

# **BUILDING SUSTAINABLE FUTURES**

**ipra** Enacting Peace and Development

## **2008 GLOBAL CONFERENCE**

### **UNIVERSITY OF LEUVEN, BELGIUM**

#### **15-19 JULY**

#### **ABOUT THE CONFERENCE**

With significant changes in the human climate, our planet has a better chance for sustainable development. The challenge is to re-search new futures. Scholars, decision-makers and practitioners must bring intellectual, volitional and emotional functions into play together. Peace researchers have a vital role in the process of constructively transforming the conflicts in the world today.

## **FINAL CALL FOR PROPOSALS**

~ panels, papers, roundtables ~  
organised by IPRA's 30 specialised  
Commissions & Working Groups

**deadline: 15 February 2008**

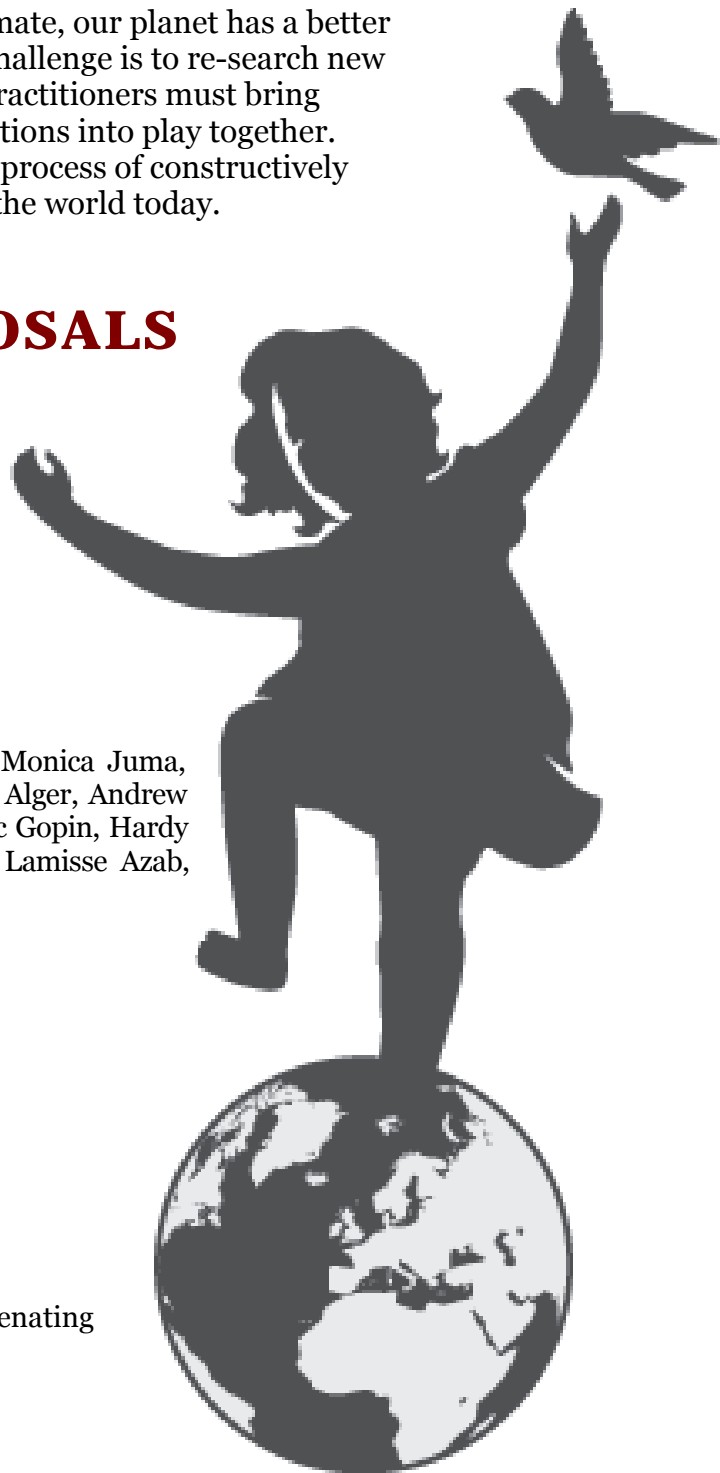
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#### **INVITED SPEAKERS**

Ban Ki-moon, Louis Michel, Federico Mayor Zaragoza, Monica Juma, Naison Ngoma, Herbert Kelman, Samir Amin, Chadwick Alger, Andrew Mack, Shahrbanou Tadjbakhsh, Carolyn Nordstrom, Marc Gopin, Hardy Merriman, Joseph Bock, Jason McLeod, Ivan Marović, Lamisse Azab, Srdja Popović

#### **PLENARY SESSIONS**

Building Sustainable Futures: Peace & Development  
Peacebuilding in Africa  
The Middle East in Danger of Peace  
Nonviolent Policy Shaping  
Peace Research in Latin America  
Religions Dealing with Their Own Violent Extremisms:  
Development at Stake  
Confronting the Challenges of Youth and Conflict: Rejuvenating  
Conflict Prevention  
Celebrating the Founders of Peace Research  
Civil Society is Peace  
The Agenda for Peace Research in the Changing World



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