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**ADVANCING A
SUSTAINABLE, JUST AND
PEACEFUL WORLD**



IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS, CIP HAS...



MADE THE WORLD MORE SUSTAINABLE

In April, Showtime television began airing *Years of Living Dangerously*, a ground-breaking nine-part documentary on the dangers of global warming. Jeff Horowitz, founder of CIP's Avoided Deforestation Partners Program, is the associate producer of the first two segments. The series, which is reaching an audience of millions worldwide, has Hollywood actors debunking the oil, coal and gas industries' claim that human activity does not contribute to global warming.



MADE THE WORLD MORE JUST

Tax evasion is a major factor in the growing gulf between the super-rich and everyone else. CIP's Financial Transparency Coalition scored a victory when G20 developed nations, including the U.S., agreed to implement automatic exchange of tax information by 2015. The coalition also backed recently-introduced legislation in Congress that would require individual states like Delaware to obtain the identities of owners of secret shell companies used by money launders in the U.S.



MADE THE WORLD MORE PEACEFUL

Our Win Without War coalition, headed by former Congressman Tom Andrews, launched a grassroots and lobbying campaign to defend diplomatic efforts to head off a war with Iran. We began with a majority of senators backing legislation to tighten sanctions, which would have scuttled the negotiations. We pressured enough senators to back away from this reckless legislation that it never came to a vote. A verifiable agreement with Iran not to pursue a nuclear weapons program would be a breakthrough for peace in the Middle East and beyond.

IN THE NEXT 12 MONTHS, CIP WILL...



MAKE THE WORLD MORE SUSTAINABLE

Tom Barry, who heads CIP's TransBorder Project, is launching an investigative reporting and policy advocacy campaign in Mexico and the United States to stop unsustainable infrastructure and development projects that infringe on the rights of indigenous people in northwestern Mexico. Tom and his team will highlight alternative sustainable development visions of environmental activists and indigenous organizations on both sides of the U.S.-Mexican border.



MAKE THE WORLD MORE JUST

This fall in Lima, Peru, CIP's Financial Transparency Coalition will bring together activists, government officials and development economists to coordinate efforts to halt the theft of domestic resources in developing countries. For every dollar of foreign aid developed countries give to poor countries, ten dollars is illegally taken out. The key to development is stopping individuals and multinational corporations from secretly moving money to foreign banks and tax havens.



MAKE THE WORLD MORE PEACEFUL

The arms industry and their supporters in Congress are using the dispute with Russia over Ukraine to justify an increase in Pentagon spending. Staff of CIP's Common Defense Campaign have been writing articles and meeting with members of Congress with a clear message: a diplomatic response is the only way to avoid another Cold War with Russia. We also will be challenging the need for 2,443 F-35 aircraft and pressing for the elimination of the Pentagon's "Overseas Contingency Operations" fund, a \$100 billion slush fund for off-the-books conflicts like the war in Afghanistan.



NEW AT CIP

SECURITY ASSISTANCE MONITOR

CIP's new Security Assistance Monitor is an online platform to facilitate the oversight and transparency of U.S. security assistance around the world. Developed by Deputy Director Abigail Poe out of the Just the Facts database, the new website allows activists, journalists and academics, as well as government officials and ordinary citizens, to access detailed information about U.S. security assistance programs worldwide, including arms sales and training. This information has never before been available in searchable format and it is updated daily. Check it out at www.securityassistance.org.

CUBA TRAVEL

CIP's people-to-people travel license allows us to take non-specialists to Cuba. There is a trip that will be visiting Cuba from November 2nd – 8th, 2014. While Cuba has remained off-limits to most Americans for five decades, the Center for International Policy has been at the forefront of efforts to normalize relations. With the hope that President Obama will move toward reconciliation in his final term—and Cuba's expressed willingness for change—it's an exciting time to visit. If you are interested in visiting Cuba, please contact us about our next trip in January 2015.

ENERGY FUTURE PROJECT

Our Energy Future Project is a multi-platform media campaign to promote a new documentary film being produced by Jeff Horowitz and directed by Charles Ferguson, who directed the Academy-Award winning film, *Inside Job*. The campaign will use an integrated social engagement plan and an innovative app in a game format — all designed to demonstrate to audiences around the world that it is in our collective power to create a sustainable future.



The **Center for International Policy** promotes cooperation, transparency and accountability in global relations. Through research and advocacy, our programs address the most urgent threats to our planet: war, corruption, inequality and climate change.

CIP's scholars, journalists, activists and former government officials provide a unique mixture of access to high-level officials, issue-area expertise, media savvy and strategic vision. **We work to inform the public and decision makers in the United States and in international organizations on policies to make the world more just, peaceful and sustainable.**



SUSTAINABILITY



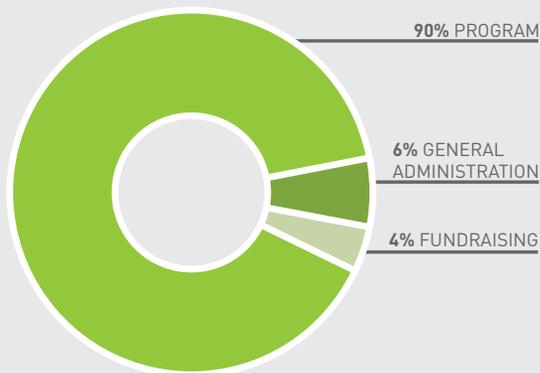
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CIP'S PROGRAMS:

- Latin America Rights & Security
- Financial Transparency Coalition
- Common Defense Campaign
- Avoided Deforestation Partners
- Security Assistance Monitor
- Energy Future Project

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