

2013 CPRA Program

**CANADIAN PEACE RESEARCH ASSOCIATION (CPRA)
2013 CONFERENCE AND ANNUAL GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING
UNIVERSITY OF VICTORIA, VICTORIA, B.C., CANADA
JUNE 6-8, 2013**

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The CPRA conference is part of Congress 2013- organized by the Canadian Federation of the Humanities and Social Sciences, and hosted by the University of Victoria, Victoria, B.C., Canada.

Please join academics, researchers, and thinkers from Canada and abroad on this intellectually stimulating occasion.

FOR INFORMATION ABOUT CONGRESS 2013 ACCOMMODATION, TRAVEL, THE UNIVERSITY OF VICTORIA, REGISTRATION AND OTHER CONGRESS- RELATED MATTERS, please visit the websites:

www.congress2013.ca

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CPRA CONFERENCE DATES: June 6-8, 2013

CPRA CONFERENCE LOCATION: Room D101, First Floor, MacLauren Building, Main Campus, University of Victoria, Victoria, B.C., Canada.

PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL CPRA CONFERENCE SESSIONS/PAPER PRESENTATIONS/ PANEL PRESENTATIONS, KEYNOTE/ SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS, AND THE CPRA GENERAL COUNCIL AND EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETINGS WILL BE HELD AT THE ABOVE LOCATION.

FOR CONFERENCE DETAILS, IF NEEDED, PLEASE CONTACT DR. SHREESH C. JUYAL, PRESIDENT, CPRA < shreeshjuyal@ymail.com >

Due to special circumstances/requests for specific time presentation from a number of paper presenters, disparateness of topics, and other complications, the proposals/papers received for this conference could not be arranged in distinct sub-themes/sub-groups, and hence, many a paper may not be consistent with any particular grouping.

Please note that with the exception of the keynote/special speakers, and a specific film presentation, each paper presentation must be limited to 20 minutes. PLEASE MAKE SURE TO SEND A COPY OF YOUR PAPER TO YOUR SESSION CHAIR LATEST BY 20 MAY. The session chairs' names and email addresses will be provided by 10 May.

ALL PAPER PRESENTERS ARE REQUESTED TO BRING 30 COPIES EACH OF THEIR PAPERS FOR DISTRIBUTION. ALL PARTICIPANTS ARE URGED TO ATTEND AND CONTRIBUTE TO THE ENTIRE CPRA CONFERENCE.

CPRA GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING:

PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL REGISTERED DELEGATES (PARTICIPANTS) ARE AUTOMATICALLY MEMBERS OF THE CPRA FOR THE PERIOD OF 1 JUNE, 2013 – 31 MAY, 2014.

PLEASE RECEIVE THIS EMAIL AS YOUR NOTICE FOR THE CPRA GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING TO BE HELD ON 7 JUNE, 2013 COMMENCING AT 4:45 P.M WITH AN ANTICIPATED CONCLUSION AT 6:30 P.M. THE GENERAL COUNCIL WILL CONSIDER AND APPROVE ITS AGENDA ITEMS (PLEASE SEE BELOW). ALL REGISTERED DELEGATES ARE URGED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CPRA GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING.

Please receive the following as a formal notice of the CPRA General Council (GC) Meeting for the items mentioned below:

1. Election of CPRA Officers: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Director of Public Relations, and Members-at-Large of the Executive Council (EC).
2. Nominations for the above positions, and resolutions by 10 May 2013.
3. Reports by the President, the Secretary, the Treasurer, and other officers.
4. Adoption of the motion that the registration Fee (payable to CFHSS) for the Annual Conference be raised by \$15, (and, \$25 for late) per delegate, and that registration with CFHSS must be confirmed within 30 days, of course, not later than 30 March of the calendar year.
5. Adoption of the motions: a) Re. Malala for Nobel Peace Prize, and b) Endorsement of a Federal Department of Peace in Canada.

6. Adoption of the motion that subject to funding available, reimbursement of the CPRA President's participation in Congress 2014 Planning Committee Meeting or Congress 2014/CPRA conference, Brock University, St. Catherines, Ontario, be authorized.
7. Responsibilities of individual EC members in organizing the 2014 annual conference of CPRA.
8. The CPRA website
9. Other business

AUDIO-VISUAL SERVICES PROVIDED IN THE CONFERENCE ROOM:

DATA PROJECTOR, PROJECTION SCREEN, ETHERNET CABLE AND INTERNET ACCESS, AND SOUND SYSTEM ONLY. IT DOES NOT INCLUDE A LAPTOP OR DESKTOP COMPUTER.

Paper/panel presenters will need to bring their own laptops and any other equipment mentioned above.

THE CONGRESS 2013 DELEGATE'S GUIDE – SECTION ON AUDIO-VISUAL SERVICES (IF AVAILABLE)- CONTAINS A DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE A-V SERVICES AND COSTS INVOLVED. YOU MAY ALSO CONTACT av@uviccongress2013.ca FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

PENULTIMATE PROGRAM

THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 2013

9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Welcome Remarks and Session Chair: Dr. Shreesh C. Juyal, President, CPRA; Dean, Faculty of International Studies and Distinguished Professor of International Law & Political Science, Himgiri Zee University, India; Chairman, International Commission on Nuclear Disarmament; Consultative Status "A" Observer, United Nations ECOSOC < shreeshjuyal@ymail.com >

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Dr. Roger Dittmann, Nuclear Physicist, Professor of Physics, California State University Emeritus; President, U.S. Federation of Scientists, Scientists Without Borders:

"Supranationalism, Peace and Security"

Mr. J. Peter Venton, B.A. (Western Ontario), M.A. (Queen's); Formerly senior economist and senior policy advisor, Government of Ontario; Vice President, Administration and Finance, Wilfrid Laurier University; Bursar, the University of St. Michael's College, the University of Toronto:

“ Globalization and the Edge of War”

Dr. Jody (Geraldine) MacDonald, Senior Lecturer, Bloomberg Faculty of Nursing, University of Toronto, Board member of the Registered Nurses Association of Ontario, and the Norman and Marion Robertson Charitable foundation:

“Promoting Peace in a Time of Austerity: Energy & Hope”

Dr. Rose Dyson, Author; President, Canadian Concerned About Violence in Entertainment; Editor of the Learning Edge for the Canadian Association for the Study of adult Education; Vice President, CPRA.

“Corporate Media, Climate Change and Social Upheaval”

Mrs. Eryl Court, B.A., M.A. (Wisconsin, and Toronto), Director of Public Relations, CPRA. Peace activist for over 40 years:

“Building Global Peace”

12:30 – 2:00 p.m. Lunch (On your own..... The campus has eleven unique food outlets.)

2:00-5:00 P.M. (6 JUNE)

Session Chair: TBA

Keynote Speaker: Dr. John Duncan, Director, Ethics, Society and Law Program, Trinity University in the University of Toronto; Founding President, the International Bilingual Society for the Study of Existential and Phenomenological Theory and Culture; Co-founder and executive editor PhaenEx- an inter-disciplinary peer reviewed journal listed by the Philosopher's Index; co-editor of a volume on the thought of Jean-Jacques Rousseau; His

article, "Death From Above" in 'This Magazine' and then, in 'Tightrope Books' *The Best Canadian Essays* :

"Drone Warfare in Af-Pak"

Dr. Robert Harding, Professor of Social Work and Human Services, University of Fraser Valley. Initiator of the UFV and the Sto:lo Nation's development of an Indigenous helping program based on traditional principles.

" Representing Indigeneity in British Columbia: Past and Present"

Dr. Lewis Williams, Author; Associate Professor (Health), Faculty of Science, University of Southern Queensland, Australia; Adjunct Professor, School of Public Health, University of Saskatchewan:

"Creating Communities of Connection through explorations of Turangawaewac: An Ecological perspective on peace-building"

Wanja Muniata, M.A. (Candidate, Human Security and Peace Building), Royal Roads University

" Livelihood support and skills training impacted beneficiaries in post- conflict reconstruction of Northern Uganda"

Dr. Sarah Abbott, Associate Professor, Department of Film, University of Regina; Producer and Co-writer of *This Time Last Winter*; Winner of the 2012 Saskatchewan Lieutenant Governor's Award for Arts and Learning:

Film presentation of "This Time Last Winter", and discussion

FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 2013

9:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

Session Chair: TBA

Panel (A)... On track II Diplomacy and the Middle East: The Case of the Jerusalem Old City Initiative

Panel led by Prof. Tom Pierr Najem , University of Windsor.

Paper 1: “The Jerusalem Old City Initiative: The Development of an Unorthodox Tack II” Process

Presented by Dr. John Bell, Director for the Middle East and Mediterranean Program at the Toledo International Centre for Peace, and former Canadian Diplomat.

Paper 2: “The Jerusalem Old City Initiative: Outcomes/Rationale”

Presented by Dr. Mike Molloy, Senior Fellow, Graduate School of Public and International Affairs, University of Ottawa, and former Diplomat

Paper 3: “On the Track to Officialdom: Transferring the Idea of the Jerusalem Old City Initiative to Key Decision Makers”

Presented by Dr. Tom Pierre Najem, Associate Professor of Political Science, University of Windsor;

And Giovanna Roma, Graduate Student, Carleton University

The Track II Diplomacy and the Middle East Initiative also included former Canadian diplomat Dr. Michael Bell.

Panel (B)... Collective Auto-ethnography: Impact of Researcher Identity on the PACS Field.

Presenter 1. Dr. Alka Kumar, Associate Professor, Department of English, SPM College, University of Delhi; PhD Student, Arthur V. Mauro Centre for Peace and Justice, University of Manitoba

Presenter 2. Ms. Robin Neustaeter, PhD Candidate, Arthur V. Mauro Centre for Peace and Conflict Studies, University of Manitoba

Presenter 3. Ms Sandra Krahn, PhD Student, Arthur V. Mauro Centre for Peace and Justice⁴, University of Manitoba

Presenter 4. Ms. Jodi Read, PhD Candidate, Arthur V. Mauro Centre for Peace and Justice, St. Paul's College, University of Manitoba

Dr. Saul Arbess, Professor of Anthropology, Emeritus, Simon Fraser University, the Universite de Quebec, the University of Regina; Cofounder and Director, Canadian Department of Peace Initiative (CDPI), and Director, Board of the Global Alliance for Ministries and Infrastructures for Peace; Former National Board member, Council of Canadians:

“Progress and Obstacles to Creating National Infrastructures for Peace”

Dr. Martin Gall, Lecturer of Political Studies, University of Saskatchewan

“Canada’s Internationalism”

12:30 – 2:00 P.M. LUNCH (On Your Own)

2:00 – 4:30 P.M. (7 June)

Session Chair: TBA

2:00-3:00 P.M.

Keynote Speakers: Dr. Sabin W. Lautensach, Director, Human Security Institute (Canada),; Departments of Anthropology and International Studies, University of Northern British Columbia; and, Dr. Alexander K. Lautensach, Assistant Professor, School of Education, University of Northern British Columbia; Editors: Human Security in World Affairs: Problems and Opportunities . (Vienna, Austria: Caesarpress. 2013):

“ A Textbook of Human Security as a Means to Promote Peace”

3:00- 4:00 P.M.

Panel on the “Idle No More” Movement:

Co-chair: Dr. Robert Harding, Author; Professor, School of Social Work and Human Services, University of the Fraser Valley; Initiator of the UFV and the Sto:lo Nation develop an Indigenous helping program based on traditional principles.

Co-chair: Dr. Eldon Yellowhorn, Author; Chair, Department of First Nations Studies, Simon Fraser University

Dr. Gerald Taiaiake (TBC), author, educator and activist; internationally recognized Kanien'kehaka professor at the University of Victoria; current Director of the Indigenous Governance Program, UVic; formerly, a Canada Research Chair, UVic; Recipient of a National Aboriginal Achievement Award in Education.

And, other Panel Members (TBA)

4:00- 4:40 P.M.

Ms. Oonagh O'Connor, M.A. (Candidate) Conflict Analysis and Management, Royal Roads University:

"The Role of non-Indigenous witness in Canada's Truth and Reconciliation Commission"

Ms. Seema Ahluwalia, Sociology Instructor; and Kim Gunn, Sociology student, Kwantlen Polytechnic University:

The "Teaching and Learning for Truth, Justice and Reconciliation" Project: One Teacher's approach to Decolonization, Indigenization, and Strategic Peace-building through the Post-secondary Classroom"

4:45 P.M.

CPRA General Council Meeting

Please refer to the GC meeting notices and items appearing in the earlier section of this Program.

6:30 p.m.:

Conclusion of the June 7th (Friday) sessions.

SATURDAY, JUNE 8, 2013

10:00 A.M.- 12:30 P.M.

Session Chair: TBA

Dr. Toivo Koivukoski, Author and Associate Professor of Political Science, Nipissing University:

“ Thinking Beyond Occupy: A Prospectus for Mobilization”

Dr. Laura Westra, Author and Professor of Philosophy Emerita, and Sessional Instructor, Faculty of Law, University of Windsor; Sessional Instructor, Faculty of Law, University of Milano (Bicocca):

“Terrorism, and War (?) against terrorism”

Dr. Shreesh C. Juyal, President, CPRA; Author; Dean, Faculty of International Studies and Distinguished Professor of International Law & Political Science, Himgiri Zee University, India; Chairman, International Commission on Nuclear Disarmament; Consultative Status “A” Observer, United Nations ECOSOC:

“ Iran, Nuclear Bomb and Nonalignment”

Dr. Marcella LaFever, Professor, Communications Department, University of the Fraser Valley; Faculty, UFV Peace Studies Program Working Group:

“Conflict Theory and peace practices: A case study of Baha’i faith persecution and response in Nazi Germany and Iran”

Dr. Abu Bockarie, Associate Professor and Director, Adult Education/Human Resources Development, Faculty of Education, University of Regina:

Learning Peace: The Effects of Peace Education on Peace Building in Developing countries”

12:30 – 2:00 P.M. Lunch (On Your Own)

2:00- 4:00 P.M.

Session Chair: TBA

Ms. Sara Skinner, M.A. (Conflict analysis and Management), Royal Roads University:

“Sudan and South Sudan: A Path to Reconciliation”

Miss. Althea-Maria Rivas, PhD Candidate, Department of International Development Studies, School of Global Studies, University of Sussex, United Kingdom, and

Miss. Mariam Safi, PhD Candidate, Department of International Relations, School of Global Studies, University of Sussex, United Kingdom; former Deputy Director of the Centre for Conflict and Peace Studies and the current Director of the Strategic Studies Program at the Afghanistan Justice Organization, Kabul, Afghanistan:

“Can the Sub-Altern Speak? Post-Colonialism, Peace and Gender”

Ms. Anne Venton, Hon. B.A. (western Ontario), M.A. (Toronto); Board Member, Ontario Council of the College of Dental Hygienists; formerly, Press Secretary to the Canadian Minister of Labour, Member of the Immigration and Refugee Board of Canada, and the Council of the Association of Professional Engineers (Ontario):

“Empowering Women as Peacemakers one Person at a Time”

Ms. Theresa Wolfwood, Director, Barnard-Boecker Centre Foundation; Peace activist:

“Art & Creativity and the Search for Peace”

4:00 P.M.

Conclusion of the CPRA Conference.

4:00 P.M. Through the assistance of our local participants, we should be able to organize a social upon conclusion of the CPRA conference.

I look forward to welcoming you all to the CPRA conference.

In solidarity for peace,

Shreesh Juyal

President, CPRA