

Five-Year Bachelor's to Master's in Justice & Society and Negotiation & Conflict Resolution at Creighton University

A combined curriculum of the *Justice & Peace Studies Program* in the College of Arts & Sciences
and the *Werner Institute for Negotiation & Conflict Resolution* in the Graduate School

In collaboration with the Werner Institute, the Justice & Peace Studies Program now offers the opportunity for Justice & Society majors to complete a master's degree in Negotiation & Conflict Resolution in one additional year, at considerable savings in tuition as well as in time. About half of the graduate courses are taken online and about half on campus. 59 credits required: 31 in JPS, 28 in NCR.

During the senior year, JAS students will complete the requirements for the bachelor's degree but also take two courses in the Werner Institute, NCR 624 Dynamics of Conflict and NCR 631 International Conflict, which will count as the social science electives for the undergraduate major. Two required courses in the major, JPS 565 Catholic Social Teaching and JPS 588 Christian Ethics of War & Peace, will also count as electives in the master's curriculum.

Students will matriculate as Full-time Graduate students upon completion of the Undergraduate degree. Three courses (7 credits) will be taken during the summer after completion of the bachelor's degree. The master's degree will be completed over the two semesters of the fifth year. The entire curriculum, year by year, is indicated below.

Year One (3 credits)

1. **One** of the following 3-credit introductory courses:
 - a. ANT 111 Introduction to Anthropology: Human and Cultural Diversity
 - b. ANT 112 Introduction to Anthropology: Culture, Energy and Sustainability
 - c. ANT 113 Introduction to Anthropology: Social and Cultural Determinants of Health
 - d. SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology: Self and Society

Years Two and Three (13 credits)

2. SOC/ANT 301 Social & Cultural Theory (3; fall)
3. SOC/ANT 312 Quantitative Research Methods in the Social Sciences (3; fall or spring)
4. SOC/ANT 314 Statistics for the Social Sciences (4; fall or spring)
5. **One** of the following 3-credit **service-learning/immersion** courses:
 - a. JPS/THL 443 Ecclesiology in Context (summer FLPA to Peru)
 - b. JPS/EDP 261 The Dominican Republic in Context (*Encuentro Dominicano*; fall/spring)
 - c. JPS/SRP 470 Poverty in America (summer travel course in Appalachia/West Virginia)
 - d. PHL 270 Philosophical Ethics (Cortina Community; fall)

e. JPS/ANT 400 Public Health & Social Justice in Haiti (summer FLPA)

Years Three and Four (9 credits)

6. JPS/THL 365 Faith & Moral Development (3; one-credit seminar taken three times)
7. JPS/THL 565 Catholic Social Teaching (3; spring)
8. JPS/THL 588 Christian Ethics of War & Peace (3; fall)

By February 1 of Year Three, the student applies for admission to the master's program.

After acceptance, see Bryan Hanson, Assistant Director of the Werner Institute,

to register for Year Four courses in NCR.

Year Four (12 credits; O = online)

9. JPS 499 Senior Seminar (3; spring)
10. SOC/ANT 499 Senior Capstone: Understanding by Applying Social Sciences (3; spring)
11. NCR 624 Dynamics of Conflict (3; fall)
12. NCR 631 International Conflict (3; spring; O)

Summer between Year Four and Year Five (7 credits)

13. NCR 623 Online Dispute Resolution (2; O)
14. NCR 625 Systems and Consulting for Conflict Specialists (2; O)
15. LAW 410 Negotiation (3)

Year Five (15 credits)

16. NCR 622 Conflict Engagement and Leadership (3; fall; classroom or O)
17. LAW 310 Alternative Dispute Resolution (2; fall)
18. LAW 404 Mediation (3; fall)
19. NCR 627 Facilitation and Group Processes (2; Spring; classroom or O)
20. NCR 626 Culture, Gender and Power Differences in Conflict (2; spring; O)
21. NCR 733 Practicum (3; spring; O and on-site)

JPS credits: 31

NCR credits: 28

Total Credits: 59

[Currently, tuition for the 5th year, including the summer, is \$18,216, a savings of \$8,280 compared to the two-year master's program. Limited financial aid is available.]