

PEACEBUILDING DESIGN & MONITORING TRAINING COURSE



The Effective Inter-Religious Action in Peacebuilding (EIAP) II Program is pleased to offer a five-day, face-to-face training on Inter-religious Peacebuilding Design & Monitoring.

What is the goal of this training?

The goal of the training is to provide secular and faith-inspired organizations with foundational, practical knowledge on how to conduct effective design and monitoring of inter-religious peacebuilding programming. It covers four key topic areas:

- Applying an inter-religious lens to conflict and peace analyses, and inter-religious peacebuilding programming;
- Fun & games and logframes with an in-depth indicator module;
- Data collection and tool development;
- Quantitative and qualitative data analysis.

Why create this training?

Though a significant number of design, monitoring and evaluation (DM&E) tools exist for peacebuilders, it is generally accepted in the peacebuilding (PB) field that DM&E approaches are not easily understood in practice, effectively adopted to theme/context, and/or consistently used. Given these findings, this training aims to provide practical and directly applicable foundational information on peacebuilding design and monitoring specially related to inter-religious peacebuilding to encourage greater understanding, exploration and improved use of DM&E principles and techniques.

Who is able to participate in a PDM Training?

The training is designed for participants who are well versed in the inter-religious peacebuilding field but are beginners or new to DM&E. We encourage practitioners who have little to no prior experience with inter-religious peacebuilding program design, monitoring, and data analysis to participate.

What will participants learn?

The objective is for participants who are well versed in inter-religious peacebuilding but who have entry-level capacity in DM&E to learn about current practices in inter-religious peacebuilding design and monitoring and better understand *how to apply these to improve your own practice after the training*. For this purpose, examples and participants own work experiences will be used for practice purposes – through the use of example and your work related case studies. The training focuses in great depth on the key elements of a logframe, outcome level indicator creation, data collection methodologies, questionnaire and guide development, and quantitative and qualitative data analysis. It is designed for action learning – or learning through doing – as participants will not only create and design these aspects of a program, they will work alongside facilitators to reflect upon implications for their own programming. So we ask all participants to bring relevant information for their own programs that we can further assist them with during the course of the training.

How to apply?

Please reach out to <u>Jessica Baumgarder-Zuzik</u>, Senior Director for Learning & Evaluation at Alliance for Peacebuilding for information on costs and requirements for conducting a PDM Training at your institution.

Trainer and facilitator:



Jessica Baumgardner-Zuzik is the Senior Director of Learning and Evaluation at Alliance for Peacebuilding. She works on improving capacity and understanding within the field of peacebuilding of monitoring, evaluation, and impact tools and analysis in conflict-affected settings. She has more than 12 years of experience working in economic development, and humanitarian and peacebuilding activities. She specializes in creating usable, innovative data capture and M&E systems in fragile areas. She applies multiple techniques and theories from a range of disciplines to find creative solutions to tackle DM&E in complex settings.



