



**Georg Arnhold International Summer School  
on Education for Sustainable Peace**

**HUMAN RIGHTS EDUCATION IN SECONDARY SCHOOL SETTINGS:  
THEORIES, PRACTICES, AND TEACHER TRAINING**

July 25 to 30, 2016  
Braunschweig, Germany

**PROGRAM**

Sunday, July 24

Arrival of Participants

7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.      Welcome meeting and dinner

Monday, July 25

9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.      Arrival and registration at the Georg Eckert Institute (GEI)

10:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.      **WELCOME**  
Prof. Eckhardt Fuchs, Director, GEI  
Dr. Felisa Tibbitts, Teachers College Columbia University  
Martina Schulze, Academic Program Coordinator, GEI

*Georg Eckert Institute*  
Prof. Eckhardt Fuchs

*Teachers College Columbia University*  
Dr. Felisa Tibbitts

*Georg Arnhold Program*  
Martina Schulze

10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.      Round of introductions

Monday, July 25 (continued)

- 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.      **KEYNOTE ADDRESS**  
Chair: Lisa Gerlach, research assistant and PhD candidate, GEI  
  
*Towards Human Rights Education: Indignation, Critique and Closing the Gaps*  
Prof. Karl-Peter Fritzsche, UNESCO Chair for Human Rights Education, Otto von Guericke University Magdeburg (Germany)
- 12:45 p.m.                      Group photo in the garden of the GEI
- 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.        Lunch
- 2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.        Group A: Tour of the GEI research library  
Annette Uphoff, GEI
- 3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.        Group B: Tour of the GEI research library  
Claudia Schmitz, GEI
- 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.        Walking tour of historic Braunschweig
- 6:30 p.m.                        Dinner

Tuesday, July 26

- 9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.        Feedback round
- 9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.        **PANEL: HRE PEDAGOGIES AND THE CHALLENGES OF HUMAN RIGHTS**  
Chair: Sophie Friedl, researcher in the Department Europe, GEI
- 9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.        *Pedagogies at the Heart of Transformative Human Rights Education*  
Prof. Susan Roberta Katz, Professor for International and Multicultural Education, University of San Francisco (USA)
- 10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.        *Clashing Views – Building on Learners' Thinking in Human Rights Education*  
Dr. Inken Heldt, postdoctoral researcher, University of Hannover (Germany)
- 10:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.        Coffee break

Tuesday, July 26 (continued)

- 11:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. *What Role(s) Can the International Baccalaureate Play in Promoting Human Rights Education in the Middle East? A Postcolonial Exploration of the Experience in Lebanon*  
Iman Azzi, PhD candidate, University College of London (UK)
- 11:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. *Human Rights Education in the Context of Armed Conflict Situations (Colombia, Nigeria and Palestine): From Challenges to Opportunities*  
Dr. Johanna Ospina Garnica, "Bartolomé de las Casas" Institute of Human Rights, Carlos III University of Madrid (Spain)
- 12:15 p.m. – 12:45 p.m. *Pedagogy of Human Rights Education and Secondary School Social Science Teachers in India: Philosophy and Praxis*  
Dr. Anamika, Assistant Professor, Department of Education, University of Delhi (India)
- 1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. Lunch
- 2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. *An Ecopedagogical Approach in Human Rights Education for Peace and Sustainability*  
Syed Nitas Iftekhhar, PhD candidate, Beijing Normal University (China)
- 3:00 p.m. – 3:45 p.m. Conclusion (Prof. Susan Roberta Katz) and final discussion
- 3:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Coffee break
- 4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. *Human Rights Education: Pedagogical and Teaching Strategies from a Controversial Perspective*  
Prof. Abraham Magendzo K., UNESCO Chair for Human Rights, Academy of Christian Humanism University (Chile)

Wednesday, July 27

- 9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m. Feedback round
- 9:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. *A Workshop on Amnesty International's First-Ever Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) on Human Rights Education*  
Emilie White, Education Technology & Communications Adviser, Amnesty International London (UK)
- 10:45 a.m. – 11 a.m. Coffee break

Wednesday, July 27 (continued)

- 11 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.      **PANEL: TEACHER PREPARATION AND TRAINING**  
Chair: Michael Annegarn-Gläss, PhD candidate, Department  
Textbooks as Media, GEI
- 11:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.      *Human Rights: An Ethical Framework for Schooling and Social  
Justice*  
Prof. Audrey Osler, Professor of Education, University College  
of Southeast Norway (Norway) /University of Leeds (UK)
- 12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.      *Views on Human Rights Education of High School Teachers in  
Switzerland: Definitions, Opportunities and Challenges*  
Stefanie Rinaldi, PhD candidate/trainer for human rights,  
Otto von Guericke University Magdeburg (Germany)/NGO  
allrights
- 12:45 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.      Lunch
- 2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.      *Teacher Preparation and Training in HRE*  
Liubov Romanova, project coordinator, NGO Human Rights  
“Man and Law” (Russia)
- 2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.      *Study on the Attitude of University Teachers and Students  
towards Global Issues Pertaining to Human Rights in Pakistan  
and Challenges in Designing and Implementing a Global  
Course on Human Rights and Peace Education*  
Dr. Munir Moosa Sadruddin Sewani, Assistant Professor, Sindh  
Madressatul Islam University (Pakistan)
- 3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.      *Empowerment of the Youth in the West Africa Sahel through  
Global Citizenship Education (GCED)*  
Dr. Akemi Yonemura, Program Specialist, UNESCO Senegal
- 3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.      Conclusion (Audrey Osler) and final discussion
- 4:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.      Coffee break
- 4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.      *Free2choose – Discussing the Boundaries of Freedom*  
Cihan Tekeli, project manager and educator,  
Anne Frank House Amsterdam (Netherlands)

Thursday, July 28

- 8:29 a.m. Departure for Berlin by train
- 10:30 a.m. Program at the German Institute for Human Rights with Dr. Sandra Reitz, Head of Human Rights Education, and Mareike Niendorf
- Sandra Reitz: “The Role of National Human Rights Institutions in the Field of Human Rights Education“
- Mareike Niendorf: “Inclusion and Participation as Principles of Human Rights Education“
- 12:00 p.m. Lunch at the German Institute for Human Rights
- 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Optional: Guided tour of the Topography of Terror exhibition, one of Berlin’s most frequently visited places of remembrance
- Free afternoon to explore Berlin
- 7:01 p.m. Return to Braunschweig by train
- 8:25 p.m. Arrival in Braunschweig

Friday, July 29

- 9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m. Feedback round
- 9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. **PANEL: POLICIES AND TEACHING PRACTICES**  
Chair: Eleni Christodoulou, research postdoctoral fellow in Peace and Conflict, GEI
- 9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. *Introduction*  
Dr. Felisa Tibbitts, Lecturer, Teachers College Columbia University (USA)
- 10:15 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. *Building a Movement from the Middle? Human Rights Education Networks in South Africa and the United States*  
Sandra Sirota, PhD candidate, Teachers College Columbia University
- 10:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. Coffee break

Friday, July 29 (continued)

- 11:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. *A Case Study of Human Rights Education in Chinese Secondary Schools*  
Weihong Liang, PhD candidate, University of Hong Kong (China)
- 11:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. *HRE in Indian Schools: Reflections through Peace-Building Sessions*  
Devika Mittal, PhD candidate, Delhi School of Economics (India)
- 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Lunch at Tante Emmelie
- 2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. *Integrating Human Rights into Dutch Civic Education Classes in Secondary Schools*  
Frauke de Kort, E.MA, University of Twente (Netherlands)
- 2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. *From Global Projects to Classroom Practice: The Localization of Democratic Citizenship in Post-Communist Albania*  
Prof. Meg Gardinier, Assistant Professor, Florida International University (USA)
- 3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Coffee break and travel reimbursement
- 3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. Conclusion (Dr. Felisa Tibbitts) and final discussion

Saturday, July 30

- 9:00 a.m. – 9:05 a.m. **PANEL: TRADITIONAL AND NONTRADITIONAL LEARNING TOOLS**  
Chair: Imke Rath, researcher in the Department Europe, GEI
- 9:10 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. *Teaching about a Historical Event of Collective Violence: Should We Bring in a Human Rights Perspective?*  
Prof. Meenakshi Chhabra, Lesley University (USA)
- 10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. Coffee break
- 10:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. *Investigating the Issues of Climate Change and Children's Rights with the Support of a Web-Based Learning Environment*  
Dimitrios Gkatzos, PhD candidate, University of Crete (Greece)
- 11:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. *Kogu Me Lugu - Human Rights Awareness through Trans-Media Storytelling*  
Michaela Snopková, Project Manager, Unitas Foundation (Estonia)

Saturday, July 30 (continued)

- 11: 45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.     *Youth-Centered Innovative Initiative on Teaching Human Rights: Toward National Bullying, Cyberbullying, Sexual Harassment, and Violence Prevention in Egyptian Secondary Schools*  
Prof. Fatma Ismail, Assistant Professor, Helwan University (Egypt)
- 12:15 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.     Conclusion (Meenakshi Chhabra) and final discussion
- 12:45 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.     Lunch
- 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.     **CLOSING PANEL DISCUSSION**  
Chair: Prof. Meenakshi Chhabra, Lesley University (USA)
- 3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.     Round-up of the Summer School  
Certificates and feedback session, Martina Schulze, GEI
- 3:30 p.m.     End of the Summer School