

INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS
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Assignment for first class

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CLASS 1:

In our first class we will examine the development of **international treaties** as well as the **advocacy strategies** used in **the campaign to abolish slavery** and the slave trade. We will then discuss what lessons can be learned for today’s **struggles to protect the human rights of farmworkers** in the United States. Readings will include exploration of the *Coalition of Immokalee Workers’ Anti-Slavery Campaign* and *Campaign for Fair Food*.



CLASS 2:

In this class we will examine the rights in the **Universal Declaration of Human Rights** and explore them in the context of the historic **1963 March on Washington**, which took place on **August 28** of that year. Readings include:



- Organizing Manual for the March on Washington
- The program of events at the Lincoln Memorial
- “Bayard Rustin: The gay black pacifist at the heart of the March on Washington”