

District 7890 Quarterly Foundation Program

ROTARY PEACE CENTERS



LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Understand the purpose of the Rotary Peace Centers program
- Identify the program's partner universities
- Know the selection criteria for peace center candidates
- Understand how to support the Rotary Peace Centers program



ROTARY PEACE CENTERS

Rotary Peace Centers offer master's degrees or professional development certificates in fields related to peace studies and conflict resolution.



ROTARY PEACE CENTERS

- Provide training
- Advance educational opportunities
- Support academic interactions
- Promote greater tolerance and cooperation



PARTNER UNIVERSITIES

- Duke University and University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, USA
- International Christian University, Tokyo, Japan
- University of Bradford, Bradford, England
- University of Queensland, Brisbane, Australia
- Uppsala University, Uppsala, Sweden
- Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand



MASTER'S PROGRAM

- Core courses in peace and conflict resolution
- Specialized courses and research
- Applied field experience
- Annual peace seminar



CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

- Eight weeks of foundational instruction
- On-site fieldwork for 2-3 weeks



SELECTION CRITERIA

- Demonstrated leadership skills
- Commitment to peace and international understanding
- Related career goals



ADDITIONAL SELECTION CRITERIA

Master's Degree Program

- Undergraduate degree
- At least 3 years of relevant work experience

Professional Certificate Program

- At least 5 years of relevant work experience

APPLICATION PROCESS

January-April

Clubs and districts recruit applicants



January-June

Districts interview, select, and endorse applicants and send applications to The Rotary Foundation for processing

June-September

The Foundation processes applications. Districts receive confirmation by email when completed application is received.

October

Fellows are selected by the selection committee in a world-competitive selection process.



ALUMNI AROUND THE WORLD



SUPPORT ROTARY PEACE CENTERS

- Nominate qualified candidates
- Identify Major Donors
- Involve Rotary Peace Centers alumni



SESSION REVIEW

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TAKE ACTION

- Subscribe to the Peace in Action e-newsletter at www.rotary.org
- Seek and endorse qualified candidates
- Identify Major Donors
- Involve program alumni in your club

Questions?

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