Biography

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Professor emeritus Werner Wintersteiner, Ph. D., was the founding director of the "Centre for Peace Research and Peace Education" at Klagenfurt University (AAU), Austria. He is also co-founder and still staff member of the University Master Programme (further education) "Global Citizenship Education" at AAU. His overall research interest is the development of a complex transdisciplinary peace research with a strong focus on cultural dimensions, including comprehensive peace education, linking civic and citizenship education, conflict resolution, and a culture and politics of remembrance. His main fields of research and teaching are peace education and global citizenship education; peace movements; culture and peace; the Alps-Adriatic region; globalization, post-colonialism; transculturality and literature education.