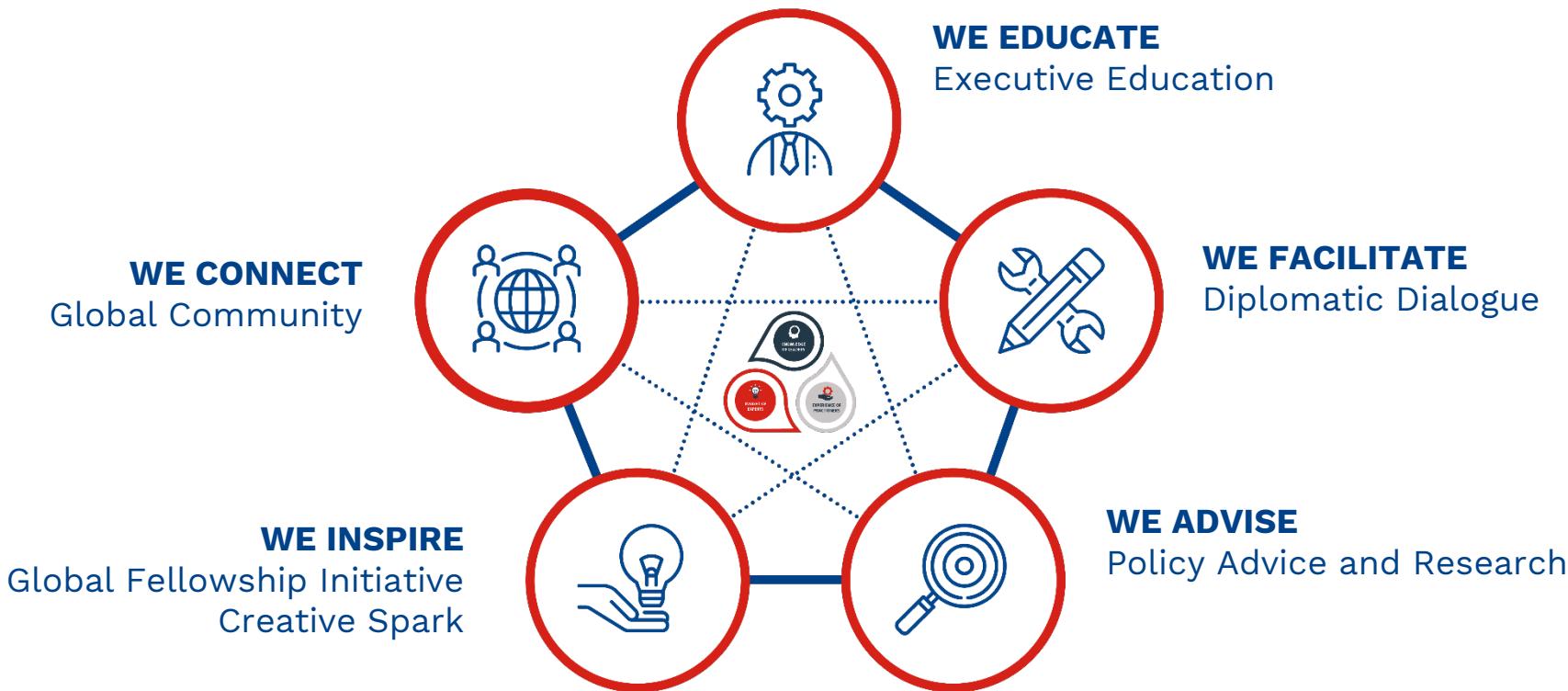


**Civil Society**



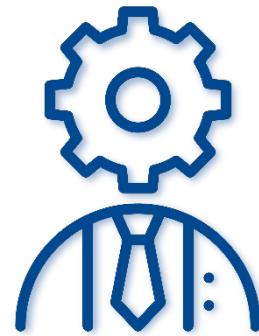
**Private sector**

# Our portfolio



# We educate

Personal and organisational development



# A complex world – a holistic approach to peace and security



## ANTICIPATING EMERGING CHALLENGES

| Climate & Health | Cyber Security | Global Risk & Resilience |  
Strategic Anticipation |

## PREPARING LEADERS TO SHAPE A CHANGING WORLD

| Leadership | Crisis Management | Diplomatic Tradecraft |  
Defence & Diplomacy | Gender & Inclusive Security |  
The Creative Edge |

## BUILDING A RESILIENT AND PEACEFUL WORLD

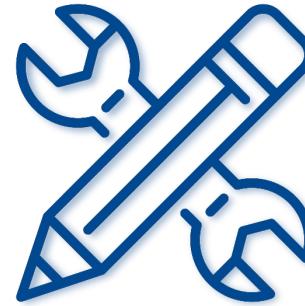
| Arms Proliferation | Effective Governance | Terrorism & PVE |  
Diplomatic Dialogue | Security & Law |  
Peace Operations & Peacebuilding |

## RETHINKING GEOPOLITICS AND GLOBAL FUTURES

| Neurophilosophy | Outer Space Security | Transformative  
Technologies |

# We facilitate

Convening dialogue to reduce tensions  
and help resolve conflict.



# Diplomatic Dialogue – three focus areas

## GLOBAL SECURITY

We support Track 1 actors' efforts to rebuild trust and confidence among the key powers.

- Chambesy roundtable on European security
- Track 1.5 and 2 support for diplomatic processes
- Support for Switzerland's role as a non-permanent member of the UN Security Council

## REGIONAL SECURITY

We facilitate open and informal exchanges among countries with shared regional crises or common dilemmas.

- Efforts to reduce tensions in North Asia (the Zermatt roundtable)
- Building confidence in the Eastern Mediterranean region
- Supporting peace processes and Geneva-based negotiation frameworks, *inter alia* related to Syria.

## THEMATIC AND CUTTING-EDGE ISSUES:

We devise common approaches or principles to deal with emerging or cutting-edge security and governance issues.

- Facilitating policy-relevant dialogue among experts to analyse emerging challenges, and manage risks
- Facilitating dialogue on global governance related to Geneva-based institutions and processes

# We advise

Input to get it right



# The Geneva Security Debates



# Current Research and Policy Advice



## POLYMATHE INITIATIVE

Addresses the “silo thinking” which can lead to policy and governance failures when anticipating the consequences of emerging technologies.



## GENEVA PROCESS ON AI PRINCIPLES

Explores and clarifies the meaning, operationalization and legal implications of new policies on the use of military artificial intelligence (AI).



## INPUT FOR THE NEW SWISS MENA STRATEGY

Identifies trends and develops policy options for a new foreign policy strategy on the Middle East and North Africa (MENA).



## YOUR PROJECT?

Your needs are our priority.

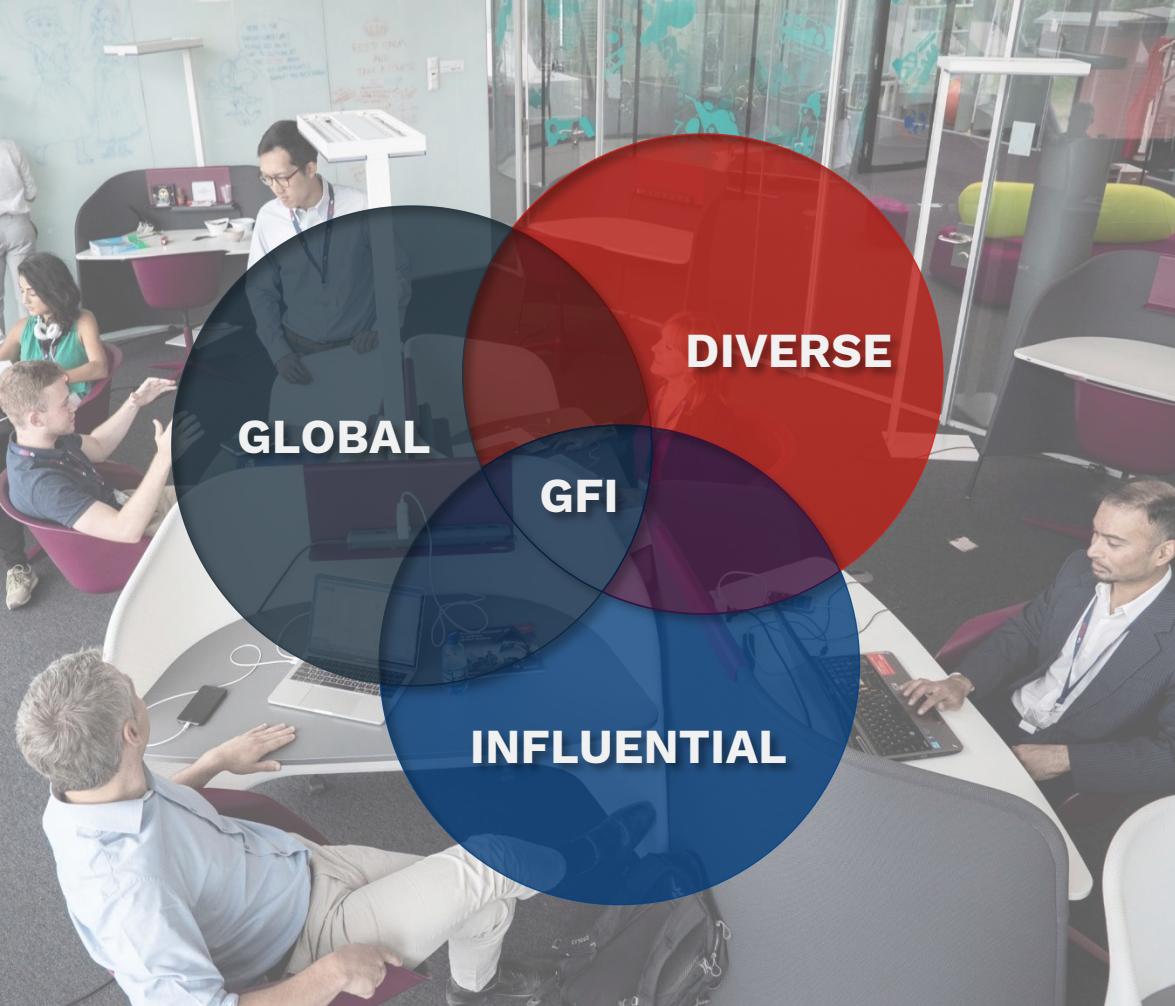
# We inspire

Platform for innovation



# Global Fellowship Initiative

- Multidisciplinary, multicultural and multigenerational network of leaders, experts and practitioners from a variety of backgrounds
- Created to overcome siloed approaches to learning and to act as an incubator for talent, innovation and creativity with the aim of advancing global peace and security through co-creation



# Success Stories



**Itonde Kakoma** (EiR), former Director for Global Strategy at CMI, was appointed Head of Delegation and Permanent Representative to the African Union of the International Federation of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC) on 1 May 2021.



After applying for Asylum in Switzerland in 2018, **Adiba Qasim** (YL) was finally granted the refugee status last August. Thanks to the GCSP, she is in the midst of her IR studies (with the financial support of Rotary) in order to be a strong advocate for Yezidi women and children.  
<https://genevasolutions.news/peace-humanitarian/what-peace-means-to-a-survivor-of-genocide>



**Guy Rhodes** (EiR) signed a contract with UNDP to provide services as a Chief Technical Advisor to Azerbaijan concerning landmine clearance in the Nagorno Karabakh region.

# Formerly incubated projects



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THE CLIMATE ACTION  
ACCELERATOR



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THE INTERNATIONAL GENDER  
CHAMPIONS (IGC)  
SECRETARIAT



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GENEVA CITIES HUB



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THE GLOBAL COMMUNITY  
ENGAGEMENT AND RESILIENCE  
FUND (GCERF)



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SECURAXIS



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CYBER-AID.ORG

# We connect

We build connections to deal effectively  
with international security challenges



**1,300+**  
GRADUATES ANNUALLY

**10,000+**  
TOTAL ALUMNI, FROM:

- GOVERNMENTS
- INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS
- MEDIA ORGANISATIONS
- THE PRIVATE SECTOR
- NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANISATIONS

Our  
Alumni

**174+** nationalities  
REPRESENTED IN OUR COMMUNITY

**Profiles**

OF OUR INFLUENTIAL NETWORK:

- Head of State
- Foreign Minister
- Ambassador
- Head of Armed Forces
- NGO Executive Director
- UN Special Representative
- Chief Executive Officer
- Head of Corporate Security
- Chief Compliance Officer
- Risk Advisor

**GCSP Alumni Community**  
An exclusive community in international security & peace

# Alumni Community - Influencers



**H.E. Ms Eva Maria Liimets**

Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Estonia

*ITC 2005*



**Ms Olena Zerkal**

Advisor to CEO, Naftogas  
Former Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs of Ukraine on European Integration

*NISC 2003*



**Lt Gen (retd) Gordon Messenger**

Former Deputy Chief of Defence Staff UK

*ITC 2004*



**Gen (retd) Joseph Van den Put**

Former Head of the Belgian Royal Military Household

*ITC 1996*



**Ms Sylvie Brigot-Vilain**

Director General, Amnesty International France

*NISC 2015*



**Mr Alexander Hug**

Former Deputy Chief Monitor of the OSCE Monitoring Mission in Ukraine

*SLPC 2009*



**Dr Jacek Czaputowicz**

Former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Republic of Poland

*ITC 1993*



**Lt Gen Esa Pulkkinen**

Former Director General, EUMS

*ITC 1996*



**Ms Katja Pehrman**

Senior Advisor, UN Women

*NISC 2011*

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# Numbers

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**174+**  
Nationalities



**376**  
Global Fellows  
since 2015



**1,300+**  
Graduates  
Annually



**10,000+**  
Alumni



**650+**  
Publications



**29**  
Alumni Regional  
Hubs



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