



The **Global Campus of Human Rights (GC)** is proud to launch a new MOOC of its **Open Learning Series** that within one year has already reached more than 3000 people and is constantly growing. With contributions by lecturers and experts from all the regions of the world, the GC Massive Open Online Courses provide free and open access to highly qualified learning on topical human rights concerns.

The new MOOC on **Memory Sites and Human Rights** opens on 12 March 2018. Enrollment is **FREE** and available on **Canvas.net** from 19 February 2018.

Course dates: 12 March - 7 May 2018

Duration: 8 weeks

Commitment: 5 hours/week

Requirements: participation in 4 discussions and completion of 4 quizzes

Course type: instructor-led

Credentials: free certificate of participation

Drawing from expertise and examples at the global and national level, this MOOC focuses on the role of memory sites in their crucial interplay with historical trauma, justice, the reconciliation process, the chosen methods for dealing with the past, nation building dynamics and the shaping of societal identity.

The programme is structured in three Modules. **Module 1** focuses on the conceptual framework behind memory sites. Starting from a reflection on why and what is important to remember, it then moves to discuss how memories are shaped and who is involved in 'building memory'. **Module 2** is dedicated to the objectives of memory sites, ranging from information and knowledge-sharing to the idea of providing evidence of abuses; from the role of memory sites for identity building/ reconstruction and education to the ethical, legal and political challenges of the representation of horror. **Module 3** will focus on aspects related to the 'design' of memory sites: format and content, use of testimonials and symbolic resources, artistic language and types of institutional approaches, stressing the artistic contextualization vis-à-vis the visitors' reactions and empathetic sentiments for past atrocities and abuses.

Participants are expected to engage in approximately 40 hours of active learning through readings, videos, discussions, and quizzes.

A global faculty of **lecturers and experts** will provide rich and varied competences, experiences and knowledge.

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