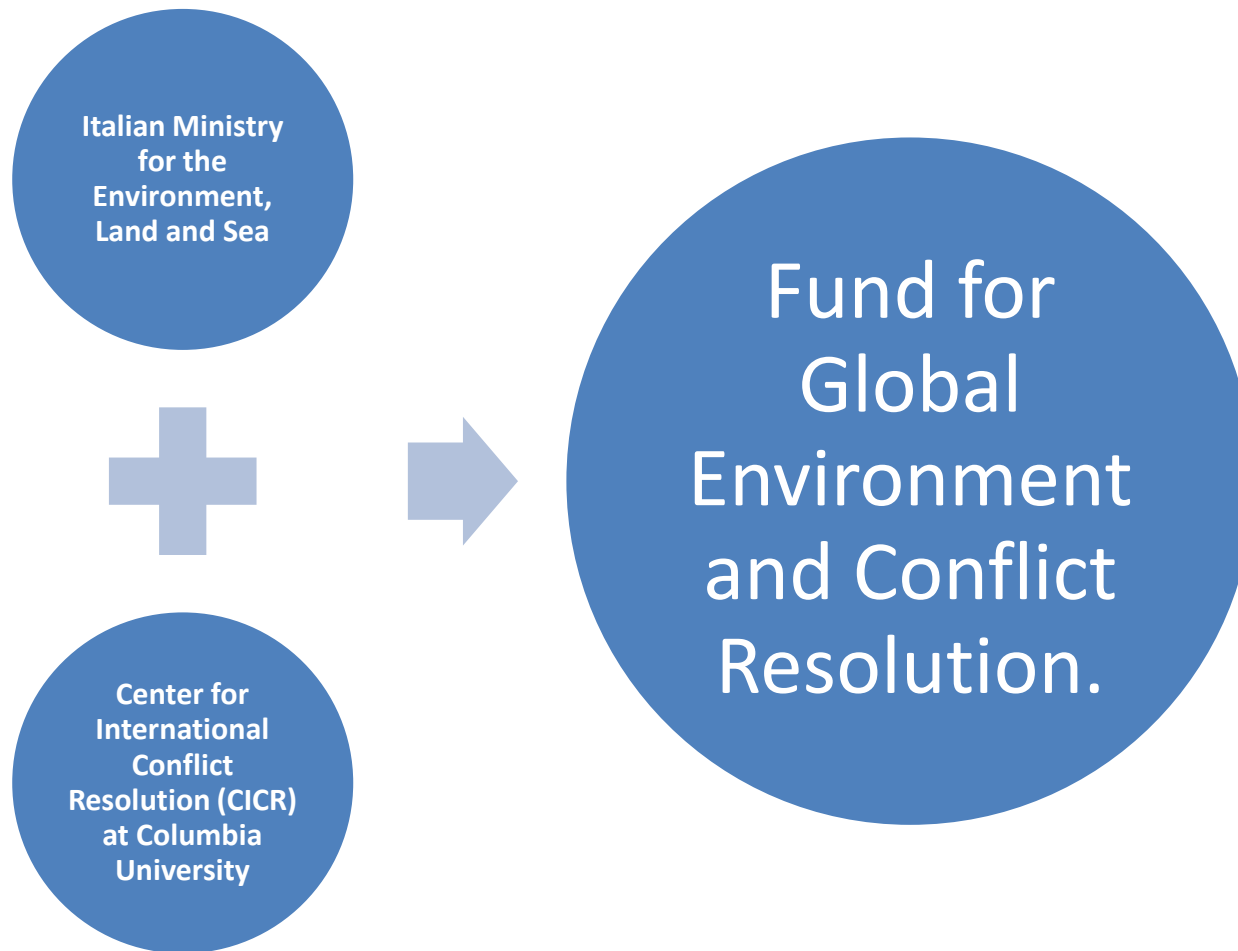




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Overview

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2. Columbia University's *Center for International Conflict Resolution (CICR)*

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1. The Italian Ministry for the Environment, Land and Sea (IMELS)

Since 1986, committed to promoting and supporting international partnership and cooperation towards global sustainable development



2. The Center for International Conflict Resolution (CICR): Mandate

Research

- Produce and disseminate research to meet the academic standards of excellence set by Columbia University as a major center of research.

Education

- Respond effectively to the academic needs of graduate students who come to the School for its world-renowned education and specialized training

Practice

- Fully honor its responsibility – to those people who are touched by deadly violence and its aftermath – to address conflict sensitively in a holistic and sustainable manner through long term engagements in the field.

3a. The Fund For Global Environment and Conflict Resolution: Focus Areas

Relationships between sustainable development and post-conflict

- Balkans, Iraq, Afghanistan, Peru and Colombia

Research focus on the prevention of potential conflicts in the use of natural resources

- China, the Middle East and North Africa

Relationship between climate change and international security

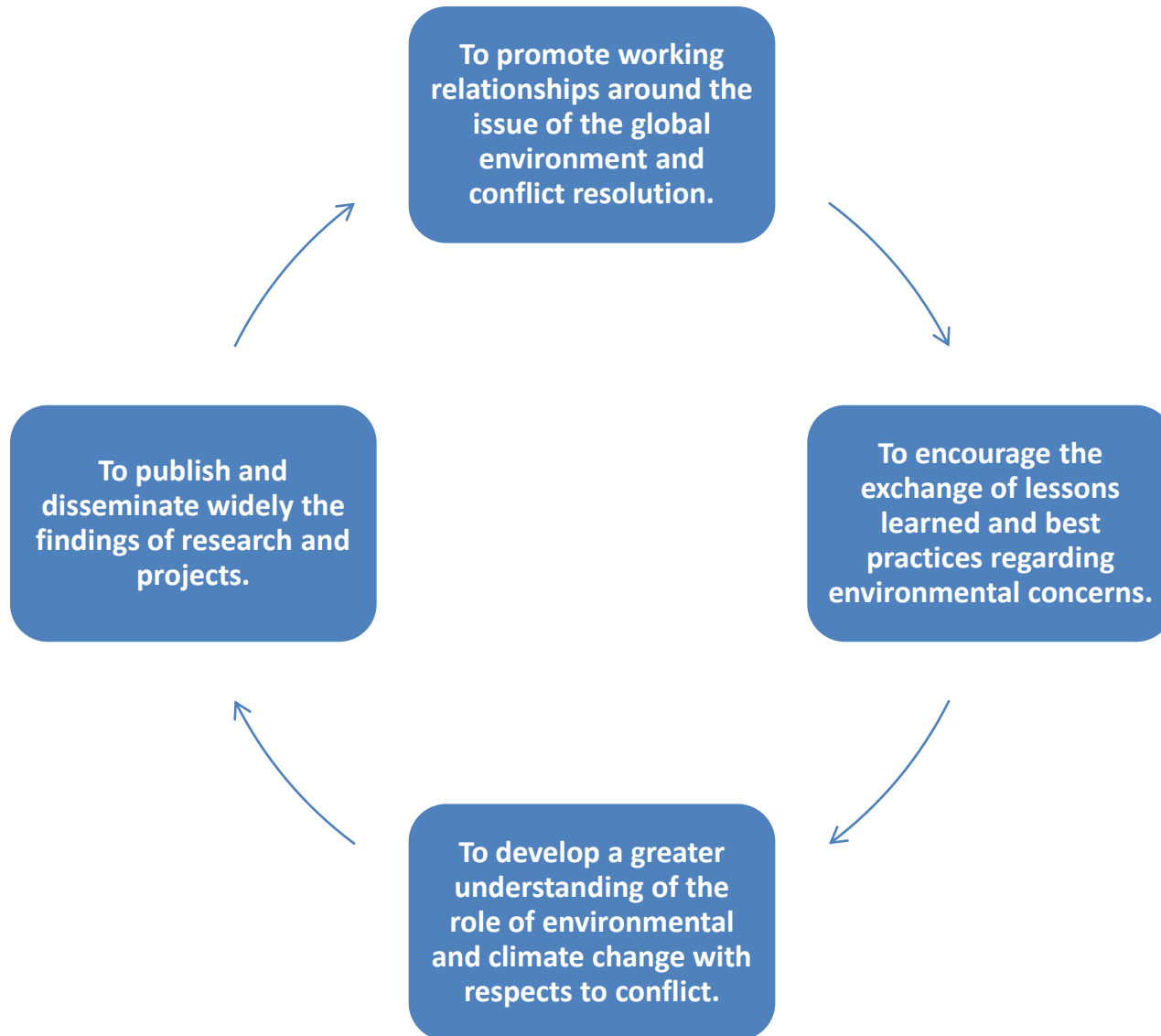
- Water scarcity
- Food security

3b. Rationale for The Fund

The Ministry and CICR have engaged in a partnership to further research, collaboration and understanding of these vital, cross-cutting fields.



3c. Objectives of The Fund



3d. The Advisory Board to The Fund

- **Dr. Corrado Clini** Director General at the Ministry for the Environment, Land and Sea of Italy, where he has held his post since 1990
- **Claire Servini** Project Manager at the Italian Trade Commission in New York
- **Gloria Visconti** Senior Policy Adviser at the Ministry of Environment of
- **John Coatsworth** Dean of the School of International and Public Affairs
- **Rob Garris** Senior Associate Dean at Columbia's School of International and Public Affairs
- **Lisa Anderson** Sixth dean to lead the School of International and Public Affairs at Columbia University
- **Richard Betts** Director of the Saltzman Institute of War and Peace Studies since 1997
- **Steven Cohen** Director of the Master of Public Administration Program in Environmental Science and Policy at Columbia University's
- **Steven L Goldstein** Department Chair and Professor in the Earth and Environmental Science Department (DEES) at Columbia University
- **Geoffrey Heal** Co-Director of Columbia's Center for Economy Environment and Society and of the Earth Institute's Center for Globalization and Sustainable Development
- **Paul Garrett** Professor of Public Policy and Corporate responsibility and Professor of Finance and Economics at the Graduate School of Business at Columbia University,
- **José Antonio Ocampo** Director of the Program in Economic and Political Development at the School of International and Public Affairs, Columbia University
- **Graham Michael Purdy** Director of the Lamont-Doherty Earth Observatory (LDEO) of Columbia University