# **Global Learning Semesters**

# **Course Syllabus**

Course: IREL-540 Conflict Analysis Department: International Relations

Host Institution: University of Nicosia, Nicosia, Cyprus



Course Summary		
Course Code	Course Title	Recommended Credit Hours
IREL-540	Conflict Analysis	3.7
Semester Offered	Contact Hours	Prerequisites
Fall	42	None
Department	Level of Course	Language of Instruction
International Relations	Upper Division	English

#### **Course Description**

It will explore thinking about human behavior and social systems as they relate to the origins of conflict and will look at the role of conflict in violent and peaceful social change. Appropriate responses to conflict at interpersonal, intergroup, industrial, communal and international levels will also be considered.

#### Instructor

Keith Webb, PhD Van Coufoudakis, PhD

#### **Course Aims and Objectives**

The course will introduce students to the field of conflict analysis and resolution.

## **Teaching Methods**

The course is delivered through lectures, discussions and assignments.

### **Course Teaching Hours**

42 hours. The course is delivered during the Spring semester in 14-weeks (3 hours/week).

## **Evaluation and Grading**

Assignments: 40%
Participation/Attendance: 10%
Final Exam: 50%

#### **Readings and Resources**

Required Textbooks
MH Banks: Conflict in World Society
JW Burton: Resolving Deep-Rooted Conflict
L Freedman: War