

Peacebuilding and Criminal Justice Issues

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Opening Session

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Opening Remarks by Prof. Yvon Dandurand – Welcome. Explanation of the structure of the forum and workshops. Acknowledgment of the financial support of the Canadian Centre for Foreign Policy Development and the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade.

Welcome from Dr. Peter Jones:

- Welcome to all on behalf of UCFV. The institution is proud to have helped provide students and young professionals with an opportunity to participate in a foreign policy consultation process.
- Peace must be understood as an active, dynamic process. One is reminded of "The Peaceable Kingdom" by Barbara Ward. In it, Canada is cited as an example of a country that has successfully learned to be a peacebuilder.