## **PEACE STUDIES (PEACE-UH)**

## PEACE-UH 1011 Foundations of Peace: Economic and Political Perspectives (4 Credits)

Typically offered Spring

This course surveys the political science and economics literature on social conflict and peacebuilding. The class will focus on major themes and issues such as the determinants of peaceful cooperation and sustainable peace; the root causes of armed conflict; the determinants of ethnic conflict; the political economy of civil wars; the variables affecting the duration and termination of wars; the phenomenon of different forms of political violence-including protests, riots, military coups, political assassinations, and terrorism; and the politics and economics of peacebuilding. The course is highly interdisciplinary and will cover a wide variety of cases from a comparative perspective.

**Grading:** Ugrd Abu Dhabi Graded **Repeatable for additional credit:** No

- · Bulletin Categories: Peace Studies Minor. Required
- Bulletin Categories: Peace Studies
- · Bulletin Categories: Political Science: Breadth Electives
- · Crosslisted with: Economics Major. Required
- · Crosslisted with: Economics
- · Crosslisted with: Peace Studies Minor. Required
- · Crosslisted with: Peace Studies
- · Crosslisted with: Political Science Major: Social Science Required
- · Crosslisted with: Political Science