

RECONCILIATION AND JUSTICE IN POST CONFLICT CONTEXT

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COURSE OBJECTIVES AND DESCRIPTION:

This course aims to expose students to the complexity and multi dimensional aspects of the relationship between reconciliation and justice in post conflict context. It also aims at developing a deeper understanding among students of the challenges involved in applying and designing a reconciliation project in a development context.

The course addresses contemporary issues in the fields of peace and conflict resolution and development. Number of political agreements have been negotiated in intractable conflict areas (South Africa, Northern Ireland, Israel-Palestine, Guatemala, Cambodia), however, both politicians and members of civil society organizations in these conflict areas are struggling with ways to address the pressing need to reconcile historical animosity and the demand for justice. The fact that such efforts take place in a development context (countries in which economic, political, and social structure need to be rebuilt), does not make the task easier. The major questions that will be explored in this course are: How does one go about resolving the tension between reconciliation and justice in a conflict situation? What roles do practices of forgiveness and healing play in reconciling political and social relationships in intergroup conflict? How does the need for economic development impact the social peacebuilding (reconciliation)? What type of activities do development agencies and interveners taking in addressing reconciliation? What models of intervention do they use?

The course will address the tension between the request for reconciliation, coexistence and peace and the demand for justice. In the field of peace and conflict resolution, the assumption that in working for reconciliation parties must give up their demand for justice or at least modify it in a way to accomplish the task of peace. Only recently, when in deep rooted conflicts such as Northern Ireland, Israel-Palestine, Guatemala, South Africa, agreements have been negotiated, practitioners and policy makers in these conflict areas began struggling with the need to restore local communities' relationships and reestablish harmony in cities and towns that were divided by the war.

Both, development agencies and practitioners (such as: CARE, CRS Catholic Relief Services, Save the Children, UNCHR), found themselves facing the need to address issues related to social and psychological reconciliation (not only classical development issues (projects related to agricultural, small industries, health, etc.). At the same token, peace workers in these areas began dealing with the question of how can communities reconcile their relationships without addressing their basic human needs of security, shelter, food, etc?.

REQUIRED READINGS

- Abu-Nimer Mohammed, *Reconciliation and Justice in Interethnic Conflict*, New York: Rowman and Littlefield, 2001.
- Ackerman, A., "Reconciliation as Peace-Building Process in Post War Europe: the Franco German Case." *Peace and Change* Vol. 19. No. 3, 1994.
- Assefa., H., *Peace and Reconciliation as a Paradigm*. Nairobi: ACIS Press, 1998
- Rothstein, Robert L. *After the Peace : Resistance and Reconciliation*. Boulder, Colo.: L. Rienner Publishers, 1999.
- Knox, Colin and Quirk, Pádraic. (Eds.). *Peace building in Northern Ireland, Israel and South Africa : Transition, Transformation and Reconciliation*. New York: St. Martin's Press, 2000.
- Biggar, Nigel. (ed.). *Burying the Past : Making Peace and Doing Justice After Civil Conflict*. Washington, D.C. : Georgetown University Press, 2001.
- Rigby, Andrew. *Justice and reconciliation after violence*. Lynne Rienner. 2001.

RECOMMENDED READINGS

- Adelson, Ann. "Truth and Consequences." *Peace Magazine*, Jan.-Feb. 1999.
- Amadiume, Ifi, and Na'im, `Abd Allāh Ahmad, (eds.). *The Politics of Memory Truth, Healing and Social Justice*. London ; New York : Zed Books, 2000.
- Langholtz, Harvey J., (ed). *The Psychology of Peacekeeping*. Westport, Conn.: Praeger, 1998.
- Pugh, Michael C. (ed.). *Regeneration of War-torn Societies*. New York: St. Martin's Press, 2000.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS AND EXPECTATIONS:

The final grade will be based on:

- 20% A report on a reconciliation project
- 35% Research paper
- 30% Summaries
- 15% Participation

Students are expected to attend all classes and take an active role in the class discussions, as well as, in the presentation of materials and assignments. **Reading summaries:** you are expected to hand in a two pages (single space) summary of the weekly readings of at least 10 classes. The summary should not be descriptive (do not describe what in each article). You should highlight points that you find interesting in the readings, compare articles, express your opinion (evaluate and criticize what you read).

Reconciliation project: In pairs, students are expected to select a reconciliation project in domestic or international context and contextualize that project in the theoretical framework of reconciliation. The project is due in class on **October 5, 2007**.

Research paper is due on **December 11, 2007**. Students are expected to conduct a research paper using primary or secondary sources (archival, empirical data, etc.). The paper's topic can be on any case study or question that deals with reconciliation and justice in a conflict or post agreement society (information on paper format and length will be distributed during the semester).

Make a note of the due dates on the syllabus and plan your work so that you do not have to ask for extension/s. Papers not turned in at the beginning of the class for which they are due will lose $\frac{1}{3}$ of a grade (e.g., an [A-] will become a [B+]). Also assignments may not be accepted after few days of their due date, unless the student has a permission to do so.

ACADEMIC INTEGRITY

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GRADING CRITERIA:

Every student is expected to be an active participant in the discussion and analysis of the course material. Exams and papers will be evaluated according to the following grading criteria:

"F": Failing work. "D": Lack of fundamental knowledge of the material but sufficient knowledge for a passing grade. "C": Satisfactory knowledge of the basic information or data presented in the course. This is primarily knowledge of the "facts" or content and involves the memorizing of details and material. "B": Ability to explain how certain issues and events are related to one another according to explanations currently held in the field. It reflects the ability to use the interpretive skill of seeing the relationships between events and theories. Here one knows not just the results or conclusions of methods or theories in a subject, but can summarize or reproduce the arguments and logic by which these results were achieved. "A": Demonstration of independent analysis, original insight, or creativity (an analytical approach). Such level could be reached through critical examination of the current theories of peacebuilding and reconciliation, integrating and applying the course theoretical concepts on personal, community, and national levels; and ability to examine and evaluate future trends in the field.

GENERAL POLICIES

This course is structured to involve students’ participation. Class attendance and class preparation are necessary for participation in exploring the issues of the course. Regular attendance is required as is punctual reading of assignments. It is very unlikely that anyone missing more than 2 class periods, for whatever reason, will receive higher than a "C" for class participation. It is the responsibility of any student who misses three class sessions

during the semester to confer with the instructor to see whether he or she should continue the course.

COURSE OUTLINE:

RECONCILIATION: THEORETICAL FOUNDATIONS

Week 1. August 30

- Introductions
- Syllabus
- What is reconciliation?

Readings:

1. Andrew Rigby: Chapter1: Reconciliation and Forgiving the Past (in: Rigby, 2001).

Week 2. Sept. 6

- Reconciliation and Justice
- Conditions for effective reconciliation
- Different approaches and paradigms of reconciliation
- The cycle of reconciliation

Required Readings:

1. Lou Kriesberg. Changing Forms of Coexistence. (in: Abu-Nimer, 2001).
2. Johan Galtung. After Violence, Reconstruction, Reconciliation, and Resolution: Coping with Visible and Invisible Effects of War and Violence. (in: Abu-Nimer, 2001).
3. Abu-Nimer, et. al. The Long Road to Reconciliation. (in: Abu-Nimer, 2001).

Week 3. Sept. 13

Required Readings:

1. Rothstein, R. In fear of Peace: Getting Past Maybe. (in: Rothstein, 1999).
2. Rothstein,R. Fragile Peace and Its Aftermath. (in: Rothstein, 1999)
3. Kelman, H. Transforming the Relationship Between Former Enemies: A Social Psychological Analysis. (in: Rothstein, 1999)

Recommended Readings:

1. Hizkias Assefa. The Meaning of Reconciliation. (in: People Building Peace: 35 Inspiring Stories from Around the World). (reserve).

Week 4. Sept. 20

Required Readings:

1. Hizkias Assefa. Peace and Reconciliation as a Paradigm. (Reserve)
2. John Cockell. Conceptualizing Peacebuilding: Human Security and Sustainable Peace. (in: Michael Pugh, 2000).
3. Andrew Rigby: Chapter2: European Purges After World War II (in: Rigby, 2001).

RECONCILIATION PROCESS AND THE QUEST FOR JUSTICE: SOME CHALLENGING DIMENSIONS

Week 5. Sept. 27

DEALING WITH THE PAST

Required Readings:

1. Tuomas Forsberg. The Philosophy and Practice of Dealing with the Past: Some Conceptual and Normative Issues. (in: Biggar, 2000).
2. Martha Minow. Innovative Responses to the Past. (in: Biggar, 2000).
3. Marie Smyth. Putting the Past in Its Place: Issues of Victimhood and Reconciliation in Northern Ireland's Peace process. (in: Biggar, 2000).
4. Terence McCaughy. Northern Ireland: Burying the Hatchet, Not the Past. (in Biggar, 2000).

Recommended Readings:

1. Stef Vandeginste. Rwanda: Dealing with Genocide and Crimes against Humanity in the Context of Armed Conflict and Failed Political transition. (in Biggar, 2000).
2. Amy Hubbard. Understanding Majority and Minority Participation in Interracial and Interethnic Dialogue. (in: Abu-Nimer, 2001)

Week 6. Oct. 4

THE PATH TO JUSTICE:

Retribution or restoration
In cases genocide, can justice be served?

Required Readings:

1. Joseph Montville. Justice and the Burden of History. (in Abu-Nimer, 2001)
2. Nigel Biggar. Making Peace or Doing Justice: Must We Choose? (in: Biggar, 2000)
3. Binaifer Nowrojee and Regam Ralph. Justice for Women Victims of Violence: Rwanda after the 1994 Genocide. (In: Amadiume, Ifi and Na'im, `Abd Allah Ahmad, 2000)
4. Andrew Rigby: Chapter3: Spain: Amnesty and Amnesia (in: Rigby, 2001).

Recommended Readings:

1. Rama Mani. The Rule of Law or the Rule of Might? Restoring Legal Justice in the Aftermath of Conflict. (in: Michael Pugh, 2000).
2. Mica Estrada-Hollenbeck. The Attainment of Justice through Restoration. (in: Abu-Nimer, 2001).
3. Andrew Rigby: Chapter 4. Truth and Justice As Far As Possible: The Latin America Experience. (in: Rigby, 2001)

Week 7 Oct. 11

THE PSYCHOLOGY OF FORGIVENESS

Required Readings:

1. Donal Shriver. Where and When in Political Life is Justice Served by Forgiveness (in Biggar, 2000)
2. Joe Montville. The psychological Burden of History. (A Handbook on International Conflict Management and Resolution). (reserve)
3. Tom Woodhouse. Peacekeeping and the Psychology of Conflict Resolution. (in: Langholtz, 1998).
4. Jean Bethke Elstain. Politics and Forgiveness. (in Biggar, 2000).

Recommended Readings:

1. Brandon Hamber. Does The Truth Heal? A Psychological Perspective on Political Strategies for Dealing with the Legacy of Political Violence.(in Biggar, 2000).

Week 8. October 18.

POLITICAL AGREEMENTS AND RECONCILIATION

- Reconciliation at macro social and political levels

Required Readings:

1. Lewis Rasmussen. Negotiating Revolution: Toward Integrating Relationship Building and Reconciliation into Official Peace Negotiations. (in Abu-Nimer, 2001).
2. Erin McCandless. The Case of Land in Zimbabwe: Cause of Conflict, Foundation for Sustainable Peace. (in: Abu-Nimer, 2001)
3. Wendy Lambourn. Justice and Reconciliation : Post Conflict Peacebuilding in Cambodia and Rwanda. (Abu-Nimer, 2001).
4. Eileen Borris and Paul Diehl. Forgiveness, Reconciliation, and the Contribution of International Peacekeeping. (in: Langholtz, 1998).

Recommended Readings:

1. Fabrizio Pagani. The Peace Process at its Culmination: The Reconciliation Election. in: Langholtz, 1998).
2. Valeria Gonzales Posse. Post Conflict Peacebuilding and Making efforts Count: Reconstruction, Elections, and Beyond. (in: Langholtz, 1998).

Week 9. Oct. 25

CULTURAL AND TRADITIONAL APPROACHES TO RECONCILIATION

Is there a generic cultural model for reconciliation?

The different roles of justice in reconciliation process

Required Readings:

1. Susan Collin Marks. Ubuntu, The Spirit of Africa: Example for the World. (in: Susan Collin Marks, 2000)
2. Lisa Schirch. Ritual Reconciliation: Transforming Identity/Reframing Conflict. (in Abu-Nimer, 2001).

3. Hizkias Assefa. Coexistence and Reconciliation in Northern Region of Ghana. (Abu-Nimer, 2001)

Week 10. Nov. 1

RELIGIOUS AND SPIRITUAL APPROACHES TO RECONCILIATION

Forgiveness in different religions

Required Readings:

1. Marc Gopin. Forgiveness as an Element of Conflict resolution in Religious Cultures: Walking the Tightrope of Reconciliation and Justice . (in: Abunimer, 2001).
2. Donald Shriver. The Long Road to Reconciliation: Some Moral Stepping-Stones. (in: Rothstein, 1999).

Recommended Readings:

1. Redmond Fitzmaurice. Other Religions and Reconciliation. (Michael Hurley, 1994).

APPLIED EXAMPLES OF RECONCILIATION PROJECTS IN DEVELOPMENT CONTEXT: A COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVE

Week 11. Nov. 8

RECONCILIATION IN NORTHERN IRELAND: POST GOOD FRIDAY AGREEMENT

Required Readings:

1. Knox, Colin and Quirk, Pádraic. The Comparative Context for Peace Building. (in: Knox, 2000).
2. Knox, Colin and Quirk, Pádraic. Northern Ireland: Macro Political Development. (in: Knox, 2000).
3. Knox, Colin and Quirk, Pádraic. Northern Ireland: Micro Grassroots Activities. (in: Knox, 2000).
4. Duncan Morrow. Seeking Peace Amid the Memories of War: Learning from the Peace process in Northern Ireland. (in: Rothstein, 1999).

Recommended Readings:

1. Mari Fitzduff. The Challenge to History: Justice, Coexistence, and Reconciliation Work in Northern Ireland. (Abu-Nimer, 2001)
2. Paul Arthur. The Anglo-Irish Peace Process: Obstacles to Reconciliation. (in: Rothstein, 1999)

Week 12. Nov. 15

RECONCILIATION IN ISRAEL-PALESTINE: POST OSLO REALITY

Required Readings:

1. Khalil Shakaki. Internal Consequences of Unstable Peace: Psychological and Political Responses of the Palestinians. (in: Rothstein, 1999)

2. Moshe Ma'oz. The Oslo Agreements: Towards Arab-Jewish Reconciliation. (in: Rothstein, 1999)
3. Knox, Colin and Quirk, Pádraic. Israeli/Palestine: Macro Political Development. (in: Knox, 2000).
4. Knox, Colin and Quirk, Pádraic. Israeli/Palestine: Micro Grassroots Activities. (in: Knox, 2000).
5. Andrew Rigby: Chapter7: Palestine: Collaboration and its Consequences-A Worst – Case Scenario? (in: Rigby, 2001)

Recommended Readings:

1. Abu-Nimer. Education for Coexistence in Israel: Potential and Challenges. (in: Abu-Nimer, 2001)

Week 13. Nov. 29

RECONCILIATION IN SOUTH AFRICA: POST TRC CHALLENGES

Required Readings:

1. Knox, Colin and Quirk, Pádraic. South Africa: Macro Political Development. (in: Knox, 2000).
2. Knox, Colin and Quirk, Pádraic. South Africa: Micro Grassroots Activities. (in: Knox, 2000).
3. Charles Villa-Vicencio. Restorative Justice in Social Context: The South African Truth and Reconciliation Commission. (in Biggar, 2000)
4. Hugo van der Merwi. Reconciliation and Justice in South Africa: Lessons From the TRC's. (Abu-Nimer, 2001)
5. Knox, Colin and Quirk, Pádraic. Conclusion Towards peace Building. (in: Knox, 2000).

Recommended Readings:

1. Mahmoud Mamdani. The Truth According to TRC. (in: Amadiume, Ifi and Naim, Abdallah Ahmad, 2000)
2. Andrew Rigby: Chapter6: South Africa : Amnesty in Return for Truth. (in: Rigby, 2001).

Week 14. December 6

Conclusions

Presentations of research papers/outline/findings

1. Barry Hart. Refugee Return in Bosnia and Hertzegovina: Coexistence Before Reconciliation. (in : Abu-Nimer, 2001).
2. Alice Akerman. Reconciliation as Peacebuilding Process in Postwar Europe. The Franco-German Case. (Reserve).
3. Andrew Rigby: Chapter 9: Toward a Culture of Reconciliation (in: Rigby, 2001).

ADDITIONAL SOURCES

- Abu-Nimer, Mohammed. *Reconciliation, Justice, and Coexistence : Theory and Practice*. Lanham, MD: Lexington Books, 2001.
- Ackerman, A., "Reconciliation as Peace-Building Process in Post War Europe: the Franco German Case." *Peace and Change* Vol. 19. No. 3, 1994.
- Amadiume, Ifi & Na`im, `Abd All`ah Ahmad. *The politics of Memory : Truth, Healing and Social Justice*. London ; New York : Zed Books , 2000.
- Anderson Mary. *Building Local Capacities for Peace*. Boston: CDMR, 2000.
- Arnson, Cynthia. *Comparative peace processes in Latin America*. Washington, D.C. : Woodrow Wilson Center Press, 1999.
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- Cecil, Nancy Lee & Roberts, Patricia. *Raising peaceful children in a violent world*. San Diego, Calif.: Lura Media, 1995.
- Chacour, Elias & Jensen Mary E. *We Belong to the Land : The Story of a Palestinian Israeli Who Lives for Peace and Reconciliation*. Notre Dame, Ind. : University of Notre Dame Press, 2001.
- Curle, A. *Tools for Transformation, A personal Study*. London,: Hawthorne Press, 1990
- Etzioni, Amitai. *Civic repentance*. Lanham : Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, 1999.
- Farren, Sean & Mulvihill, Robert. *Paths to a settlement in Northern Ireland*. Gerrards Cross : Colin Smythe, 2000.
- Ferrini, P. *The Twelve Steps of Forgiveness*. Brattleboro, VT: Heartways Press, 1991.
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- Hayner, P. *In Pursuit of Justice and Reconciliation*. Hurley, M. *Reconciliation in Religion and society*. Institute of Irish Studies. Queens University of Belfast, 1994.
- Hayner, Priscilla B. *Unspeakable Truths : Confronting State Terror and Atrocity*. New York: Routledge, 2001.
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- James, Wilmot Godfrey et al. *After the TRC : Reflections on Truth and Reconciliation in South Africa*. Athens, Ohio : Ohio University Press, 2001.
- Keogh, Dermot & Haltzel, Michael H. *Northern Ireland and the politics of Reconciliation*. Washington DC : Woodrow Wilson Center Press, 1993.
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- Krepon, Michael. *Crisis Prevention, Confidence Building, and Reconciliation in South*

- Asia. New York: St. Martin's Press, 1995.
- Krondorfer, Björn. Remembrance and reconciliation : encounters between young Jews and Germans. New Haven : Yale Univ. Press, 1995.
- Langholtz, Harvey J. The psychology of peacekeeping. Westport, Conn. : Praeger, 1998.
- Lederach, John Paul. Building Peace : Sustainable Reconciliation in Divided Societies. Washington, D.C. : United States Institute of Peace Press, 1997
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Videos:

1. TRC in South Africa
2. Changing lenses
3. Tutu and Frankline (Reconciliation in South Africa)
4. "Seeds of Peace" Nightline
5. "Seeds of Peace" original documentary.
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