Choose a designated Program of Emphasis (POE) in peace and conflict studies or communication and conflict resolution. Or, integrate the study of PACS with other fieldssuch as psychology, environmental science, world languages, information technology, education, history, philosophy, sociology and more.

Our Recent Graduates in Graduate School

**Kelsey Gvozdich ‘10** is currently attending law school at Widener University in Wilmington, Del. While at Juniata, she participated in the Washington Center internship.

Our Recent Graduates in the Workforce

**Scott Sloat ‘10** is serving in the Peace Corps in the Dominican Republic. He also recently finished an internship with the Carnegie Council’s education division in New York City.

**Sara Beth Stoltzfus ‘09** is employed as a residential advocate at the Family Abuse Center in Waco, Texas where she helps to mediate conflicts between residents.

**Sonia Eqbal Zeerak ‘08** is completing her master’s degree in postwar recovery and development at the University of York in the United Kingdom. Following her graduate study, she has an offer to continue working with the World Bank.

To read about more outstanding Peace & Conflict Studies graduates, visit www.juniata.edu/departments/pacs/outcomes

What Our Alumni Are Saying

“I love PACS because I am positive that after graduation I will be able to develop a framework for peace and security in my homeland, Afghanistan, at least at the community level.”

-Razma Qadir ‘11

Student Experience/Professional Memberships

Amnesty International U.S.A.
The International Crisis Group
Model United Nations
PAX-O
The Peace Center
Pearson Peacekeeping Training Centre
Professor World Peace Academy
Student Government Association

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Stay on Target the Next Four Years

Freshman Year

*Increase Self-Awareness*
- Identify interests, values and skills by using FOCUS
- Meet with a Career Counselor and/or take NDSS 100 Career Planning
- Develop a professional resume and upload it to JuniataJobs.com
- Attend Juniata Career Day and career workshops throughout the year
- Test your interests through student organizations, volunteer work and a summer job/internship

Sophomore Year

*Explore Relevant Work Experience*
- Research specific careers and related qualifications
- Become active in student organizations relevant to your POE; consider a leadership position
- Update your resume on JuniataJobs and attend Juniata Career Day and career workshops
- Set Social Networking sites to “private” and maintain professional behavior
- Attend events with Juniata alumni to build your network; create a profile on Juniata Connect
- Get a job or internship related to your field of interest

Junior Year

*Prepare for the Professional World*
- Make employment/graduate school choices
- Update resume on Juniata Jobs and participate in Career Workshops
- Network at Career Fairs: Juniata Career Day, WestPACS, CPEC
- Build a professional wardrobe and attend the Etiquette Dinner
- Simulate a Mock Interview
- Get an internship related to your field of study

Senior Year

*Implement Career Choices*
- Update resume on JuniataJobs and secure quality references
- Meet with a Career Counselor for your “Senior Meeting”; consider registering for NDSS 205—21st Century Career Search
- Create a LinkedIn Profile and network with professionals for job leads/grad school information
- Network at Career Fairs: Juniata Career Day, WestPACS, CPEC
- Apply to targeted employers/graduate schools: Follow-Up

What Can You Do With a P.O.E. in Peace & Conflict Studies?

**Bachelor’s Degree**
[Entry Level]
- educator
- journalist
- lobbyist
- mediator
- writer

**Graduate Degree**
[Experience Often Required]
- clergy
- diplomat
- lawyer
- politician
- professor

Possible Employers:
- business & industry
- colleges & universities
- correctional facilities
- community agencies
- international organizations
- lobbyist/activist groups
- non-profit organizations
- state/federal government

Related Occupations:
- Americorps worker
- arbitrator
- director of activist group
- lecturer
- Peace Corps
- political scientist
- probation officer
- research assistant
- social worker
- urban planner

Notable Internship Sites

- Audubon
- Camp Blue Diamond
- Conflict Resolution Center
- Lutherlyn
- Northern Ireland Bureau
- Pittsburgh Medication Center
- Thomas Merton Peace Center
- The Washington Center

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