

PROGRAM

Wednesday, December 6, 2006

- 8.00 - 9.30 Registration
- 9.30 - 10.00 **Interfaith Opening**
Ven. Kunga Sangbo Rinpoche (Jyekundo Monastery and Tashi Gang Monastery)
Sulak Sivaraksa (Semsikkhalai)
Mark Hensman (Harrows International School)
William Grassie (Metanexus Institute)
- 10.00 - 10.45 **The New Sciences of Religious and Spiritual Phenomena**
William Grassie
Chair: Prapod Assavavirulhakarn (Chulalongkorn University)
- 10.45 - 11.00 Break
- 11.00 - 11.45 **Meditation, Contemplative Spirituality, and Brain Science**
Peter Grossenbacher (Naropa University)
Chair: Tavivat Puntarigvivat (Mahidol University)
- 11.45 - 12.45 Lunch
- 12.45 - 13.15 **Music for Healing**
- 13.15 - 14.00 **Body and Mind Conference: Science and Spirituality Perspectives**
Siroj Sorajakool (Loma Linda University)
Chair: Mark Hensman
- 14.00 - 14.30 Break
- 14.30 - 16.30 *Panel on Theravada Buddhism*
Chair: Ven. Dhammananda Bhikkhuni (Wat Songthamkalayani)
- 14.30 - 15.00 **Mind and Body in Theravada Buddhist Perspective**
Ven. Pematatana Soorakkulame (University of Peradeniya)
- 15.00 - 15.30 **The House Maker in Buddhist Teaching**
Somparn Promta (Chulalongkorn University)
- 15.30 - 16.00 **Buddhist Analysis of Mind**
Ven. Thich Nhat Tu (Vietnam Buddhist University)
- 16.00 - 16.30 **Mind and Form in Buddhist Theory of Personality**

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- Ven. Bhikkhuni Thich Nu Hue Lien (Vietnam Buddhist University)
- 16.30 - 17.00 Reception
- 17.00 - 19.00 **Special Public Lecture: Bon and Dzogchen: Towards Enlightened Mind from Tibetan Perspective**
 Ven. Geshe Latri Nyima Dakpa Rinpoche (Menri Monastery, Bon Children's Home)
With translation from English into Thai

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- 9.00 - 12.00 *Panel on Tibetan Buddhism*
 Chair: Krisadawan Hongladarom
- 9.00 - 9.45 **Body and Mind from the Tibetan Perspective**
 Thubten Phuntsog (Central Nationalities University)
- 9.45 - 10.30 **Bon Perspective on Healing and Medicine**
 Ven. Geshe Latri Nyima Dakpa Rinpoche
- 10.30 - 11.00 Break
- 11.00 - 12.00 **Role of Meditation in Healing**
 Ven. Kunga Sangbo Rinpoche
With translation from Tibetan into English
- 12.00 - 13.30 Lunch
- 12.30 - 13.30 **Press Conference: "Moonlight over Pine Trees"** (A new collection of poems on Tibet and Tibetan Buddhism, in Thai).
 Organized by the Chulalongkorn Book Center
- 13.30 - 14.45 *Panel on Healing and Spirituality (1)*
 Chair: Thubten Phuntsog
- 13.30 - 14.15 **Healing the Mind**
 Sumalee Nimmanit (Mahidol University)
- 14.15 - 14.45 **AIDS and Buddhism: The Psychological Contribution of Buddhism to HIV/AIDS Prevention in Thailand**
 Carsten Klöpfer (University of Cologne)
- 14.45 - 15.00 Break
- 15.00 - 16.30 *Panel on yoga and body-mind integration*
 Chair: James Boag

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- 15.00 - 15.30 **Yoga and Yoga Therapy: A Practical Approach to Body-Mind Integration for the Holistic Healing and Positive Health**
Hiroshi Aikata (Thai Yoga Institute) and Veerapong Kraivit (Srinakarinwirote University)
- 15.30 - 16.00 **The Power to Change Lives: Kundalini Yoga as Taught by Yogi Bhajan**
Sheila Rank, Karuna Thakwan Kaur, Marie-France Champagne, and Nguyen Tien Nghia
- 16.00 - 16.05 Tea Break (inside the room)
- 16.05 - 16.35 **Re-programming the Nervous System with Hatha Yoga and Raja Yoga**
James Boag (Yoga Elements Studio, Bangkok)
- 16.35 - 17.35 *Panel on Spirituality and Society*
Chair: Siroj Sorajjakool
- 16.35 - 17.05 **The Multi-Dimensional Leader**
Pamela Hongsakul (Manager Media Group)
- 17.05 - 17.35 **Sufficiency Economy: An Approach to Mind Cultivation**
Kaemthong Indaratna (Chulalongkorn University)

Friday, December 8, 2006

- 9.00 - 10.45 *Panel on Education, Cognition and Spirituality*
Chair: Peter Grossenbacher
- 9.00 - 9.45 **Beyond Self – A Spiritual Pedagogy for a Secular World**
Mark Hensman (Harrows International School)
- 9.45-10.15 **Anticipating Cognition: Breaking Through from Curiosity to Prescience**
Kenneth Dobson (Christian University)
- 10.15-10.45 **Human/Non-Human Interface: The Emergence of New Forms of Body and Mind**
Arthur Saniotis (Christian University)
- 10.45-11.15 Break
- 11.15-12.00 **Spiritual Intelligence: Engaging Wisdom through Meditation**
Jean Kristeller (Indiana State University)
Chair: Kaemthong Indaratna

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12.00 - 13.00	Lunch
13.00 - 14.00	<i>Panel on Healing and Spirituality (2)</i> Chair: Sumalee Nimmanit
13.00 - 13.30	Reiki: A Simple Healing Method at the Service of All Danielle Wiedmann and Marie-France Champagne (Asian Institute of Technology)
13.30 - 14.00	Journaling: Writing as a Healing Art Virginia Maripolsky (Bangkok Hospital)
14.00 - 14.45	Workshop on Eating with Wisdom: Cultivating Mindful Eating Jean Kristeller
14.45 - 15.15	Break
15.15 - 16.45	<i>Panel on Science, Spirituality and Society</i> Chair: Pamela Hongsakul
15.15 - 15.45	Dharmodynamics Vuthipong Preabjariyawat (The Millennium Institute)
15.45 - 16.15	Oriental Healing Art: Happiness and Health Vichit Punyahotra (Health Foundation)
16.15 - 16.45	Living in Harmony with Chronic Illness through Self-Reiki: Experience from Working with HIV Positive Women in Thailand Preeya Kaewpimon, Arphorn Chuaprapaisilp, Praneed Songwathana (Prince of Songkhla University), Ruey J. Ryburn (University of Hawai'i)
16.45 - 17.15	Discussion & Conclusion Chairs: Soraj Hongladarom and Mark Hensman
17.15 - 17.30	Prayers for World Peace