



**Course TITLE: Human Rights and Peace Education**

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**Course Overview:**

The course will be taught using the participative approach in teaching human rights and peace. The course implementer believes that human rights and peace are best taught by using the learner's experience as the springboard for learning. The Series of exercises, games and workshops in this course are designed to support and achieve the objective of this process. Without prejudice to the experts' approach, this course will be using both the participative approach and experts' approach but with emphasis on the former, which differentiate this course from the traditional courses in human rights. At the end of the course it is expected that the learners will be able to process the human rights issues from their own personal experience, their understanding of their cultural background and the unique situatedness of their communities and countries. Moreover, it is also expected that the learner will become familiar with the various human rights instruments and how they can apply these in various situations. And lastly it is expected that the learners will have a better appreciation and understanding of human rights and that the foundation of world peace is achieved through respect for human dignity and freedom.

**Grading:**

Participation in workshops, games, exercises (with rubrics) 30%

Reflection Papers 30%

Summative Examination 30%

Attendance 10%