

Elevating Consciousness

Illuminating the Path to a Better World

138th Summer National Convention

In-Person Schedule, Main Convention

Friday, July 19

- 1:15–3:45 **Registration** (Lobby, 1st floor)
- 1:30–2:15 Guided walking tour of the Arboretum and grounds.
- 2:30–3:30 Theosophical Order of Service (TOS) Meeting. 1st floor Classroom. All are welcome.
- 4:00 Guided tour of the L.W. Rogers Building
- 4:00 Meeting for ES members
- 5:30 Dinner (Nicholson Hall)
- 6:30 Registration continues (Auditorium, 3rd floor)
- 7:00 **Opening of the 138th Annual Meeting:** Prayers of the Religions, Credentials Committee report, introductions, greetings from international and local groups, introduction of Resolutions Committee, Invocation, remarks by TSA President, social gathering (Nicholson Hall)

Saturday, July 20

- 7:30–8:15 Breakfast (Nicholson Hall)
- 8:30–8:50 Meditation (Auditorium)
- 9:00–10:15 Lecture by **William Meader**, “*Soul of Humanity: Its Evolution Through World Crisis*”
- 10:45–12:00 Lecture by **Trần-Thi-Kim-Diêu**, “*The Dharma of Humans*”
- 12:00 Lunch (Nicholson Hall)
- 1:30–2:45 Lecture by **Pablo Sender**, “*The Spiritual Ascent from Selfishness to Illumination*”
- 3:15–4:15 **Panel Discussion** with **William Meader**, **Trần-Thi-Kim-Diêu** and **Pablo Sender**
- 4:30 Group Photo of on-site participants
- 4:45–5:45 Donor Reception in the Library/ Free time/ possible Book signing
- 6:00 Dinner (Nicholson Hall)
- 7:30–8:45 Presentation by **Kurt Leland** on Wagner’s final opera: “*Parsifal: A Theosophical View*”

Sunday, July 21

- 7:30–8:15 Breakfast
- 8:30–8:50 Meditation (Auditorium)
- 9:00–10:00 **President’s Report.** All are welcome.
- 10:00–10:15 Resolutions Committee Report
- 10:30–11:45 Lecture by **Kurt Leland**, “*Elevating Consciousness by ‘Going Beyond’*”
- 12:00 Lunch
- 1:30–2:45 Lecture by **Nicole Gantt**, “*Love in Action: Moving Toward Unity Consciousness*”
- 3:15–4:15 **Panel Discussion** with **Kurt Leland** and **Nicole Gantt**
- 4:15–4:30 Closing for the Main Convention
- 4:45–5:45 Volunteer opportunity/Free time
- 6:00 Dinner
- 7:30 Musical Program: Selections from Claude Bolling’s *Suite for Flute and Jazz Piano Trio*
- 9:00 Fire circle, outdoors at the Stone Circle. (See campus map)

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In-Person Extension Schedule

Monday, July 22

- 7:30–8:15 Breakfast
8:30–8:50 Meditation (Auditorium)
9:00–12:00 Workshop with **Kurt Leland**, “Daily Practices for ‘Going Beyond’”
12:00 Lunch
1:30–4:30 Workshop with **William Meader**, “Practical Mysticism: *Paradigm for a New and Dawning Age*”
4:30 Free time
5:30 Dinner
7:00 Free time

Tuesday, July 23

- 7:30–8:15 Breakfast
8:30–8:50 Meditation (Auditorium)
9:00–12:00 Workshop with **Pablo Sender**, “Steps to Higher Consciousness”
12:00 Lunch
1:30–2:30 **Panel Discussion** with **Kurt Leland**, **William Meader**, **Pablo Sender**, **Trần-Thi-Kim-Diêu**
Closing Remarks

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