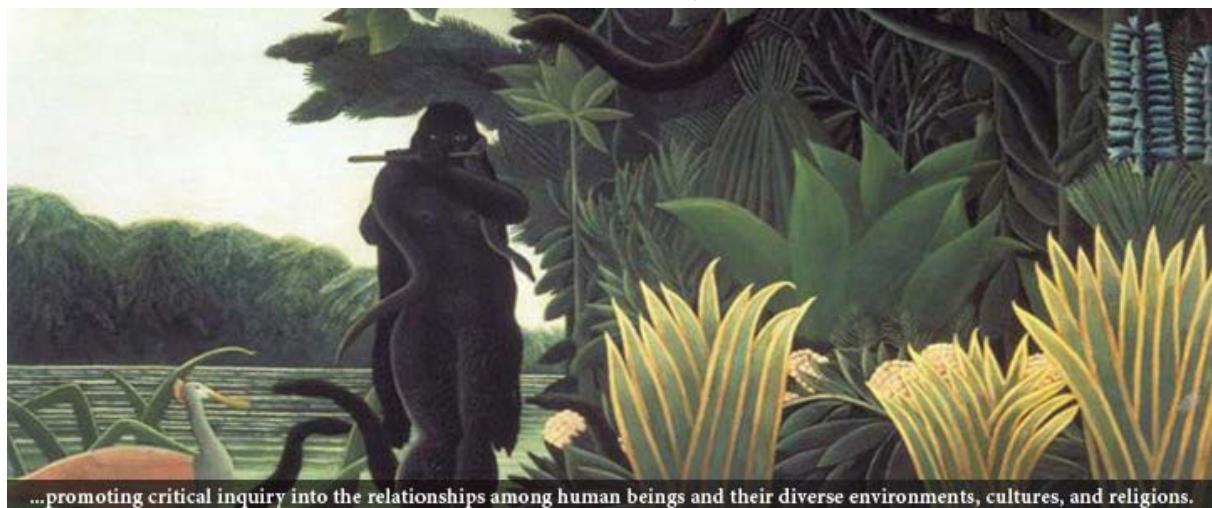


“Religion, Nature and Art”

Vatican Museums’ Ethnological Museum & International Society for the Study of Religion, Nature and Culture October 13-14, 2011



...promoting critical inquiry into the relationships among human beings and their diverse environments, cultures, and religions.

Schedule

All events take place in the Vatican Museums

Katherine Aigner (Australia), Laura Hobgood-Oster (United States), Nicola Mapelli (Italy)
Conference Co-Directors

Thursday 13 October

10:00-10:30	REGISTRATION AND COFFEE	Reception Area
10:30-11:30	INAUGURATION AND WELCOME H.E. Giuseppe Mons. Bertello – President of the Pontifical Commission for Vatican City State and the Governorate of Vatican City State Prof. Antonio Paolucci – Director of Vatican Museums Prof. Fr. Nicola Mapelli – Director/Curator of the Ethnological Museums, co-coordinator of Conference Prof. Kocku von Stuckrad – President, ISSRNC	Auditorium
11:30-12:45	KEYNOTES – WHAT IS ART IN THIS CONTEXT? 11:30 Prof. Arnold Nesselrath 12:00 Prof. Kocku von Stuckrad : "The Entanglement of Religion and Art: Joseph Beuys, Shamanism, and Ritual"	
12:45-13:30	Lunch Break	Cafeteria

13:30-15:00	Session I (Concurrent) <i>European Contributions, Sarah Pike Presiding</i>	Auditorium
13:35	Thomas Heinzl	
13:55	Yme Kuiper	
14:15	Kristine Ogle	
14:35	Eva Rita Gyertyanos	
	<i>Australian Indigenous, Mark Peterson Presiding</i>	Museum Room
13:35	Asmi Wood	
14:00	Mary Zeiss Stange	
14:30	Helga Griffin	
15:00	Coffee Break	
15:10-16:55	Session II (Concurrent) <i>Christianity, Laura Hobgood-Oster Presiding</i>	Auditorium
15:15	Jan Boersma	
15:35	Teresa Canepa	
15:55	James Watkins	
16:15	Violeta Puscasu	
16:35	Sasha Chaitow	
	<i>Representations and Conceptions of Nature, Rick Stepp Presiding</i>	Museum
15:15	Nathalie Pilard	
15:40	Joel Stoker	
16:05	Jonas van Mulder	
16:30	Fred Simmons	
17:00-18:00	Session III <i>East Asian Traditions, Mark Peterson Presiding</i>	Auditorium
17:00	Dan Smyer Yu	
17:20	Aming Tu	
17:40	Sangmu Thenup	
18:15-20:00	“Rituals of Life: The Culture and Spirituality of Aboriginal Australians” Exhibit Tour, co-curators Nicola Mapelli and Katherine Aigner Day One Concludes	

Friday 14 October

9:00	Coffee Break	Reception Area
9:15-11:30	Session IV <i>Global Indigenous Perceptions and the Sacred World, Laura Hobgood-Oster Presiding</i>	Auditorium
9:20	Peter Wilson	
9:40	Hee Sook Lee-Niinioja	
10:00	Alison Kahn	

10:20-10:30	<i>Break</i>	
10:30	Claudia Marchesi and Aedeem Cremin	
10:50	Elizabeth Oriel and G. A. Bradshaw	
11:10	Richard Davey	
11:45-12:25	KEYNOTE Prof. Bron Taylor, founding President, ISSRNC “Reading Religion and Resistance in Earth Art and the Book of Nature”	Auditorium
12:30-13:15	Lunch Break	Cafeteria
13:15-14:55	Sessions V <i>Contemporary Expressions, Sarah Pike Presiding</i>	Auditorium
13:15	Gabrielle Genovese	
13:35	Zeljka Corak	
13:55	Ina Wunn	
14:15	Greta Refsum	
14:35	Alexandra Grieser	
		Museum
	<i>East Asian Expressions, Mark Peterson Presiding</i>	
13:20	Francis Brassard	
13:45	Dennis Hirota	
15:00-16:30	Session VI <i>Renaissance Christianity, Laura Hobgood-Oster Presiding</i>	Auditorium
15:05	Benedikt Schwoil	
15:25	Violeta Cvetkovska Ocokoljic	
15:45	Jules De Waart	
16:05	Heather Dalton	
16:30	Coffee Break	
16:40-18:30	Session VII <i>Spirituality-based Environmental Activism, Nature, Art</i>	Auditorium
16:40	Katherine Aigner, Convener and Speaker	
17:10	Adele Chynoweth	
17:30	Ulrike Wiethaus	
17:50	M. Dane Zahorsky	
18:10	Gerald Greenfield	
18:30-18:45	CLOSING COMMENTS Prof. fr. Nicola Mapelli Prof. Laura Hobgood-Oster, President-Elect, ISSRNC	Auditorium
18:45	Night Opening of the Vatican Museums for Attendees	