



Symposium Body-Oriented Approaches in Peace Studies

Monday June 03 to Wednesday June 05, 2019
Grillhofweg 100. A-6080 Vill/Igls

This symposium invites researchers, practitioners and teachers concerned with Peace and Conflict Studies who seek to systematically explore different body-oriented methods and their applicability.

These alternative methods might include, for example, Holotropic breathwork, Vipassana, Non-violent communication, Theme-centered Interaction, diverse psychologies of interpersonal communication, Butō, Budō—aikido, political constellations and transformative theater work.

We will explore the following major inquiries:

- How can arts and body-oriented methods contribute to a comprehensive frame of teaching and learning?
- How can group dynamics and intra-group conflicts be made explicit and addressed through them?
- What are the corresponding didactical requirements?

Based on an elicitive approach, the format of the symposium consists of individual contributions in which the different methods can be practically experienced and jointly reflected by the participants. The individual contributions aim to ‚show‘ (experience and live) how body-oriented approaches function, instead of ‚telling‘ how they could work. Towards this purpose, the symposium is structured in three consecutive parts, addressing movement-, breath-, and voice-oriented methods respectively.

Dates:

Monday, June 03rd 14:00-21:00

Tuesday, June 04th 09:00-21:00

Wednesday June 05th, 09:00-18:00

Venue:

Tiroler Bildungsinstitut Grillhof, Grillhofweg 100, 6080 Vill/Igls,
www.tirol.gv.at/bildung/bildungsinstitut-grillhof

Registration and application:

For international participants there is a limited number of slots providing accommodation and board for free. For a limited number of national participants, full board is included.

We ask for registration until May 15th, including a proposal for a session of ca. one hour to be facilitated within the symposium.

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