



## Peace Corps Prep Certificate Program March 2023 Newsletter

*You are invited...*

### JMU Peace Corps Prep Final Celebration

Join us for our end-of-year reception at CGE to recognize those students who earned their PC Prep Certificate!

**WHEN:** WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26

**TIME:** 4:00 - 5:00PM

**WHERE:** Center for Global Engagement Lounge, 2nd Floor, Holland Yates Hall (formerly Madison Hall)



RSVP by April 13th via email: to [peacecorpsprep@jmu.edu](mailto:peacecorpsprep@jmu.edu)

### You're Invited!

Current PC Prep students, RPCVs, and our JMU program partners are invited to the JMU Peace Corps Prep Final Celebration!

Please join us for refreshments, networking, and brief remarks where we will recognize students who have completed a PC Prep Certificate this school year and welcome students newly accepted to the program.

RSVP to [peacecorpsprep@jmu.edu](mailto:peacecorpsprep@jmu.edu).



### Congratulations!

The following students completed the PC Prep Certificate this semester: Mercy Anane, Kaitlyn Gentile, Katie Hammond, Eva Heller, Nicholas Herrarte Smith, and Jess Kilmer. Congrats from PC Prep and we look forward to celebrating all of this year's certificate recipients on April 26th.

**Graduation cords** for certificate completers who are graduating this spring will be available at the final celebration or by [email](#) request for pick-up at CGE.



## Interview Skills

Need to check off your interview requirement for PC Prep? Register for the University Career Center's **Practice Interview Event (PIE)**: [March 29 \(in-person\)](#), or [March 30 \(virtually\)](#). Can't make the event? Sign up for a practice session with UCC staff through Handshake anytime.

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## Thank You, Panel!

Thanks to our amazing Returned Peace Corps Volunteer (RPCV) panelists and all of the students and program supporters who attended our February 22nd panel event, "Stories from the Field." It was a great evening of [Peace Corps stories](#) and career, academic and life advice.

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### Other news

- Up to three JMU students will be selected for sponsorship to attend a global student conference in **Hiroshima, Japan** this August. [Apply online](#) by **April 4th!**
  - The Peace Corps has set a goal of recruiting and deploying more than 5,000 Volunteers over the next year under the "[Bold Innovation](#)" initiative.
  - If you would like a free JMU PC Prep **T-Shirt**, please email [peacecorpsprep@jmu.edu](mailto:peacecorpsprep@jmu.edu) with your preferred size and we can arrange for pick up at our April event or the CGE desk.
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