



THE IDRC RESEARCH CHAIRS ON FORCED DISPLACEMENT

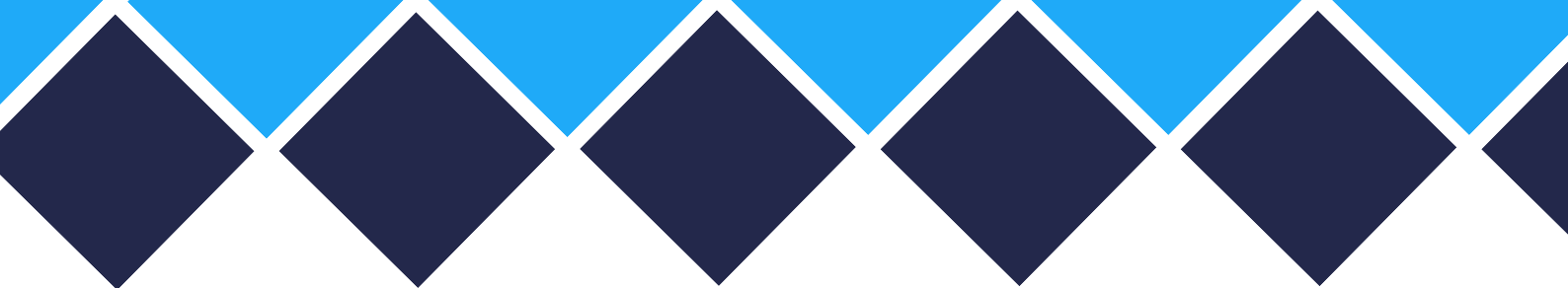
PLAN OF ACTION

DECLARATION ON THE FOUNDATIONS AND RENEWAL OF THE INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION FOR FORCIBLY DISPLACED POPULATIONS



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On the 75th Anniversary of the 1951 Convention relating to the Status of Refugees, the IDRC Research Chairs on Forced Displacement commit to the following activities to advance their Declaration on the Foundations and Renewal of the International Protection for Forcibly Displaced Populations:

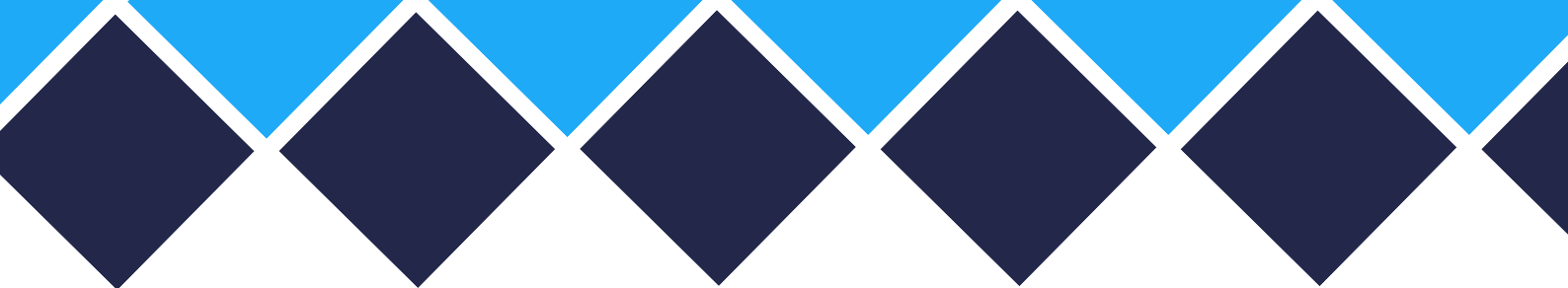
ACTIVITY 1: Work with displaced and host communities to co-produce new knowledge that identifies contextually relevant approaches to advance protection and solutions for displaced communities that are effective, efficient and rights based.

ACTIVITY 2: Promote public discourse on the themes of the Declaration in the diverse global, regional, national and local contexts where the Chairs live and work.

ACTIVITY 3: Identify new opportunities at local, municipal, national, regional and global levels to mobilize knowledge to support the implementation of the Declaration.

ACTIVITY 4: Develop new initiatives to engage with Regional and Sub-Regional organizations to support the development and implementation of new approaches to protection and solutions for displaced communities that are effective, efficient and rights based.

ACTIVITY 5: Collaborate with diverse stakeholders to advance the “Shifting Power” multistakeholder pledge to support and amplify the knowledge and expertise of those most affected by displacement in the lead-up to the 2027 Global Refugee Forum.



ACTIVITY 6: Promote South-South dialogue and exchange on new approaches to inclusion through dialogue between actors in major refugee-hosting countries in the Global South that have adopted policies of inclusion for displaced communities.

ACTIVITY 7: Promote the inclusion of non-traditional actors in discussions about protection and solutions for displaced communities, including by raising displacement issues in forums outside the global refugee regime.

ACTIVITY 8: Support training for diverse stakeholders on the themes of the Declaration, including through training for emerging scholars, practitioners, journalists and others.

ACTIVITY 9: Share the results of these efforts during the High Commissioner's Dialogue on Protection and Solutions in Geneva in December 2026.