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## Individual commitments

### 1B Act early

**Commitment Description:** ACUNS will conduct and disseminate online or in print through its global network, special podcast interviews and short analytical articles addressing conflict prevention best practices and lessons learnt.

**Commitment Type:** Operational

**Core Responsibility:** Political Leadership to Prevent and End Conflicts

**Commitment ID:** 111003

### 2D Take concrete steps to improve compliance and accountability

**Commitment Description:**
ACUNS through its Vienna Liaison Office will promote efforts to identify, focus global attention on, and offer new ideas to prevent and/or stop, femicide (killing of women, as women) and the targeting of women in conflict situations.

**Commitment Type:** Advocacy

**Core Responsibility:** Uphold the Norms that Safeguard Humanity

**Commitment ID:** 111001

**Commitment Description:** ACUNS will conduct and disseminate critical studies on core responsibility 2 (core commitments 1 and 5), using podcasts and written articles to highlight both issues, which are disseminated online and in print through its global network.

**Commitment Type:** Policy

**Core Responsibility:** Uphold the Norms that Safeguard Humanity

**Commitment ID:** 111002
Core Commitments

Political Leadership to Prevent and End Conflicts

**POLITICAL LEadersHIP TO PREVEnT AND EnD CONFLICTS**

Commit to make successful conflict prevention visible by capturing, consolidating and sharing good practices and lessons learnt.

Uphold the Norms that Safeguard Humanity

**UPHOLD THE NORMS THAT SAFEGUARD HUMANITY**

Commit to promote and enhance respect for international humanitarian law, international human rights law, and refugee law, where applicable.

Commit to speak out and systematically condemn serious violations of international humanitarian law and serious violations and abuses of international human rights law and to take concrete steps to ensure accountability of perpetrators when these acts amount to crimes under international law.

WOMEN AND GIRLS: CATALYZING ACTION TO ACHIEVE GENDER EQUALITY

Implement a coordinated global approach to prevent and respond to gender-based violence in crisis contexts, including through the Call to Action on Protection from Gender-based Violence in Emergencies.