



Galtung-Institut Summer Academy 2016

Acquire a Professional Certificate in « Advanced Conflict Transformation »

• WHAT IS GISA?

- **GISA** is the Galtung-Institut's Summer Academy for professional training in Advanced Conflict Transformation. GISA consists of 4 weeks of intense training designed for any and all participants seriously interested in acquiring conflict transformation skills as well as for such participants interested in upgrading their conflict resolution competencies to state of the art professional standards.

• CAN I APPLY?

- YES! And you absolutely should! Contact info@galtung-institut.de or visit www.galtung-institut.de/en/training/summer-academy for exact details on costs and how to apply and enroll.

• WHAT WILL I LEARN?

- SOLUTION INDICATIVE CONFLICT ANALYSIS. Throughout the 4 weeks, the focus of training will be on scrutinizing conflict formations and anticipating their dynamics in order to (a) prevent their escalation from cultural violence to structural violence to direct violence and (b) solve so called intractable conflicts.
- Participants will learn to analyze and resolve conflict formations at all levels of social interaction, namely between (a) individuals (micro level), (b) social groups (meso level), (c) nations, (d) states (macro level) and (e) civilizations (mega level).

• HOW LONG?

- From July 1st to July 31st 2016, **GISA** is offering 4 intense weeks of professional training in applied conflict resolution & conflict transformation.
 - Week 1: July 04th to 08th: Mega conflicts & key concepts with Prof. Galtung.
 - Week 2: July 11th to 15th: Micro & meso conflicts with Dr. Faldalen & Prof. Van der Veer.
 - Week 3: July 18th to 22nd: Macro conflict formations with Prof. Paul Scott.
 - Week 4: July 25th to 29th: Mediation & Reconciliation Simulations by Naakow Grant-Hayford.
 - If 4 weeks are too long, you may consider enrolling for a specific week of interest.

• WHO IS TEACHING ME?

- **GISA** courses will be conducted by 4 of the most experienced professionals in the field of Peace Literacy and Applied Conflict Transformation:
 - **Prof. Johan Galtung:** Founder of the academic discipline of Peace & Conflict Studies and leading international expert in mediation.
 - **Dr. Synove Faldalen:** Senior Pedagogue and conflict transformation practitioner with expertise for social conflict-formations at the workplace, in families and schools.
 - **Prof. Kees Van der Veer:** Leading Professor of Psychology with expertise in resolving intra- & interpersonal conflict formations.
 - **Prof. Paul D. Scott:** Professor for Political Science and History, expert on macropolitical dynamics in USA, Asia & Europe.
 - **Naakow Grant-Hayford:** Conflict Transformation Specialist & Director of the Galtung-Institut will be conducting training on mediation and reconciliation.

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