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# PRESENTATION

The year 2019 was Kristian Herbolzheimer's first year at the helm of the Institute's operational team. This change led to a revision of the "ICIP 2022: vision and shared project" multi-year plan, with several modifications aimed at improving internal performance in order to increase the impact of our work.

This has led, among other things, to greater autonomy for the people who coordinate the programs (areas of action), more networking with other local and international organizations (CIDOB, Casa Amèrica Catalunya, Institut de Drets Humans de Catalunya, Hegoa, Fundación Cultura de Paz, The Club of Rome, Swisspeace, NOREF, the Transnational Institute, CIASE, the Centre for Humanitarian Dialogue, EPLO, Serapaz, etc.), more collaboration with academic centers and a remarkable increase in the internationalization of IC-IP's work. A second phase of this improvement will take place when we can count on a budget that allows for the capacity of the operational team to be strengthened.

As for the four areas of action, there are a few things worth noting. In the first one, *Memory, coexistence and reconciliation* (transitions to peace), as a result of the signing in April 2019 of a cooperation agreement with the Colombian Truth Commission, ICIP was granted the role of Technical Secretariat in Europe, with the aim of working with members of the Colombian diaspora to strengthen the peace accords. Fourteen European nodes have been formed and testimony will be taken from 1,000 people living in eleven European countries.

Regarding *Violence in non-war settings*, it should be pointed out that the First International Forum on Peacebuilding in Mexico took place in Barcelona in September. This event has led to the consolidation of ICIP's work with several prominent social organizations in Mexico that carry out initiatives to pacify that complex society. Henceforth, this area will include actions related to business and human rights in these non-war settings.

The area of *Social and political dialogue* has experienced significant growth. We have developed several activities to promote tools of analysis and reflection for different actors in the Catalan political conflict (monographic journal, conferences and conversations with several eminent people who have mediated in other international conflicts, promotion of an internal dialogue group, etc.). And at the international level, ICIP has organized facilitation training for members of the Episcopal Conference of Nicaragua; it has participated in a conference with actors in the conflict in Afghanistan; it has collaborated with the Permanent Social Forum of the Basque Country; and it has promoted several discreet actions of dialogue in Central America and in Colombia.

*Business, conflict and human rights* held its annual conference and assembly in Geneva in November. At this time, ICIP transferred the coordination of the Business, Conflict and Human Rights (BCHR) Network to another organization, the African Law Foundation. After three years, this handover was necessary given our limited resources to lead a reflection and proposals for action on a global scale in this field. In the future, we will be working in a cross-cutting manner from all areas, and specific work on *Security alternatives*, especially in terms of feminism, will be reinforced.

There are several other activities worth mentioning that give our Institute credibility and project the four work areas. First of all, the ICIP Peace in Progress Award, which, in 2019, was granted to the Collectif des Familles de Disparu(e)s en Algérie (CFDA); the ICIP Hip-Hop for Peace Contest and the ICIP Alfons Banda Award, which have become established in their respective areas; the Cities Defending Human Rights joint project; and, especially, the various publications which are reviewed in the corresponding chapter of this Report.

The Governing Board was missing a few members for most of the year and this has occasionally made it difficult to make decisions. From September 2018 to November 2019 the Catalan Government has only had two of the three members it designates, the vacancy of Vice President Vicent Martínez Guzmán (who died in August 2018) has not yet been filled, and three other members have had to extend their period in office due to the lack of election or reelection by Parliament. This has hampered the normal operation of the governing body, which once even had to hold a virtual session with prior approval of the regulations for reaching agreements.

Finally, in November 2019, the Board once again had ten members and was able to bid farewell to Antoni Pigrau, the last Board member to have participated in ICIP from the very beginning, a true living memory of the institution whom we should thank for his efforts, dedication, generosity and freedom of thought and judgment. Carme Colomina and Magda Oranich renewed their positions and Gemma Casal (Lleida) and Marco Aparicio (University of Girona) joined as new members.

The Activity Report we are presenting summarizes the work done in 2019 and aims to make it easier for everyone to get a clear idea of ICIP's contribution to the progressive establishment of a culture of peace.

> Xavier Masllorens President of ICIP

# ICIP AT A GLANCE

## THE INSTITUTION

**Creation:** Parliament of Catalonia, December 2007, by Law

**Office:** Tapineria 10, 3rd floor, 08002 Barcelona

**Library:** Tapineria 10, 1st floor, 08002 Barcelona

#### **Board of Governors:**

The ICIP Board of Governors, in accordance with Article 6 of Law 14/2007, as amended by Law 11/2011 on the remodeling of the public sector, is constituted by 10 members, 7 elected by Parliament and 3 appointed by the Government.

**President:** Xavier Masllorens

**Director:** Kristian Herbolzheimer

**Staff:** 15 people

#### Final budget 2019:

1,238,840.37 euros

#### **Basic documents:**

ICIP Founding Law 14/2007 (DOGC 17/12/2007); ICIP Organic Regulation (DOGC, 01/07/2009); Law 11/2011 on the Remodeling of the Public Sector to Streamline Its Administrative Activity; Strategic Plan 2015-2018; ICIP Work Objectives for 2022.

# ACTIVITIES

- Number of seminars, conferences, roundtables and training activities: 27
- Number of people in attendance: 1,500
- Events in Catalonia (except Barcelona): 7
- Services provided to other actors: 16
- Projects at international level: 2
- Number of grants announced: The call for grants for research work in the field of peace (R-ICIP) was approved for the 2018-2019 financial year, for a total amount of 60,000 euros. A call for grants for network participation projects and research on the promotion of peace was also approved, for a total amount of 60,000 euros. A total of 11 grants were awarded.

## PUBLICATIONS

- Jointly published books: 5
- Peace in Progress journals: 2
- ICIP e-bulletins: 11
- La Voz de Colombia bulletins: 5
- Research publications: 5
- Books catalogued: 380
- Journals available online: 1,200
- Complete library collection: 8,903 volumes

# INTERNAL ORGANIZATION

- Number of signed agreements: 9
- Number of vacant positions: 7

# INSTITUTIONAL ACTIVITY

# 1. THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

The ICIP Board of Governors is composed of 10 members, 7 elected by the Parliament of Catalonia and 3 appointed by the Government of Catalonia.

The Board of Governors was renewed in 2019 as provided by law. On 9 October, a Plenary Session of Parliament appointed the new members, chosen from among the candidates presented by the Catalan Council for the Promotion of Peace. Thus, Gemma Casal and Marco Aparicio joined the governing body while Carme Colomina and Magda Oranich renewed their terms. This renewal marks the end of the term of Antoni Pigrau, Professor of Public International Law at Rovira i Virgili University, in Tarragona, who has served the maximum of two possible terms.

Meanwhile, the Director General of Global Affairs, Elisabet Nebreda, joined the Governing Board in 2019 as one of the members appointed by the Government of Catalonia. She replaced Carme Garcia, the Director General of Institutional Relations and Parliament. Therefore, the ICIP Governing Board is currently composed of the following people:

#### MEMBERS ELECTED BY PARLIAMENT:

**Marco Aparicio i Wilhelmi,** Professor of Constitutional Law, University of Girona.

**Cécile Barbeito i Thonon,** Researcher at the School for a Culture of Peace, Autonomous University of Barcelona.

Gemma Casal i Fité, Anthropologist, University of Lleida.

Carme Colomina i Saló, Journalist and Researcher at CIDOB.

**Xavier Masllorens i Escubós,** Psychologist and Educator. He serves as Chairman of the Governing Board.

Oscar Mateos i Martin, Professor at Ramon Llull University.

Magda Oranich i Solagran, Lawyer and Journalist.

#### MEMBERS APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNMENT:

David Minoves i Llucià, President of Ciemen.

**Elisabet Nebreda i Vila**, Director General of Global Affairs, Government of Catalonia.

**Manel Vila i Motlló**, Director General of Development Cooperation, Government of Catalonia.

### GOVERNING BOARD RESOLUTIONS

The ICIP Governing Board met ten times in 2019 and these are the most noteworthy points that were dealt with:

First, the cooperation agreement between ICIP and the Commission for the Clarification of Truth, Coexistence and Non-Repetition of Colombia was formalized.

Second, it was agreed to confer the ICIP Peace in Progress Award 2019 to the organization Collectif des Familles de Disparu(e)s en Algérie.

Third, the call for the ninth edition of the ICIP Peace in Progress Award and new rules for the calls scheduled for 2020 and beyond were approved. New rules for the ICIP Hip-Hop Contest for Peace were also approved and the call for 2020 was announced.

Fourth, the specific rules and the call for R-ICIP research work grants in the field of peace were approved for 2019. In addition, the specific rules and the call for grants awarded for projects of nonprofit organizations aimed at the promotion of peace were also approved for 2019.

Fifth, the signing of an agreement with Rovira i Virgili University in order to hold an international seminar entitled "Defender en América Latina" was authorized.

Sixth, a model agreement for the joint organization of events with other organizations or networks was approved.

Seventh, the provision of paid services by ICIP and the corresponding fees were approved. Eighth, new regulations regarding compensation and fees for activities carried out by members of the ICIP Governing Board were approved.

Ninth, the document regarding the workday, working hours and compensation of ICIP staff was approved.

Tenth, the procedures for updating ICIP's organizational regulations were initiated.

### 2. APPEARANCE BEFORE THE PARLIAMENT OF CATALONIA

In compliance with Law 14/2007 creating the International Catalan Institute for Peace, the president and the director of the institution, Xavier Masllorens and Kristian Herbolzheimer, respectively, appeared before the Committee on Foreign Action and Cooperation, Institutional Relations and Transparency of the Catalan Parliament to present the Activity Reports for 2017 and 2018.

In his speech, the president of ICIP defended the political and organizational autonomy of the institution and called on the parliamentary groups to strengthen their relationship with it. For his part, the director stressed the Institute's potential for advocacy in Catalonia and abroad, as well as the desire to strengthen alliances with other social, institutional and academic actors. Herbolzheimer also highlighted the work that the institution has undertaken in order to promote social and political dialogue in Catalonia, in a context of increased polarization.

Spokespeople for the various parliamentary groups congratulated ICIP on the work it carries out in favor of the building and dissemination of peace and on the proposed actions presented.

# ACTIVITY REPORT

## ACTION PROGRAMS

ICIP's basic action lines are structured in four cross-cutting work programs, established in the document "Work focus for the ICIP of 2022" and based on the building of peace and the development of coexistence, with a unique perspective from nonviolence and human security.

Activities related to awareness campaigns, to the promotion of peace culture, to discussion and reflection, to knowledge transfer, research lines, specialized publications and action on the ground have been carried out as part of the various programs.

#### 1. PROGRAM: "MEMORY, COEXISTENCE AND RECONCILIATION

The objective of this program is to deal with the experiences, tools and opportunities for peacebuilding in societies that face an uncertain transition scenario after a period of excessive and systematic violence. The program focuses on the study of the processes and experiences of reconciliation and reconstruction of the social fabric; processes of political, economic and social transition from a perspective of peace; tools in the field of transitional justice; public policies and social initiatives to promote coexistence and memory; and the analysis of the rights and needs of victims.

In 2019, ICIP focused its efforts in this program on supporting the work of the Commission for the Clarification of Truth. Coexistence and Non-Repetition of Colombia in Europe. The Commission has an unprecedented mandate to work with the population expelled from Colombia as a result of the armed conflict. On 7 May, ICIP and the Truth Commission signed a cooperation agreement in Bogotá that grants ICIP the role of Technical Secretariat of the Truth Commission in Europe. The objective of this collaboration is to facilitate the work of the Truth Commission's work with victims residing in Europe, in the framework of the implementation of the 2016 Peace Agreement. Based on this agreement, ICIP provides technical and logistical support to the activities organized by the Commission in Europe; it coordinates the working groups established in various European countries (nodes); and it offers methodological support to the process of taking testimony from victims of the Colombian conflict in exile.

In its role as Technical Secretariat of the Commission, ICIP offered its support to the establishment of 14 European nodes in Germany, Andalusia, Belgium, Catalonia, France, Italy, Madrid, Norway, the Netherlands, the Basque Country, Sweden, Switzerland, the United Kingdom and Ireland, and Valencia. The Institute held several inperson and virtual meetings, as well as a meeting of all nodes in Sant Boi de Llobregat, to support and advise these work groups.

In addition, ICIP organized the first training course of 40 interviewers in Europe and carried out a process of accompaniment and individualized support for them, all with the aim of strengthening the work of documenting cases of victims of the armed conflict in the diaspora and contributing to the task of clarifying the facts and recognizing the work carried out by the Commission. In this way, ICIP has also continued the work aimed at facilitating the process of contact and coordination between the various organizations of victims in exile and institutions that have the capacity to identify people who had to flee from Colombia because of the armed conflict and document their cases. These organizations include Swisspeace, Ask! (Switzerland-Colombia Working Group), Réseau France Colombie Solidarités, Swedish Church and the Swedish Foundation for Human Rights, Kolko (Human Rights for Colombia), OIDHACO, Taula Catalana per la Pau i els Drets Humans a Colòmbia, Foro Internacional de Víctimas, Colectivo Creando Memoria, Mujer Diáspora, Colectiva de Mujeres Migradas y Exiliadas, and Constituyente de Exiliados.

One of the tools used to connect the nodes, organizations and people working on the Colombian peace process from Europe, as well as to exchange all the news and progress of their work in a centralized manner, has been the e-bulletin "La Voz de Colombia," published by ICIP. Four editions of the newsletter were published in 2019, in May, July, October and December, as well as a trial edition in March.

The project providing assistance to the work of the Truth Commission of Colombia received an allotment of 30,000 euros from the Catalan Agency for Development Cooperation in 2019; the aim is to promote the active participation and visibility of Colombian victims in Catalonia, with the involvement and commitment of sectors of Catalan civil society.

In addition, in the framework of this work program, ICIP participated in two international conferences on memory and reconciliation to share the work done on the project entitled "Strategies of memory, truth and reconciliation of Colombian women abroad." This project was carried out in Barcelona in 2017 with the aim of contributing to peacebuilding in Colombia with innovative methodologies through art. To publicize this experience, ICIP held a creative workshop at the "Teaching Transmission of Trauma and Remembrance Through Experiential Learning," symposium organized by the University of Turku (Finland) from 27-29 May. The workshop was led by Maria Fanlo, program coordinator, and Ingrid Guyon, photographer and filmmaker. On another note, ICIP also participated in the "Third Annual Memory Studies Association Conference," which took place in Madrid from 25-28 June.

Finally, ICIP visited the Northern Irish city of Belfast, where several events were held related to the "Cuerpos Gramaticales" project from 6-9 March. This project was conceived in Colombia by the Agroarte collective and developed in Barcelona by ICIP in 2017 with the goal of generating memory practices that contribute to peacebuilding, symbolic reparation and recognition of civil society processes. ICIP was invited to Belfast by the Beyond Skin organization to share its experience and documentation of the project, and contribute to its adaptation to the context of Northern Ireland. On International Women's Day, the delegation participated in the 8 March commemorative event with artists and peacebuilders of the Colombian community in Ireland and Northern Ireland. The program was organized by Beyond Skin in collaboration with ICIP, Agroarte, Cuerpos Gramaticales, Escuelas de Paz and Fotosynthesis.

#### ORGANIZED ACTIVITIES

FIRST TRAINING COURSE FOR INTERVIEWERS OF VICTIMS OF THE COLOMBIAN CONFLICT

ICIP and the Truth Commission of Colombia organized the first training program of a group of people in Vallvidrera (Barcelona) in charge of interviewing victims of the Colombian conflict in exile in order to document cases and thus contribute to the clarification of events, recognition and memory. The training took place from 28 February to 3 March and brought together forty participants with experience working with victims of armed conflict and with the conflict in Colombia, and mindful of the Truth Commission's mandate. The workshops were led by Carlos Martín Beristain and Alejandro Valencia Vila, Commissioners of the Truth Commission.

In the same vein, ICIP took part in a second training workshop held in Bilbao from 10-13 October. These sessions were organized by the Truth Commission, with the support of ICIP and Hegoa, and brought together more than 25 participants from 10 different countries and 14 different nodes. Participants included Colombian citizens, victims and representatives of organizations in fields such as journalism, social work, psychology and academia, among others.

#### MEETING OF MENTAL HEALTH EXPERTS SPECIALIZING IN REFUGEES AND DIASPORAS

As a result of the interest observed among people from the Syrian, Afghan and Venezuelan diasporas, among others, in the work done by the Colombian diaspora from Europe, ICIP organized a meeting of seven experts in the mental health of refugees and diasporas which took place from 20-22 September. The sessions brought together five professionals from Spain, one from Sweden and one from Belgium in order to work on the guidelines in psychological and psychosocial care for refugees, exiles and victims in general dealing with a process of reconstruction of truth and memory.

#### TAKING PUBLIC TESTIMONY FROM VICTIMS OF THE COLOMBIAN CONFLICT

As part of the activities of the Catalonia node of the Truth Commission of Colombia, public testimony was taken (three individual and one collective) during the months of October and November in the offices of Amics de la UNESCO of Barcelona. These testimonies will be used to contribute to the clarification of the events that took place during the Colombian armed conflict, a task which the Commission is carrying out. This activity also served the purpose of disseminating the work of the node in Catalonia and showing the public the experiences of the victims of the armed conflict, both in Colombia and in exile, and their processes of healing, coexistence and memory.

#### PERFORMANCE: "REPARATION"

On 9 November, the representation of a scene from the play "Reparación: Obra homenaje a mujeres víctimas del conflicto en Colombia" was jointly organized with the Catalonia node in support of the Truth Commission of Colombia and performed by the Colombian actress María León Arias Cano.

The play focuses on the role of women as social restorers in a context of war in which she loses her children and her life partner. It tries to make these events visible and to remember them, as well as heal the wounds, resorting to poetic texts by various authors printed on fabrics, and involve the spectator in this process of reparation and healing.

#### SECOND MEETING OF NODES SUPPORTING THE WORK OF THE TRUTH COMMISSION OF COLOMBIA IN EUROPE

ICIP, in its role as Technical Secretariat of the Truth Commission of Colombia in Europe, organized a meeting of working groups (nodes) distributed throughout the continent with the aim of strengthening the organization and coordination among them. Specifically, the goal was to share information about the process of taking testimony that is being carried out in various countries in order to document the cases of up to a thousand victims of the Colombian conflict, as well as to continue organizing efforts regarding processes of recognition and reconciliation. During the work sessions, which took place from 22-24 November in Sant Boi de Llobregat, the nodes shared materials and strategies for dissemination. Joint communication strategies were also analyzed in order to give more visibility to the work of the nodes and of the Truth Commission in Europe. ICIP organized the first meeting of this type in 2018.

#### PRESENTATION OF THE "CARTOGRAPHY OF ENFORCED DISAPPEARANCE IN COLOMBIA"

La Biblioteca de l'ICIP va acollir el 2 de desembre la presentació del On 2 December, the ICIP Library hosted the presentation of the first mapping of crimes against humanity which have affected at least 80,000 people in Colombia. The presentation was given by Erik Arellana Bautista, coordinator of the project, activist and relative of a missing person.

After its public presentation in Colombia, the idea is to present this project in several European countries. In Barcelona, the presentation ceremony was one of the activities of the Catalan node of the Truth Commission of Colombia.

#### 2. PROGRAM: "VIOLENCE IN NON-WAR SETTINGS"

With this work program, ICIP focuses on different social realities that exist around the world, and especially in Latin America, with extraordinarily high and complex levels of violence that do not respond to the dynamics of classical armed conflict. The limited international attention that this situation is receiving is not proportional to the magnitude of its impact or its relationship to global phenomena.

So far, the vast majority of policies that have been pursued to reduce such violence have been limited to heavy-handed security strategies that not only have not achieved their objective, but have led to human rights violations and, in some cases, have generated new dynamics of violence. Faced with the need to find other ways of dealing with these situations, ICIP aims to make contributions to security debates from a peacebuilding perspective that takes into account the real needs of the affected populations and the experience and knowledge of social actors, especially women and youth.

In 2019, ICIP furthered its work aimed at giving visibility to these groups and providing them with tools that can strengthen their efforts in conflict resolution and their nonviolent struggles for social transformation. In this vein, an ICIP delegation traveled to Mexico in March to participate in the international seminar entitled "Defending Latin America" and hold meetings with representatives of public institutions, human rights organizations, victims' associations and academic experts.

As a result of this trip, the need to know about, analyze and discuss the challenges in security and human rights in Mexico from a peacebuilding perspective became clear. And the foundations were laid for the organization of an international meeting to coordinate these reflections with experts from different fields. This initiative materialized with the organization of the first International Forum for Peacebuilding in Mexico, held in Barcelona in September, coinciding with the fifth anniversary of the enforced disappearance of 43 students from Ayotzinapa, in Iguala, Mexico.



Commemoration of the disappearances of Ayotzinapa at the International Forum on Peacebuilding in Mexico

#### ACTIVITIES PERFORMED

#### 1<sup>ST</sup> INTERNATIONAL FORUM ON PEACEBUILDING IN MEXICO

This forum, jointly organized by ICIP, Taula per Mèxic and the Mexican organization Serapaz, took place at the Center for Contemporary Culture of Barcelona (CCCB) from 25-27 September, and brought together forty speakers and more than a hundred attendees, from academia, social activism, institutions, culture and journalism. Barcelona was thus the scene of several discussion sessions about the opportunities that currently exist in Mexico to advance in peacebuilding, in a country with extremely high levels of violence.

The roundtable panelists consisted of a wide variety of experts with the aim of addressing current challenges facing Mexico in different areas: security, the analysis of migrations, the struggles for the defense of land and territory, freedom of the press and the need to move forward in terms of truth, justice and reparation for victims. The reflections have been compiled in a final summary document published on the ICIP website.

The Government of Catalonia, the Barcelona City Council and Casa Amèrica Catalunya collaborated in the organization of the event, and twenty other institutions also participated. Coinciding with the organization of the Forum, ICIP presented the monograph of the journal *Peace in Progress* entitled "Mexico: tracing opportunities for peace," published in electronic format (in English, Catalan and Spanish) and paper (in Catalan and Spanish).

The same week of the Forum, ICIP accompanied relatives of disappeared persons in Mexico to several meetings before European institutions in Brussels to denounce human rights violations and impunity in the Latin American country.

#### ROUNDTABLE: "MEXICO TODAY: NEW AND OLD CHALLENGES"

Following in the footsteps of the International Forum on Peacebuilding in Mexico, on 30 September, ICIP co-organized a roundtable at the Law School of the University of Girona (UdG) to debate and analyze security, human rights and peacebuilding challenges facing Mexico. The panelists were Guiomar Rovira, researcher and professor at the Metropolitan Autonomous University of Mexico (UAM), Raúl Benítez Manaut, member of Colectivo de Análisis de la Seguridad con Democracia (CASEDE), Mariana Mora, member of the Center for Research and Higher Studies in Social Anthropology (CIESAS-Mexico), and Alberto Solís, executive director of Serapaz. The event was moderated by Marco Aparicio and Salvador Martí, from UdG.

#### CONFERENCE: "MEXICO: HUMAN RIGHTS, PEACE AND CITIZEN SECURITY IN A NEW POLITICAL CONTEXT"

Organized jointly with Taula per Mèxic, this discussion, which took place at the ICIP Library on 24 January, brought together three Mexican women who are human rights activists and who have received threats as a result of their work. The participants were Karen Taxilaga, community leader and advocate for human rights, Indigenous peoples and the environment of Hidalgo; Mayra Cisneros, journalist and reporter on political and social issues for the radio station "La Poderosa" in Coahuila, from where she has covered social movements demanding justice for human rights violations; and Míriam Ramírez, investigative journalist for the weekly "Riodoce" of Sinaloa, specializing in corruption cases, issues related to public finances and also to human rights, specifically related to forced displacement.

CONFERENCE: "PEACE AND CITIZEN SECURITY IN LATIN AMERICA: A FEMINIST VIEW"

ICIP and the feminist association of international cooperation Cooperacció organized this discussion with Rosa Emilia Salamanca, director of the Colombian feminist organization CIASE, which promotes human rights and social justice. The event took place on 1 March at the ICIP Library.

CONFERENCE: "SILENCE IS NOT AN OPTION: STRATEGIES OF SOLIDARITY WITH MEXICO FROM BARCELONA"

The discussion panelists were Damián Gallardo, teacher, writer and activist arbitrarily imprisoned in Mexico for more than five years for his opposition to educational reform; Montse Santolino, journalist and activist; Xavier Giró, professor and director of the Conflict Monitoring Agency of the Autonomous University of Barcelona; and Majo Siscar, journalist and member of Taula per Mèxic, who presented the report *Silence is not an option* on the Barcelona City Council program "Barcelona protects journalists from Mexico."

The event, which took place on 29 May, was organized by ICIP, Taula per Mèxic, PBI and the City Council of Barcelona.

#### CONFERENCE: PEACEBUILDING IN MEXICO: WHAT ROLE FOR THE EUROPEAN UNION?

As part of the preparations for the International Forum on Peacebuilding in Mexico held in September, ICIP organized the conference "Peacebuilding in Mexico: what role for the European Union?" The event took place on 9 July at the ICIP Library with the participation of Josep-Maria Terricabras, former MEP and former member of the Mixed Commission EU-Mexico. Terricabras analyzed the actions being carried out by the European Union, as well as those that could be developed to collaborate in peacebuilding in Mexico.

CONFERENCE: "DISAPPEARING IN MEXICO: VIOLENCE, VULNERABILITY, RESILIENCE AND SUPPORT NETWORKS"

As a continuation of the action line related to the analysis of violence and peacebuilding in Mexico, ICIP, together with Taula per Mèxic, organized this discussion with Dr. Karla Salazar Serna, from the Regional Center for Multidisciplinary Research at the National Autonomous University of Mexico (UNAM). Salazar specializes in the study of resilience and the processes experienced by people and families who have been victims of violent environments, drug trafficking, wars and armed conflict. The event took place at the ICIP Library on 11 November.

### PUBLICATIONS

Within the subject matter of this work program, in 2019, ICIP has published:

- For a new strategy to reduce violence in non-war contexts, by Sergio Maydeu-Olivares. ICIP Policy Paper published in English, Catalan and Spanish.
- "Mexico: tracing opportunities for peace." Peace in Progress Journal, number 37, September 2019, coordinated by Sandra Martínez and Sabina Puig.

# 3. PROGRAM: SOCIAL AND POLITICAL DIALOGUE

The main focus of this program in 2019 was the coordination of coexistence and dialogue in polarized societies, both internationally and in Catalonia. Conflict is part of human nature and is essential for societies to move forward. However, it is necessary to manage conflicts constructively to avoid the risk of them becoming entrenched or potentially escalating into episodes of violence.

Many current conflicts occur in dynamics of political and social polarization, where ideologically opposed extremes deny each other any legitimacy, confusing an adversary with an enemy. In these cases, dialogue, both social and political, emerges as the main premise to deal with the conflict in a healthy manner and to overcome dogmatic positions that are far removed from self-criticism.

### ACTIVITIES PERFORMED

#### "CONDITIONS FOR SOCIAL AND POLITICAL DIALOGUE"

Throughout 2019, ICIP worked intensively to promote reflection and analysis on the need to promote spaces for social and political dialogue in Catalonia, in a context of enormous complexity. As part of this work, the Institute published a monograph of the *Peace in Progress* journal entitled "Dialogue in polarized societies."

To present the publication, ICIP organized a conference with four women who have different political perspectives to reflect in a plural and constructive way on the conditions for a social and political dialogue in Catalonia. The four panelists were Gabriela Serra, social activist; Neus Tomàs, journalist and deputy editor of Eldiario. es; Astrid Barrio, political scientist and professor of Political Science at the University of Valencia; and Helena Torroja, professor of Public International Law at the University of Barcelona.

Afterwards, on 11 December, a similar event took place in Igualada. On this occasion, ICIP brought together four people with different political perspectives with the aim of establishing a dialogue on the political and social situation in Catalonia. The event was entitled "Difficult dialogues: how to talk about the *Procés* [Catalan independence campaign] without hurting one another," and the four participants were Antoni Dalmau, writer; Fina Castells, teacher; Mireia Rubio, journalist and writer; and Xavier Badia, retired professor. The dialogue was jointly organized with the Igualada branch of the Barcelona Bar Association and the Ateneu Igualadí.

#### "INSIDE POLARIZATION: UNDERSTANDING THE DYNAMICS OF US VERSUS THEM"

On 20 March, the Association of Journalists of Catalonia hosted this lecture given by polarization expert Bart Brandsma and ICIP director Kristian Herbolzheimer. Brandsma's talk focused on the universal pattern of polarization processes and he offered tools and roles to create a strategy that reverses them. For his part, the director of ICIP identified the dynamics of polarization in the case of Catalonia and the responsibilities shared by civil society and the political establishment in the processes of conflict and (de)polarization.

Hanna Zielińska, from the Evens Foundation, who introduced the "Conflict Matters" project, and Cécile Barbeito, of the School for a Culture of Peace, also participated in the event. The conference was jointly organized by these two organizations and ICIP.

#### "THE EXPERIENCE OF THE BASQUE COUNTRY: PROMOTION OF DIALOGUE IN TIMES OF POLARIZATION"

The ICIP Library hosted a participatory conversation with Paul Ríos, peace and human rights activist and founder and former coordinator of the Lokarri organization. During the reflection and analysis session, which took place on 5 April, Ríos shared his experience in promoting dialogue in the Basque Country with an eye on the Catalan independence campaign.

#### "HOW TO TRANSFORM DISCREPANCIES INTO LISTENING"

ICIP and the Association for Nonviolent Communication organized this session which took place on 26 June at the ICIP Library. The talk was given by international mediator Duke Duchscherer, an expert in restorative circles and a certified trainer at the International Center for Nonviolent Communication since 2000. His work includes support for peacebuilders and dialogue processes in Sri Lanka, Nigeria, Ukraine and Nepal.

"DYNAMICS OF POLARIZATION"

ICIP organized this talk with Jennifer McCoy, professor of Political Science at Georgia State University (Atlanta, USA), to understand the reasons behind the dynamics of polarization, to what extent they represent a challenge for democratic systems and how we can deal with them.

The event took place on 28 June in connection with the publication of issue number 36 of the *Peace in Progress* journal, which deals with the topic of dialogue in polarized societies; McCoy is the author of one of the articles.

#### LISTEN TO EACH OTHER TO COEXIST: DIALOGUES BETWEEN VICTIMS OF ETA AND OF THE STATE"

Continuing with our determination to facilitate spaces for dialogue and strengthen coexistence in the Basque Country, the Institute, together with the Permanent Social Forum of the Basque Country, organized an event of public dialogue with victims of the conflict in the Basque Country and in Catalonia.

The meeting included testimonies by Rosa Lluch, daughter of Ernest Lluch, a politician assassinated by ETA; Robert Manrique, a victim of the car bomb attack by ETA at the Hipercor store in Barcelona; Axun Lasa, torture victim and sister of Joxean Lasa, killed by GAL, and Andoni Txasko, victim of the events that took place in Vitoria-Gasteiz on 3 March 1976.

#### INFORMATIVE BREAKFASTS FOR ANALYSIS AND REFLECTION ON CURRENT ISSUES

Throughout 2019, ICIP organized a series of informative breakfasts on current international political issues to create a space for reflection among experts. The topics covered focused on the context of three Latin American countries: Venezuela, Nicaragua and Bolivia.

The first breakfast, entitled "Venezuela: political crisis and future scenarios," took place on 1 February at the ICIP Library and was jointly organized with CIDOB and Casa Amèrica Catalunya. Anna Ayuso, senior researcher on Latin America at CIDOB, and Melissa Salmerón, Venezuelan political scientist with a doctorate in International Relations (UAB), introduced the session. The meeting provided a space for debate and analysis of the social and political situation in the Latin American country and the challenges that will have to be addressed in the near future.

On 22 February, the session of analysis and reflection entitled "Nicaragua: strategies for overcoming the conflict" took place with the aim of addressing the situation in this country and possible solutions to the political and social conflict in which it is immersed. The participatory conversation was led by Xavier Ruiz, head of Latin America and the Caribbean and representative of the Catalan Fund for Development Cooperation in Managua (Nicaragua), and Salvador Martí, professor of Political Science at the University of Girona and associate researcher at CIDOB. The session was jointly organized by ICIP, CIDOB, the Catalan Fund for Development Cooperation and Casa Amèrica Catalunya.

Finally, the participatory breakfast entitled "What is happening in Bolivia?" which was also jointly organized by ICIP, CIDOB and Casa Amèrica Catalunya, took place on 22 November. The session started off with speeches by Mónica Vargas Collazos, Bolivian anthropologist and sociologist, and researcher at the Transnational Institute; Anna Ayuso, senior researcher on Latin America at CIDOB; and Lluís Basteiro, representative of the Catalan Agency for Development Cooperation (ACCD) in Bolivia from 2008-2011.

#### PUBLICATIONS

In 2019, within the subject matter of this work program, ICIP published:

- "Dialogue in polarized societies." *Peace in Progress* journal, Number 36, February 2019, coordinated by Pablo Aguiar and Kristian Herbolzheimer.
- La seguridad en el siglo XXI, desde lo global a lo local. ICIP Research series o6. Published in Spanish.

#### 4. PROGRAM: "BUSINESS, CONFLICT AND HUMAN RIGHTS"

The purpose of this program is to analyze the role of companies in the development, financing and maintenance of armed conflict and, at the same time, the potential that corporations can have in conflict resolution. The objective is also to develop in-house research in this field and to promote coordination among the various actors and initiatives in Catalonia that address the relationship between business and human rights.

The work done by the international BCHR (Business, Conflict and Human Rights) Network, led by ICIP, falls within the framework of this program. This network brings together members of universities from around the world as well as NGOs and relevant research centers in the field of armed conflict and the promotion of peace. It was formally established in 2015 and since then it has celebrated an annual meeting in Geneva (Switzerland) within the framework of the United Nations Forum on Business and Human Rights. In 2019, the annual meeting took place on 28 November. During the event, the coordination and secretariat of the network was transferred to the African Law Foundation (AFRILAW), an NGO based in Nigeria dedicated to the promotion of human rights and social justice. Its coordinator, Okereke Chinwike, is a legal expert in human rights and development and has extensive experience in the relationship between business and human rights.

AFRILAW was the only candidacy presented to take over the BCHR secretariat. Strengthening contacts between stakeholders and policymakers and increasing the promotion of research are among the challenges it has taken on.

### ACTIVITIES PERFORMED

"DEFENDING LATIN AMERICA: THE SITUATION OF DEFENDERS OF HUMAN, LAND AND ENVIRONMENTAL RIGHTS"

For two days, the National Autonomous University of Mexico (UNAM) hosted this international seminar with the aim of offering a space to reflect on the intensity and diversity of the threats and aggressions suffered by defenders of human rights, the environment and natural resources, as well as to encourage a debate to identify the strengths and weaknesses of strategies and protection measures to deal with these situations of risk and violence. People and organizations from different countries participated in the seminar, which took place on 27-28 March. On behalf of ICIP, program technician Sabina Puig participated in the session entitled "Strategies for the protection and defense of Latin American defenders in Europe," with a presentation on temporary asylum programs in Catalonia and Spain. ICIP co-organized the event with the Center for Environmental Law Studies at Rovira i Virgili University in Tarragona and the Institute for Legal Research at the National Autonomous University of Mexico. The National Human Rights Commission of Mexico, the Spanish Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Directorate General for Development Cooperation of the Government of Catalonia and the Tarragona City Council also collaborated in the organization of this seminar.

#### 5<sup>TH</sup> RESEARCH SEMINAR ON "BUSINESS AND HUMAN RIGHTS"

Once again, ICIP co-organized the "Business and human rights" research seminar with Jaume I University in Castelló and Rovira i Virgili University in Tarragona. The seminar, which took place in Tarragona on 7-8 November, analyzed the relationship between human and environmental rights, both from a general perspective and based on specific cases.

#### 8<sup>TH</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON "BUSINESS, CONFLICT AND HUMAN RIGHTS"

The eighth annual conference of the International Research Network on Business, Conflict and Human Rights (BCHR Network) took place in Geneva on 28 November. The BCHR Network was formally established in 2015 and is coordinated by ICIP. During the conference, participants reflected on the interactions of the business world in complex contexts such as Liberia, Sierra Leone and Syria, among others. Additionally, the role of companies and how they interact with human rights in post-conflict contexts was addressed in a consultation format led by the Intergovernmental Working Group on Business and Human Rights.

#### BOOK LAUNCH: "BUSINESS AND HUMAN RIGHTS: MAPPING INITIATIVES"

The launch of the book *The institutionalisation of initiatives to promote business respect for human rights*, published in the ICIP Research series, took place at the ICIP Library on 12 December. The book highlights the initiatives for the promotion of rights that have been launched from the business world in different areas (international, national and regional) and their objectives and scope, while identifying the actors with the capacity to institutionalize this issue. The book's author, Daniel Iglesias Márquez, and Antoni Pigrau, professor of Rovira i Virgili University in Tarragona, participated in the event.

#### PUBLICATIONS

In 2019, within the subject matter of this work program, ICIP published:

- The revised version of the Draft of the UN Treaty on Business and Human Rights: towards the next round of negotiations, by Antoni Pigrau Solé and Daniel Iglesias Márquez. ICIP Policy Paper published in English, Catalan and Spanish.
- *The institutionalization of initiatives to promote business respect for human rights.* ICIP Research series 07. Published in English and Spanish.
- Defender en América Latina. Compilation of the conclusions of the international seminar on the situation of defenders of human rights, land and the environment held in Mexico City on 27-28 March 2019.

#### AWARDS, CALLS AND GRANTS

#### 1. ICIP PEACE IN PROGRESS AWARD

The ICIP Peace in Progress Award is conferred annually with the aim of publicly recognizing individuals, groups or institutions that have worked for, and contributed to, the promotion and building of peace in an outstanding and extensive manner.

The award is granted by the ICIP Governing Board and consists of public recognition, a sculpture created by the Nobel Peace Prize winner, artist and activist Adolfo Pérez Esquivel, called *Porta del Sol*, and a financial reward of 6,000 euros. The award winner is announced on 21 September, the International Day of Peace, and the award is presented at an institutional ceremony which takes place annually at the Catalan Parliament.

In a meeting of the Governing Board on 17 September, it was decided to confer the 2019 Award on the organization Collectif de Familles de Disparu(e)s en Algérie (CFDA) "for their determination and courage in denouncing enforced disappearances in Algeria, their fight against impunity and their contribution towards the establishment of a peaceful transition in the country."

Previously, the ICIP Peace in Progress Award 2018 was conferred on the Mexican organization Cauce Ciudadano for its work in the prevention of violence and the creation of peaceful alternatives for youth in settings characterized by crime and, especially, drug trafficking. The award ceremony took place at the Parliament of Catalonia on 12 March.

#### 2. ICIP ALFONS BANDA AWARD

The ICIP Alfons Banda Award aims to recognize the work of students in the third and fourth years of high school (ESO) and in postcompulsory education (high school after age 16 and intermediate and higher level vocational training courses) which promotes the analysis and obtaining of results in the theoretical field of building peace culture or the practical application of nonviolent conflict management. This award is part of the Young Research Awards conferred by the Agency for Management of University and Research Grants (AGAUR) with the aim of promoting the scientific spirit in youth.

The winning projects of the second edition of the award, corresponding to the year 2018, were determined in 2019. Of the fifteen projects presented, these were the ones awarded: "Refugees: past and present," by students Marta Riera Martí, Júlia Joaquín Lluís and Anna Bellot Tomàs (Frederic Mistral-Tècnic Eulàlia School) and "Road to Europe's Wall," by the student Alba Sapena Molina (Episcopal Mare de Déu de l'Acadèmia School, in Lleida). The award for each project was 750 euros.

ICIP received the young prizewinners at the offices of the institution on 10 September in an event to publicize the legacy of Alfons Banda. Participants included ICIP president Xavier Masllorens, and the president and the director of FundiPau, Antoni Soler and Jordi Armadans, respectively.

The third edition of the ICIP Alfons Banda Award was announced in 2019 and the winners will be determined in 2020.

#### 3. ICIP HIP-HOP FOR PEACE CONTEST

The ICIP Hip-Hop for Peace Contest aims to promote the values of peace culture and nonviolence among young people through hiphop. Started in 2016, this contest has the support of the Department of Education, the General Directorate for Youth of the Government of Catalonia and, since 2019, the Catalan Agency for Development Cooperation.



The competition has two categories. Category 1 is open to students in Catalonia in compulsory high school (ESO), vocational training and post-compulsory high school. Category 2 is open to young people between the ages of 12 and 25 who participate in youth, cultural, civic or socio-educational centers in Catalonia.

The winners of the third edition were announced in 2019. In Category 1, the group of students "The fugitives of silence" of Manuel Vázquez Montalbán High School, in Sant Adrià de Besòs, won first prize for the video "Salgamos de esta celda," (Let's get out of this cell) and, in Category 2, a group of young people of the Vitamina project, from the Carta de la Pau Foundation, won first prize for the video "Infame, caprichosa y estúpida" (Despicable, capricious and stupid).

Second prize in Category 1 went to students of Vilanova del Vallès High School for their video "¡Basta!" (Enough!). In Category 2, second prize went to young people at the Torre Bassas Youth Center in Rubí for their video "Diversitats" (Diversities). L'Àngel Special Education Center, in Amposta, received an honorable mention for the video "Tots som iguals" (We are all equal), for championing social inclusion and respect for people with special needs. And a group of young people doing a work/training program at Càritas-Girona also received an honorary mention for the video "Reflejos" (Reflections), where they denounce the discrimination they have suffered first-hand.

The fourth edition of the contest was announced in September 2019 and the winners will be determined in the first quarter of 2020.

#### 4. GRANTS AND AID

Once again, ICIP announced a call for grant applications to do research in the field of peace (R-ICIP) for the 2019-2020 financial year; the total amount to be awarded is 60,000 euros. The research projects receiving grants in this call are the following:

- Peace cooperation policies: a comparative analysis of Catalan and Valencian policies (2015-2019)," Autonomous University of Barcelona.
- "Dreaming for peace: Indigenous experiences and oneiric stories in the construction of historical memory and post-conflict society in Latin America," University of Barcelona.
- "Learning together: responses to sexual and gender-based violence in Catalan and Mexican universities," Rovira i Virgili University.
- Peace in the family: family discourses in the face of violence affecting their children in view of its impact in the pacification of polarized societies," Ramon Llull University.

- Green, but mean? The relationship between ecologically motivated land investments and conflict in the Global South (GREEN-MEAN)," Barcelona Institute of International Studies (IBEI).
- "Triangle *mara* victims," Autonomous University of Barcelona.

In addition, a new call for grant applications was announced aimed at non-profit organizations for projects promoting peace, for a total amount of 60,000 euros. In this case, the projects receiving grants are the following:

- "In words [migrant stories]," Connectats SCCL.
- "Bringing the military economic cycle closer to peace movement campaigns: an improved and more accessible data base," Delàs Center for Peace Studies.
- "Cathy Furaha, defender of peace and human rights in the DR Congo: awareness campaign in Catalonia," League of Peoples' Rights.
- "Myths and realities about transitional justice in Colombia," Peace Brigades International-Catalonia.
- "Let's pacify social networks," FundiPau (Foundation for Peace).

All the call resolutions can be found in the "Grants, fellowships and awards" section of the ICIP website.

ICIP regularly collaborates in public activities that various centers, organizations and universities organize in relation to funded projects.

#### EXHIBITIONS AND PRODUCTION OF AUDIOVISUAL MATERIALS

Since its creation, ICIP has produced various exhibitions and audiovisual materials, focusing on the topics of peace culture, nonviolence and conflict analysis, which are available to organizations and administrations that are interested in their dissemination.

#### EXHIBITION: "THE SOWING OF LIFE"

*La sembra de la vida. Cuerpos Gramaticales* Barcelona is a photographic and sensorial exhibition, created by Antonio Amador and Ingrid Guyon, which gathers the experiences of the collective project "Cuerpos Gramaticales" carried out in Barcelona in 2017 and promoted by ICIP.

This project, originally from Colombia, brought together Colombian women with the aim of generating memory practices that contribute to peacebuilding, symbolic reparation, pacific resistance and the recognition of civil society processes. In Barcelona, the project included artistic training and a final performative action to work on the concepts of memory and reconciliation.

The exhibition describes the whole project through large-format photographs and the testimonies of participants, and includes the documentary *La sembra de la vida*, created by Ingrid Guyon. The exhibition opened at the Barceloneta Community Center in Barcelona, in April 2018.

#### EXHIBITION: "MÓN-TANCA"

Món-tanca (Fence-world) is a project by the Enmedio Collective that reflects on walls and borders. The exhibition explores ways to sub-

vert the logic of separation and stigmatization of physical and mental walls with examples of creative protest actions that are taking place around the world.

The project consists of the edition of six newspapers that are combined together to compose a photo exhibit. When the publications are unfolded, there are six large photographs on one side and a poster with examples of the actions carried out by art collectives and activists from different countries on the other.

In 2019, the exhibition was on display at the campus of the Autonomous University of Barcelona from 22 February to 8 March.

#### EXHIBITION: "#EFECTEGEZI"

The photographic exhibition *#efecteGEZI: The transformative power of art* is a project by Oriana Eliçabe, produced by ICIP, about the peaceful protests that took place in Gezi Park in Istanbul, Turkey, in May 2013. People of different origins, cultures, lifestyles and ways of thinking set aside their differences and joined forces to protest nonviolently against the construction of a shopping center in a green area of the city.

That's how the Gezi effect started: the construction of a symbolism full of humor and creativity; art in response to repression; so-called *memes* as a mechanism for cultural and social dissemination in the form of drawings, photos and multimedia, which were transmitted from one individual to another via social networks and graffiti.

In 2019, this exhibition was on display from 11-22 February at Narcís Oller High School (Alt Camp) as part of the Nonviolent Struggle Conference.

#### EXHIBITION: "LIVING ON THE EDGE"

The exhibition *Living on the edge: conflict and reconciliation in divided cities in Europe* was created by journalist Angelo Attanasio and photojournalist Marco Ansaloni, and produced by ICIP. It shows the stories of conflict and reconciliation in four European cities where ethnic and religious conflicts have left a deep scar on present-day societies, which have been divided into two almost separate parts. The four cities are Nicosia (Cyprus), Belfast (Northern Ireland), Mitrovica (Kosovo) and Mostar (Bosnia and Herzegovina).

This year, the exhibition was on display in Manresa (Bages) from 4-20 December.

#### PEACE CAPSULES

The "Peace Capsules" project, launched in 2014, aims to show the diversity of visions and expectations that are projected on the word "peace." People from around the world respond to the question *What is peace to you?* based on their experience living in contexts of conflict or on their commitment against war and to peacebuilding.

In 2019, the project continued to grow and now features 125 capsules, which are all available at www.capsulesdepau.com. The reflections are of people from 49 different countries, including peace researchers, activists, artists, intellectuals and people who have closely experienced conflict. Each peace capsule contains a brief one-minute reflection, recorded in a video and subtitled in Catalan, Spanish and English.

The website also contains a series of educational materials aimed at developing personal skills that facilitate the analysis of violence and opportunities for peace as well as the practice of creative conflict transformation. The educational materials are aimed at formal and non-formal types of education to facilitate work that is more comprehensive in the progressive inclusion of peace culture in the education project.

This project is a joint production of ICIP and the Contrast Collective, with the support of Digital Dosis.

#### BOOK SERIES

ICIP has four book series, published in collaboration with various publishers, with the aim of disseminating peace culture among a wide audience. There are now a total of 69 books.

The following titles were published in 2019:

#### "CLÀSSICS DE LA PAU I DE LA NOVIOLÈNCIA" (CLASSICS OF PEACE AND NONVIOLENCE)

This series, co-published with Angle Editorial, aims to be a tool that facilitates the progressive implementation of peace culture and the consequent eradication of sociopolitical violence.

- Els pacifistes som els realistes. Selecció de textos, by Vicent Martínez Guzmán
- Marcs de guerra. Quines vides plorem?, by Judith Butler

#### "EINES DE PAU, SEGURETAT I JUSTÍCIA" (TOOLS FOR PEACE, SECURITY AND JUSTICE)

This series is published jointly by ICIP and Líniazero Edicions in digital format, with free access, in PDF and ePub versions. It aims to be a useful support for people who, with different degrees of implication, feel committed to working for peace.

 Sobre el perdó. Com podem perdonar l'imperdonable?, by Richard Holloway

#### "PAZ Y SEGURIDAD" (PEACE AND SECURITY)

This series, published jointly with Edicions Bellaterra, is aimed at experts, professionals, practitioners and academics in the field of peace, security and conflict resolution or transformation, especially for those who work in Latin America. No new titles were published in this series in 2019.

#### "NOVIOLENCIA I LLUITA PER LA PAU" (NONVIOLENCE AND THE FIGHT FOR PEACE)

This series, published jointly with Pagès Editors, aims to make available to society, academia and administrations instruments of reflection and action that show that nonviolence is desirable, viable and effective.

- Orígens i evolució del moviment per la pau a Catalunya (1950-1980), by Xavier Garí
- Una teoria de l'acció noviolenta. Com funciona la resistència civil, by Stellan Vinthagen

#### ACTIVITIES PERFORMED

Along with publishing in the different book series, ICIP periodically organizes public book launches of some of the most significant titles, with the aim of contributing to a wider dissemination of their content and promoting peace culture. The following book launch took place in 2019:

#### BOOK LAUNCH: "ORÍGENS I EVOLUCIÓ DEL MOVIMENT PER LA PAU A CATALUNYA (1950-1980)"

On 28 March, the ICIP Library hosted the book launch of *Orígens i evolució del moviment per la pau a Catalunya (1950-1980)*, published jointly by ICIP and Pagès Editors in the "Nonviolence and the fight for peace" book series. The book was presented by its author, Xavier Garí, who holds a doctorate in Contemporary History. Other participants included Josep Maria Solé, professor of Contemporary History at the Autonomous University of Barcelona; Xavier Baró, professor of History at the International University of Barcelona (UIC); and Judith Urbano, dean of the School of Humanities at UIC.

#### LIBRARY AND DOCUMENTATION CENTER

The ICIP Library responds to the commitment of establishing and maintaining a library that promotes research and the transfer of knowledge. Since its inception, it has become the leading library in matters of peace culture, security and conflicts. Its specific fields range from nonviolence, peacebuilding, conflict transformation, political science, international relations, disarmament, terrorism, and cooperation and development, to nonviolent social movements.

Apart from its daily activity providing information and consultation services, the library was the venue for various events in 2019, such as conferences, report presentations and training sessions.

The library is open to the general public. It has a consultation room and its main service is as a lending library. It is a member of the Network of Specialized Libraries of the Government of Catalonia (XBEG) and, since 2016, associate member of the Consortium of University Services of Catalonia (CSUC). The library belongs to the Collective Catalogue of Catalan Universities (CCUC), which has more than five million titles and provides access to more than ten million physical documents. It incorporates the archives of CSUC member libraries and other associated libraries as well.

The presence of ICIP library archives in the CCUC continues to provide a great deal of visibility to the library's collection with a focus on the university community, which is an ideal audience due to the nature of its contents.

The steady increase in demand for interlibrary loans by Catalan universities continued in 2019, since it is one of the elements that are most encouraged with integration.

In 2019, 380 monographs were acquired. A total of 502 documents were loaned and 488 renewals were made. The library has a total of 8,903 volumes, mostly books, but also audiovisual materials.

In addition to the section of monographs and books, the library has continued to offer its users access to various databases of the publishing houses Sage and Taylor& Francis, containing hundreds of specialized publications in the field. In this database, ICIP has offered access to a consulting service of current and back issues of more than 1,200 electronic journals, with emphasis on those specializing in peace and conflict. In order to complete the range of access to online publications, the library also subscribes to paper journals.

In 2019, we also received a significant donation from the personal collection of Vicenç Fisas, which will be gradually added to the catalogue, and which will help to complete the collections on military spending, nonviolent social movements and international relations.

To address the problem of lack of space, as maximum capacity of library bookshelves is being reached, new bookshelves have been purchased and, in 2020, the library will probably begin to unsubscribe to certain publications that have become thematically outdated.

Guided library tours were also conducted in 2019 in order to acquaint interested communities with the collections, and a class was given to students of the Salesian School in Sarrià in order for them to become acquainted with the library system and the role the library plays in its field.

#### SERVICES PROVIDED TO OTHER AGENTS AND INTERNATIONALIZATION

It is ICIP's role to advise Parliament, the Government, public administrations, universities and civil society organizations in their work to promote peace. That is why members of the ICIP working group and Governing Board maintain regular contacts with these actors and, at the same time, collaborate on activities organized by other institutions.

Throughout 2019, ICIP organized and participated in numerous events related to increasing the awareness and promotion of peace culture with other organizations and institutions with the aim of creating synergies and joining forces.

#### 8<sup>TH</sup> "FEDERICO MAYOR ZARAGOZA" PEACE CONFERENCE

Once again, ICIP supported and participated in this conference that takes place annually in L'Ampolla (Baix Ebre). In 2019, the conference took place on 9 March and was entitled "The plunder of the land as structural violence." It reflected on the case of the Ebro River, eco-social crises, and the violence suffered by defenders of human and environmental rights in Mexico.

#### 21<sup>st</sup> SEMINAR "CHALLENGES OF THE INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT"

L'ICIP, en col·laboració amb la Universitat Rovira i Virgili de TarICIP, in collaboration with Rovira i Virgili University (URV) in Tarragona and the Tarragona Red Cross, organized the 21<sup>st</sup> edition of the seminar on International Humanitarian Law. This year, the seminar focused on the current challenges facing the International Criminal Court on the occasion of the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Rome Statute. The seminar took place on 21-22 March at the URV School of Legal Sciences.

#### 2<sup>ND</sup> CONFERENCE: "OMID KOKABEE: SCIENCE, PEACE AND HUMAN RIGHTS"

Following the success of the first edition, ICIP, together with the Polytechnic University of Catalonia and the town councils of Castelldefels and Sant Boi de Llobregat, organized this second conference of science and peace dedicated to the Iranian physicist Omid Kokabee, a former UPC student who refused to use his scientific knowledge to work on Iranian military projects in the field of nuclear research. As a result, Kokabee was sentenced to ten years in prison in his country.

The 2019 edition of the conference took place on 11 April in Castelldefels with the aim of deepening the reflection on the role that universities play in promoting peace and human rights.

#### INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR: "RECONCILIATION, HISTORICAL MEMORY AND PEACE CULTURE"

On 30 April, José Simeón Cañas Central American University in El Salvador hosted this seminar jointly organized by ICIP, the Catalan Agency for Development Cooperation and the aforementioned university. The conference addressed the analysis of various processes of post-conflict social reconciliation, such as those of Spain, Colombia and El Salvador. Speakers included María Camila Moreno, director of the International Center for Transitional Justice (ICTJ) of Colombia; José Ramón Juaniz Maya, lawyer and member of the International Tribunal for the Application of Restorative Justice in El Salvador; and Fernando Mendiola, professor of the Public University of Navarra.

#### "LIVE IT UP" SOLIDARITY FESTIVAL

ICIP president Xavier Masllorens took part in the roundtable entitled "International conflicts: What can we do when we think there is nothing we can do?" which took place on 25 May in Les Franqueses del Vallès as part of the "Viure-ho tot" (Live it up) Solidarity Festival organized by Lauro High School of the same town. Other panelists included members of the organizations Open Arms and El Poble Ajuda al Poble.

## PRESENTATION OF THE 2019 GLOBAL PEACE INDEX

Produced by the Institute for Economics and Peace, the Global Peace Index is the most complete and up-to-date analysis of peace trends in 163 states and territories of the world. On 25 June, it was presented at Blanquerna Auditorium in Barcelona, and participants included Carme Colomina, member of the ICIP Governing Board and CIDOB researcher; Serge Stroobants, the Institute for Economics and Peace representative in Brussels; and Míriam Díez, vice dean for Research, Postgraduate and International Relations at the Blanquerna School of Communication and International Relations, Ramon Llull University.

#### 33<sup>RD</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF ARBÚCIES-PALACAGÜINA TOWN-TWINNING AGREEMENT

On 13 July, the municipality of Arbúcies hosted a series of events to celebrate more than three decades of the twinning with the Nicaraguan town of Palacagüina. ICIP participated in the event with the coordination of the "Space for peace and reconciliation in Nicaragua," which brought together Nicaraguans living in Catalonia, and the presentation of the ICIP action line focusing on reconciliation.

#### CONFERENCE ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION IN HONDURAS

PEN Catalonia, in collaboration with ICIP and Casa Amèrica Catalunya, organized this dialogue between Dina Meza, journalist and president of PEN Honduras, and Montse Santolino, journalist and head of communications at LaFede.cat. In the event, which took place on 10 September, the prestigious Honduran journalist, who is known for her involvement in the defense of human rights, explained the situation of human rights defenders in the Central American country.

#### SEMINAR ON PEACE AND HUMAN RIGHTS: "ENREDADAS" AGANST GENDER VIOLENCE

This seminar, organized by FEM 3.0 – Gender & ICT, is the result of an R-ICIP research grant. The various sessions focused on the relationship between peace and feminism and the influence of social media and the Internet on global petitions against gender violence and in favor of peace and human rights. The aim of the seminar was to discuss and reach a consensus on measures and good practices for designing and managing digital communication campaigns that are respectful of people in terms of peace, human rights and gender perspective.

The seminar took place on 19-20 September at the Palau Robert in Barcelona.

#### "COLOMBIA: ELUSIVE PEACE"

As part of the peacebuilding in Colombia action line, ICIP collaborated in the presentation of the new issue of the *CIDOB Journal of International Affairs* entitled "Peacebuilding: Colombia as an international mirror." The aim of the event, which took place on 30 September, was to shed light on the challenges and successes of the Colombian peace process. Participants included Borja Paladini, researcher at PRIO and responsible for the peace process monitoring reports of the University of Notre Dame's Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies, and Luis Sandoval, founder of Redepaz and active member of Defendamos la Paz.

#### CITIES FOR HUMAN RIGHTS PROJECT

Since 2013, ICIP has been one of the public institutions and organizations that support the Cities for Human Rights project, in which several Catalan municipalities participate. The aim of the initiative is to make known the work of human rights activists around the world through their own testimony and to raise public awareness about the importance of human rights advocacy and of international support for the struggles of human rights defenders. The initiative also aims to raise awareness about the need to integrate human rights advocacy into our daily work.

Thirteen human rights defenders took part in the 2019 edition, sharing their testimony in various Catalan municipalities. ICIP, the Human Rights Institute of Catalonia and Casa Amèrica Catalunya organized the opening day of the project, which took place on Saturday 5 October at Casa Amèrica Catalunya. The event featured a roundtable with the activists entitled "Human rights and polarized societies" and the "Mic x Everyone" space, open to public participation.

#### COLOMBIAN WOMEN DEFENDERS OF ENVIRONMENTAL, LAND AND AGRARIAN RIGHTS

To mark the presentation of Oxfam Intermón's report and campaign dedicated to the role of land defenders in Colombia since the signing of the Peace Accords, the organization organized this colloquium on 9 October with the participation of Luz Amparo Vásquez, a peasant advocate and member of the Political Advocacy Platform of Colombian Rural Women; Ana Isabel Barrera, ICIP technician; Tono Albareda, member of Taula Catalana per la Pau i els Drets Humans a Colòmbia; Marta Nin, director general of Casa Amèrica Catalunya; and Andrea Costafreda, of Oxfam Intermón.

#### COURSE: "FOUNDATIONS FOR A CULTURE OF RECONCILIATION"

This course, organized by Cristianisme i Justícia, took place in Barcelona in October and November. The aim of the course was to work on the culture of reconciliation and processes which value inclusion, sustainability, respect for differences and human dignity. ICIP director, Kristian Herbolzheimer gave the session of 14 November which dealt with reconciliation in fractured societies.

#### 3<sup>RD</sup> CONGRESS ON PEACEBUILDING WITH A GENDER PERSPECTIVE

From 4-6 November, the Ibero-American University of Mexico City hosted the third edition of this congress. The aim of this event was to share experiences of civil society organizations, international organizations and public institutions. ICIP collaborated with the Congress, which addressed women's experiences in peacebuilding, an analysis of masculinities, violent extremism, education for peace from a gender perspective, and processes of care and reparation for victims of conflict.

Within the framework of the Congress, ICIP and the feminist organization CIASE (Corporation for Social and Economic Research and Action) organized the workshop "Care, protection and security: an experience from Latin America," which took place on 7-8 November at the same university. The workshop provided a space to rethink security from feminism in contexts of violence and potential conflict, from a theoretical as well as a practical and sensory point of view.

#### PRESENTATION OF THE POSITIVE PEACE INDEX 2019

On 14 November, the Blanquerna School of Communication and International Relations hosted the presentation of this analysis developed by the Institute for Economics and Peace (IEP) which, unlike the Global Peace Index, focuses on the study of the factors that sustain peace. The event featured speeches by Tom Woodhouse, Professor Emeritus of Conflict Resolution at the University of Bradford (UK); Steve Killelea, founder and president of the IEP; and experts from CIDOB, ICIP and Blanquerna.

## $16^{\text{TH}}$ barcelona film and human rights festival

In addition to the screenings, the new edition of this film festival included a number of other activities, such as the roundtable "Social and political conflicts, mediation and peace culture," which took place on 21 November at Lafede.cat. The session dealt with how to manage social and political conflicts, the role of mediation and its application, and how the social and political conflict in Catalonia is being addressed. Panelists included Pablo Aguiar, ICIP program technician; Belén Llera Cermeño, secretary general of the Spanish Commission for Cooperation with UNESCO; and Tica Font, researcher at the Delàs Center for Peace Studies.

#### DEALING WITH THE CULTURE OF FEAR THROUGH THE CULTURE OF PEACE

ICIP, as a member of the AIPAZ network, took part in the network's annual conference, which this year was entitled "Dealing with the culture of fear through the culture of peace" and which took place in Granada on 28-29 November. Specifically, ICIP participated in the roundtable dedicated to the challenges posed by severe social polarization, on the 29<sup>th</sup>. The coordinator of the "Peace and security in public policies" work program, Pablo Aguiar, addressed the opportunities for promoting dialogue in polarized societies, as a result of the action line launched by ICIP to address the conflict in Catalonia.

#### INTERNATIONALIZATION

ICIP is committed to promoting contacts and regular collaborations with similar centers and institutions outside of Catalonia. In 2019, the Institute continued its efforts to strengthen the internationalization aspect in order to publicize our work, exchange experiences, strengthen our links with international organizations and increase collaborations with organizations from around the world.

As a result of this commitment, ICIP became a new member of the European Peace Liaison Office (EPLO), the leading European platform for organizations working to build peace and prevent violent conflict. EPLO acts as a focus of influence for the European Union to implement policies of peace and peaceful transformation of conflicts at the European level. At the same time, it is a space for cooperation and collaboration between key European organizations in the promotion of peace and also offers specialized training in this field. The network includes thirty-nine member institutions from seventeen different countries and, with its admission, ICIP became the first member from Spain. Within the framework of the EPLO network, the Institute participated in several work sessions organized by the platform in Brussels (Belgium), such as the "Training Seminar on Peacebuilding Advocacy towards the EU," held on 19-20 September, and the meeting "Transitioning from war to peace: What role for the EU in addressing illicit economies?," which took place on 24 October as part of the "Civil Society Dialogue Network."

Within the line of peacebuilding, the work accomplished with the Commission for the Clarification of the Truth, Coexistence and Non-Repetition of Colombia, which began in November 2018, is worth noting. In 2019, ICIP took over the duties of the Technical Secretariat of the Commission in Europe (see corresponding section in the "Memory, coexistence and reconciliation" action program).

At the institutional level, ICIP has attended several international seminars and meetings. In the work of promoting dialogue and analysis of the dynamics of political and social polarization, ICIP participated in a congress in November on the role of the media in divided societies organized by The Social Change Initiative in Belfast, Northern Ireland. The conference, entitled "Media in Deeply Divided Societies – Its Role and Responsibilities," was a space to share knowledge with institutions from around the world that work on this issue.

In addition, this year the Institute has started an action line on security alternatives, with a feminist approach, in Latin America, with the Colombian organization CIASE (Corporación de Investigación y Acción Social y Económica). As part of this project, an ICIP delegation traveled to Bogotá in May to conduct an internal analysis workshop. As a result of this joint work, the Ibero-American University of Mexico City hosted the open workshop "Care, protection and safety: an experience located in Latin America," in parallel with the 3<sup>rd</sup> Peacebuilding Congress with a Gender Perspective, held in November. Finally, ICIP also maintained contact with other institutions and organizations in 2019. ICIP director Kristian Herbolzheimer attended a conference hosted by Wilton Park on peace in Afghanistan, which took place in Turkey in January, and another session on Colombia, held in the United Kingdom in June. The ICIP director was also invited to a training session of Colombian military personnel organized by NOREF, and to an evaluation and planning meeting of the Truth Commission of Colombia, organized in June and December, respectively. As for working meetings, ICIP held meetings in Colombia and Mexico with various organizations; in the United Kingdom, with Conciliation Resources; and in Nigeria, to speak with the government about the peace process in the Philippines.

#### EXTERNAL DISSEMINATION

#### 1. THE ICIP WEBSITE

The website www.icip.cat contains all the information about the Institute and is permanently updated in Catalan, Spanish and English. The website includes ICIP's activities, news and publications, and has its own spaces dedicated to action programs, educational resources, peacebuilding work and the library.

#### 2. ICIP E-BULLETINS

Electronic bulletins are sent out monthly and contain the most relevant news about ICIP, including publications and activities organized by the Institute. It has 858 subscribers.

The following issues were published in 2019:

- e-Bulletin number 101 (January 2019)
- e-Bulletin number 102 (February 2019)
- e-Bulletin number 103 (March 2019)
- e-Bulletin number 104 (April 2019)
- e-Bulletin number 105 (May 2019)
- e-Bulletin number 106 (June 2019)
- e-Bulletin number 107 (July 2019)
- e-Bulletin number 108 (September 2019)
- e-Bulletin number 109 (October 2019)
- e-Bulletin number 110 (November 2019)
- e-Bulletin number 111 (December 2019)

#### 3. SOCIAL MEDIA

Social media sites are a critical channel for the dissemination of IC-IP's activities and a forum for debate and an exchange of views with citizens. The most active sites are Facebook (http://facebook.com/institutcatalainternationalperlapau), where ICIP has about 6,200 friends, and Twitter (http://twitter.com/ICIPeace), with over 7,000 followers.

ICIP is also active in other social media platforms, such as the corporate channel of YouTube (where you can see, for example, all the videos of the "Peace Capsules" project and of the exhibitions and main events organized by the Institute).

#### RESOURCES AND ORGANIZATION

These two key areas ensure the operation of ICIP as an institution, both in terms of economic resources as well as its organization, internal work structure and relationship with other organizations.

#### 1. RESOURCES

The final ICIP budget for 2019 was 1,238,840.37 euros, distributed in accordance with the following chapters: Chapter I (602,663.35 euros), Chapter II (432,522.61 euros), Chapter IV (188,654.41 euros) and Chapter VI (15,000.00 euros).

#### 2. ORGANIZATION

These were the ICIP staff members in 2019:

Kristian Herbolzheimer Jeppson (Executive Director) Pablo Aguiar Molina (Program Technician) Ana Isabel Barrera Osorio (Program Technician), since June Marc Enzo Belligoi Gomis (Administrative Assistant), from July to September Ángeles Blanco Díaz (Economic, Financial and Human Resources Director), since May Sara Bosch Brinques (Press and Communications Technician), until the month of February Miquel Casas Salinas (Jurist) Maria Fanlo Torrecilla (Program Technician) Elisabet Ferrer Narro (Administrative Assistant), since November Roser Fortuny Valdivielso (Press and Communications Technician), from March to October Maria Fuentes Díaz (Executive Secretary) Marta López Carabí (Administrative Assistant) Sandra Martínez Domingo (Program Technician) Guifré Miquel Fageda (Documentary Filmmaker) Iris Paniagua Martínez (Administrative Assistant), until May Sílvia Plana Subirana (Program Technician), since September Cristina Pons Gomar (Economic Management Technician) Sabina Puig Cartes (Program Technician) Eugènia Riera Casals (Press and Communications Technician) Eva Maria Rodríguez Pérez (Economic, Financial and Human Resources Director), until April Lucía Serrano Arjona (Executive Secretary), since November

In 2019, Marc Enzo Belligoi Gomis, a master's degree student in International Relations at the Barcelona Institute for International Studies (IBEI), was doing an internship at ICIP, thanks to agreements reached with various universities.

#### ANNEX I: LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

#### COL·LECCIONS DE LLIBRES

#### "CLÀSSIC DE LA PAU I DE LA NOVIOLÈNCIA" (CLASSICS OF PEACE AND NONVIOLENCE)



Vicent Martínez Guzmán. *Els pacifistes som els realistes. Selecció de textos.* Barcelona: International Catalan Institute for Peace – Angle Editorial, 2019



Judith Butler. *Marcs de guerra. Quines vides plorem?* Barcelona: International Catalan Institute for Peace – Angle Editorial, 2019

#### "EINES DE PAU, SEGURETAT I JUSTÍCIA" (TOOLS FOR PEACE, SECURITY AND JUSTICE)



Richard Holloway. *Sobre el perdó. Com podem perdonar l'imperdonable?* Barcelona: International Catalan Institute for Peace – Líniazero, 2019

#### 'NOVIOLÈNCIA I LLUITA PER LA PAU' ('NONVIOLENCE AND THE FIGHT FOR PEACE')



Xavier Garí. *Orígens i evolució del moviment per la pau a Catalunya (1950-1980)*. Barcelona: International Catalan Institute for Peace – Pagès editors, 2019



Stellan Vinthagen. *Una teoria de l'acció noviolenta. Com funciona la resistència civil.* Barcelona: International Catalan Institute for Peace – Pagès editors, 2019

#### POLICY PAPERS



2019/1. For a new strategy to reduce violence in non-war contexts, by Sergio Maydeu-Olivares

Available in: English, Catalan and Spanish



2019/2. The Revised Draft of the UN Treaty on Business and Human Rights: towards the next round of negotiations, by Antoni Pigrau Solé and Daniel Iglesias Márquez

Available in: English, Catalan and Spanish

#### ICIP RESEARCH



La Seguridad en el siglo XXI, desde lo global a lo local. ICIP Research 06

Available in: Spanish



The institutionalization of initiatives to promote business respect for human rights. ICIP Research 07

Available in: English and Spanish

#### DOCUMENTS



2019/16. *Defender en América Latina*. Summary of the conclusions of the international seminar on the situation of defenders of human rights, land and the environment held in Mexico City on 27-28 March 2019

Available in: Spanish

#### PEACE IN PROGRESS JOURNAL



Number 36 – June 2019: *Dialogue in polarized societies*, coordinated by Pablo Aguiar and Kristian Herbolzheimer

Available in English, Catalan and Spanish



Number 37 – September 2019: *Mexico: tracing opportunities for peace*, coordinated by Sandra Martínez and Sabina Puig

Available in English, Catalan and Spanish

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#### "LA VOZ DE COLOMBIA" NEWSLETTER

- Bulletin number 0 (March 2019)
- Bulletin number 1 (May 2019)
- Bulletin number 2 (July 2019)
- Bulletin number 3 (October 2019)
- Bulletin number 4 (December 2019)

#### ANNEX II: ICIP IN THE MEDIA

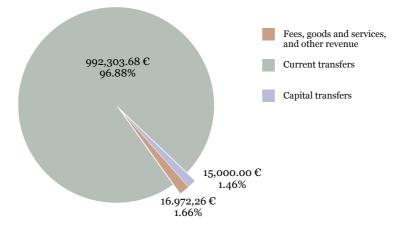
ICIP maintained a continued media presence in 2019, in terms of the written press and also radio, television and digital publications. The activities carried out by the Institute were disseminated in the media via press releases and these were then followed up with news reports or interviews. In addition, various members of the ICIP technical team published opinion pieces in the press on topics of interest to the institution.

Among the news media that reported on ICIP activities or interviewed ICIP members or collaborators, the following are particularly worth mentioning: Televisió de Catalunya, Catalunya Ràdio, Radio Nacional de España, Radio 4; the newspapers Ara, El Punt Avui, El Periódico, La Vanguardia, and Catalunya Plural; and the news agencies EFE and Europa Press. On an international level, the director of ICIP was interviewed by the Al Jazeera television station about the post-conflict situation in Colombia and about the political conflict in Catalonia; he was also interviewed by BBC World Radio.

# ANNEX III: BUDGET

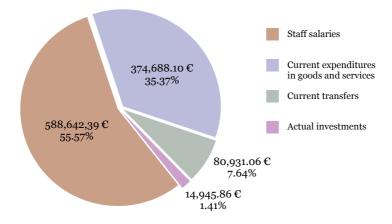
#### **Revenue Budget 2019**

Total settled revenue: 1,024,275.94 €



#### **Expenditure Budget 2019**

Total expenditure incurred: 1,059,270.41 €



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Chapter	Description of Entry	Initial Budget Modifications	Modifications	Final Budget (FB)	Acknowledged Rights (AR)	Deviation (FB-AR)	% Implementation (AR/FB)
Chapter 3	Fees, goods and Chapter 3 services, and other revenue	3,000.00€	13,972.26 €	16,972.26 €	16,972.26 €	- €	00.00%
Chapter 4	Chapter 4 Current transfers	1,124,800.00 €	1,124,800.00 € -132,496.32 €	992,303.68€	992,303.68 €	- €	00.00%
Chapter 5	Chapter 5 Equity income	50.00€	-50.00€	- €	- €	- €	<b>(</b> -)
Chapter 7	Chapter 7 Capital transfers	15,000.00 €	-	15,000.00€	15,000.00€	- €	00.00%
Chapter 8	Chapter 8 Change in financial assets	-	-€ 214,564.43€	214,564.43€		–€ 214,564.43€	6)
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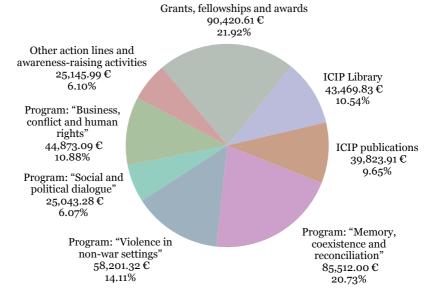
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Chapter	Description of Expenditure	Initial Budget Modifications	Modifications	Final Budget (FB)	Acknowledged Liabilities (AL)	Deviation (FB-AL)(1)	% Implementation (AL/FB)
Chapter 1	Chapter 1 Staff salaries	577,810.00€	24,853.35 €	602,663.35€	588,642.39€	14,020.96€	97.67%
Chapter 2	Current Chapter 2 expenditures in goods and services	431,560.00 €	962.61€	432,522.61€	374,688.10€	57,834.51 €	86.63%
Chapter 4	Chapter 4 Current transfers	118,480.00€	70,174.41€	188,654.41€	80,931.06€	107,723.35€	42.90%
Chapter 6	Chapter 6 Actual investments	15,000.00€	- €	15,000.00€	14,945.86 €	54.14 €	99.64%
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# **Expenditure Budget 2019** (euros)

#### Detailed breakdown of expenditures incurred by activity

(Excluding personnel and operating expenses)

Activities	Expenditure	% of Total
Grants, fellowships and awards	90,420.61€	21.92%
ICIP Library	43,469.83€	10.54%
ICIP publications	39,823.91€	9.65%
Program: "Memory, coexistence and reconciliation"	85,512.00€	20.73%
Program: "Violence in non-war settings"	58,201.32€	14.11%
Program: "Social and political dialogue"	25,043.28€	6.07%
Program: "Business, conflict and human rights"	44,873.09€	10.88%
Other action lines and awareness-raising activities	25,145.99€	6.10%
Total expenditures	412,490.03€	100.00%





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