

MASTER OF ARTS

Major in CONFLICT AND RECONCILIATION STUDIES

Program Description

The Master in Arts in Conflict and Reconciliation Studies is a comprehensive program that will face the challenges of conflict through an interdisciplinary approach. The course will examine how we can act constructively to move beyond cycles of violent conflict, discuss the possibilities and dilemmas of the concept of conflict resolution, and turn our attention to the potentials of reconciliation.

Program Educational Objectives

In line with the University Mission statement, the program is designed to:

1. explain the dimensions of conflict and reconciliation and use methods and tools of conflict intervention and transformation;
2. transfer and apply knowledge and skills to related fields and disciplines such as political, social, environmental, health, sciences, and economics; and
3. develop and practice social responsibility to contribute to nation building.

Admission Policies

A student seeking admission to the program must comply with the following:

1. hold a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university;
2. have to take the entrance tests of aptitude and essay that will measure written communication skill;
3. have to pass the panel interview; and
4. have to submit other required documents for admission

Retention Policies

To be retained in the program, the student must:

1. maintain a satisfactory cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.0 (85) or better in all subjects taken for the entire duration of the program; and
2. have not incurred a failure in any subject.

