

Call for applications:

Are you interested in a Scholarship for a Master's Programme in Peace Studies, in Tromsø, Norway?

The Centre for Peace Studies (CPS), University of Tromsø, Norway, invites applications from bachelor graduates. We offer 2 scholarships for a 2-year master's programme in Peace and Conflict Transformation (MPCT) - commencing August 2013. The scholarships are part of a student exchange agreement between University of Tromsø, Norway and American University of Central Asia (AUCA), Bishkek, Kyrgyz Republic.

Deadline for applications: May 1st, 2013

Funding:

The successful applicants will receive a monthly stipend to cover living expenses during the 2-year study period. A fixed sum will be paid to cover travel expenses to and from Norway. Tuition is free.

Admission requirements:

To be eligible, Kyrgyz students must certify:

- Schooling equivalent to 3 years of upper secondary education (specified below)
- At least 3 years of higher education with a major within social sciences or humanities (bachelor's degree diploma or equivalent). For student with higher secondary school from Kyrgyzstan, we require at least 4 years of higher education.
- Proficiency in English (specified below)

The bachelor degree should be entirely or partly from the American University of Central Asia, Bishkek, Kyrgyz Republic.

How to apply:

Print out and fill in the application form (attached). Applications must include:

- Application Form (signed and scanned)
- Statement of Purpose/Motivation Letter/Essay
- Authenticated Certificates and Transcripts (scanned)

Only scanned copies of original transcripts/documents or certified copies are accepted.

In order for your application to be processed, all relevant qualifications and a verified transcript of records in English must be documented, certified and submitted with your application.

Send the application by e-mail, with the required statement of purpose and documentation, no later than May 1st 2013 to the three following email addresses:

hege.k.widnes@uit.no
international@uit.no
mail@peace.uit.no

Please do not submit your application through professional "Education Agents". Such applications will not be prioritized.

What happens after you have applied?

After deadline the International Office at the University of Tromsø will assess the applications before they are sent for final consideration by the admission committee at CPS.

Specifications regarding Proficiency in English:

http://en.uit.no/students/admission/article?p_document_id=138389

Specifications regarding Schooling prior to University Education (upper secondary education):

http://en.uit.no/students/admission/article?p_document_id=139754

Further information:

- About the MPCT programme:
http://en.uit.no/study-catalogue/show-program?p_document_id=270445
www.peace.uit.no
- About CPS:
www.peace.uit.no
- About UiT and Tromsø:
<http://en.uit.no/inenglish>
<http://en.uit.no/students>
<http://uit.no>

If you have further questions about admission, please contact hege.k.widnes@uit.no at the International office.

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Regards,

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