



Centre for Peace, Development
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Center of Peace, Development and Reforms (CPDR) is a registered non-government organization which was created out of a citizens' initiative to channelize the energies of youth and civil society actors in order to reform the society, making it more inclusive and pluralistic.

CPDR does not only serve as a bridge between Government bodies and the common masses but its reach has expanded to train hundreds of youth in Azad Jammu and Kashmir on conflict sensitization, active citizenship engagement, participatory action research and conflict reporting.

CPDR enables stakeholders with different viewpoints to create and implement ideas that contribute to lasting social change and strengthen the civil society.

WHAT MAKES US DIFFERENT?

Reporting, publishing and training haven't been our only concerns. Rather, we have tried to maintain the institution's intellectual autonomy and have challenged the consensual myths, socio-political stereotypes and super-structures of dominance in the society by introducing discourse around matters of sensitivity for the state and society. For instance;

1. The idea of connectivity between two parts of the divided Jammu and Kashmir State was induced in the larger political discourse of region. The activists in CPDR helped in formation of cross-LoC joint groups of traders, youth and researchers.

2. In an attempt to establish liaisons between public institutions and common masses; CPDR has conducted seminars and workshops as well as published extensive recommendatory reports and research **papers on constitutional reforms in AJK**. Need assessment reviews and baselines studies on challenges of youth in AJK and Gilgit-Baltistan are also conducted.

HELP US SO THAT WE COULD HELP YOU

We believe that we have made sufficient progress in changing the political discourse in the region and our work is collectively vital to millions of people. It is not just the financial charity but the charity of ideas that we ask for.

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