

UWC Mostar Peace Conference 2024

Building Peace: Global Challenges Today

“Raise awareness on the most complex challenges faced by the international community and understand how we can further contribute to building resilient communities of peace.”

Building Peace: Perspectives on Today's Most Complex Global Challenges

In a world where conflicts persist, marked by violence, suffering, and injustice, individuals and communities bear the weight of these challenges. Our aim is to delve deeper into the dynamics of global conflicts and enhance our collective ability to address them effectively and equitably. We welcome stories and workshops from all corners of the globe, recognizing that personal experiences and insights from various regions enrich our understanding of conflict resolution. Workshops in this module should present multiple perspectives, highlighting the complexity of global challenges.

Conflict and Divided Communities

This module explores the role of communities in overcoming conflict and division. Conflict can be viewed from various lenses, and not only as violent confrontation. Participants are encouraged to engage with stories and case studies from around the world that would guide us on how to coexist and grow in communities of difference. Workshops in this module should present multiple perspectives, highlighting the complex nature of conflict and global challenges.

Day schedule: Wednesday September 18th

09.00 - Opening of the Conference & Keynote Speaker & Student Speaker

10:00 - 11:30 Building Peace: Perspectives on Today's Most Complex Global Challenges

Student & Staff Led Workshops

11:45 - 12:45 Lunch

13:00 - 14:30 Conflict and Divided Communities

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15:00 - 16:00 Panel Discussion: Global Challenges Today: How Can We Build Communities of Peace

16:00 - 16:30 Student led reflections sessions