

# PEACE, JUSTICE AND CONFLICT STUDIES (MINOR)

The Peace, Justice and Conflict Studies minor is designed to help students engage in critical examination of the origins and root causes of violence, social injustice and conflict; and to foster dialogue about the efficacy of nonviolent approaches to social change and peace-building. Students may develop a specific concentration of study within the minor curriculum.

## Course Requirements

### Distribution

There is a total of 24 credit hours required for the minor.

Course	Title	Quarter Hours
Select two core courses from the following:		8
PAX 210	INTERNATIONAL CONFLICT AND PEACEBUILDING	
PAX 212	SOCIAL JUSTICE AND SOCIAL CHANGE	
PAX 214	CONFLICT: STORYTELLING, INTERVENTION, NEGOTIATION	
PAX 218	HUMAN RIGHTS: PROMISE AND PROBLEMATICS	
PAX 220	SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE	
PAX 250 or PAX 251	TOPICS: TOOLS FOR SOCIAL CHANGE <sup>1</sup> TOPICS: TOOLS TO SUPPORT JUSTICE, HUMAN RIGHTS, AND PEACEBUILDING	4
Select one Seminar at the 300-level taken from the Seminar list under Major Requirements		4
Select four credit hours of electives taken from the elective list under Major Requirements, or any PAX courses listed for the Major		4
Select one of the following PAX program-approved community-based service learning courses or internship courses:		4
PAX 200	COMMUNITIES WORKING FOR SUSTAINABLE JUSTICE AND PEACE: SERVICE IN CHICAGO AND THE U.S.	
PAX 320	TRANSFORMATIVE JUSTICE: THEORY AND PRACTICE	
PAX 392	INTERNSHIP IN PEACE, JUSTICE, AND CONFLICT STUDIES	
CSS 201	CRITICAL COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT	
CSS 310	RESTORATIVE JUSTICE: ENGAGEMENT WITH THE PRISON	
CSS 311	MASCULINITY, JUSTICE AND LAW	
CSS 312	LAW AND POLITICS: PRISON POLICIES AND RESTORATIVE JUSTICE	
CTH 282	GOD, JUSTICE AND REDEMPTIVE ACTION	
CTH 341	LIBERATION THEOLOGY: THEORY AND PRACTICE	
ENV 344	ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE AND ADVOCACY (selected sections)	

HON 351	HONORS SENIOR SEMINAR IN SERVICE LEARNING
INT 389	INTERNATIONAL SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT
LST 305	LATINO COMMUNITIES AND SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT
LST 309	SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT AND LATINO FAMILIES
PHL 250	PHILOSOPHY AND SOCIAL CHANGE
PPS 231	ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE
PPS 251	URBAN POVERTY
PSC 282	POLITICAL ACTION AND SOCIAL JUSTICE
REL 259	RELIGION AND SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT
REL 351	LIBERATION THEOLOGY
WGS 320	TRANSFORMATIVE JUSTICE: THEORY AND PRACTICE
WGS 352	GENDER, COMMUNITY, AND ACTIVISM: COMMUNITY-BASED LEARNING IN WGS
WGS 392	INTERNSHIP
WRD 377	WRITING AND SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT

<sup>1</sup> PAX 250 (2 courses at 2 credit hours each), PAX 251 (one course for 4 credit hours).

Students majoring in Peace, Justice and Conflict Studies (BA) are restricted from earning this minor.