

The vision of the Northeast Asia Regional Peacebuilding Institute is for Northeast Asia to be a region of active non-violence, mutual cooperation, and lasting peace.

The mission of NARPI is to transform the culture and structure of militarism and communities of fear and violence into just and peaceful ones by providing peacebuilding training, connecting and empowering people in Northeast Asia.

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NARPI is such an amazing place where I can learn something new and open a door to a completely new field. NARPI is a home where people from different corners of the world and people of different ages can gather together, meet new friends and greet old friends. – Anne Zhang

Past Courses

- Conflict and Peace Framework
- Theory and Practice of Peace Education
- Restorative Justice: Rebuilding Identity, Community and History
- Optimizing Peace Making by Ending Generational Trauma
- Identity-Based Conflict
- Nonviolent Response to Militarisation
- Nonviolent Struggle for Social Change
- Conflict Transformation in Organizations
- Trainer's Training
- Peacebuilding and Sustainable Development
- Applied Theatre in Peacebuilding
- Arts and Stories for Peacebuilding: Presenting our Histories Justly
- Restorative Approach to Historical Conflict
- Psychosocial Trauma: Awareness and Response
- Peacebuilding Skills: Transformative Mediation
- Gender, Peace, and Everyday Life Security
- Nonviolent Communication and Facilitation
- Community-Based Restorative Justice for Schools

"NARPI is a "safe space". Participants can talk about any issue that may feel awkward to discuss in our daily lives. This is so significant. The biggest reason that I repeatedly attend NARPI is the "safe space for discussion" that NARPI offers, which can be very difficult"
- Ryoza Teruoka

NARPI Participants are:

- NGO/NPO staff and interns
- Peace educators and activists
- University students, teachers and professors
- Government officials, military and police
- Community leaders
- Religious leaders
- Anyone involved in or interested in peace work in Northeast Asia



Past NARPI Summer Trainings

- 2011 Seoul and Inje, South Korea
- 2012 Hiroshima, Japan
- 2013 Seoul, South Korea
- 2014 Nanjing, China
- 2015 Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia
- 2016 Greater Taipei area, Taiwan
- 2017 Okinawa, Japan

At each NARPI training, participants join in a three-day field trip to learn first-hand about the history of conflict and peace in the local area.

Partner Institutes

- Summer Peacebuilding Institute (SPI)
- Mindanao Peacebuilding Institute (MPI)
- Canadian School of Peacebuilding (CSOP)

