Mediation and the Process of Transformation

May 4 and 5, 2018       8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.
UMaine Hutchinson Center
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Program presenter, Will Galloway earned a Masters of Arts in Teaching from Colgate University, an Honors Degree in British History from the University of St. Andrews in Scotland and a B.A. in History from Bowdoin College. An instructor of UMaine’s Peace & Reconciliation Studies Program, Galloway has taught mediation courses for over 14 years. Currently Galloway is the Head of School at the Watershed School in Camden, Maine.

Additionally, Galloway’s work experience includes Mediator & Managing Partner, Charbonneau and Galloway; Educational Consultant, Maine Department of Education; Teaching Fellow, Choices Program at Watson Institute for International Relations at Brown University; Waynflete School in Portland, Maine; Western Reserve Academy in Hudson, Ohio; U.S. Peace Corps in Thailand and Citicorp Investment Bank in London, England.

Participants from the following fields will benefit:
- Law
- Education
- Social Services
- Human Resources
- Municipal Government
- Insurance

Program Focus: The focus of this program will be on the underlying premises, practices and policies of conflict transformation, as articulated by Joseph Folger and baruch Bush in their groundbreaking book, The Promise of Mediation. This approach to changing the equality of human interaction is now adopted by the largest civilian employer in the United States, the US Postal Service, as well as other government and non-government organizations in Canada, UK, Australia and Europe.

Program Format: The format of the program includes brief lectures, interactive group work and mediation role plays. In addition, participants will reflect on their work and life experience to engage in the process of dispute resolution systems design with an emphasis on the nature of conflict, personal and organizational responses to conflict and case studies.

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