New York University (NYU) Abu Dhabi is inviting applications from distinguished scholars to serve as director of its new Peace Studies Program. Applicants should have a strong record of scholarly and administrative leadership in the study of peace. Peace Studies at NYU Abu Dhabi is a multi-disciplinary enterprise for teaching and research. Applicants are encouraged to apply from a wide variety of fields, but scholars from the fields of political science, psychology, economics and history are particularly encouraged to apply. Duties of the director include teaching, curriculum development, management of the center’s research resources, leading the search for and hiring of additional faculty and organizing visits from distinguished peace scholars from around the world. These areas of research will complement strong, existing programs developed by local NYU Abu Dhabi faculty and faculty from NYU in New York.

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Now in its third year, NYU Abu Dhabi has recruited a cohort of faculty who are distinguished in their research and teaching. Our students are drawn from around the world and surpass all traditional recruitment benchmarks, both US and global. NYU Abu Dhabi’s highly selective liberal arts enterprise is complemented by an institute for advanced research, sponsoring cutting-edge projects across the Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences, Sciences, and Engineering.

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Selection will begin January 15, 2012; applications received after this date are not guaranteed consideration but may be reviewed until the positions are filled. We will consider senior candidates on a rolling basis. Candidates should submit a curriculum vitae, statements of research and teaching interests (not to exceed three pages each), and no more than three representative publications. Please visit our website at http://nyuad.nyu.edu/human.resources/open.positions.html for instructions and other information on how to apply. If you have any questions, please e-mail nyuad.socialscience@nyu.edu.

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