Human Rights, Humanitarian Affairs, International Women's Equality

The Division serves the Department and the government in defending and advancing Canada's interests relating to international human rights and humanitarian affairs, international women's equality and rights, population policy, migration and refugees, children's rights, rights of persons with disabilities, and other social policy issues.

Web site: <www.dfait-maeci.gc.ca/human-rights>

International Youth Exchange Programs

The Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade encourages the introduction of reciprocal exchange activities into its international cultural relations program. The Youth and Personalities Exchanges Section is responsible for the management and co-ordination of exchange activities in order to enable young Canadians to obtain new skills and exposure to the cultures of host countries.

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