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*“The purpose of the Institute is to increase knowledge and understanding of the issues relating to international peace and security from a Canadian perspective, with particular emphasis on arms control, disarmament, defence and conflict resolution, and to*

- a) foster, fund and conduct research on matters relating to international peace and security;*
- b) promote scholarship in matters relating to international peace and security;*
- c) study and propose ideas and policies for the enhancement of international peace and security; and,*
- d) collect and disseminate information on, and encourage public discussion of issues of international peace and security.”*