Scholar-practitioner Laurie Nathan appointed professor of the practice of mediation

Laurie Nathan has been appointed professor of the practice of mediation. Nathan will establish and direct the Kroc Institute’s new mediation program, which will serve as an international center for mediation research, training, policy development and practice. More »

Bolten named director of Ph.D. program in peace studies

Catherine Bolten, associate professor of anthropology and peace studies, has been appointed director of doctoral studies (DDS) at the University of Notre Dame’s Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies, effective July 1, 2018. More »

Peace studies faculty from around the world attend University of Notre Dame’s Summer Institute for faculty

Sixty-four faculty from seven countries around the world attended the tenth annual Summer Institute for Faculty at the University of Notre Dame’s Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies from June 11-15. More »
Kroc Institute Advisory Board appoints three new members

The Kroc Institute Advisory Board is expanding. In May 2018, three alumni of the University of Notre Dame and the Kroc Institute joined the board, bringing its total membership to 19. The new alumni members are Chernor Bah, M.A. ’11, Brenna Gautam, B.A. ’15, and Janna Hunter-Bowman, Ph.D. ’17. More »

Events Highlights

Summer Institute Photo Gallery

The Summer Institute is a week-long training for academics who want to launch or strengthen peace studies programs at their colleges or universities. This year’s SI attendance was the largest in history and also coincided with the 35-year anniversary of peace studies at the University of Notre Dame. More »

Faculty in the News

David Cortright was featured in the PRI Article “Despite accord, peace in Colombia is tenuous as country heads to runoff election.”

Caroline Hughes was featured in the CNBC article “INSIGHT-Crackdown and cash: Hun Sen's recipe for victory in Cambodian poll.”

John Paul Lederach was interviewed in the On Being story “How Change Happens, In Generational Time.”

Ebrahim Moosa was quoted in the CBC article “Trump revives annual iftar dinner tradition, but snubs American Muslims.”

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