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Mission

The Coalition for the International Criminal Court (CICC) is a network of over 2,500 non-governmental organizations in 150 countries working in partnership with its member organizations around the world to campaign for a fair, effective, and independent International Criminal Court and improved access to justice for victims of genocide, war crimes, and crimes against humanity.

The Coalition led the global civil society effort to create the International Criminal Court and is now engaged in ensuring the effectiveness, independence, and accessibility of international justice and related national legal structures, while also responding to more urgent local and regional developments. The Coalition works with all aspects of the Court, as well as with the broader network of governments, the United Nations, and other institutions involved in the international justice system. Through this committed global partnership, the Coalition's guiding mission is to make justice universally accessible for victims of the gravest crimes in an effort to secure lasting peace.

Member Organizations & Steering Committee

The Coalition's global network consists of leading human rights and humanitarian nongovernmental organizations, international law and justice institutions, and local and grassroots organizations from every region of the world. Coalition member organizations represent a wide range of focus areas, from women and children's rights to peace and reconciliation issues. The Steering Committee is comprised of a core group of member organizations which provide policy and program coherence for the Coalition's efforts and activities: Adaleh Center for Human Rights Studies, Amnesty International, Andean Commission of Jurists, Asociación pro Derechos Humanos-Peru (APRODEH-Peru), The Civil Resource Development and Documentation Centre-Nigeria (CIRDDOC-Nigeria), Fédération Internationale des Ligues des Droits de l'Homme (FIDH), FORUM ASIA, Georgian Young Lawyers Association (GYLA), Human Rights Watch, HURINET-Uganda, Justice Without Frontiers (JWF), No Peace Without Justice, Parliamentarians for Global Action, REDRESS, Women's Initiatives for Gender Justice, and the World Federalist Movement-Institute for Global Policy (WFM-IGP).

Advisory Board

The Coalition's Advisory Board serves as a global leadership group in support of the cause of international justice and provides strategic guidance on key issues. Chaired by the Honorable Justice Richard Goldstone, the Board includes His Excellency Bruno Stagno Ugarte (Vice Chair), His Royal Highness Prince Zeid Ra'ad Zeid Al-Hussein, the Honorable Louise Arbour, the Honorable Lloyd Axworthy, Dr. Jonathan Fanton, Ms. Hina Jilani, Mr. Juan E. Méndez, Ms. Pam Omidyar, Her Royal Highness Princess Mabel van Oranje, Mr. William R. Pace (Convenor of the Coalition), Ms. Darian Swig, the Honorable Patricia Wald, His Excellency Christian Wenaweser, and Chair Emeritus, former United Nations Secretary-General and Nobel Laureate the Honorable Kofi Annan.

Offices

The Coalition is co-headquartered The Hague and New York and has regional offices in Bangkok, Thailand; Brussels, Belgium; Cotonou, Benin; and Lima, Peru.

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