

The graduate Genocide Prevention Certificate has been developed with the help of the Auschwitz Institute for Peace and Reconciliation (AIPR) in New York City to meet the need for specialized training among

Blackboard over the summer of 2015 that will be used by Consortium Faculty to deliver their course content.

Students enrolled in the MAHG program may take



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will receive his doctorate in Performance Studies at New York University in December 2015. He has published articles in the journals *Tourist Studies*, *Material Culture*, and *Museum and Society*, and has written a chapter on the role of civil society in atrocity prevention for the edited volume *Reconstructing Atrocity Precarity within the City* (Bristol: TJO

This course will focus on perpetrator behavior and motivation in genocide and mass atrocity. Case studies, also focusing on the judicial consequences, will be drawn from the Holocaust, Cambodia, Latin America, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Rwanda, and child soldiers. In addition to understanding how ordinary people come to commit genocide and mass atrocity, this course will focus on the implications of that understanding for prevention of such extraordinary evil.

This course will offer answers to some crucial questions regarding the prevention of mass atrocities before the risk of atrocities taking place is high: What does atrocity prevention



