CANADIAN PEACE RESEARCH ASSOCIATION (CPRA) 2018 CONFERENCE AND ANNUAL MEETING JUNE 5 to JUNE 7, 2019 UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMIA, VANCOUVER B.C., CANADA BUCHANAN BUILDING, ROOM BUCH, D204

CPRA is a Constituent of Congress 2019

Venue University of British Columbia Buchannan Building Room: BUCH D 2014

Please note that all sessions and the CPRA General Council Meeting and the Board of Directors Meeting will be held in the Buchanan Building, UBC Room, Room Buch, D204.

University of British Columbia President's Reception

Thursday, June 6, 2019 17:00 to 19:00 at the Robert H. Lee Alumni Centre at 6163 University Boulevard, Point Gray Campus. For more details, please visit your Congress Essentials/Delegate's Guide.

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Program Additions and Modifications

For program additions/modifications and other questions and clarifications, please contact Dr. Erika Simpson at < <u>simpson@uwo.ca</u>>for the period May 17-29. For the period of May 29-June 4, please contact Dr. Shreesh Juyal < <u>ShreeshJuyal@ymail.com</u>>

Organization and Schedule of Presentations: Important to Note

T.B.A.: Denotes "To Be Announced"

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 5, 2019-MORNING SESSION-9:00 A.M.TO 12:00 P.M

Session Chair: Dr. Rose Dyson <rose.dyson@alumni.utoronto.ca>

Dr. Rose Dyson Ed.D. is an Independent Consultant and Chair, CPRA National Advisory Council, Toronto

9:00-9:15 a.m. Dr. Shreesh Juyal President CPRA: Opening Remarks < <u>ShreeshJuyal@ymail.com</u>>

9:20-9:50 a.m. Keynote Presentation by Dr. M.V Ramana <<u>m.v.ramana@ubc.ca</u>>

Military Conflicts Under the Nuclear Umbrella: India, Pakistan and Kashmir

Dr. Ramana is Professor and Simons Chair in Disarmament and Global and Human Security, Liu Institute for Global Issues, University of British Columbia, Vancouver

9:55-10:15 a.m. Ms. Anne Venton

Environmental Peace Building

Anne Venton is former Head of Library, Toronto District School Board and former member The Immigration and Refugee Board of Canada, Toronto

10:20-10:40 a.m. Ms. Tamara Lorincz

A Violent Cartography: Mapping Contaminated Military Bases Across Canada

Ms. Tamara Lorincz (MA, LLB) is a PhD Candidate, Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo

10:40-10:55 A.M. BREAK

10:55-11:15 a.m. Dr. Walter Dorn, Dr. Stewart and Dr. John Daniele Cyber Peacekeeping: New Ways to Prevent and Manage Cyberattacks

Dr. Dorn is a Professor, Royal Military College and Canadian Forces College, Toronto

11:20-11:40 a.m. Dr. Mark A. Raymond (by skype)

Applying Old Rules to New Cases: Social Practices of Rule-Making for International Law in the Cyber Domain

Dr, Raymond is Wick Cary Assistant Professor of International Security and Director of the Cyber Governance and Policy Center at the University of Oklahoma. He is also a Carnegie Fellow at the School of International and Public Affairs at Columbia University

11:45-12:05 p.m. Dr. Kawser Ahmed

The Role of International Communities in the Peacebuilding and Sustainable Resolution of Conflict

Dr. Ahmed is Executive Director, CCCR, Winnipeg, Canada and MPhil in Peace Studies. University of Dhaka Bangladesh, and PhD in Peace Studies at the University of Manitoba, Winnipeg

12:05-2:00 P.M. LUNCH BREAK [ON YOUR OWN]

WEDNESDAY JUNE 5, 2019-AFTERNOON SESSION-2:00 P.M to 3:30 P.M.

Session Chair Dr. Rose Dyson <rose.dyson@alumni.utoronto.ca>

Dr. Rose Dyson Ed.D. is an Independent Consultant and Chair, CPRA National Advisory Council, Toronto

2:00-2:20 p.m. Dr. Christopher Hrynkow

Challenging the Retributive Narrative to build Substantive Peace: A Mutuality Enhancing Circle of Conversation between Restorative Justice and Catholic Social Teaching Principles

Dr. Christopher Hrynkow is Associate Professor, St. Thomas More College, University of Saskatchewan. Saskatoon

2:25-2:45 p.m. Dr. Kathleen Manion

The Long Arc of the Moral Universe - The Wellbeing of Children impacted by Global Refugee Crisis

Dr. Kathleen Manion is Associate Professor and Program Head for the B.A. in Justice Studies, School of Humanitarian Studies, Royal Roads University, Victoria

2:50-3:10 p.m. Mr. Ed Lehman

Peace for Canada and the World: A Perspective

Mr. Ed Lehman is an Educator and General Secretary, CPRA, Regina

3:10-3:30 p.m. - Break

3:30 P.M. to 5:30 P.M. THE GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING OF THE CPRA Provisional Agenda

Chair, Dr. Erika Simpson, Western University, London <simpson@uwo.ca>

1. Call to Order

2. Approval of the Minutes of the 2018 General Council Meeting (Note: the secretary's draft of the minutes of the June 2018 meeting was emailed to you and a copy is in your meeting packet).

- 3. Adoption of the Agenda
- 4. President's Report: Dr. Shreesh Juyal
- 5. Vice President's Report: Dr. Erika Simpson
- 6. General Secretary's Report: Mr. Ed Lehman
- 7. Treasurer's Report: Mr. Peter Venton
- 9. The National Advisory Council Report: Chair, Dr. Rose Dyson

- 10. Reports from other officers (optional)
- 11. Election of CPRA Board of Directors for two-year terms:

Past President: Shreesh **Juyal** President: Erika **Simpson** (acclaimed) Vice President: Chris **Hrynkow** (acclaimed) General Secretary: Joanna **Quinn** (acclaimed) Treasurer: Peter **Venton** (acclaimed) Chair, National Advisory Council: Rose **Dyson** (acclaimed) Director of Communications and Public Relations: Mark **Raymond** (acclaimed) Director of Membership: Anne **Venton** (acclaimed) International Representatives: Roger **Dittmann**, Katerina **Standish**, Franke **Wilmer** Members-at-Large: David **Armstrong**, Walter **Dorn**, Sylvie **Lemieux**, Kathleen **Manion**, Sakhi **Naimpoor**, Satish **Sharma**, Katerina **Standish**

(Note: the president's slate was emailed to you and the vice-president's slate was emailed to you. Then the president emailed the vice-president that she was acclaimed and various nominees withdrew. A final copy of the 2019-2021 slate with biographies is enclosed in your meeting packet).

12. Motions by Simpson and Venton to amend the CPRA 2018 Constitution. (Note: the amendments were emailed to you on May 22, 2019 and a copy of the document, "Proposed Amendments to the CPRA 2018 Constitution by E. Simpson and P. Venton for the General Council Meeting June 2019" is in your meeting packet).

- 1. That Article III-1 be changed to add two words: 'graduate students'
- 2. That Regular members who cannot attend the CPRA AGM held annually at the Congress of Humanities and Social Sciences at different universities across Canada are nevertheless, eligible to vote by email using electronic voting during the General Council meetings.
- 3 That all offices of the Board be *ex officio* Regular members
- 4 That the 2018 Constitution Article III-2 on Associate members be deleted and replaced with the following:

"Associate Membership is open to academics, scholars, teacher and researchers who are engaged in peace studies or peace education who do not wish to attend the annual conferences of CPRA at the Congress of Humanities and Social Sciences or who live in other countries; or who are determine by the CPRA General Council to be honorary members."

13. Motions by Simpson and Venton regarding membership dues and voting. [Note: These are not Constitutional Amendments per se but rather enabling and clarifying procedures. These motions were emailed to you on May 22, 2019 and a copy of the document, "Motions regarding Membership Dues and Voting by E. Simpson and P. Venton for the General council Meeting June 2019" is in your meeting packet).

 That the annual membership dues for each Regular members beginning in 2020-21 be Cdn. \$50.00

- That the annual membership dues for Associate members beginning in 2020-21 shall be Cdn. \$25.00
- 3. That Regular members who cannot attend the CPRA AGM held annually at the Congress of Humanities and Social Sciences at different universities across Canada are, nevertheless, eligible to vote by email using electronic voting during the General Council meetings.

14. Motion by E. Simpson and P. Venton for a 'Commemorative Life Service Award' to Dr. Shreesh Juyal

15. Other Business

16. Adjournment

Note: A Board of Directors meeting is scheduled on Thursday June 6, 2019 at 3:00 p.m.

THURSDAY JUNE 6, 2019-MORNING SESSION-9:00 A.M. to 12:00 NOON

Session Chair: Dr. Kawser Ahmed < <u>kawser3891@yahoo.com</u> >

Dr. Kawser Ahmed is Executive Director, Conflict and Resilience Research Institute Canada (CRRIC), Winnipeg

9:00-9:20 a.m. Mr. Peter Venton

Peace Issues in the 21st Century Global Context - A Review

Mr. Peter Venton, MA (Econ) is a former Senior Economist, Ontario Ministry of Finance and former, Vice President, Administration and Finance, Wilfrid Laurier University, Kitchener

9:25-9:45 a.m. Dr. Danny Goldstick

Aggression as a War Crime

Dr. Danny Goldstick is Professor Emeritus of Philosophy, University of Toronto, Toronto

9:50- 10:10 a.m. Dr. Rose A. Dyson Populism and the Rise of the Alt-Right Dr. Rose A. Dyson, Ed. D., is an Independent Consultant on Media Violence, Toronto

10: 15-10:35 a.m. Mr. Mathias Awonnatey Ateng A Reflection of the ECOWAS Conflict Prevention Framework from the Lenses of the Liberal Peacebuilding Model and not Local Peacebuilding

Mr. Mathias Awonnatey Ateng is a PhD Candidate, Peace Conflict Studies, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg

10:40-11:00 A.M. – SESSION BREAK

11:00-11:20 a.m. Mr. Peter Genger Why and How African Communities are resorting to African Indigenous Peacemaking Approaches to address their Conflicts: The Case of the Tiv People of Nigeria. Mr. Peter Genger is a PhD Candidate, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg

11:20-11:45 a.m. Ms. Hanna Hadikin

Efforts and initiatives in rural Canadian communities that work toward peace and the environment

Ms. Hanna Hadikin has global and Canadian experience as an advisor, consultant and project coordinator, Simon Fraser University, Burnaby and York University, Toronto

11:45 a.m.-12:05 p.m. Mr. Adan Suazo (by skype)

Local Hydro-political Conflict and Peacebuilding in New Zealand: The Challenges and Opportunities for Peace in a Water Abundant Environment

Mr. Adan Suazo is a PhD Candidate, The National Centre for Peace and Conflict Studies, University of Otago, New Zealand

12:05-2:00 P.M. LUNCH BREAK (ON YOUR OWN) BIG THINKING LECTURE SERIES

Please consult your Delegate Guide for the speakers, times and locations

THURSDAY JUNE 6-AFTERNOON SESSION-2:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Session Chair: Dr. Heather Manion < <u>Kathleen.manion@royalroads.ca</u> > Dr. Heather Manion is Associate Professor, Royal Roads University, Victoria

2:00-2:20 p.m. Dr. Erika Simpson

NATO's Strategic Concept and the 2020 NPT Review Conference

Dr. Erika Simpson is Vice-President of the CPRA and Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Western University, London

2:20 p.m.-2:40 pm. Kawser Ahmed, Rose Dyson, Erika Simpson, Peter Venton *et. al* Presentation of Commemorative Life Service Award' to Dr. Shreesh Juyal

Based on the belief that we need more good people to care for our precious planet, voices of our membership are invited to reminisce about Dr. Juyal's contribution to world peace.

Break: 2:40-3:00 pm

3:00 to 5:00 P.M.-CPRA BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Chair: Dr. Erika Simpson, Western University, London

1. Call to Order

2. Approval or Correction of the Minutes of the 2018 General Council Meeting (Note: the secretary's draft of the minutes of the June 2018 meeting were emailed to you and a copy is in your meeting packet. If corrections were made to the minutes of the June 2018 meeting, they were emailed to you on June 6th and copies will be made available to you at the meeting).

3. Adoption of the Provisional Agenda of the Board of Directors Meeting (Note: this meeting is not a General Council Meeting; it is a Board of Directors Meeting).

4. President's Report

5. Vice President's Report (optional)

6. General Secretary's Report (optional) (Note: the secretary's draft of the minutes of the June 5, 2019 meeting will be emailed to you and a copy will be in your meeting packet next June when the CPRA meets at Western University, London).

7. Treasurer's Report (optional)

9. The National Advisory Council Report (optional)

10. Reports from other officers (optional)

11. Motions by Simpson and Venton to amend the CPRA 2018 Constitution. (Note: the amendments were emailed to you on May 22, 2019 and a copy of the document, "Proposed Amendments to the CPRA 2018 Constitution by E. Simpson and P. Venton for the General Council Meeting June 2019" is in your meeting packet. If corrections were made to the amendments during the June 5 GC meeting, they will be emailed to you on June 6th and/or copies will be made available to you at the meeting).

13. Motions by Simpson and Venton regarding membership dues and voting. [Note: These are not Constitutional Amendments per se but rather enabling and clarifying procedures. These motions were emailed to you on May 22, 2019 and a copy of the document, "Motions regarding Membership Dues and Voting by E. Simpson and P. Venton for the General council Meeting June 2019" is in your meeting packet. If corrections were made to the motions, they will be emailed to you on June 6th and/or copies will be made available to you at the meeting).

14. Motion by E. Simpson and P. Venton for a 'Commemorative Life Service Award' to Dr. Rose Dyson (Note: to be presented in June 2020 at Western University, London)

15. Other Business

16. Adjournment

5:00 TO 7:00 P.M. UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION

Robert H. Lee Alumni Centre at 6163 University Boulevard, Point Gray Campus

FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 2019–MORNING SESSION–9:00 A.M. TO 12:00 P.M.

Session Chair: Dr. Christopher Hrynkow <chrynkow@stmcollege.ca>

Dr. Christopher Hrynkow is Associate Professor, St. Thomas More College, University of Saskatchewan. Saskatoon

9:00-9:25 a.m. Dr. Jacqueline Trimmer <<u>com429@clcillinois.edu</u>> Presentation by Special Participant

Dr. Jacqueline Trimier is Chair, Humanities Department, College of Lake County, Grayslake, Illinois

9:30-9:50 a.m. Ms. Charlene Doak-Gebauer

The Internet - a threat to global peace - Our children are in charge?"

Ms. Charlene Doak-Gebauer is an international speaker on her theory of digital supervision for child protection, London

9:50-10:20 a.m. Dr. Satish Sharma (silent presentation)

Early Pioneer Women and Social Reform: A Case Study of Margaret Fell

Dr. Satish Sharma is Professor and former Director, School of Social Work, University of Nevada at Las Vegas, Las Vegas

10:20-10:40 a.m. Dr. Didace Boukaka Kimbu

Title: T.B.C. Dr. Kimbu is a Lecturer at Saint Paul University, Ottawa, Consultant at Percussimo Consulting Group Inc., and author of the book *Darwinisme et éthique chrétienne*

10:40-11:00 a.m. Session Chair: Dr. Christopher Hrynkow <chrynkow@stmcollege.ca> New Ideas and Proposals from CPRA Members

This is a space where discoveries and ideas from the past, present and future meet. Showcase your creative and innovative ideas that are yet to be put on the map. Seek beyond the unknown, disrupt the status quo, immerse yourself through the voices of our membership, all of us with unique ideas to share.

11:05-11:25 a.m. Dr. Shreesh Juyal, President, CPRA Concluding Remarks

- THE CPRA CONFERENCE WILL CONCLUDE AT THE END OF THE PRESENTATIONS.
- PLEASE JOIN US IN JUNE 2020 AT THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN ONTARIO (WESTERN UNIVERSITY)
- BON VOYAGE!

SESSION CHAIRS, KEYNOTE SPEAKERS AND PRESENTERS

Dr. Kawser **Ahmed**, PhD is a graduate of the Defence Services Command and Staff College, Bangladesh with a MPhil in Peace and Conflict, the University of Dhaka, Bangladesh and a PhD from the University of Manitoba, Canada. Dr. Ahmed served in the Bangladesh Army, the Turkish Armed Forces and as a peacekeeper to the United Nations Missions for the referendum in Western Sahara (MINURSO). He is currently a SSHRC post-doctoral fellow in the University of Winnipeg, and Executive Director of Conflict and Resilience Research Institute Canada.

Mr. Mathias Awonnatey **Ateng** is a PhD Candidate, Peace Conflict Studies, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg. He holds a MA in Peace and Development Studies from the University of Cape Coast and he is with the University for Development Studies, Ghana as an Assistant Registrar.

Ms. Charlene **Doak-Gebauer** has developed a theory of digital supervision for child protection which is included in her book *Digital Sexual Victims: True Cases*. The book was nominated for an award by International Educators. She is the Founder and Chair of the Canadian charity Child Pornography Hurts. Her studies began at the University of New Brunswick where she obtained her Bachelor of Education (Business). She studied Computer Science at the University of Western Ontario where she earned the equivalent of a Bachelor of Business Administration (Honours). She was then accepted to the University of Toronto to complete her Honours Business Specialist qualification. She has studied several network management courses and managed computer networks, the largest of which had 250 computer stations. Charlene is a qualified secondary school educator and a Registered Holistic Nutritionist.

Dr. Walter **Dorn**, PhD, is Professor of Defence Studies at the Canadian Forces College and at the Royal Military College, Kingston. A scientist by training (Ph.D. Chemistry, University of Toronto), his doctoral research was on chemical sensing for arms control. He assisted with the negotiation, ratification and implementation of the Chemical Weapons Convention. His interests are broader now, covering international and human security, especially peace operations and the United Nations (UN). A. Walter Dorn is the author of *Air Power in UN Operations: Wings for Peace* (Ashgate, 2014); *Keeping Watch: Monitoring, Technology and Innovation in UN Peace Operations* (United Nations University Press, 2011) and the editor of *World Order for a New Millennium: Political, Cultural and Spiritual Approaches to Building Peace* (Palgrave Macmillan Press, 1999) Dorn has extensive experience in UN field missions. He served as a district electoral officer with the United Nations (UN) Mission in East Timor in 1999; in Ethiopia on a UNDP project; and at UN headquarters as a Training Adviser with the UN's Department of Peacekeeping Operations (DPKO). He was on the UN's Panel of Experts on Technology and Innovation in UN Peacekeeping in 2014. He served as the Innovation and Protection Technology Expert within the UN's Department of Field Support in 2017-18, providing advice to improve UN missions in the Middle East and Africa including Lebanon, the Central African Republic, the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Mali. He has served as the UN Representative of Science for Peace, a Canadian NGO since 1983. He is the President of the World Federalist's Association, Ottawa and the Past Chair of the Canadian Pugwash Group (2015-17, 2017-19). He was a Senior Research Fellow at Cornell University (1998-2000); a consultant to Yale University (1996); a visiting scholar at the Cooperative Monitoring Centre (1999) and an adviser to the Federation of American Scientist's Biological Weapons Control expert group (1990). At the University of Toronto, he was a Research Fellow with the International Relations Programme as well as the Peace and Conflict Studies Programme, and he was the Physical Science Don at Trinity College.

Dr. Parin **Dossa**, PhD, Full Professor of Anthropology, and Associate Member, Department of Gender, Sexuality and Women's Studies, Simon Fraser University, British Columbia, Canada. She is a Member of the Advisory Board of Anthropologica, the Journal of the Canadian Anthropology Society; Co-editor of *Transnational Aging and Reconfiguration* on Kin Work (Rutgers University Press, 2017); Author of the following books: Afghanistan Remembers: Gendered Narrations of Violence and Culinary Practices (University of Toronto Press, 2014); Politics and Poetics of Migration: Narratives of Iranian Women from the Diaspora (Canadian Scholars Press, 2004). Dr. Dosa's ethnographic research on Muslim women in the diaspora has resulted in several interrelated projects: Racialized bodies and the disabling world; Policy implications of storytelling; Politics of displaced care; Testimonial narratives and social memory, Social suffering, Violence in war and peace. Her work has been published in Medical Anthropology Quarterly; Social Science and Medicine; International Journal of Mental Health; and, International Journal of Rehabilitation Research.

Dr. Rose **Dyson**, Ph.D. Ed.D. (Ontario Institute for Studies in Education, University of Toronto) is the author of *MIND ABUSE Media Violence in an Information Age* (2000) and the co-author of 11 other peer-reviewed books. She was the editor for 17 years of *The Learning Edge* (Canadian Association for the Study of Adult Education). She was the associate editor of *Peace Issues in the 21st Century Global Context*, eds. John Duncan, Shreesh Juyal (UK: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2017). She is the President of Canadians Concerned About Violence in Entertainment and Chair of the National Advisory Council of the Canadian Peace Research Association (2013-15, 2015-17, 2017-2019). She is a member of the Climate Action Network, the Global Ecological Integrity Group, and Just Earth. She is also the Director of Communication and a member of the World Federalist Movement, Toronto Branch, Canada.

Dr. Noemi **Gal-Or**, PhD, LL.B. (PhD, IUHEL, Geneva), LLB (UBC, Vancouver); retired Full Professor of Politics and International Law, Kwantlen University, B.C.; formerly,

practicing lawyer and Chair, IL Section of the Canadian Bar Association, and Editor-in-Chief of its journal, *Canadian International Law*; formerly, Research Director of the International Law Association (ILA)-Canada, and board member, International Association of Jewish Lawyers. Dr. Gal-Or has published extensively in various areas including international law (trade and investment, dispute settlement, responsibility, anti-corruption, humanitarian, human rights, criminal law, and the non-state actor's status), international organisations (UN, WTO), international political economy, regional integration (EU, NAFTA, draft FTAA, TPP): security, terrorism, conflict resolution, public policy, migration, and gender.

Mr. Peter **Genge**r a scholar and practitioner in Peace and Conflict Resolution and intercultural dialogue. He holds an MEd in Inter-religious Dialogue (Boston College), an MA in Peace and Conflict Studies (PACS) (University of Manitoba) and he is a PACS PhD Candidate at the same university. His areas of research include Indigenous Peacemaking; mainstreaming the African and Indigenous Peacemaking Approaches (AIPA); critical Indigenous research, decolonization, indigenous knowledge and pedagogy; conflict transformation, restorative justice, Inter-cultural dialogue; and world religions in search of community and peace.

Dr. Daniel **Goldstick**, PhD (Oxford University) is a Canadian philosopher, writer and Professor Emeritus at the University of Toronto. He received his BA from the University of Toronto and his B.Phil and D. Phil from Oxford University. His work focuses on metaphysics and epistemology including approximately 75 papers in *American Philosophical Quarterly, Explorations in Knowledge, Philosophy and Phenomenological Research.* He is the author of *Reason, Truth and Reality.* He is a supporter of the Canadian Peace Alliance and a longtime member of the CPRA. He is the founding editor of the Communist party's theoretical journal, *The Spark* and a longtime communist candidate in parliamentary elections for the Rosedale district in Toronto.

Hanna **Hadikin**, MA (Simon Fraser University, Burnaby), Certificate Program: Refugees and Forced Migration, (York University) is an advisor, coordinator, facilitator and project coordinator for many rural-based and international institutions in Argentina, Cairo, Columbia, Fiji, Nelson (BC), Sechelt (BC), Vancouver, etc. She is a board member of Canadian Voice of Women for Peace; Vice-Chair, Kootenay Regiona, UN Association; Founding Member, Nelson End the Occupation Now (NEON) of Gaza, Nelson Peace Coalition, Habondia Micro-Lending Society for Women and the Former B.C. Representative for the Congress for Learning Opportunities for Women. She was a Co-Convenor of the Women's Working Group, Vancouver World Peace Forum and a Delegate to the Fourth World Conference on Women, Beijing, the World Social Forum, Caracas and the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, Cuba. She has presented at the UN, NYC on the Commission on the Status of Women and she is a member of the BC Souther Interior Peace Coalition. Dr. Christopher **Hrynkow**, PhD (Peace and Conflict Studies, University of Manitoba), ThD (Christian Ethics, University of Toronto) is an Associate Professor in Religion and Culture at St. Thomas More College, University of Saskatchewan. There, he teaches courses in Religious Studies, Catholic Studies, and Critical Perspectives on Social Justice and the Common Good. From January 2019 to July 2019, he is serving as Patrick and Barbara Keenan Visiting Chair in Religious Education at the University of St. Michael's College in the University of Toronto. Hrynkow is also a graduate student in Education (University of Bath) and Social Justice and Community Action (University of Edinburgh). In July 2019, he will return to St. Thomas More College as Department Head and Graduate Chair in Religion and Culture for the University of Saskatchewan. Hrynkow will also teach the university's inaugural section of Introduction to Peace Studies in the Fall Term 2019, as part of a collaborative plan to build the first full fledged Peace Studies program in Saskatchewan. As of April 2019, he has published 28 peer reviewed journal articles and 12 peer reviewed book chapters.

Dr. Shreesh **Juyal**, <u>F.Sc.</u>, Drs., D.Litt., F.C.I.I.A, Author/editor/co-editor of nine books, published in the U.S.A., Canada, the U.K., India, and the United Nations. He is a former Dean of the Faculty of International Studies and Distinguished Professor of International Law and Political Science, Himgiri Zee University, India; former Full Professor of Political Science and Director of the United Nations and International Affairs Institute, the University of Regina, and current Vice President of the World Federation of Scientific Workers (Paris, France). Biographed in the Canadian Who's Who; the recipient of the United Nations Association (Canada) Global Citizen Award, and the Peace Medal of the YMCA Canada.

Dr. Didace Boukaka **Kimbu** is a Lecturer at Saint Paul University, Ottawa and Consultant at Percussimo Consulting Group Inc. His current research interests are related to the dialogue between faith and reason, religion and science, theology and scientific knowledge, especially Christian theology and ethics and the Darwinian approach to life and ethical problems. His recent book: *Darwinisme et éthique chrétienne* is intended to explore this last subject, to shed some light on fundamental ethical problems raised by the Darwinian theory extended to human society and behaviour.

Mr. Ed Lehman, M. Ed., M.A., General Secretary, CPRA. A former educator in Poland, Kazakhstan, The Republic of Georgia, and Libya; Editor of *Saskatchewan Peace News*; President, Regina Peace Council; and, Executive Council Member, Canadian Peace Congress.

Ms. Tamara **Lorincz** is a PhD student in Global Governance at the Balsillie School for International Affairs (Wilfrid Laurier University). Tamara graduated with an MA in International Politics and Security Studies from the University of Bradford in the United Kingdom in 2015. She was awarded the Rotary International World Peace Fellowship and was a senior researcher for the International Peace Bureau in Switzerland. Tamara is currently on the board of the Canadian Voice of Women for Peace and the international advisory committee of Global Network Against Nuclear Power and Weapons in Space. She is a member of the Canadian Pugwash Group and the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom. Tamara was a co-founding member of the Vancouver Island Peace and Disarmament Network in 2016. Tamara has an LLB/JSD and a MBA specializing in environmental law and management from Dalhousie University. She is the former Executive Director of the Nova Scotia Environmental Network and co-founder of the East Coast Environmental Law Association.

Dr. Kathleen Manion, Associate Professor, Royal Roads University and Program Head, BA in Justice Studies. Manion is an educator and researcher who has spent the past 20 years working within social and community services. She is passionate about social justice and social inclusion and particularly interested in helping to bridge the gap between practitioner experiential knowledge, academic theory and policy objectives across multiple disciplines. Manion has worked on projects tackling issues related to child protection, homelessness, healthy early childhood development, environmental protection, family violence, youth justice, and international social work. Before joining Royal Roads in 2013, Manion's diverse experience included research and practice in various countries and settings, working at both a national ministerial level and also at the grassroots. Manion completed her undergraduate studies at the University of Waterloo (BA in psychology, diploma in peace and conflict studies and certificate in social work). She earned her master's (international social work and community development studies) and her PhD in sociology from the University of East London in the UK. Manion's doctoral studies focused on the perceptions of success of interventions with commercially sexually exploited girls in Canada, Australia and the United Kingdom.

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