PCE 201 INTRODUCTION TO PEACE STUDIES.  
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The course reviews a wide range of theories exploring the nature and causes of conflict, the possibilities for conflict resolution, and the 
foundations of peace. It provides students with a set of tools for the analysis of contemporary conflicts and shows how evidence and theory 
can be effectively used to understand peace and conflict. The course draws on a wide range of disciplines, including sociobiology, 
anthropology, sociology, social psychology, economics, and political science. It also gives students a practical understanding of the strengths 
and weaknesses of current approaches to conflict resolution and peace-building.

PCE 410 PEACE STUDIES CAPSTONE SEMINAR.  
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PCE 410 is designed to provide a “capstone” or conclusion to the Peace Studies certificate program. Its objective is to provide an 
opportunity to conduct independent research on a Peace Studies theme and area selected by the student so that s/he integrates the linkages 
between the themes, areas, and disciplinary foci of study. In collaboration with A&S faculty, PCE 410 provides peace studies students 
unique first-hand research experiences. Prereq: PCE 201.