



JIMMY AND ROSALYNN
CARTER SCHOOL FOR PEACE
AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION
George Mason University®

CONFLICT ANALYSIS & RESOLUTION

EMBRACE COMPLEXITY

Undergraduate
Programs



CONFLICT ANALYSIS & RESOLUTION

Problems and their solutions are seldom straightforward. The Carter School embraces the complexity of today's challenges, equipping future problem solvers with diverse perspectives, innovative strategies, and essential tools for impactful careers. Students develop critical thinking by examining the root causes of conflict. Required field experience provides real-world insights, enriching students' resumes and preparing them to address pressing global issues with excellence and innovation.

Join us as we continue our strong tradition of excellence in education as the first and foremost academic institution in the field of peace and conflict studies.

Degrees

- ▶ BA in Conflict Analysis and Resolution
- ▶ BS in Conflict Analysis and Resolution
- ▶ Accelerated Bachelor's-to-Master's Degree

Minors

- ▶ Conflict Analysis and Resolution
- ▶ Conflict Resolution Education
- ▶ Organizational Conflict Resolution
- ▶ Peace Engineering
- ▶ Sport and Conflict Resolution

Our programs are also offered by Mason Korea at the Incheon Global Campus.



“Whether it’s on a more local scale or global scale, there’s so many different directions you can take [Conflict Analysis and Resolution] and that’s why I love it. This major allows you to dive into the conflicts you’re passionate about and study them to better shape you into your own defined conflict practitioner.”

Katherine

STUDENTS CHOOSE US FOR A REASON!

Multidisciplinary

Our program is designed for students who are invested in tackling complex issues that need a multidisciplinary approach. Classes across the social sciences in government, psychology, religion, history, and more combine with conflict resolution courses to deepen analyses of challenging problems.

Practical Field Experience

100% of our students enhance their education through study abroad, internships, or independent research. 75% of our students complete more than one field experience.

Small Class Sizes

Smaller classes allow students to build relationships with peers and faculty.

World-Renowned Faculty

Our faculty are leaders in their field and dedicated educators who are passionate about mentoring and teaching. With diverse backgrounds and expertise, they bring a wealth of knowledge and real-world experience into the classroom. 10+ centers and peace labs sponsor student internships and projects.

Scholarships

We offer a range of scholarships to assist our students with tuition and support them in achieving their academic and career aspirations. Scan the QR Code on the back to learn more.

Easy Access to DC

Our students are able to directly engage with leaders and organizations that shape public policy and services, business, and global affairs.



CONCENTRATIONS

Building Peace in Divided Societies

Local and Global Peace Building

Explores how societies with a history of conflict transform relationships and situations of war, violence, and injustice.

Collaborative Leadership

Managing Conflict, Mediation, Dialogue, Organizational Leadership

Focuses on improving the capacity of leaders to work with conflict and manage change.

Environmental Conflict and Collaboration

Climate Change, Resource Scarcity and Competition, Environmental Degradation, Sustainability

Examines how communities and societies are dealing with environmental issues and prepares students with process skills to promote collaborative solutions.

Global Engagement

Human Security, War, Terrorism, Migration, Development, Diplomacy

Explores what can be done to reduce violent conflict and increase peace and security.

Individualized

Customize your degree plan with an advisor

Examples include Art for Social Change, Cross-Cultural Communication and Conflict, Region Specific Studies, and Religion and Peace.

Interpersonal Dynamics

Intercultural Communication, Psychology of Groups, Family Relationships, Human Relations

Focuses on the dynamics of social interaction and the processes and skills that support the transformation of conflicts.

Justice and Reconciliation

Human rights, Trauma, Memory, Healing, Restorative Justice

Centers on the relationships between human rights, justice, and conflict transformation

Political and Social Action

Social Action, Social Organization, Social Movements, Civil Resistance

Analyzes and investigates how people organize to effect change and the role of constructive conflict.

DIVERSE CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

FROM HERE, GO ANYWHERE

THE CARTER SCHOOL FOR PEACE AND CONFLICT RESOLUTION OFFERS UNPARALLELED CAREER OPPORTUNITIES.

Students gain hands-on experience through D.C. area internships and engagement with the school's many peace labs and centers. Alumni thrive in business, intelligence, law, nonprofits, NGOs, human resources, and as staffers in local, state, and federal agencies.

Students develop in-demand job skills identified by the National Association of Colleges and Employers, including communication, problem-solving, leadership, critical thinking, and teamwork. Through rigorous coursework, experiential learning, and collaboration with diverse organizations, students are prepared to excel in their future careers.

“I am someone who likes to dip her toes in each box. This is why [Conflict Analysis and Resolution] was the perfect major for me! I was able to take my degree, delve into all my passions, and simultaneously forge my own path.”

Marina





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COME TO CAMPUS FOR A PERSONALIZED VISIT EXPERIENCE!

Including a tour of campus, lunch with a current student, reviewing the degree plan with an advisor, and sitting in on a conflict class of your choice. Email us to set up a date for your visit.

ENGAGING CLASSES

- ▶ Career Advisory Seminar
- ▶ Culture, Identity, and Conflict
- ▶ Dialogue and Difference
- ▶ Genocide Prevention
- ▶ Global Conflict Analysis and Resolution
- ▶ Human Rights and Inequality
- ▶ Mobilizing for Change and Justice
- ▶ Negotiation
- ▶ Social Dynamics of Terrorism, Security, and Justice
- ▶ Youth and Conflict

... and many more.

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