International Society for Consciousness Studies

Schedule of Events - Before the Conference

Thursday, May 30, 2019
Informal Gathering at Mory’s
6:00-10:00PM
306 York St, New Haven, CT 06511
(203) 562-3157

FRIDAY, MAY 31, 2019

The Graduate Institute - (9:00am - 4:30pm )
171 Amity Road, Bethany, CT 06524

Registration
(8:00-8:50am)
Lobby of The Graduate Institute

Welcome Remarks
Cathleen Buchanan, President, The Graduate Institute
Leslie Allen Combs, President and Founder, International Society for Consciousness Studies
(9:00-09:15am)
-- Auditorium

Ervin Laszlo – The Intelligence of the Cosmos
(9:15-9:45am)
Live Via Skype -- Auditorium

Asoka Bandarage – Ecological Consciousness and the Middle Path: Linking consciousness and social change
(9:45-10:15am)
-- Auditorium

(Parallel Sessions)
Jonathan Bricklin – James’ Filmiest of Screens
(10:25-10:55am)
-- Auditorium
(Parallel Sessions)
Jennifer Lyke – Sometimes Students Do Good Work: Two Examples of Experiential Projects in an Interdisciplinary Undergraduate Class on States of Consciousness
(10:25-10:55am)
-- Room 3

(Parallel Sessions)
Christine Keating – Strength of the Double Helix: Doris Lessing’s Quest to Unite the Personal with the Collective from Metafiction to Mythopoeia
(11:05-11:35am)
-- Auditorium
John Weeks – The Sun Is Gone, But I Have A Light Toward A Symbolic Mastery of the Formal Cause of Story
(11:05-11:35am)
-- Room 3

Thought Leader Open Space Discussion
Lunch (11:45am-1:00pm)

(Parallel Sessions)
Ed Sarath – Consciousness, Creativity, and Jazz
(1:25-1:55pm)
-- Auditorium
Simon Senzon – Intellectual Fields of Consciousness and the Chiropractic Term Innate Intelligence in the Literature
(1:25-1:55pm)
-- Room 3

(Parallel Sessions)
Menas Kafatos – Physics and Nondual Consciousness
(2:05-2:35pm)
-- Auditorium
Judith Blackstone – Experiential Workshop
(2:05-2:35pm—first of double session see pg. 3)
-- Room 3
(Parallel Sessions)
Stephan Schwartz – Nonlocal Consciousness and the Anthropology of Religions and Spiritual Practices
(2:45-3:15pm)
-- Auditorium
Judith Blackstone – Experiential Workshop
(2:45-3:15pm –continuing session)
-- Room 3

Break (3:15-3:45pm)

(Parallel Sessions)
Bernie Baars & Natalie Geld – Cortex is proposed to be the organ of mind
(3:45-4:15pm)
-- Auditorium
Elizabeth Krasnoff – Sound Medicine Workshop: Sound, Healing, Consciousness: Vibration is the language of consciousness
(3:45-4:15pm –first of double session)
-- Room 3

(Parallel Sessions)
Zoran Josipovic – Nondual Awareness
(4:25-4:55pm)
-- Auditorium
Elizabeth Krasnoff – Sound Medicine Workshop: Sound, Healing, Consciousness: Vibration is the language of consciousness
(4:25-4:55pm—continuing session)
-- Room 3

(Parallel Sessions)
Paul Mills – Nondual Awareness, Wellbeing, and Integrative Health
(5:05-5:35pm)
-- Auditorium
David C. Borsos – The Esoteric Philosophy of Alice A. Bailey and Relevant Applications to Consciousness Studies
(5:05-5:35pm)
-- Room 3

Meal Break (5:35-7:00pm)
(See Conference Folder for Restaurants nearby Yale Divinity School)

Yale Divinity School
Schedule of Events - Day 2
Saturday, June 1, 2019

The Graduate Institute - (9:00am - 4:30pm + Evening Event 5:30-10:00pm)
171 Amity Road, Bethany, CT 06524

Registration
8:00-8:50am
Lobby of The Graduate Institute

Deepak Chopra with Leslie Allan Combs & Menas Kafatos – In Conversation
(9:00-10:00am)
-- Auditorium

Nancy Ellen Abrams with Leslie Allan Combs – In Conversation
(10:00-11:00am)
-- Auditorium

Registration Closes – 11:00 am

Ken Wilber
(11:00-11:30am)
-- Auditorium
Discussion of Future of ISCS & Graduate Programs;
Lunch Break (11:35am - 1:30pm)

Room 4 for Food & Return to Auditorium to join discussion.

(Parallel Sessions)
Jeffery Martin – Non-Symbolic Consciousness CSNSC
(1:35-2:05pm) Auditorium
Megwyn White – Exploring Consciousness through the Orgasmic Current of the Vagus Nerve
(1:35 – 2:05pm)
-- Room 3

(Parallel Sessions)
Terry Marks-Tarlow – Science of Chaos Panel
(2:10-2:40pm)
-- Auditorium
Diana Ali – American Spiritualism
(2:10-2:40pm)
-- Room 3

(Parallel Sessions)
Anngwyn St. Just – Science of Chaos Panel
(2:45-3:15pm)
-- Auditorium
Robert Wright – Psychoneuroimmunological and Psychophysiological Correlates of Attention, Anxiety and Chronic Pain
(2:45-3:15pm)
-- Room 3

Break (3:15- 3:40)

(Parallel Sessions)
Tobi Zausner – Science of Chaos Panel
(3:45 -4:15pm)
-- Auditorium
Miloslava Kozmová – Volition: Does it Exist in Non-Lucid Dreams?
(3:45-4:15pm)
-- Room 3
(Parallel Sessions)
Tiffany Barsotti – The Physiology of Presence and Spiritual Transcendence: The Reticular Activating System, Vagus Nerve, and Alta Major Chakra Axis
(4:20-4:50pm)
-- Auditorium
Gill Hall – Shamanic States & Theories of Consciousness
(4:20-4:50pm)
-- Room 3

(Parallel Sessions)
James Clement van Pelt – Consciousness and Spirit
(4:55-5:25pm)
-- Auditorium
Beth Torpey – Global Sustainability, the Evolution of Consciousness and the Role of Water
(4:55-5:25pm)
-- Room 3

Presentations and Optional Dinner at The Graduate Institute
(5:30-7:30pm)

Parallel Sessions / Auditorium
-Christopher Zdenek – Trans-logical Post-Formal Consciousness (5:30-5:50pm)
-Richard Buck – Consciousness, Spirit + Liberating Relationships (6:00-6:20pm)
-Syamala Hari – Time & Consciousness (6:30-6:50pm)
-John Grandy – Autopoiesis, Cognition, and Neurogenetic Connections to Human Consciousness (7:00-7:20pm)

Parallel Sessions / Room 3
-Katherine Stone – Nature, the evolution of consciousness, and the right to mystical experience (5:30-5:50pm)
-Charles Chip McNeal – Re-storying Conscious Identity Through Narrative Engagement (5:55-6:15pm)
-Jacqueline Kurio – Labyrinths for Planetary and Personal Healing (6:20-6:40pm)
-Sandra Christensen – Plant Consciousness: In conversation with the land (6:45-7:05pm)
-Melanie Vallee – Beta Burnout (7:10-7:30pm)
Rick Barrett – Chinese Internal Martial Arts aka Developing Body-Mind-Spirit Integration to Access Supernormal Abilities and Superconscious States of Awareness
Auditorium
(7:40-8:10pm)

Charles Chip McNeal – Brain Dance Demo
Auditorium
(8:15 - 8:45pm)

PARTY – Videos TBA (8:50-10:00pm)
Auditorium
Grace & Grit; Magdalena (film clips)

Schedule of Events - Day 3

Sunday, June 2, 2019 (9:00am-2:00pm)
The Graduate Institute
171 Amity Road, Bethany, CT 06524

(Parallel Sessions)
Herbert Demmin – The Practice on Perceptual Forms
(9:00-9:30am)
-- Room 3
Jeffrey Quackenbush – The Reification of Consciousness
(9:00-9:30am)
-- Montessori Classroom (aka/The Casa)

Parallel Workshops
Allan Combs – History of Consciousness in Art
(9:35-11:30am)
-- Montessori Classroom (aka/The Casa)
Wes Geer/ Scharff Panel – Rock to Recovery
(9:35-11:30am)
Auditorium
Geld, Baars, Theise & Edelman – Neural Darwinism aka Waking Consciousness/ Mind and Body: How do biological systems confront and survive an ever-changing world?
(9:35-11:30am)
-- Room 3 – Live via Skype and In-person

Lunch
(11:35am- 1:45pm)
Auditorium

CONSCIOUSNESS-BASED INTEGRAL EDUCATION: CIHS
(11:35am-2:00pm)
-- Auditorium

Thomas Brophy – Integral/ Consc Education at CIHS
(11:35am-11:55am)
-- Auditorium

Nick Bustos – Human Experience
(12:00pm-12:20pm)
-- Auditorium

-Chiara Marrapodi – An Integrated Approach to Trauma and how it Informs Consciousness in Animals
(12:25-12:45pm)
-- Auditorium

-Ji Hyang Padma – Consciousness and Healing: Perspectives from the Mahayana Tradition
(12:50-1:10pm)
-- Auditorium

-Heather Lutz – AQAL Integral Theory
(1:15-1:35pm)
-- Auditorium

-John St. Claire – Sound, water, sacred geometry, + crystals: revealing the mystery of consciousness
(1:40-2:00pm)
-- Auditorium

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