

**FKVB21, Peace and Conflict Studies: War and Peace in the  
Israeli-Palestinian Conflict, 7,5 högskolepoäng**  
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Conflict, 7.5 credits*  
Grundnivå / First Cycle

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## Fastställande

Kursplanen är en historisk, äldre version, faställd av Samhällsvetenskapliga fakultetsstyrelsen 2011-11-17, vårterminen 2012.

## Allmänna uppgifter

This is a course in Peace and Conflict Studies offered as a single subject course at Lund University. Lectures and seminars are conducted in English, and examination papers are written in English.

*Undervisningsspråk:* Engelska

*Huvudområde*

Freds- och konfliktvetenskap

*Fördjupning*

G1F, Grundnivå, har mindre än 60 hp kurs/er på grundnivå som förkunskapskrav

## Kursens mål

On completion of the course, the student shall demonstrate the ability to:

### Kunskap och förståelse

- describe and discuss the main issues relating to war and peace in the Israeli-Palestinian conflict.
- describe and discuss the research problems, theoretical perspectives, and methods in the study of war and peace in the Israeli-Palestinian conflict.

## Färdighet och förmåga

- formulate a relevant research problem in the area covered by the course, and have the ability to appraise this problem theoretically and empirically.

### **Värderingsförmåga och förhållningssätt**

- contribute to a common learning environment and to group dynamic aspects of learning.

### **Kursens innehåll**

The course will introduce and elaborate on various theoretical perspectives of war and peace in the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. Central issues to be discussed and compared over time are (1) the causes of the conflict, such as identity, nationalism, religion, territory and great power politics; (2) the Middle East Peace Process (MEPP), which highlights the various agreements, peacebuilding by third parties, the roles of mediators and the collapse of the peace negotiations; and (3) conflict resolution, visions of peace and various territorial solutions, such as two-states, confederation and binational state.

### **Kursens genomförande**

Teaching includes lectures and mandatory seminars. Students are assessed by way of an individual course paper as well as on active participation in seminars.

### **Kursens examination**

In order to pass the course, the student must also submit three brief learning reports on their learning process. In addition to the regular examination, two extra examinations will be organised each term.

*Prov/moment för denna kurs finns i en bilaga i slutet av dokumentet.*

### **Betyg**

Betygsskalan omfattar betygsgraderna Underkänt, E, D, C, B, A.

The grades awarded are A, B, C, D, E or Fail. The highest grade is A and the lowest passing grade is E. The grade for a non-passing result is Fail.

The student's performance is assessed with reference to the learning outcomes of the course. For the grade of E the student must show acceptable results. For the grade of D the student must show satisfactory results. For the grade of C the student must show good results. For the grade of B the student must show very good results. For the grade of A the student must show excellent results. For the grade of Fail the student must have shown unacceptable results.

At the start of the course students are informed about the learning outcomes stated in the syllabus and about the grading scale and how it is applied in the course.

## **Förkunskapskrav**

To be eligible for the course the student must have the equivalence of 30 higher education credits from studies in Peace and Conflict Research or Political Science.

A high level of proficiency in the English language is necessary. (IELTS with a minimum of 6.0 (none of the sections under 5.0), or TOEFL with a minimum of 575p (internet based 90p) or having received a passing grade in English course B (Swedish secondary school) is required.

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Gäller från V12

- 1101 War and Peace in the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict, 7,5 hp  
Betygsskala: Underkänt, E, D, C, B, A
- 1102 Seminarium, 0,0 hp  
Betygsskala: Underkänd, Godkänd