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## NAFSA SEMINAR ON PEACE AND THE GLOBAL CIVIL SOCIETY

# Evolving Roles and Responsibilities of International Higher Education in Peacebuilding

May 27–28, 2018  
Philadelphia Marriott Downtown Hotel  
Grand Ballroom A  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

# AGENDA

**Sunday, May 27, 2018,**

Time	Event
5:30 p.m.–6:30 p.m.	<b>Welcome Reception &amp; Networking</b>
6:30 p.m.–6:45 p.m.	<b>Welcome &amp; Overview</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dorothea Antonio, NAFSA</li> <li>Sherif Barsoum, New York University</li> <li>Thomas Rock, EdD, Teachers College, Columbia University</li> <li>Maria Y. Reynoso, International Students &amp; Scholars Office, Columbia University</li> <li>Elizabeth Worden, PhD, American University</li> </ul>
6:45 p.m.–7:45 p.m.	<b>Opening Keynote</b> <b>The Science of Sustaining Peace: Actionable Lessons from the Columbia University Human Peace Project</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Peter Coleman, PhD, Morton Deutsch International Center for Cooperation and Conflict Resolution; the Advanced Consortium on Cooperation, Conflict and Complexity (AC4), Columbia University</li> </ul>
7:45 p.m.–8:00 p.m.	<b>Conclusion of Evening</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Elizabeth Worden, PhD</li> </ul>

**Monday, May 28, 2018**

Time	Event
8:30 a.m.–9:00 a.m.	<b>Opening Remarks</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Elizabeth Worden, PhD</li> </ul>
<b>PART I—CASE STUDIES</b>	
9:00 a.m.–9:45 a.m.	<b>Panel 1—Northern Ireland</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Brandon Hamber, PhD, Ulster University</li> <li>Tony Gallagher, PhD, Queen’s University, Belfast</li> <li>Elizabeth Worden, PhD</li> </ul>
9:45 a.m.–10:30 a.m.	<b>Panel 2—Colombia</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Raquel Sorza, Ministry of National Education</li> <li>Father Luis Fernando Múnera Congote, PhD, Pontificia Universidad Javeriana</li> <li>Hernando A. Estévez, PhD, Universidad de la Salle</li> </ul>
10:30 a.m.–10:45 a.m.	<b>Coffee Break</b>
10:45 a.m.–11:30 a.m.	<b>Panel 3—Iraq</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fouad Kasim Mohammad, PhD, Ministry of Higher Education &amp; Scientific Research, Baghdad</li> <li>Thomas Hill, PhD, New York University</li> <li>Lori Mason, EdD, IREX</li> </ul>

Time	Event
11:30 a.m.–12:15 p.m.	<b>Keynote Presentation</b> <b>Global Perspective on Actions to Promote Peace</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Brandon Hamber, PhD</li> </ul>
12:15 p.m.–1:15 p.m.	<b>Networking Lunch</b>
<b>PART II—STRATEGIES &amp; COMPLICATIONS: UNPACKING ACTION</b>	
1:15 p.m.–1:30 p.m.	<b>Introduction &amp; Overview of Part II</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Elizabeth Worden, PhD</li> <li>Moderator: Thomas Hill, PhD</li> </ul>
1:30 p.m.–2:00 p.m.	<b>Panel 1—Dialogue</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Colombia:</b> Guillermo Antonio Ruiz-Pava, CESA Business School</li> <li><b>Northern Ireland:</b> Tony Gallagher, PhD</li> <li><b>Iraq:</b> Fouad Kasim Mohammad, PhD</li> </ul>
2:00 p.m.–2:15 p.m.	<b>Small Group Discussion</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Moderator: Thomas Hill, PhD</li> </ul>
2:15 p.m.–2:45 p.m.	<b>Panel 2—Countering Violent Extremist Ideologies</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Colombia:</b> Hernando A. Estévez, PhD</li> <li><b>Northern Ireland:</b> Tony Gallagher, PhD</li> <li><b>Iraq:</b> Lori Mason, EdD</li> </ul>
2:45 p.m.–3:00 p.m.	<b>Small Group Discussion</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Moderator: Thomas Hill, PhD</li> </ul>
3:00 p.m.–3:30 p.m.	<b>Panel 3—Providing Education &amp; Training</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Colombia:</b> Father Luis Fernando Múnera Congote, PhD</li> <li><b>Northern Ireland:</b> Tony Gallagher, PhD</li> <li><b>Iraq:</b> Lori Mason, EdD</li> </ul>
3:30 p.m.–3:45 p.m.	<b>Small Group Discussion</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Moderator: Thomas Hill, PhD</li> </ul>
3:45 p.m.–4:15 p.m.	<b>Panel 4—Policies &amp; Politics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Colombia:</b> Raquel Sorza</li> <li><b>Northern Ireland:</b> Tony Gallagher, PhD</li> <li><b>Iraq:</b> Fouad Kasim Mohammad, PhD</li> </ul>
4:15 p.m.–4:30 p.m.	<b>Small Group Discussion</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Moderator: Thomas Hill, PhD</li> </ul>
4:30 p.m.–4:45 p.m.	<b>Next Steps on Campus &amp; in Your Community</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Moderator: Thomas Hill, PhD</li> </ul>
4:45 p.m.–5:00 p.m.	<b>Conclusion</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Elizabeth Worden, PhD</li> </ul>

Please note that this agenda is subject to change.