

INTERCULTURAL FIELD PROGRAM IN ISRAEL

Coexistence in the Middle East (CME) enables current and future leaders from around the world to explore the facts on the ground and examine local realities from the perspectives of various religious, political, cultural and national groups that converge at a **crossroads of humanity**. CME delves into:

- Encounters between the "West" and the Middle East
- Relations among Christians, Jews, and Muslims
- Interests and concerns of the International Community
- Competing claims between Israelis and Palestinians

CME is organized in cooperation with the International Institute of Leadership in Israel, Israel Beyond the Headlines, and the Rothberg International School* (RIS) of the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, ranked among the **world's top 100 universities***.

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Field Trips | View Itinerary*

- Holy Sites in Jerusalem's Old City
- Arab and Jewish Settlements
- The Golan Heights
- Borders with Syria and Lebanon
- "Security Fence"/"Occupation Wall"
- Sderot and the Border with Gaza
- NGOs and Government Institutions
- The Sea of Galilee and Nazareth
- The Dead Sea and Masada

Field trips are subject to change

Meetings & Speakers View List*

- Christian, Jewish, and Muslim religious leaders
- Diplomats and members of international NGOs - Military staff and residents of disputed areas
- Israeli and Palestinian leaders and activists
- Dissidents from Egypt, Irag, Iran, and Syria
- Arab and Jewish government officials
- Middle East scholars and experts
- Representatives from across the
- spectrum of political parties

Subject to guest speakers' availability

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Summer Program | Itinerary*

July 3-27, 2016 | July 28-August 11, 2016

Our summer program consists of the following three complementary summer courses:

Narratives & Realities: Inside the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict

July 3-27, 2016 | 3 credits | Website* | Syllabus*

Gain insight into the status quo of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict, its complexity, and its possible evolutions and solutions through exposure to a wide range of narratives, realities, and initiatives.

Israel & the Post-Arab Spring: An Interactive View

July 3-27, 2016 3 credits | Website* | Syllabus*

Learn first-hand about the developing challenges, opportunities, and forces shaping the post-Arab Spring Middle East through discussions with regional players and experts.

Religion in the Holy Land: Faith's Role in Peace and Conflict

July 28- August 11, 2016 3 credits | Website* | Syllabus*

Explore the crucial and sometimes contradictory roles that religion might play as an obstacle to peace or resource for peacebuilding within and outside the Holy Land.

Winter Program | Itinerary*

December 27, 2016 – January 10, 2017

Our intensive two-week session offers 3-credits and includes many of the field trips and lectures to students, faculty members, diplomats, policy makers, and other professionals who are unable to attend the CME summer program. Website* | Syllabus*

Custom Programs

Tailor-made programs may be arranged to suit the needs of organizations and academic institutions. For information, please contact us at info@coexistencetrip.net.

All programs require a minimum number of participants to take place.

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"Two words: life changing. I realized that the path to coexistence is not picking sides of right and wrong but putting history behind and moving forward to reconciliation."

"I gained first-hand experience of what is happening in the real world. I heard narratives from both Israelis and Palestinians. We really got to experience the human side of the conflict."

Angel Collie, Masters of Divinity, Yale University, USA Read more reviews* Tinghua Zhou, Research Assistant, United Nations, China

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Observation point into Syria from the Golan Heights - <u>*View more photos**</u>



Academic Credit

Upon successful completion of the program, students will earn **undergraduate credits** through the Hebrew University's Rothberg International School. Graduate students may receive **graduate credits** by submitting an additional seminar paper. Professionals who do not submit course assignments will receive a **certificate of participation**.

Registration

Deadlines: Summer '16: May 15, 2016 | Winter '16: Nov. 1, 2016

CME is open to undergraduate and graduate students from all majors. Faculty members, professionals, and diplomats are also welcome. **Want to participate?** Don't wait, **space is limited.**

Scholarships are available in several countries and institutions. Sign up to apply, receive updates, or get information relevant to your campus or region with **no obligation** to participate:

SIGN UP HERE* www.coexistencetrip.net/form



RIS Website: https://overseas.huji.ac.il/coexistenceme*

Alumni

To date, undergraduate and graduate students from prestigious universities **across six continents**, along with diplomats and professionals in various fields, have participated in CME. Learn about their experiences in our: video*, photo gallery*, testimonials*, and Facebook Page*.



Costs (in US\$)

Costs include tuition, basic medical insurance, field trips, and class lectures. Students are responsible for food and personal expenses as well as air travel and transportation to and from the airport. Costs are subject to change.

For information about **scholarships** please refer to our website's financial aid section*.

Program

	Summer Program			Winter
	One Course	Two Courses	Three Courses	Program
Duration	4 weeks	4 weeks	6 weeks	12 days
Academic Credits	3 credits	6 credits	9 credits	3 credits
Application	\$80	\$80	\$80	\$80
Registration	\$300	\$570	\$820	\$275
Participation	\$1,350	\$2,420	\$3,407	\$1,600
Discount (included)	-	10%	15%	-
Program Cost	\$1,730	\$3,070	\$4,307	\$1,955

Housing - Optional and subject to availability

	Summe	Winter 2016	
	July Session	August Session	
Check-in	July 3, 2016	July 28, 2016	Dec. 27, 2016
Check-Out	July 27, 2016	Aug. 11, 2016	Jan. 10, 2017
Dorms Fee	\$715	\$420	\$450

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