

RELIG 2250 Religion, Peace and Social Justice

3 hours

Majors, Minors & Degrees:

Majors

Philosophy and Religion (B.A.)

Public Health (B.S.)

Minors

Philosophy and Religion

Public Health

Religious Diversity

Departments/Programs:

Philosophy and Religion

This course explores religious responses to social justice issues, such as conflict, poverty, oppression, discrimination, and the environment. Particular focus is lent to the distribution of resources, gender and racial discrimination, war and other forms of violent behavior and the historical, philosophical, religious, economic, cultural influences therein. The course will also show some implications that theories and implementations of justice have that could aid in framing public policy and social justice activism around particular issues.