

Dear colleague,

The Hague University of Applied Sciences in the Netherlands is organizing The Third Hague Peace Conference, which was actually planned one hundred years ago. The conference will be organized for the new generation of students who have a keen interest in contributing to better ideas on how to improve the maintenance of peace and humanitarian law.

The Third Hague Peace Conference takes place: Wednesday 1 July to Friday 3 July 2015.

We organize an essay competition. The students writing the best 100 essays will be invited to participate in the conference. The essays should be uploaded by Sunday 19 April 2015 via <http://www.thehagueuniversity.com/haguepeace>. The essays should contain either proposals on strengthening humanitarian law like the Geneva Conventions, or on maintaining peace more effectively by the United Nations Security Council and regional organizations.

A number of travel grants are available for students from low-income and conflict areas. All selected students get free admission, housing and food during the conference.

We kindly ask you to spread poster among your students. Below you will find the link.

Attached you will find the official invitation letter.

- [Download the poster](#)
- [Download the essay criteria](#)
- [Download the program of the conference](#)
- [Go to the online application and the travel grant application](#)

If you have any questions, you can contact us via the e-mail addresses below.

We look forward to welcoming your most promising students.

Yours sincerely,

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