

Peace Studies Course Development Grant

Request for Proposals
Summer 2017

**Application Deadline: June 1,
2018**

E-mail your completed application to
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You are encouraged to inform Michael in
advance of your intention to submit a
proposal.

Grant Information

The Marquette University Center for Peacemaking will award one grant for a full-time Marquette faculty member to develop a new course, or significantly revise an existing course, that explores and integrates issues of peacemaking and nonviolence.

The value of the Peace Studies Course Development Grant is \$2,500.

Course Content

Proposals are sought for courses that integrate *two or more* of the following areas:

Theory and Practices of Peacemaking

Working for the cessation of violence. For example:

- Exploring economic, environmental, political, ethnic or religious roots of conflict/terrorism;
- Exploring intervention methods, such as restorative justice, healing circles, truth and reconciliation commissions, sulha;
- Exploring the role of cultural, historical, national and other identities in the creation and the nonviolent resolution of conflict. These may include the role of language, literature, and communications technologies (film, social networks, and television) in violence promotion and cessation.

Peacekeeping

Methods for sustaining peace and preventing the spread of violence. For example:

- Human rights and civil liberties; resource allocation projects; justice systems; social justice; nonviolent intervention.

Peacebuilding

Working to encourage and build a culture of sustainable peace. For example:

- Human development; care for the environment and natural resources; poverty reduction; the role of international organizations, solidarity.

Special Areas

Exploring the intersections of nonviolence and other areas such as gender, race, ethnicity, indigeneity, genocide, refugees and migrants, domestic violence, violence against women and sexual minorities, gun violence, and the role of social and health systems in addressing violence, especially for at-risk populations.

The Center for Peacemaking's priority research areas are listed at
<http://mu.edu/peacemaking/research-areas.php>.

Application Procedures

Applicants must submit the following materials:

- Letter of application that describes the proposed course and indicates the two or more Peace Studies areas
- Updated curriculum vitae
- Draft syllabus [Note: A single section of a multi-section course is not eligible.]
- Letter of support from department chair that includes a commitment to offer the course annually

Proposals must be submitted electronically (PDF or Word document) to tmichael.mcnulty@marquette.edu by the end of day, Friday, June 1, 2018.
