

Research Center on Security Policy
Non-Governmental Organization



Annual Report

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INTRODUCTION

About the Organization

The *Research Center on Security Policy* (hereinafter referred to as the “Center”) is an independent think tank engaged in in-depth expert research, analysis, and consultancy related to political, security, and public policy issues.

The Center’s mission is to illuminate and analyze political-military developments occurring in Armenia, the wider region, and the international arena, by assessing threats, formulating strategic responses, offering policy forecasts, and disseminating findings grounded in evidence-based research.

The organization implements a wide range of programs and initiatives, including interviews, press conferences, training sessions, and expert roundtables. In addition, the Center develops and publishes scholarly, analytical, and informational materials on topics including security policy, regional and global security challenges, and other pressing political issues.

In pursuit of its goals and objectives, the Center collaborates with state institutions, international organizations, and both civic and professional bodies operating in Armenia.

Activities

The *Research Center on Security Policy* (RCSP) commenced its operations in 2022. From its inception, the Center has sought to maintain an active and consistent presence across media platforms and in the broader public discourse. Its activities have taken various forms, including interviews, press briefings, televised debates, and public discussions. In addition, the RCSP has published analytical articles and research materials aimed at raising public awareness and advancing the security agenda.

1. RCSP in the Media and Public Discourse

In parallel with the launch of its operations in 2022, Research Center on Security Policy ensured strong visibility both in the local and international media and analytical arenas. The Center's President, Areg Kochinyan, gave approximately 140 interviews throughout the year, offering expert analysis on security-related issues and articulating the Center's positions. He also took part in more than forty televised debates and thematic discussions, contributing high-level expertise and analysis. In the same



period, Mr. Kochinyan authored around sixty analytical articles published in prominent local and international outlets, covering both regional and global security concerns.



The Center's expert, Robert Ghevondyan, was also actively engaged in media and analytical platforms during 2022. Over the course of the year, he participated in more than forty interviews and took part in numerous professional discussions and debates, where he presented his assessments and analyses through various media outlets. In addition, he authored several scholarly articles focusing on international relations and political processes.

2. International Cooperation and External Relations



In 2022, RCSP President Areg Kochinyan consistently represented the Center in international forums, taking part in high-level meetings and discussions with representatives, experts, diplomats, and officials from various countries.

These engagements served as significant platforms for raising awareness of issues related to Armenia's security policy, articulating strategic positions, and deepening dialogue with political and expert communities.

The relationships established and dialogues initiated with international partners have laid the groundwork for expanding the Center's external engagement and reinforcing long-term collaborative efforts.

Financial Report

Financial Transactions - 2022		
Income	Amount (AMD)	Amount (USD)
Areg Kochinyan (Loan)	7000	
Expenditures		
Bank charges	5500	

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