

Australia's Peace-operations



Peacebuilding Symposium Presentation

Australia's approach to peace-building

- 'Whole of Government'
 - knowing the role of each agency in order to better understand the big picture
- Coordinated response to issues
 - Military and police address security challenges
 - Civilian public servants and other experts address longer-term capacity issues
- Work with international stakeholders to ensure cost effective outcomes and reduce duplication



Australia's approach to training and dispatching police

- Australian Federal Police (AFP)
 - International deployment group (IDG) provides capacity to deploy Australian Police overseas
 - IDG Pre-Deployment Training Team provides training to both Australian police and officers from other countries
 - Training is focused on core skill requirements and cultural, human rights and international standards awareness



Australia's approach to training and dispatching public servants and other civilians

■ Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID)

- Fragile States and Peace-building Unit works with other agencies dispatching civilians to conflict-prone societies
- AusAID Peace and Conflict/Humanitarian Adviser provides pre-deployment awareness training

Australia's approach to training and dispatching public servants and other civilians

- Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) continued
 - Peace Conflict and Development Learning Package (PCDLP) provides on-the-job training to program managers and peacebuilders

Australia's approach to training and dispatching civilian staff

- Case Study: Regional Assistance Mission to Solomon Islands (RAMSI)
 - Recruitment and screening



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■ Case Study: Regional Assistance Mission to Solomon Islands (RAMSI) continued

■ Training

- pre-deployment
- in-country

How Australia can collaborate with Japan and other Asian countries on peacebuilding

■ Initiatives under the Australia-Japan Joint Declaration on Security Cooperation

- Contribution of a trainer to Japan's Pilot Program for Peacebuilding
- Attendance by a member of Japan's National Police Agency (NPA) in the AFP's IDG pre-deployment training
- Development of linkages between agencies across the entire peacebuilding field

■ Other Australia-Japan initiatives under consideration

- 3 month staff exchange between the NPA and the AFP
- Secondment of a Japanese advisor to an established AFP mission
- Ad-hoc international AFP seminars on various issues

■ Possibilities for collaboration with other countries

- Participation in the Australian Defence Force Peacekeeping Centre's annual International Peace Operations Seminar (IPOS)