



Center for Strategic and Regional Studies



Our story

The Center for Strategic and Regional Studies (CSRS) is a Kabul-based independent non-profit and non-partisan policy research organization established in 2008. CSRS' mission is to better inform and influence policy and practice by conducting high-quality, evidence-based research about Afghanistan and its region, and to nurture a culture of research.

CSRS achieves its mission through active engagement with policymakers, civil society actors, researchers, and academics, strengthening research capacity and creating platforms for constructive analysis and debate.

CSRS aims to contribute to fact-based and thoughtful analysis and debate about Afghanistan among analysts, academics and the general public in Afghanistan and globally.

CSRS holds memberships in multiple international consortiums including the ...

CSRS is registered as a non-profit research organization at the Ministry of Economy in Kabul under registration number 341, dated 17.6.1388.

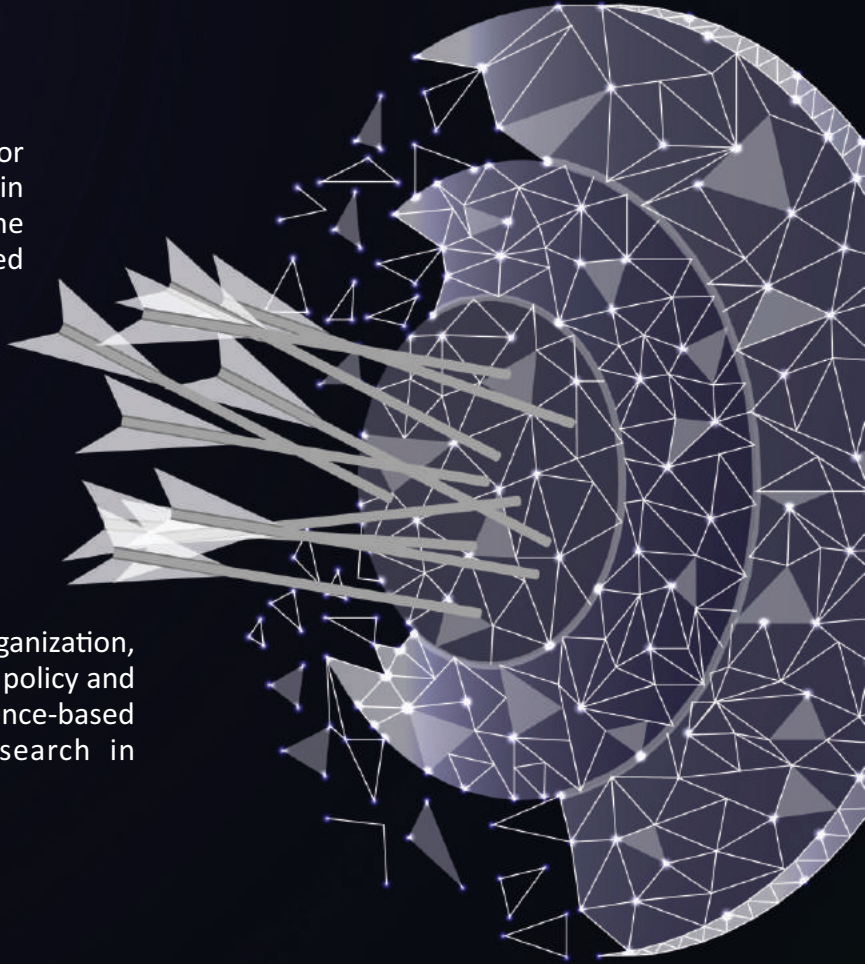


Vision

CSRS' vision is to provide solid ground for informed policymaking and implementation in Afghanistan to better reflect priorities of the Afghan people and give rise to more informed policies and programs.

Mission

As an independent Afghan-led research organization, our mission is to better inform and influence policy and practice by conducting high-quality, evidence-based research and promote a culture of research in Afghanistan.



Values



Institutional structure

CSRS' institutional structure includes an Academic Board with overall responsibility for CSRS and its work, and a team of analysts and researchers managed by the center's Executive Director.

Academic Board



Misbahullah Abdulbaqi,
PhD - Chairman



Shah Rukh Raufi,
PhD – CSRS Executive Director



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Muzzamil, – Member**



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– Member



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MA – Member



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– Member

Priority areas

The CSRS mainly focuses on to;

- Research. Conducting research on political, social and economic issue, and proposing appropriate solutions and recommendations.
- Analysis. Analyzing policies, projects and programs implemented in Afghanistan and its region.
- Policy awareness. Increasing awareness about policy and strategic issues and providing evidence for policymaking.
- Creating spaces for debate: Organizing seminars, workshops and conferences for dialogue among researchers, academics and experts at national and international levels.
- Promoting a culture of research. Training young researchers to nurture a culture of research among Afghan students and young scholars.



Achievements and Contribution

Publications:

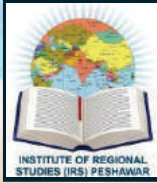
- Analysis of the Week: This Center published more than 500 magazines in four national and international languages (Pashto, Dari, Arabic and English). The main purpose of this magazine is to analyze the political and socioeconomic situation of the country in relation to the global situation top scenarios. This publication reaches about 10 thousand people inside and outside the country in electronic form.
- Strategic newsletters: The researchers of the center conduct research on a specific and important topic every four months and it is published by the center in the form of a research book.



- Analysis Journal: A six-monthly journal in which research articles by famous researchers on issues related to Afghanistan are published. Besides this, the journal also publishes research articles related to acute cases in the region and the world.
- Research and analytical report: This is an annual research and analysis report, which analyzes the situation of important sectors of the country during the solar year, published in the form of a research and analytical report at the end of each solar year.
- Website: The center has a reliable and reference website in Dari, Pashto, English and Arabic languages, where research and scientific articles related to important issues in Afghanistan, the region and the world and reports of the center's activities are published. www.csrskabul.com.



Our Partners:



International Seminar On: The Future of Relations Between Afghanistan and Neighboring Countries





International Seminar On: Peace and Stability in Afghanistan and Region



The international seminar of the participants of the research centers of the region in Turkey



Conference On: Afghanistan - China bilateral Relations



Round table discussion organized on the "Way out of the Deadlock to Reach Peace"



MoU Between (CSRS) Kabul, Afghanistan and Center for Political and Consultative Studies-Barq-Istanbul (BARQ)



Islamic Union and New Era with its Changes and Transformations



Kuala Lumpur International Annual Seminar



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