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Training in Peacebuilding Programming for Conflict & Post Conflict settings in Africa; 21st to 25th September 2026;

Nairobi-Kenya & Online (on Zoom)

Target Groups: Peacebuilding and conflict transformation practitioners from state and non-state organisations operating across Africa.

Language of facilitation: English

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This training will be held in the period the period 21st to 25th September 2026 for in person participants in Nairobi-Kenya and also Online participants.

Who Should Attend?

This training is designed for practitioners seeking to strengthen their knowledge and practical skills in peacebuilding programming in conflict and post-conflict contexts across Africa. It is particularly relevant for those seeking a deeper understanding of conflict and post-conflict dynamics in the Great Lakes, Horn of Africa, and East Africa regions.

The training is also suitable for practitioners who wish to strengthen their understanding and application of conflict analysis, conflict-sensitive programming, healing-centred approaches to breaking cycles of violence, and gender-responsive peacebuilding in conflict and post-conflict settings.

Content Overview

1. Exploring Conflict and Post-Conflict Contexts in Africa

This session will provide participants with an opportunity to explore the diverse conflict and post-conflict contexts represented in the training. It will focus on examining key political, social, economic, and security issues across different contexts, identifying emerging challenges and opportunities, and reflecting on their implications for peacebuilding programming.

2. Conflict Analysis Tools

This session will introduce participants to a range of conflict analysis tools and frameworks that can be used to develop a deeper understanding of conflict dynamics and the contexts in which peacebuilding interventions are implemented. Participants will explore how these tools can inform programme design, implementation, adaptation, and decision-making.

3. Peacebuilding Programming in Conflict and Post-Conflict Settings

This session will introduce and examine key peacebuilding programming approaches relevant to conflict and post-conflict settings. Participants will explore different programming options and consider how interventions can be designed to address conflict drivers, strengthen resilience, support social cohesion, and contribute to sustainable peace.

4. Healing-Centred Peacebuilding

Conflict and violence affect individuals, communities, institutions, and societies at multiple and interconnected levels. This session will explore the links between individual, relational, community, and structural dimensions of violence and their implications for peacebuilding.

Participants will examine different healing and recovery strategies and consider how healing-centred approaches can be integrated into peacebuilding programming.

5. Understanding Conflict Sensitivity in Peacebuilding Programming

This session will explore the principles and practical application of conflict sensitivity in organizations and programmes operating in conflict and post-conflict settings. Participants will examine how organizational policies, programme design, implementation, monitoring, and decision-making can be informed by conflict-sensitive approaches to minimize unintended negative impacts and maximize opportunities to contribute positively to peace.

6. Gender Inclusivity in Conflict and Post-Conflict Settings

This session will examine the gender dimensions of conflict and post-conflict contexts, including how conflict affects women, men, girls, and boys differently. Participants will explore key principles and approaches to gender mainstreaming, as well as practical tools for gender analysis and integration of gender considerations throughout the programme cycle.

By the end of the training, participants will have:

1. Enhanced understanding of conflict and post-conflict contexts in Africa, including key conflict dynamics, challenges, and peacebuilding opportunities across diverse settings.
2. Improved practical knowledge of conflict analysis tools and frameworks and the ability to apply them to better understand conflict dynamics and inform peacebuilding programming.
3. Increased understanding of peacebuilding programming options and approaches appropriate for conflict and post-conflict settings, with a focus on addressing conflict drivers and supporting sustainable peace.
4. Enhanced understanding of approaches to breaking cycles of violence, including the application of healing-centred peacebuilding approaches to support individual, community, and societal healing and recovery.
5. Strengthened understanding of conflict-sensitive programming, including how conflict sensitivity can be integrated into organizational processes and throughout the programme cycle.
6. Enhanced awareness of gender dimensions in conflict and post-conflict settings, including practical approaches and tools for gender analysis, gender mainstreaming, and gender-responsive peacebuilding programming.

Trainers

This training will be conducted by seasoned peacebuilding practitioners with years of experience designing and conducting peacebuilding trainings and programmes for conflict and post conflict settings in the continent of Africa and beyond.

Training Methodologies

The training will employ adult learning methodologies. Participants will engage in interactive and experiential learning drawing from their knowledge and experiences and that of the facilitators. There will be a lot of practical exercises and real case studies of projects drawn from around the continent of Africa in conflict and post conflict contexts.

Training Charges

Option 1: US\$750 -this is for those attending the training physically in Nairobi. This amount covers lunch and refreshments, tuition, training materials and a certificate of completion.

Option 2: US \$ 1200. This amount covers lunch and refreshments, tuition, training materials and a certificate of completion. It also covers accommodation and dinner charges from the evening of 20th September to breakfast on 26th September 2026

Option 3: US\$ 400: This is for those attending the training online via Zoom (it covers the tuition, online resources and a certificate of completion).

All participants requiring airport pickup and drop off in Nairobi will be accorded the service as part of the training package.

Application process

Application documents are available from:

<https://cgpg-africa.org/training/training-in-peacebuilding-programming-for-conflict-post-conflict-settings-in-africa-21st-to-25th-september-2026-nairobi-kenya-online/>

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Some of the organizations that have supported staff/partner organizations to our trainings

CEJP Burundi-Agiamondo e.V, Tearfund-Burundi, United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Central Africa Republic (MINUSCA), Catholic Agency for Overseas Development (CAFOD)-DRC, Search for Common Ground-DRC, Warchild –UK-DRC, Worldwide Fund For Nature- DRC, Caritas-Ethiopia, Embassy of Canada-Ethiopia, UN Women-Ethiopia, Episcopal Relief & Development-Ghana, Catholic Diocese of Malindi-Commission For Interreligious Dialogue & Ecumenism (CIRDE)-Kenya, GIZ Great Lakes-iWPS Program, GIZ- CPS Programme-Kenya, GIZ Somalia-Epis Project, Humanity & Inclusion-Kenya, Kenya Catholic Bishops-Commission For Interreligious Dialogue & Ecumenism (CIRDE), Kituo Cha Sheria-Kenya, Network for Religious & Traditional Peacemakers (Finn Church Aid)-Kenya, Mozambique & Somalia, United States Institute of Peace (USIP)- Kenya, National Initiative for Civic Education (NICE)-Malawi, Christian Aid-Nigeria, Caritas Germany-Nigeria, Gender Equality Peace & Development Centre (GEPaDC)-Nigeria, Justice, Development & Peace Initiative-Nigeria, Cordaid-Kenya, Uganda, Rwanda & Zimbabwe, Local Government-Rwanda, Saferworld-Somalia, Caritas Switzerland-South Sudan, Christian Blind Mission-South Sudan, Hope Restoration South Sudan, Jesuit Refugee Service-South Sudan, NonViolent PeaceForce-South Sudan, Organization for Rural Development Initiative-South Sudan, Salesian Sisters of Don Bosco Gumbo-South Sudan, South Sudan Council of Churches (SSCC), South Sudan Red Cross, The Organization for Children's Harmony South Sudan (TOCH-SS), United Nations Mission in South Sudan (UNMISS), Warchild Holland- South Sudan, The Hunger Project-Uganda, Riamiriam Civil Society Network-Uganda, UNDP-Tanzania, UN Women-Tanzania, Africa Governance, Peace & Transitional Studies-Sudan, Geneina University- Sudan, Khartoum University-Sudan, SOS Sahel-Sudan, University of Kordofan-Sudan, World Relief- Sudan.

The Centre For Gender, Peace & Governance-Africa (CGPG-Africa)

CGPG-Africa is a regional organization started in 2015 by a group of peacebuilding and development practitioners and academicians with years of practical and theoretical knowledge in areas relevant to programming options and trainings in conflict and post-conflict settings in Africa and beyond.

The organization's key mandate is to strengthen capacities of practitioners and organizations working in conflict and post-conflict settings in Africa so that their programming is more relevant and responsive. Our areas of focus are in the Horn of Africa, Great Lakes region and Eastern Africa.

Our training programme, which has been operational since 2021 has trained practitioners from Burundi, Central Africa Republic, Democratic Republic of Congo, Ethiopia, Ghana, Kenya,

Malawi, Mali, Mozambique, Nigeria, Rwanda, Somalia, South Sudan, Sudan, Tanzania, Uganda and Zimbabwe.

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