

PROGRAMME

SUSTAINING PEACE: WHAT ROLE FOR UN GENEVA DIPLOMATS?

A training offered by the Geneva Peacebuilding Platform (GPP), the Dag Hammarskjöld Foundation (DHF), with the support of the Permanent Mission of Switzerland to the United Nations.

9:00 – 9:30 Welcome remarks

- **Dr. Annyssa Bellal**, Executive Director of the Geneva Peacebuilding Platform
- **Sigrid Gruener**, Programme Director at the Dag Hammarskjöld Foundation
- **Jonas Pasquier**, DPR a.i. for Multilateral Affairs at the Permanent Mission of Switzerland to the United Nations Office and other international organizations in Geneva

9:30 – 10:30: BLOCK 1: Basics of the UN's work on Peacebuilding

- Dag Hammarskjöld Foundation
- New York University's Center on International Cooperation

10:30 – 11:00 COFFEE BREAK

11:00 – 12:00: BLOCK 2: Disarmament and Peace

- Small Arms Survey

12:00 – 13:00: LIGHT LUNCH

13:00 – 14:00: BLOCK 3: Human Rights and Peace

- Dag Hammarskjöld Foundation
- The Raoul Wallenberg Institute of Human Rights and Humanitarian Law

14:00 – 15:15 BLOCK 4: Speed dating with the Geneva Peacebuilding Community

- **Federico Negro**, Coordination and crisis response specialist, International Labor Organization
- **Amjad Saleem**, Manager: Volunteering, Youth and Education Development, the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent
- **Eliza Urwin**, Head of Research, Centre on Conflict, Development and Peacebuilding
- **Alexandre Munafò**, Head of Global Engagement, Geneva Call **and Elias Pock**, Global Engagement Fellow, Geneva Call (Presentation on peacebuilding from the humanitarian perspective)
- **Nicolas Sion**, Head of Development, Fight for Humanity
- **Anne-Marie Buzatu**, Executive Director, ICT4Peace Foundation
- **Noémi Blome**, Mediation Support and Policy Unit, Centre for Humanitarian Dialogue

15:15 – 15:45 Peacebuilding from Geneva to New York

- Presentation by **Awa Dabo**, Director and Deputy Head, PBSO UNDP/PA

15:45 – 16:00 Concluding remarks and upcoming Geneva Peace Week

- Upcoming events Geneva Peace Week (GPW): Presented by **Dany Diogo**, GPW Lead at the Geneva Peacebuilding Platform
- Concluding remarks by:
 - **Dr. Annyssa Bellal**, Executive Director of the Geneva Peacebuilding Platform
 - **Sigrid Gruener**, Programme Director at the Dag Hammarskjöld Foundation

16:00 – 17:00 LIGHT COCKTAIL

End of training

Suggested literature

- The Terms of Reference for the 2025 Peacebuilding Architecture Review. [here](#).
- Founding resolutions of the UN's Peacebuilding Architecture (2005) [A/RES/60/180](#) and [S/RES/1645](#) (2005)
- Parallel resolutions on Peacebuilding and Sustaining Peace [A/RES/70/262](#) and [S/RES/2282](#) (2016) and [A/RES/75/201](#) and [S/RES/2558](#) (2020)
- Peacebuilding and Sustaining Peace Report of the Secretary General (2022) – [here](#)
- Pathways for Peace: Inclusive Approaches to Preventing Violent Conflict – [here](#)
- Human rights ecosystem & sustaining peace – [here](#)
- Outcome report from the GPP from the 2020 Review: [pbar_geneva_consultation_report.pdf \(un.org\)](#)
- [Financing the UN Development System: Choices in Uncertain Times 2023, notably the following contributions:](#)
 - Revitalizing a global consensus: The Universal Declaration of Human Rights at 75 by Nada Al-Nashif
 - Moving from climate crises to peacebuilding solutions by United Nations Department for Political and Peacebuilding Affairs – Peacebuilding Support Office (PBSO) and Diane Sheinberg
 - Geneva Consultations on the New Agenda for Peace (2023): <https://www.gppplatform.ch/en/knowledge-hub/geneva-consultations-executive-summary-and-recommendations-ensuring-the-challenges-of-our-time-are-addressed-from-a-prevention-perspective>