

# Introduction of the Centre **for human rights and peace**

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**Participants of a recent workshop for documentalists from human rights organisations in Kenya.**

The University of Nairobi Centre for Human Rights and Peace (CHRP) was founded in August 2008 with the aim of coordinating human rights and peace research, training, teaching, documentation and outreach programmes at the University. The main goal of the CHRP is to contribute to the understanding, appreciation, internalization, practice and realization of human rights and peace in Kenya in particular, and in the Eastern African region in general.

The Centre's approach is multi-disciplinary. Thus, it brings together the following academic units: Faculty of Arts and its constituent departments; School of Law; School of Journalism and Mass Communication; Institute of Anthropology, Gender and African Studies; Institute of Diplomacy and International Studies; and School of Economics.

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