

**Spark M. Matsunaga Institute for Peace and Conflict Resolution**  
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**Report for January 2012-June 2013<sup>1</sup>**

## **Introduction**

The Institute for Peace was established in 1986 and renamed in 1990 to honor former United States Senator Spark M. Matsunaga, a leader in the movement to promote peace. The Program on Conflict Resolution (PCR) was also established at the University in 1986 and later merged with the Matsunaga Institute. Since 2006, the Matsunaga Institute has been affiliated with the College of Social Sciences Public Policy Center (PPC). The Matsunaga Institute offers Peace and Conflict Education courses (referred to as PACE courses in the University catalog) at the undergraduate and graduate levels. It administers the Graduate Certificate in Conflict Resolution, which was awarded permanent status in 2011. The Institute also administers the BA in Peace Studies and Conflict Resolution (offered in cooperation with Interdisciplinary Studies) and the Certificate in Peace Studies, which is equivalent to a minor.

This report summarizes developments in the following areas:

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## **Section 1: Faculty and Staff in the Matsunaga Institute**

The Matsunaga Institute has three internal faculty members: Professor Carole Petersen (jointly appointed in the William S. Richardson School of Law) teaches PACE 420 Introduction to Human Rights and serves as the Director of the Institute. Associate Professor Brien Hallett teaches in PACE 310 Survey of Peace and Conflict Studies; PACE 412 Gandhi, King, and Nonviolence; and PACE 489 Hiroshima and Peace. He is also the principal advisor for the Institute's undergraduate programs, and will serve as the Acting Director of the Institute in Fall 2013 (when Carole Petersen is on sabbatical). Associate Professor Bruce Barnes is the Chair of the Graduate Certificate in Conflict Resolution and teaches graduate courses on mediation and facilitation (PACE 647 and

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<sup>1</sup> This report covers an 18-month period because the Matsunaga Institute is transitioning from producing an annual report for each calendar year to publishing an annual report for each academic year. The next annual report will run from July 2013-June 2014.

PACE 668), as well as PACE 447 Culture and Conflict Resolution and PACE 468 International Law and Disputes.

In April 2013, Professor Yasuhiro Inoue joined the Matsunaga Institute as a Visiting Scholar until March 2014. He is a Professor of Media Studies at Hiroshima City University (HCU). In addition to conducting research in the Institute (see section 4 below), he also teaches in and helps to organize PACE 489 Hiroshima and Peace, a cooperative summer course offered by the Matsunaga Institute and HCU.

Anne Smoke, the Institute's Educational Specialist and Program Manager, coordinates the Graduate Certificate in Conflict Resolution and the UH Alternative Dispute Resolution (UH ADR) program, which provides opportunities for skills development for graduate students in conflict resolution. She also creates and oversees the Schedule of Courses and coordinates part-time lecturers, administers the general office on the 5<sup>th</sup> floor of the Saunders Building, and plans and executes events and publicity for the Institute. She is assisted by our Graduate Assistants, Allison Bustria and Kathryn Ranney, and our part-time graduate student assistant, Laurel Pikcunas. Diane Sakai serves as the administrative-fiscal (APT) specialist for both the Matsunaga Institute and the Public Policy Center and oversees the employment documentation for the Institute's part-time lecturers.

## **Section 2: Affiliate Faculty and Lecturers**

Given its small size, the Matsunaga Institute is fortunate to have support from other departments in the University and the community. Faculty from a wide range of departments at UH Manoa contribute by teaching courses and advising students in the Graduate Certificate in Conflict Resolution. This group includes John Barkai and Tracey Wiltgen (Law School); David Chandler and Susan Wurtzburg (Sociology); Dolores Foley, Makena Coffman, and Kem Lowry (Urban and Regional Planning); Amy Hubbard and William Sharkey (Communicology); Susan Chandler and Morgen Johansen (Public Policy Center); Maya Soertoro-Ng (College of Education); Leslie Sponsel (emeritus, Anthropology); Joe Campos (Health Services); Michael Jones (Physics); Laura Ruby (Art); and Carolyn Stephenson, Neal Milner, George Kent, and Richard Chadwick (Political Science). In 2013, Katherine Bennett from the School of Social Work joined the Institute's Affiliate Faculty and co-taught (with David Chandler) a new graduate course in Family Mediation.

The Matsunaga Institute also receives substantial support from professionals and academics from outside UH Manoa who either teach individual courses or supervise our graduate students' practicum projects. For example, Peter Adler teaches PACE 629 Advanced Negotiation, Ben Carroll teaches PACE 429 Negotiation; Louis Chang teaches PACE 447 Mediation; Ha'aheo Guanson teaches PACE 315 Personal Peace; and Kaleo Patterson teaches PACE 485 Ho'oponopono. Marina Piscalish has taught both PACE 668 Facilitation and PACE 652 Conflict Management for Educators. Kerrie Urosevich taught PACE 410 History of Peace Movements in 2012 and will teach PACE 652 in the

summer of 2013. Kuhio Vogeler teaches PACE 485 Topics in Peace and Conflict Resolution: Protest Under Occupation, which satisfies the University's focus requirement for Hawaiian, Asian and Pacific Issues. Lt. Col. (Retired) Michael Mori (who taught PACE 485: International Criminal Law for the Institute) recently moved to Australia to become a Senior Fellow at Melbourne Law School; he is also working with a legal team that is challenging the legality of Australia's asylum seeker processing centre on Nauru. Other affiliates include Betty Ching, and Luciano Minerbi.

Claudia Wahl has taught several undergraduate courses in peace studies and conflict resolution for the Institute on the island of Maui. Karen Worthington, who also lives on Maui, joined the Institute this year to teach a new on-line course entitled "Advocating for Children: Rights and Welfare, which is cross-listed with the Public Policy Center. Additional on-line courses are taught every year by Brian Jarrett from the University of Alaska and Karla Gonzalez, a practicing lawyer specializing in civil rights in British Columbia, Canada.

In addition to teaching, our affiliates also assist the Institute by supervising the practicum projects of our graduate students. For example, this year Carolyn Stephenson supervised a graduate student's practicum project that provided mediation training to UH Manoa's Resident Assistants and administrators of Student Housing. Donna Ching also regularly includes students from the Graduate Certificate in Conflict Resolution in her training workshops and facilitation projects. Members of our affiliate faculty also assist with mediations and facilitation projects that are part of the UH ADR program. For example, David Chandler frequently volunteers to mediate disputes at UH Manoa and other campuses in the University of Hawaii system.

On May 4, 2013, the Mediation Center of the Pacific gave Karen Cross an Award for Outstanding Leadership in Mediation to recognize her vision and dedication in promoting and growing mediation in Hawaii. Karen is the former Program Manager at the U.H. Program on Conflict Resolution and Matsunaga Institute for Peace and served in that capacity from 1987 through 2010. During that time the Institute forged important ties with the community through service, education, practice, outreach, the development of the Graduate Certificate in Conflict Resolution and a UH Alternative Dispute Resolution program. Although she is now retired from the University, Karen Cross is an active peacemaker in the community and continues to participate in the Institute's programs.

### **Section 3: Academic Programs and Scholarships**

The Matsunaga Institute administers the following academic awards:

*The Undergraduate Certificate in Peace Studies* (equivalent to a minor);

*The B.A. in Peace and Conflict Resolution* (offered in cooperation with Interdisciplinary Studies); and

*The Graduate Certificate in Conflict Resolution* (which can be completed by itself or in conjunction with another graduate degree).

All three programs include a practicum that allows students to develop skills in peacemaking and conflict resolution. Students have completed practicums in numerous organizations, including the Mediation Center of the Pacific; the Alzheimer's Association of Hawai'i; the East-West Center; the Legal Aid Society of Hawai'i; the Pacific Justice and Reconciliation Center; the Youth Volunteer Corps of America; the Pacific and Asian Affairs Council; and the Waikiki Aquarium. Students in the Graduate Certificate in Conflict Resolution have also assisted faculty with a variety of research projects on conflict resolution and with mediations and facilitations in the community. In August 2012, the Institute held its annual orientation program for students entering the Graduate Certificate in Conflict Resolution. The Institute collaborated with the Graduate Certificate in Public Policy on the orientation and invited Social Science Librarian Dave Brier to give a presentation on library resources and research techniques.

In 2013, the Matsunaga Institute cooperated with the Public Policy Center to create a new BA in Inter-disciplinary Studies: Public Affairs and Public Policy, which will be offered in the 2013-14 academic year. The Matsunaga Institute will contribute courses on international law and leadership skills, including mediation and negotiation.

The Matsunaga Institute administers several fellowships and scholarships, which assist students who demonstrate a particularly strong commitment to peace studies, conflict resolution, or inter-cultural understanding. Students may apply for: the Nobumoto Tanahashi Peace Fellowship for graduate students; the Nobumoto Tanahashi Peace Scholarship for undergraduate students; and the Philip Jacob Peace Memorial Award. In May, the Institute organizes an annual Awards and Recognition Reception for the students who receive these awards. In 2012 the keynote address was delivered by Denise Konan, the Dean of the College of Social Sciences. In May 2013, the keynote speaker was James Koshiba of Kanu Hawaii, a community organization building leadership for a more sustainable and compassionate Hawaii (see <https://www.kanuhawaii.org/>).

#### **Section 4: Publications and Research and Service Projects by Faculty and Affiliates**

This year the Matsunaga Institute is hosting *Professor Yasuhiro Inoue* as a Visiting Scholar from April 2012-March 2013. Professor Inoue's research project, *Media Narratives and Survivors' Understandings of the Pearl Harbor Attack and the Atomic Bombing of Hiroshima*, investigates (1) national and local newspaper reports on the Pearl Harbor attack and the atomic bombing of Hiroshima and (2) the understanding of both events by Pearl Harbor survivors and Hawaii people (e.g., Japanese American from Hiroshima) who survived the atomic bombing. Professor Inoue is also exploring the impact the Internet and social networking sites (SNS) in the U.S. and Japan.

**Brien Hallett** published three books in 2012. *DECLARING WAR: CONGRESS, THE PRESIDENT, AND WHAT THE CONSTITUTION DOES NOT SAY* (Cambridge University Press 2012) analyzes why Congress has failed to check an imperial presidency and proposes two possible remedies – a constitutional amendment or a significant reorganization of Congress. He also completed: *DID THE ATOMIC BOMB CAUSE THE SURRENDER OF JAPAN?: AN ALTERNATIVE EXPLANATION OF THE END OF WORLD WAR II* (Edwin Mellon Press 2012) and *DID JAPAN SURRENDER UNCONDITIONALLY?: AN EXPLANATION OF THE SUCCESS THAT JAPAN ACHIEVED AT THE END OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR* (Edwin Mellon Press 2012). He also presented: *Misunderstanding the Power to Declare War: Arthur Schlesinger, John Yoo, and the War Power Resolution* at the 2012 Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association and a revision of that paper at the 2013 Annual Meeting of the Midwest Political Science Association entitled, *Misunderstanding the Power to Declare War: Recognizing A Procedural and Textual Model*. Hallett continues to serve as the Faculty Advisor and instructor in *Hiroshima and Peace*, a cooperative program with Hiroshima City University in Japan.

**Bruce Barnes** published *Re-Imagining Canadian and United States Foreign Policies*, 43(1) *THE CANADIAN JOURNAL OF PEACE AND CONFLICT STUDIES* 30-50 (available at: [http://www.peaceresearch.ca/pdf/43\\_1/Vol43\\_1\\_2011\\_Barnes.pdf](http://www.peaceresearch.ca/pdf/43_1/Vol43_1_2011_Barnes.pdf)). He also presented a paper entitled *International Impact of Restorative Justice* at the 2013 Inter-University ADR Symposium (see <http://www.uaf.edu/justice/adr-symposium/symposium-papers/>). Bruce Barnes serves on the International Steering Committee of the Asia Pacific Mediation Forum and helps to organize its annual conference. He also recently partnered with King Prajadhipok's Institute in Thailand to bring a delegation of Thai professionals and academics to participate in a conference entitled *Conflict Management in Public Policy by Peaceful Means*, held at the Matsunaga Institute in April 2013. Barnes also delivers frequently talks on conflict resolution to visiting academics from Asia, including: "Peacemaking, Conflict Management and Civic Education for Indonesia" for Indonesian academics (East West Center, December 13, 2012); and "Natural and Human-Caused Disasters and the Role of the Judiciary: Lessons from Past Experiences in 9/11, Katrina, and the 2011 Thailand floods," for a group of 50 judges from Thailand (William S. Richardson School of Law, February 11, 2012). Barnes also served on a panel of expert mediators for a new group of newly trained mediators at the Mediation Centers of Hawai'i (November 16, 2012) and conducted his annual Advanced Training, "When Culture Makes a Difference" for a mediation class at the Mediation Center of the Pacific (March 22-23, 2012). He also served as a facilitator for a two-day conference on "Climate Change and Impacts on Native Hawaiian Communities," held at Kokokahi, Windward O'ahu (sponsored by the Center for Island Climate Adaptation and Policy).

**Lindsey Coffey** (Ropes and Gray Public Interest Fellow) published her article based on research conducted in the Matsunaga Institute: *A Rights-Based Claim to Surrogacy: Article 23 of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities*, 20(2) *MICHIGAN STATE INTERNATIONAL LAW REVIEW* 2012 (available at: <http://msuilr.org/>). Lindsey has now returned to the Ropes and Gray office in New York City where she specializes in investment management and general corporate law.

**Carole Petersen** continued her research on international human rights and enforcement models. Her publications in the past year include: *Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity in Hong Kong: A Case for the Strategic Use of Human Rights Treaties and the International Reporting Process*, 14(2) ASIAN-PACIFIC LAW & POLICY JOURNAL 28-83 (2013); and *Preserving Traditions or Breaking the Mold? A Comparative Study of the Impact of Transnational Human Rights Processes in the People's Republic of China and the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region*, in Kyriaki Topidi and Lauren Fielder, eds., TRANSNATIONAL LEGAL PROCESSES AND HUMAN RIGHTS (Ashgate Publishing Ltd. 2013). In January 2013, Petersen presented a paper at a symposium in honor of the late Professor Jon Markham Van Dyke, which will be published as: *The Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities: Using International Law to Promote Social and Economic Development in the Asia Pacific*, 35(2) UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I LAW REVIEW (forthcoming September, 2013). She also presented: *Preventing Human Trafficking and Forced Labour: The Role of Consumer Demand*, a public lecture at La Trobe University Law School (Melbourne, Australia, August 14, 2012); *Eradication of Sex Trafficking: The International Perspective*, at the Second Children's Issues Forum (Hong Kong, August 28, 2012); and *Trafficking of Persons and Human Rights: Rethinking Our Strategies*, at the conference on Human Trafficking in an Era of Globalization: Forced Labour, Involuntary Servitude, and Corporate and Civic Responsibility (University of Washington, Seattle, January 11-13, 2013). Petersen is a member of the Advisory Board for the Asia-Pacific Journal on Human Rights and a member of the International Advisory Board for the Centre for Comparative and Public Law at the University of Hong Kong. She frequently lectures at human rights training conferences, including: the Research Capacity Building Workshop on Multidisciplinary Human Rights Research on Disability Issues in China (Wuhan University, July 2012); the National Human Rights Education Annual Meeting (Sichuan University, Chengdu, March 2013); and the China Disability Rights Workshop (University of Hong Kong, June 2013).

**Anne Smoke** was elected President of the Hawaii Chapter of the Association for Conflict Resolution and served, in March 2012 and April 2013, as the Hawaii coordinator of the Inter-University Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) Cyber Symposium. In June 2013, she was elected Treasurer of the University Network of Collaborative Governance, a national organization of academics and professionals from university centers engaged in service and scholarship to build capacity for collaborative governance in their communities and states (see <http://www.policyconsensus.org/uncg/members.html>). In the 2012-2013 academic year, Anne was invited to serve on the Student Services Task Force to develop recommendations for improving the advising system within the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa's College of Social Sciences. In Spring 2013, she initiated and supervised the revitalization of an annual training program on conflict management and skills for resident assistants (RAs) for the Office of Student Housing. The research and curriculum module developed by Anne Smoke (*Make Agent Orange History—Track Two Diplomacy and the Case of the U.S.-Vietnam Dialogue Group*) continues to be featured on the Institute's website where it can be downloaded at no charge by instructors (see <http://www.peaceinstitute.hawaii.edu/agent-orange-module/index.html>).

Examples of projects in 2012-13 by members of the Affiliate Faculty include:

**Joseph Campos** published *Terrorism, Security, and the State: Reframing Terror for a New Dialogue*, JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS RESEARCH, Issue 1, 8-19 (2012).

**Susan Chandler** (Public Policy Center) published: *The Application of Collaboration Models to Family Group Conferencing*, 12(2) THE JOURNAL OF POLICY PRACTICE 3-22 (2013); and *Mental Health and Public Policy*, in THE WILEY-BLACKWELL ENCYCLOPEDIA OF HEALTH, ILLNESS, BEHAVIOR, AND SOCIETY, William Cockerham, ed (Hoboken, N.J.: Wiley-Blackwell 2013). She also co-authored (with Morgen Johansen) *The Roles that Nonprofit Organizations Play in Society*, pp. 72-96, in Ron Burke and Edward Elgar, eds., HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT IN THE NONPROFIT SECTOR (Northampton, MA: Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd 2012). Dr. Chandler also presented (with Patrick Keleher) a paper on *The Wrap-Around Process: How it Strengthens Families and Supports Hawaii Values* at the Nana I Ke Kumu...E Malama Kakou conference on April 25, 2013. Dr. Chandler was awarded two grants this year from the Department of Human Services: one for \$50,000 to support research and facilitating interagency collaboration on developing the Wrap Hawaii Project, an innovative service planning process for youth and families engaged in multiple agencies; and one for \$10,000 to support consultation and grant writing for a Title IV-E waiver application on behalf of foster children, which was approved by the federal government. Dr. Chandler was invited to serve on the Juvenile Delinquency Alternatives Initiative (JDAI) Executive Committee and was elected to serve as the Secretary of the EPIC Ohana Inc. Board of Directors and Policy Chair of the Board of Directors for the nonprofit agency PHOCUSED (Protecting Hawai'i's Ohana, Children, Underserved, Seniors and Disabled).

**Morgen Johansen** (Public Policy Center) published: *The Direct and Interactive Effects of Middle Manager Quality on Organizational Performance*, 44(4) ADMINISTRATION & SOCIETY 383-411 (2012); and *The Impact of Managerial Quality on Employee Turnover*, on line at: PUBLIC MANAGEMENT REVIEW DOI: 10.1080/14719037.2012.725758 (2012). Dr. Johansen also co-authored *Organizational Environments and Performance: a Linear or Nonlinear Relationship?* 12(2) PUBLIC ORGANIZATION REVIEW 175-189 (2012) (with Rhys Andrews); *Market Pressure, Political Constraints, and Managerial Responses to the External Environment: Evidence from American Hospitals*, JOURNAL OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION RESEARCH AND THEORY (forthcoming 2013) (with Ling Zhu); and *Managerial Networking in Nonprofit Organizations: The Impact of Networking on Organizational and Advocacy Effectiveness*, 73(2) PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION REVIEW 355-363 (2013) (with Kelly LeRoux). Dr. Johansen also presented the following conference papers: *The Importance Of Middle Management To Organizational Performance: The Impact Of Principals On Student Success In Hawaii Schools*, with Daniel Hawes, at the annual meetings of the Midwest Political Science Association (Chicago, Illinois, 2012); *Performance, Networking, and Managerial Decisions across the Public, Nonprofit, and Private Sectors*, with Ling Zhu, 12th biennial Public Management Research Conference (Madison Wisconsin, 2013); *Environmental Diversity, Management and Performance: Moderating the Negative Impact of Environmental Complexity in Hawaii's Public Schools*, at the Annual Meeting of the

Midwest Political Science Association (Chicago, Illinois, 2013).

**Leslie E. Sponsel**, emeritus (Anthropology) completed *SPIRITUAL ECOLOGY: A QUIET REVOLUTION* (Santa Barbara, CA: ABC-CLIO/Praeger 2012) (see [www.spiritualecology.info](http://www.spiritualecology.info)) and *The Role of Spiritual Ecology in Nonkilling*, pp. 168-194 of *TOWARDS A NONKILLING WORLD: Festschrift in Honor of Prof. Glenn Paige*, N. Radhakrishnan, et al., eds. (India, Gandhi Media Centre, 2012, available at: <http://www.nonkilling.org/pdf/nksocieties.pdf>). He also revised *Peace and Nonviolence* for the second edition of the *INTERNATIONAL ENCYCLOPEDIA OF THE SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES*, N.J. Smelser and Paul B. Baltes, eds. (Oxford, UK: Elsevier Press; in press) and delivered *Yanomami Studies: Past, Present, and Future*, at the International Congress of Americanists, Vienna, Austria, July 15-20, 2012. He also gave a talk on Anthropology of War and Peace at the Conflict Management in Public Policy by Peaceful Means Conference, Spark Matsunaga Institute for Peace, April 5.

**Carolyn Stephenson** (Political Science) published: *Elise Boulding and Peace Education: Theory, Practice, and Quaker Faith*, 9(2) *JOURNAL OF PEACE EDUCATION*, 115-126 (2012); and *Chadwick Alger: Pioneer in the Study of the Political Process and on NGO Participation in the United Nations*, in Volume 7 of H.G. Brauch, ed., *SPRINGER BRIEFS ON PIONEERS IN SCIENCE AND PRACTICE* (New York/Dordrecht/London: Springer-Verlag 2013). Dr. Stephenson presented: *Assessing Changes in the Status of Women Following Development of Women's Institutions and Resolutions in the UN*, at the International Studies Association Annual Meeting (San Diego, April 2012) and participated in the roundtable on "The Role of Institutions in Shaping International Law and Transnational Legal Orders," at the Annual Meeting of the Law and Society Association, Honolulu, June 5, 2012. She also presented *The Diffusion of Social Movements: Arab Spring and Occupy*, at the International Peace Research Association (Tsu City, Japan, November 24-28, 2012). Dr. Stephenson also chaired and participated in the International Organization Distinguished Scholar Roundtable in Honor of Chadwick F. Alger and participated in the roundtable on "The IO BIO Project: A biographical dictionary of Secretaries-General of International Organizations" at the same 2012 ISA meeting. Dr. Stephenson presented *Paradigm and Praxis Shifts: Transitions to Sustainable Environmental and Sustainable Peace Praxis* at the ISA Workshop on Sustainability Transitions and Sustainable Peace, Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association (San Francisco, April 2013). She also presented *The Diffusion of Norms and Rights with Respect to Women and to Democracy*, at the Annual Meeting of the International Studies Association (San Francisco, April 3-6, 2013) and served as a discussant for the panel on Sustainability Transitions: Theories, Approaches, and Perspectives from Europe, North and Latin America. On January 13, 2012 She was interviewed on the Hawai'i Conversation, Hawai'i Public Radio, about her January 15 presentation to the Honolulu Friends Meeting, *Wired for War? What do the social and behavioral sciences have to say about human nature and its propensity for war and peace?* Dr. Stephenson completed her terms as Chair of the International Organization Section of International Studies Association (2010-12) and as a member of the ISA Governing Board (2010-12) as well as Section Editor of the Peace Studies Section, International Studies Association Compendium



(through March 2013). She was reelected for an additional term (2012-14) as a Council member of the International Peace Research Association.

***Kerrie Urosevich and Maya Soetoro-Ng*** developed the Ceeds of Peace project in partnership with the University of Hawai'i College of Education, Family Hui, the Hawai'i Chapter of the Association for Conflict Resolution and the Hawai'i State Department of Education Peaceful Schools Initiative. Supported by the Omidyar Ohana Fund, the project brings together teachers, families and community members to gain skills in supporting children and youth to be peacebuilding leaders in their communities.

***Karen Worthington*** published *Responding to the Needs of Adolescent Girls in Foster Care*, co-authored with Karen Baynes-Dunning, 20 GEORGETOWN JOURNAL ON POVERTY LAW & POLICY 321 (2013). She originally presented this article at the Georgetown Law School symposium entitled *Marginalized Girls: Creating Pathways for Opportunity* in April 2013. She also presented *Integrated Strategies for Legislative Advocacy* at the National Juvenile Defender Center Leadership Summit in October 2012.

## **Section 5: Public Forums, Conferences and Training Events**

The Matsunaga Institute sponsors and co-sponsors a wide range of stimulating educational events for the campus and the broader community on topics related to peace studies, conflict resolution, human rights and social justice. Public events and conferences from January 2012-May 2013 included:

### ***February 24, 2012: 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Peer Mediation Conference***

The Matsunaga Institute co-sponsored this annual training conference for high school students, held on the campus at UH Manoa. The 2012 conference included workshops, a presentation by Anne Smoke on educational opportunities in the field of conflict resolution, and a presentation by mediator Giuseppe Leone on the Virtual Mediation Lab.

### ***March 7, 2012: The Second Annual Inter-University Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) Cyber-Symposium***

The Matsunaga Institute served as the local host for the cyber-symposium organized by Brian Jarrett at the University of Alaska, Fairbanks (and an on-line instructor for the Matsunaga Institute). Numerous other universities around the world participated in this discussion of recent developments in alternative dispute resolution. The working papers for the 2012 symposium are available at: <http://www.uaf.edu/justice/adr-symposium/symposium-papers/>.

### ***April 12, 2012: Every War Has Two Losers: Film Screening and Discussion***

Award-winning filmmaker Haydn Riess presented his film "Every War Has Two Losers," based on the journals of William Stafford, a conscientious objector during World War Two. Brien Hallett of the Matsunaga Institute also commented on the film and Haydn Riess answered questions from the audience.

***September 20, 2012: Supporting Peace By Increasing Community Resilience: A Panel Discussion Featuring Returned Peace Corps Volunteers (RPCV)***

The Matsunaga Institute organized a joint celebration of International Peace Day and Constitution Day (in cooperation with the William S. Richardson School of Law, the Peace Corps, and UH Manoa's Service Learning Program). The panel was chaired by Hawaii State Representative Gene Ward, a former Peace Corps Country Director for East Timor. Other speakers included: Bruce Barnes from the Matsunaga Institute (who served in Nigeria), Sena Pierce (who served in Tonga), and Kevin Akayama (who served in Bulgaria). See: <http://www.peaceinstitute.hawaii.edu/events.html> for additional information.

***October 18, 2012: Conflict Resolution Day Book Presentation***

Brien Hallett of the Matsunaga Institute for Peace gave a talk and signed copies of his new book: *DECLARING WAR: CONGRESS, THE PRESIDENT, AND WHAT THE CONSTITUTION DOES NOT SAY* (Cambridge University Press 2012).

***October-December 2012: The Hawai'i Model United Nations***

Directed by Dr. Carolyn Stephenson (Political Science and member of the Affiliate Faculty of the Matsunaga Institute), this annual program provides high school and college students an opportunity to represent countries in a simulation of the United Nations General Assembly. In 2012, students researched policy issues and wrote and debated resolutions related to gender equality, literacy, intellectual property, climate change, the control of nuclear weapons and small arms, and the prevention of torture. Michael Jones and Carole Petersen of the Matsunaga Institute also contributed by giving briefings. Conflict resolution graduate students Asmatullah Junejo and Matt Weyer helped to lead committees during the simulations.

***February 19 (part I) & March 19 (part II) 2013: Conflict Management & Mediation Training—UH Mānoa Residence Hall Staff Training***

The Matsunaga Institute for Peace revived the training workshop, which is now titled *Conflict Management and Skills for Resident Assistants (RAs)*. More than 100 students on staff at the university's Office of Student Housing were trained in conflict resolution and problem-solving communication. Due to the success of the workshop, the director of Housing has asked the Matsunaga Institute to offer this training annually.

***February 22, 2013: 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Peer Mediation Conference***

The Matsunaga Institute co-sponsored this annual training conference for high school students, which included presentations by Anne Smoke, Bruce Barnes, and members of the Affiliate Faculty.

***February 25, 2013: Balancing Advocacy for Human Rights and Impartiality in Mediation***

Robert A. Evans and Alice Frazer Evans, of the Plowshares Institute, spoke about their in Aceh with the Ministry of Law and Human Rights and their efforts to pursue reconciliation between Indonesia and Timor-Leste.

***April 4, 2013: The Third Annual Inter-University Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) Cyber-Symposium***

The Matsunaga Institute joined the University of Alaska, Fairbanks and numerous other universities around the world to hold a cyber symposium on recent developments in alternative dispute resolution. This year, Arun Gandhi delivered opening remarks and Bruce Barnes of the Matsunaga Institute presented a paper on restorative justice. The working papers for the 2013 symposium are available at: <http://www.uaf.edu/justice/adr-symposium/symposium-papers/>.

***April 4-5, 2013: Conflict Management in Public Policy by Peaceful Means***

Bruce Barnes partnered with King Prajadhipok's Institute to organize this training conference at the Matsunaga Institute for academics and professionals visiting from Thailand. The event was co-sponsored by Outreach College and the Social Sciences Public Policy Center. Presentations were given by Bruce Barnes, Anne Smoke, Brien Hallett, Leslie Sponsel, Susan Chandler, and other affiliates of the Institute.

## Appendix: Courses offered by the Matsunaga Institute<sup>2</sup>

PACE 247 Survey of Conflict Management  
PACE 310 Survey Peace and Conflict Studies  
PACE 315 Personal Peace: Stories of Hope  
PACE 345 Aggression, War, and Peace (cross-listed as ANTH 345)  
PACE 373 Nonviolent Political Alternatives (cross-listed as POLS 396)  
PACE 399 Directed Reading  
PACE 410 History of Peace Movements  
PACE 412 Gandhi, King, and Nonviolence  
PACE 413 Terrorism  
PACE 420 International Human Rights: International and Comparative Perspectives  
PACE 429 Negotiation (renumbered from PACE 340 in Spring 2013)  
PACE 447 Mediation Skills: UH Basic  
PACE 477 Culture and Conflict Resolution  
PACE 478 International Law and Disputes  
PACE 485 Topics in Peace and Conflict Resolution; sections in 2012-13 include:  
    The Middle East  
    Ho'oponopono as Peacemaking  
    Culture, Conflict, and Human Rights Law  
    International Criminal Law and the Law of War  
    Protest Under Occupation  
    Governing and Politics (cross-listed as PPC 495)  
    Advocating for Children: Rights and Welfare (cross-listed as PPC 495)

PACE 489 Hiroshima and Peace (special summer course held in Japan)  
PACE 495 Practicum and Internship  
PACE 629 Advanced Negotiation  
PACE 647 Mediation: Theory and Practice  
PACE 650 Alternative Dispute Resolution System Design  
PACE 652 Conflict Management for Educators (cross-listed as EDEA 652)  
PACE 668 Facilitation: Facilitating Community and Organizational Change  
PACE 690 Topics: Conflict Theory  
PACE 695 Conflict Resolution Practicum  
PACE 699 Directed Reading and Research

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<sup>2</sup>This list includes PACE courses taught by internal and affiliate faculty, including courses offered through Outreach College in the summer terms. It does not include courses offered in other departments that count toward the Institute's interdisciplinary academic programs. For example, the Graduate Certificate in Conflict Resolution includes courses offered in the departments of Urban and Regional Planning, Sociology, Speech, Political Science, and the Law School. Students in the undergraduate peace studies programs may also choose electives from a wide range of disciplines, including Political Science, Sociology, Speech, Women's Studies, Geography, and Anthropology.