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Mediation in African conflicts 871 (PTO 871)

Qualification	Postgraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Humanities
Module credits	30.00
Programmes	M Security Studies Coursework
Prerequisites	No prerequisites.
Contact time	1 lecture per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Political Sciences
Period of presentation	Semester 1 or Semester 2

Module content

The module aims to develop an advanced understanding of the key academic and policy debates regarding international mediation; to explore both the theory and the practice of mediation; and to develop strategising skills for peacemaking. The focus is on mediation undertaken by the United Nations, the African Union and subregional bodies in major conflicts in Africa.

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