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HUMAN SECURITY UNIT

<http://ochaonline.un.org/webpage.asp?Page=1516>

*The Human Security Unit (HSU)
was established in May 2004 in the UN Office
for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA).*

*The overall objective of the HSU
is to integrate human security in all UN activities.*

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HUMAN SECURITY NETWORK

<http://www.humansecuritynetwork.org/network-e.php>

The Human Security Network (HSN) is a group of like-minded countries from all regions of the world that, at the level of Foreign Ministers, maintains dialogue on questions pertaining to human security.

The Network includes Austria, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Greece, Ireland, Jordan, Mali, the Netherlands, Norway, Switzerland, Slovenia, Thailand and South Africa as an observer.

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CANADA'S HUMAN SECURITY WEBSITE

<http://www.humansecurity.gc.ca/menu-en.asp>

Canada's Approach to 'Human Security':

Human security is a people-centered approach to foreign policy which recognizes that lasting stability cannot be achieved until people are protected from violent threats to their rights, safety or lives.

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CANADIAN CONSORTIUM ON HUMAN SECURITY

<http://www.humansecurity.info/page118.htm>

The Canadian Consortium on Human Security (CCHS) is an academic-based network, funded by the Human Security Program of Canada's Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade, promoting policy-relevant research on human security.

Its core missions are to facilitate the exchange of information and analysis on human security issues, and to help build a human security community in Canada and internationally.

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Human Security Report www.humansecurityreport.info/

The first *HUMAN SECURITY REPORT* documents a dramatic, but largely unknown, decline in the number of wars, genocides and human rights abuse over the past decade.

The *REPORT* argues that the single most compelling explanation for these changes is found in the unprecedented upsurge of international activism, spearheaded by the UN, which took place in the wake of the Cold War.

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The Fletcher School Institute for Human Security
<http://fletcher.tufts.edu/humansecurity/>

The Institute for Human Security promotes cutting edge-research and education about the overlaps between humanitarianism, development, human rights, and conflict resolution.

The Institute is resolutely interdisciplinary.