The Ikeda Center for Peace, Learning, and Dialogue



GLOBAL CITIZEN SEMINARS

PURPOSE

The Ikeda Center's Global Citizen Seminar Series brings together a select group of graduate and doctoral students from diverse fields of study to examine key themes from Center founder Daisaku Ikeda's peace proposals, speeches, and essays. This new seminar series will provide a platform for young scholars to engage in dialogue across disciplines and tackle the pressing issues of our time. For Ikeda, global citizens are those who, regardless of whether they journeyed beyond their nation's borders, are "genuinely concerned for the peace and prosperity of the world." The Global Citizen Seminars aim to foster deep connections between emerging scholars who, in Ikeda's words, "will take up the search for solutions, acting in solidarity from within their respective places of belonging across all differences of spiritual and cultural identity to generate waves of dynamic, shared action."

WHO WE ARE

Founded in 1993 by Buddhist philosopher, peace builder, and educator Daisaku Ikeda, the Ikeda Center's mission is to build cultures of peace through learning and dialogue. Our work is aimed at helping to establish, across cultures and religions, a shared global ethic based on respect for the absolute sanctity of life and a firm belief in the human potential for good.

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