

Careers and the Common Good: Peace & Justice Studies Across the Disciplines

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PEACE & JUSTICE STUDIES AND THEOLOGY

Justice through social action



Advocacy

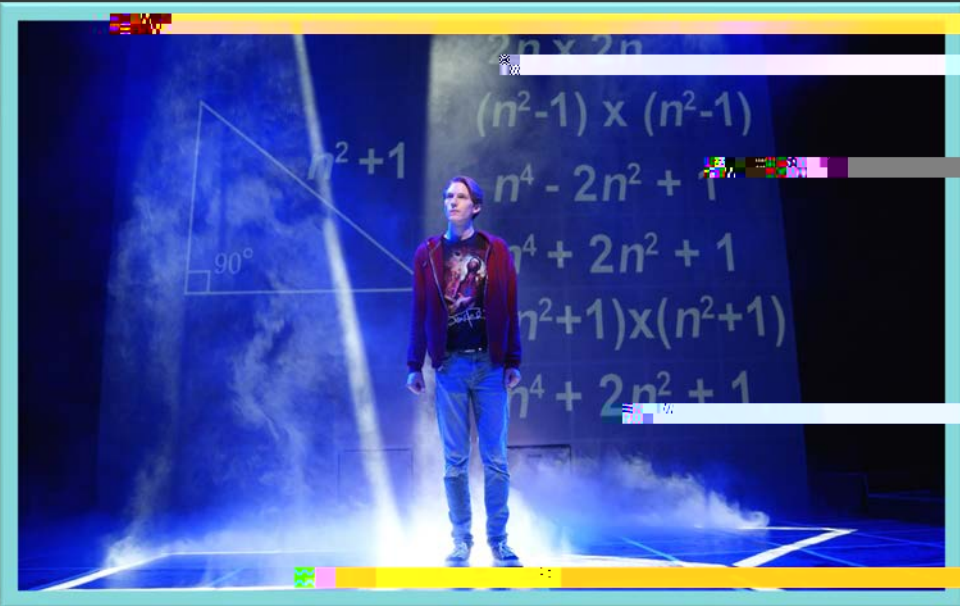


PEACE & JUSTICE STUDIES AND THEATRE

CONNECTING PEOPLE

THEATRE AND PEACE & JUSTICE STUDIES

- Advocate for a student to critically decode social, political, cultural, philosophical, and theological concerns from multiple points of view.
- Theatre & Peace and Justice Studies connect communication and listening skills, compassion, respect, inclusion, and diversity.
- Develop a person within their community who is positioned to become a life-long, respectful, truth learner and listener.



THEATRE +
PEACE & JUSTICE STUDIES



EDUCATION
+
= ENTERTAINMENT
+
ENLIGHTENMENT





As created by Brazilian theatre visionary and Nobel Peace Prize nominee, Augusto Boal (1931-2009), Theatre of the Oppressed is a form of popular community-based education that **uses theater as a tool for social change**.

Theatre of the Oppressed

PEACE & JUSTICE STUDIES AND EDUCATION



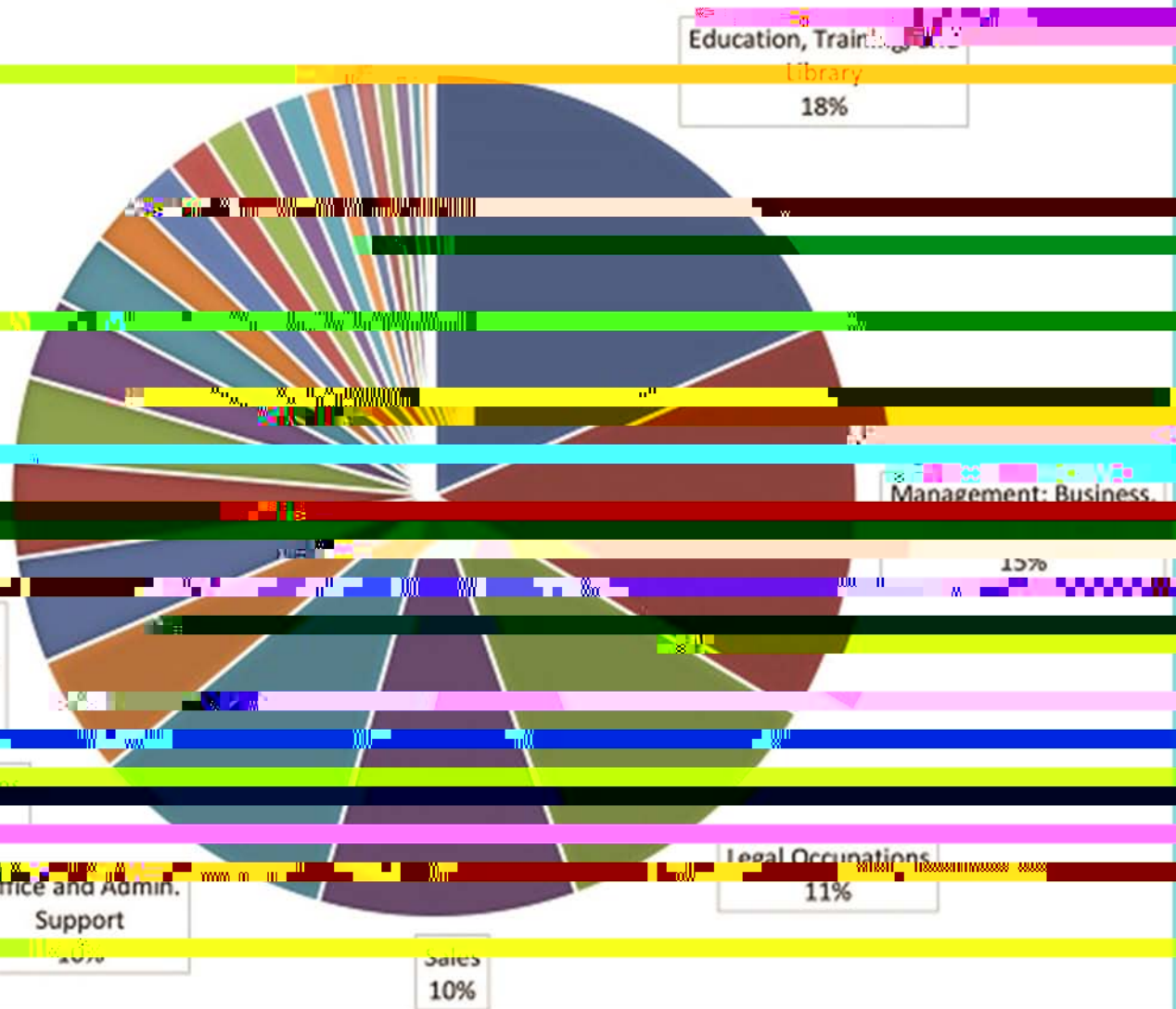
(Toh & Cowagas, 2002)

PEACE & JUSTICE STUDIES AND HISTORY

Yes, I'm a history major.

No, I'm not going to be a teacher.

Careers of History Majors



Peace & Justice
Studies enhances
career prep for
History Majors

History + PJS prep for Law and Justice



History is the
that appears in the

TOP 4

for both LSAT preparation &
law school applications

Peace & Justice
Studies is also
excellent
preparation for a
career in law or
legislative activism

TRAINING SOCIOLOGISTS

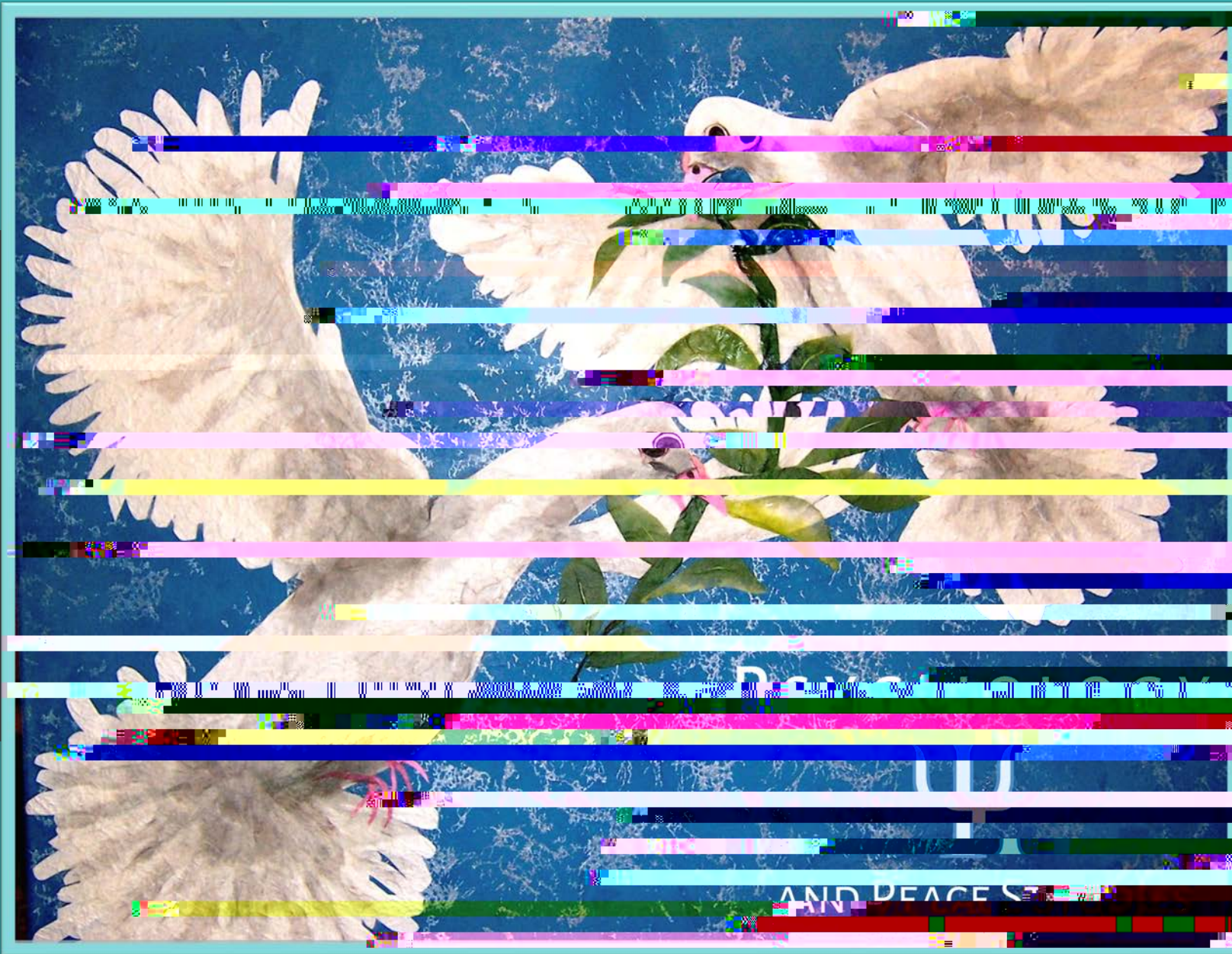


- Sociological imagination and research training
- Research preparation in qualitative and quantitative methods
- PJS intersections useful in local, state, federal governmental and NGO positions
- Study the effectiveness of humanitarian emergency responses
- Gain skills in organizing outreach programs
- Data analysis useful in corporate professions, human rights protection, conflict resolution, cultural studies, violence prevention, human resources, business relations, and corporate responsibility – to name just a few!

RECENT PJS-RELATED SOCIOLOGY JOBS OBTAINED

- University of Massachusetts Lowell
- Human Rights Officer, United Nations Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights
- Project Officer, Catholic Relief Services, Neighborhood Action Planner, City Commission
- Researcher and International Relations Expert, Institute for Trade Studies and Research
- Chief of Media and Public Information

- Communication Coordinator/Assistant, Community Development Organizer, Congressional or Legislative Aide Educator, Human/Civil Rights Officer, Journalist, Media Critic/Specialist, Program Assistant/Associate/Coordinator, Public Advocate/Activist, Public Relations Officer, Research Assistant, Speechwriter
(from University of Utah)



PEACE & JUSTICE STUDIES AND PSYCHOLOGY

Interpersonal, Spiritual, and Familial Peacebuilding:

- Psychotherapeutic Techniques, Conflict Resolution
- Psych of the Minority Experience, Psychology of Women, Abnormal Psychology
- Infancy & Childhood, Adolescence, Adulthood & Old Age, Death & Dying

Local, Regional, Systemic Peacebuilding:

- Social Psychology, Group Dynamics, Cross Cultural Psychology
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Transformative justice & peace building

PEACE & JUSTICE STUDIES AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE

PEACEMAKING CRIMINOLOGY AND LAW

PRINCIPLES OF PEACEMAKING CRIMINOLOGY

- The current criminal justice system is a failure because it is rooted in the same problem it wants to eliminate – violence.
- A major result of

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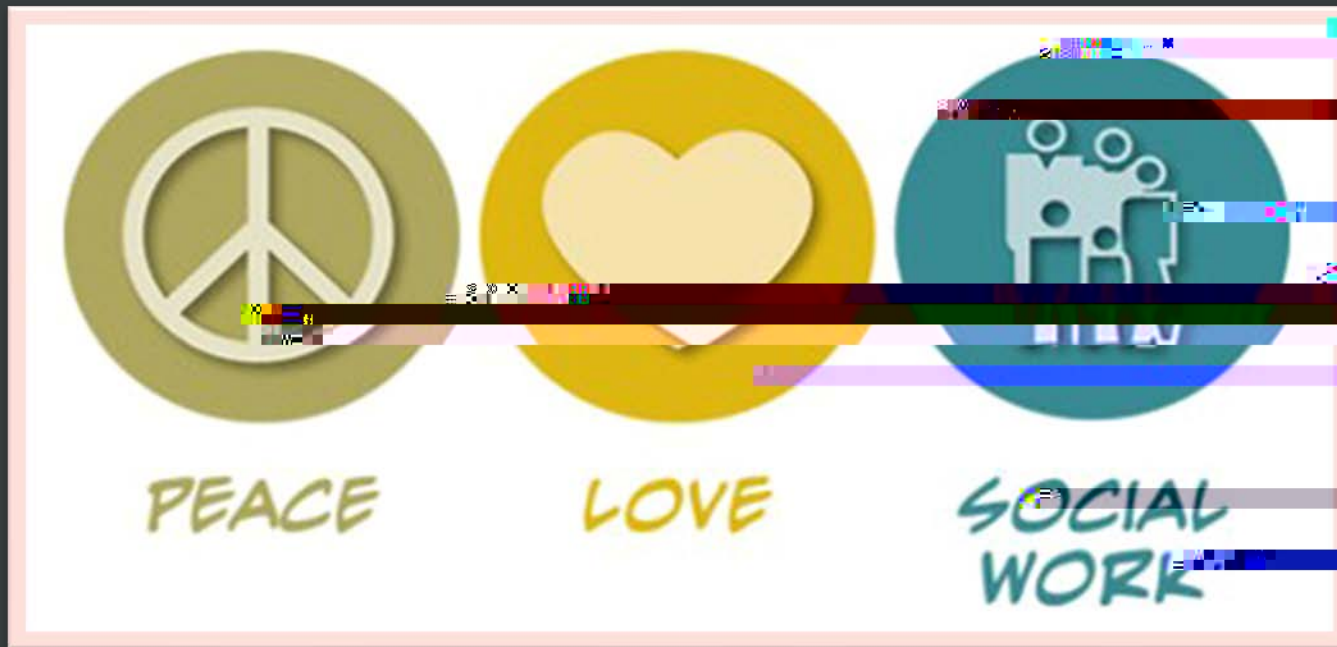
Jane Addams
Nobel Peace Prize Recipient



PEACE & JUSTICE STUDIES AND SOCIAL WORK



INTERSECTIONALITY



- Levels of practice
 - Micro practice
 - Mezzo practice
 - Macro practice
- Common themes
 - Social justice
 - Community engaged learning
 - Vulnerable populations
- Unique features of social work

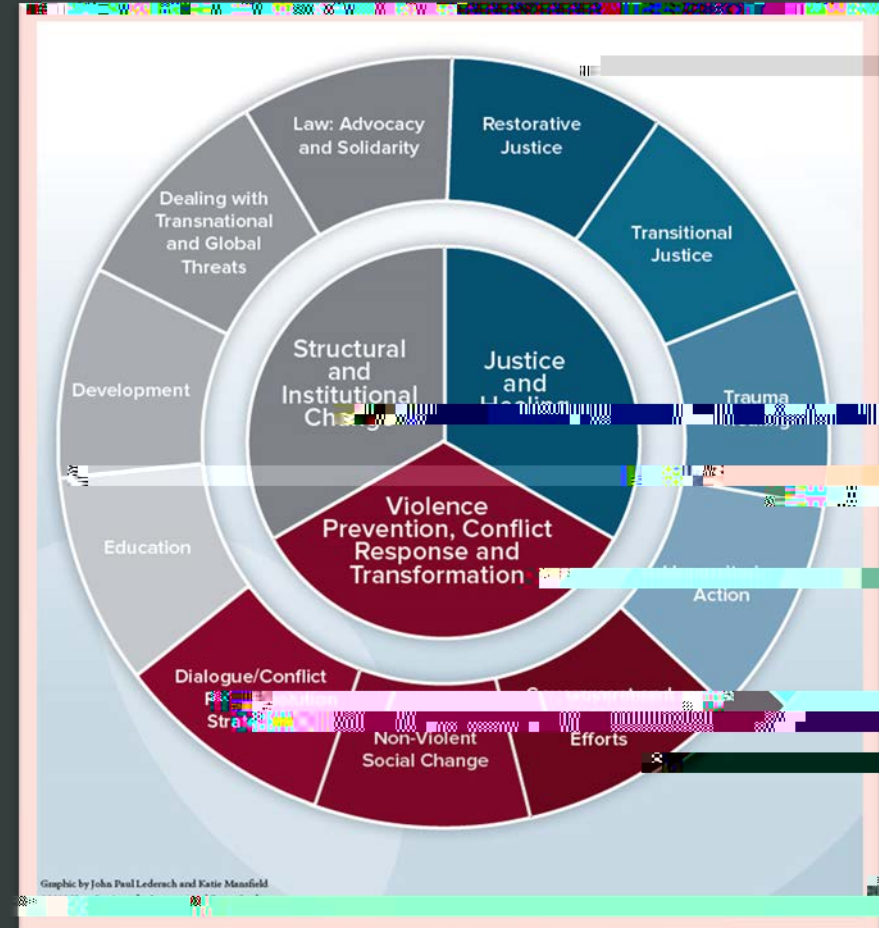
PEACE & JUSTICE STUDIES AND LITERARY STUDIES

- PEACE STUDIES AS A LITERARY HERMENEUTIC?
- CASE STUDY: SHAKESPEARE'S *MEASURE FOR MEASURE*
- CAREERS THAT DRAW UPON PEACE STUDIES



PJS AND LITERARY STUDIES: Careers in Structural and Institutional Change

- Teaching (and Research)
- Careers in Law
- Careers that draw upon a particular combination of skills: narrative interpretation and conflict resolution



PEACE & JUSTICE STUDIES AND POLITICAL SCIENCE

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Course options

Mediation

International Relations

Political Violence

Non-violent Political Action

American Foreign Policy

Model UN

International Political Economy

Non-Western Political Thought

Environmental Politics

PEACE & JUSTICE STUDIES AND COMMUNICATION

COMMUNICATION AND PEACE & JUSTICE STUDIES

Journalism

- Be a voice for the voiceless

Radio/TV

- Shine a light on injustice

Public Relations

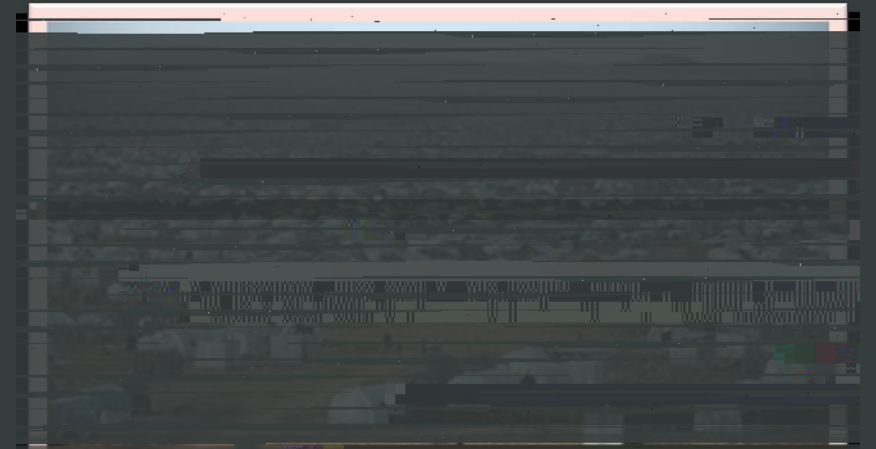
- Be an advocate for justice

Interactive Media

- Connect people and resources

Organizational Communication

- Be a voice of reason and compassion



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