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CSPPS coordinates and supports civil society participation in the International Dialogue on Peacebuilding and Statebuilding (IDPS) and related policy domains. Through CSPPS strategic and capacity assistance is provided in support of in-country interventions beneficial to amplifying the voice of civil society in relevant policy processes. At the global level, CSPPS coordinates lobby and advocacy efforts around conflict prevention, peacebuilding, and SDG16+.

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