An Assessment on the New Changes of the Student’s Loan Scheme by the Students Financing Agency for Rwanda (SFAR) at the National University of Rwanda

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ABOUT CCM

1. Vision and Mission
   - The Center for Conflict Management (CCM) was created at the National University of Rwanda (NUR) in 1999 with the financial support from UNDP
   - Its mandated and mission inspired by: particular challenges within the post genocide context.
   - CCM is supposed to be the response to the research needs that inspire policies; opportunity to generate indigenous knowledge about roots of conflicts and conflict resolution strategies and durable peace construction

2. CCM’s Structure
   - Direction: Director & Deputy-Director
   - 3 Research Units (+ outreach unit):
     - Unit 1: Genocide Studies and Prevention
     - Unit 2: Internal Processes of Socio-Political Developments
     - Unit 3: Peace, Security and Governance Studies in the Great Lakes Region

   - CCM outreach Program: Community Dialogue for Peace (CDP), supported by SIDA, started in 3 districts (Huye, Gisagara, Nyamagabe), expected to expand.

3. Current Developments: Education & Capacity Building
   - MA in «Peace and Development Studies» in collaboration with PADRIGU (Sweden), fully funded by SIDA-SAREC to start in 2009;
   - Master's Programme in «Genocide Studies and Prevention», with the support of Arkansas University & US. Fulbright Program launched on April 1st, 2009;
   - Development of a course on Citizenship, Identity and Peace Education in collaboration with the National Commission for Human Rights.

4. Publication Standards
   - International Publication Standards in place since end 2007 (Approved by the NUR Senate). Two types of CCM publications:
     - Journal of African Conflicts and Peace Studies (JACPS) - international scientific board members in place and ISSN 1996-3157; Biannual,
     - CCM’s publications in form of books

5. Editorial Committee for PCM Review

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