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### SIXTH EAST-WEST PHILOSOPHERS' CONFERENCE

# CULTURE AND MODERNITY: THE AUTHORITY OF THE PAST

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# Sixth East-West Philosophers' Conference

In 1939 Charles A. Moore convened the first East-West Philosophers' Conference at the University of Hawaii. Its aim was to explore the significance of Eastern ways of thinking for Western thought and the development of a possible synthesis of the ideas and ideals of East and West. Subsequently, East-West Philosophers' conferences were held in 1949, 1959, and 1964 under Professor Moore's leadership, and in 1969 under the direction of Visiting Professor Abraham Kaplan. These conferences moved ahead considerably from the initial "synthesis" approach to an examination of specific philosophical issues and themes which could be addressed from the background of different cultural perspectives.

Professor Moore envisaged the conference program as creating a worldwide community of philosophers who could benefit from crosscultural contact and who would be of considerable influence upon younger generations of scholars and thinkers. The conferences were enormously successful in bringing about dialogue between Western and Asian philosophical traditions, and were instrumental in the establishment of the East-West Center at the University of Hawaii. The conferences have also had the distinction of being funded locally, since 1964, under the leadership of Dr. Hung Wo Ching, a prominent businessman.

The Sixth-East Philosophers' Conference will address the general theme "Culture and Modernity." Within this broad theme the Conference will focus primarily on the "Authority of the Past," examining such basic concepts as appropriation and interpretation, canon and creativity, tradition and progress. These concepts will be examined within three general areas of cultural interest: art and religion; morality and political institutions; science and technology.

It has been a great privilege for me to have been given the responsibility of being Director of this Sixth East-West Philosophers' Conference. I thank the participants and those colleagues who have given so generously of their time, energy and wisdom in making this meeting a reality.





# CONFERENCE ADMINISTRATION

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Honorary Chair Wing-tsit Chan

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# **PROGRAM**

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**SUNDAY, JULY 30, 1989** 

EVENING: 7:30 p.m.

# **OPENING CEREMONIES**

KEONI AUDITORIUM, EAST-WEST CENTER

Master of Ceremonies
Eliot Deutsch, Director
Welcoming Remarks
Albert Simone, President, University of Hawaii
Victor Li, President, East-West Center
Larry Laudan, Chair, Department of Philosophy
Thomas P. Kasulis, President, Society for Asian and Comparative Philosophy
Report
Wing-tsit Chan, Honorary Chair,
"History of the East-West Philosophers' Conference"

All plenary sessions will be held in the Keoni Auditorium (Imin Conference Center, Jefferson Hall) at the East-West Center. Panel Sessions will be held in the rooms in Jefferson Hall designated on the program.

#### **MONDAY, JULY 31, 1989**

#### MORNING (9:00-12:30)

9:00-10:30 PLENARY

Chair: Eliot Deutsch, University of Hawaii

Paper: Richard J. Bernstein, New School For Social Research

"Incommensurability and Otherness—Revisited"

Commentator: Joel Kupperman, University of Connecticut

#### 10:30-11:00 COFFEE BREAK

11:00-12:30 PLENARY

Chair: Jagdish Sharma, University of Hawaii Paper: Daya Krishna, University of Rajasthan "Secularism and Modernity: Sacred and Profane"

Commentator: Frits Staal, University of California, Berkeley

#### **AFTERNOON (1:30-5:00)**

#### 1:30-3:00 PLENARY

Chair: Leroy S. Rouner, Boston University Paper: Tang Yijie, Beijing University

"The Transcendality and Innerness of Chinese Philosophy"
Frederick J. Streng, Southern Methodist University
"The Transcendental in a Comparative Context"

Commentator: David L. Hall, University of Texas, El Paso

#### **3:15-5:00 PLENARY PANEL**

"On the Concept of Progress in Science"
Larry Laudan, University of Hawaii
Marcello Pera, Universita Degli Studi Di Pisa
Lorenz Krüger, University of Gottingen
Ilkka Niiniluoto, University of Helsinki



## **TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1989**

MORNING (9:00-12:00)

9:00-12:00 PLENARY PANEL

Topic: "Relativism"

Chair/Respondent: Tu Wei-ming, Harvard University Paper: Alasdair MacIntyre, Notre Dame University

"Incommensurability, Truth, and the Conversation Between Confucianism and

Aristotelianism About the 'Virtues"

Bimal K. Matilal, All-Souls College, Oxford University

"Pluralism, Ethical Relativism and Interaction Between Cultures"

Jiang Tianji, Wuhan University "The Problem of Relativism"

AFTERNOON (1:30-5:15)

1:30-3:00 PLENARY

Chair: Julius Lipner, University of Cambridge Paper: Kwame Gyekye, University of Ghana

"Traditional Political Values and Ideas: An Examination of Their Relevance to

Developments in Contemporary African Political Order"

Response: Barbara Holdrege, University of California, Santa Barbara

3:15-5:15 PANELS

Sarimanok Room:

Ben-Ami Scharfstein, Tel Aviv University

"The Protoesthetic Universal"

Frank Tillman, Hawaii Loa College

"Our PostLiterate Condition: Some Cognitive Implications of the Impact of Photographic and Videographic Images on Contemporary Thought"

Vincent Tsing-song Shen, National Cheng-chi University

"Towards an Ontology of the Beautiful: Chuang Tzu's Aesthetic Evaluation of Reality"

Tagore Room:

R. R. Verma, Indian Council of Philosophical Research

"Concept of Progress and Cultural Identity"

Hwa Yol Jung, Moravian College/Seoul National University

"The Question of Rationality and the Basic Grammar of Intercultural Texts"

Lawrence Cahoone, Boston University

"The Cultural Turn in the Critique of Modernity"



#### Kamehameha Room:

Margaret Chatterjee, Indian Institute of Advanced Study
"Reflections on Religious Pluralism in the Indian Context"

Leroy S. Rouner, Boston University
"Dualism and Non-Dualism in Divine-Human Encounter"

Anindita N. Balslev, Aarhus University, Denmark
"Religious Pluralism and Relativism: The Possibility of Inter Religious Communication"

#### Kaniela Room:

Lucius Outlaw, Haverford College
"Life-Worlds, Modernity and Philosophical Praxis"

Kenneth Keulman, Loyola University
"Post-Modernist Challenges to Traditional Conceptions of Philosophy"

Roger-Pol Droit, International College of Philosophy, Paris
"Is the Greek Invention of Philosophy a Modern Myth?"

#### Washington Room:

Kwong-loi Shun, University of California, Berkeley "The Self in Confucian Ethics"

Robert E. Allinson, Chinese University of Hong Kong "The Golden Rule in Confucianism and Christianity"

Kirill 0. Thompson, National Taiwan University "How to Rejuvenate Ethics: Suggestions from Chu Hsi"

### **WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2, 1989**

MORNING (9:00-12:30)

9:00-10:30 PLENARY

Chair/Respondent: Arthur C. Danto, Columbia University Paper: Agnes Heller, New School for Social Research "Moses, Hsuan-Tsang and History"

10:30-11:00 COFFEE BREAK

11:00-12:30

Ferenc Feher, New School for Social Research
Paper: "Between Relativism and Fundamentalism:
Hermeneutic as Europe's Mainstream Political Tradition"



#### **AFTERNOON**

12:30-1:30 DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY Lunch Reception (By invitation) Sakamaki Courtyard

2:00-5:00 ISLAND TOURS

**EVENING (7:30-9:00)** 

7:30-9:00 KEYNOTE ADDRESS - KEONI AUDITORIUM, EWC

Chair: Victor Li, President, East-West Center

Paper: Xie Xide, President, Fudan University, Shanghai

"The Development of Science and Technology in China: Its Progress and Challenges"

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 1989

MORNING (9:00-12:00)

9:00-12:00 PLENARY PANEL

Topic: "Historicity" Value"

Chair/Respondent: Gerald Larson, University of California, Santa Barbara

Papers: Hilary Putnam, Harvard University

"Can Ethics be Ahistorical? The French Revolution and the Holocaust"

D. P. Chattopadhyaya, New Delhi: Indian Council of Philosophical Research

"Historicity of Human Practice: Art, Ethics, Religion"

Zhang Dainian, Beijing University

"Theories of Value in Chinese Philosophy"

**AFTERNOON (1:30-5:15)** 

1:30-3:00 PLENARY

Chair: Manfred Henningson, University of Hawaii

Paper: Karl-Otto Apel, Johann Wolfgang Goethe Universität

"The Need for the Apparent Difficulty and the Eventual Possibility of a Planetary

Macro-ethics of Humankind"

Commentator: Ruth Ann Putnam, Wellesley College

3:15-5:15 PANELS

Sarimanok Room:

Harold Coward, University of Calgary

"The Evolution of Self in Jung and Eastern Thought"

Marietta Stepaniants, USSR Academy of Sciences

"The Concept of Perfect Man in Oriental Cultures"

Kisor Chakrabarti, Kutztown University

"Evolving Concepts of Self"



#### Kaniela Room:

David E. Shaner, Furman University
"Science and Comparative Philosophy"

Heinz Luegenbiehl, Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology
"Value Commitments and Technological Innovation"

Victor Mansfield, Colgate University
"Tsongkhapa's Bell, Bell's Inequality, and Madhyamika Emptiness"

#### Washington Room:

"Modern Interpretations of Traditional Hindu and Buddhist Concepts"
Ashok Malhotra, SUNY, College at Oneonta
John M. Koller, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Kenneth Inada, SUNY, Buffalo

#### Tagore Room:

Joel Kupperman, University of Connecticut
"Tradition and Moral Progress"
Antonio S. Cua, Catholic University of America
"Reasonable Challenges and the Preconditions of Adjudication"
Xinmin Zhu, Fudan University
"Traditions and Modern Politics"

#### Kamehameha Room:

Graham Parkes, University of Hawaii

"Nihilism and Nationalism: How to Recover From One Without Contracting the Other"

Augustin Jacinto Zavala, El Colegio de Michoacam, Mexico

"Spanish Translation of Nishida Philosophy: Problems and Proposals"

Thomas P. Kasulis, Northland College

"Japanese Philosophies of Religious Language: A Comparative Analysis"

#### FRIDAY, AUGUST 4, 1989

#### MORNING (9:00-12:30)

9:00-10:30 PLENARY

Chair: Tom Dean, Temple University
Paper: Yusuo Yuasa, University of Tsukuba

"Traditional Eastern Philosophy and Scientific Technology Today"

Commentator: Thomas P. Kasulis, Northland College

10:30-11:00 COFFEE BREAK

11:00-12:30 PLENARY

Chair: Irving Copi, University of Hawaii Paper: Richard Rorty, University of Virginia

"The Roles of Philosophy and Literature in Inter-Cultural Understanding" Commentator: Henry Rosemont, Jr., St. Mary's College of Maryland

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AFTERNOON (1:30-5:00)

1:30-5:00 WORKSHOPS

Art Religion Ethics Legal/Political Science/Technology DIRECTORS
Tu Wei-ming - Tagore Room
Gerald Larson - Kamehameha Room
Henry Rosemont, Jr. - Sarimanok Room
Kenneth Kipnis - Washington Room
Larry Laudan - Kaniela Room

**EVENING (7:30-9:00)** 

SPECIAL PUBLIC LECTURE, Honolulu Academy of Arts Arthur C. Danto, Columbia University
"The Shape of Artistic Paths: East and West"

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5, 1989 - OPEN -

SUNDAY, AUGUST 6, 1989

- OPEN -

#### **MONDAY, AUGUST 7, 1989**

#### **MORNING (9:00-12:00)**

9:00-12:00 PLENARY PANEL

Topic: Islam

M. Mohaghegh, McGill Institute of Islamic Studies, Teheran "Philosophical Tradition in Iran with a Reference to Modern Trends"

Aziz Al-Azmeh, University of Exeter

"The Discourse of Cultural Authenticity: Islamist Revivalism and Enlightenment

Universalism"

Lenn E. Goodman, University of Hawaii "Three Enduring Achievements of Islamic Philosophy"

#### **AFTERNOON (1:30-5:15)**

1:30-3:00 PLENARY

Chair: Anna Keppel, University of Hawaii

Paper: Virginia Held, Graduate School and University Center, CUNY

"Freedom and Media Culture"

Commentator: Peter T. Manicas, University of Hawaii

#### 3:15-5:15 PANELS

#### Tagore Room:

Megumi Sakabe, University of Tokyo
"Surrealistic Landscape and the Reason of Art"
Mara Miller, Franklin & Marshall College
"The Novelist as Philosopher: Akutagawa and the Notion of Selfhood"
Yue Daiyun, Beijing University
"The Confucian' No Evil Thoughts' Principle of Poetry"

#### Kamehameha Room:

Maria L. Herrera, National University of Mexico
"Interpretations of Traditional Culture"

Donald Mitchell, Purdue University
"Individual and Communal Perspectives of Humanity in Religious Philosophy East and West"

Ze'ev Levy, University of Haifa

#### Kaniela Room:

David Loy, Kamakura
"The Nonduality of Life and Death"

Douglas Allen, University of Maine
"The Historical and Cultural Constitution of Concepts of the Self"

Gordon D. Marino, University of Chicago
"Kierkegaard Contra Freud: On the Proper Scope of our Moral Aspirations"

"Tradition, Hermeneutics and Pluralism in Modern Jewish Thought"

#### Washington Room:

Julius Lipner, Cambridge University
"Woman and Salvation in Hinduism: Some Reflections"
Bina Gupta, University of Missouri, Columbia
"Some Reflections on Advaita Vedanta as Philosophy: Its Method and Meaning"
Russell B. Goodman, University of New Mexico
"East-West Philosophy in 19th Century America: Emerson and Hinduism"

#### Sarimanok Room:

David L. Hall, University of Texas, El Paso
"Anticipations of Culture: Modern China and the Postmodern West"
Purusottama Bilimoria, Deakin University, Australia
"Rites Over Rights Over Rites"
Roger T. Ames, University of Hawaii
"Meaning as Imaging: Reconfiguring chih in Classical Confucianism"

## **TUESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1989**

#### MORNING (9:00-12:30)

9:00-10:30 PLENARY.

Chair: Marcia Morse, UH/Honolulu Community College Paper: Richard Wollheim, University of California, Berkeley

"Why Art Changes"

Respondent: Timothy Engstrom, Rochester Institute of Technology

#### 10:30-11:00 COFFEE BREAK

11:00-12:30 PLENARY

Chair: Diane B. Obenchain, Kenyon College Paper: Koshiro Tamaki, Nihon University

"The Fundamental Invisible One Among Dharma, Logos, Pneuma, Li"

Commentator: David E. Shaner, Furman University

#### AFTERNOON (1:30-5:00)

1:30-3:00 WORKSHOPS Topics to be selected.

3:45-5:00 LECTURE/DEMONSTRATION Chair: James Brandon, University of Hawaii Shogo Ohta, Theatre Tenkei Gekijo, Tokyo "Tradition and Modernity in Japanese Theatre"

#### **EVENING (7:30-9:00)**

7:30-9:00 PUBLIC LECTURE - KEONI AUDITORIUM, EWC Wing-tsit Chan
"The Dragon and the Snake"
Chair: Roger T. Ames

## **WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9, 1989**

#### MORNING (9:00-12:30)

9:00-10:30 PLENARY Chair/Respondent: Hugh H. W. Kang, University of Hawaii Youn Sa-soon, Korea University "The Development of the Theory of 'Li Chi' in the Yi Dynasty"

10:30-11:00 - COFFEE BREAK



11:00-12:30 PLENARY

Chair/Respondent: S. S. Rama Rao Pappu, Miami University David Kalupahana, University of Hawaii "Language, Truth and Culture in Buddhist Perspective"

#### **AFTERNOON**

1:30-5:00 - OPEN -

6:00-8:30 RECEPTION -

University of Hawaii Press at the Waikiki Aquarium (By invitation)

#### THURSDAY, AUGUST 10, 1989

#### MORNING (9:00-12.30)

9:00-10:30 PLENARY

Chair: Kenneth Kipnis, University of Hawaii Paper: Svetozar Stojanovic', University of Belgrade

"From Marxism to Post-Marxism"

Response: Frederic L. Bender, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs

10:30-10:45 COFFEE BREAK

10:45-12:30 PLENARY

Chair/Commentator: Lynn A. Struve, Indiana University

Shu-hsien Liu, Chinese University of Hong Kong

"A New Interpretation of <u>li-i fen-shu</u>"

Chung-ying Cheng, University of Hawaii

"On the Unity of Reason and Being: Back to the Future from Kant to Confucius via Heidegger"

#### **AFTERNOON (1:30-5:15)**

1:30-3:00 PLENARY

Chair: Wimal Dissanayake, East-West Center Paper: A. T. Ariyaratne, Sarvodaya, Sri Lanka "Political Institutions and Traditional Morality"

Commentator: John M. Koller, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute

#### 3:15-5:15 PANELS

Tagore Room:

Chen Lai, Beijing University

"The View of Tradition in Chinese Philosophy"

Eiichi Shimomisse, California State University

"The Significance and Challenge of Confucianism in Today's Technological and Industrialized World"

A. C. Graham, University of London

"Conceptual Schemes and Linguistic Relativism in Relation to Chinese"

Sarimanok Room:

H. Odera Oruka, University of Nairobi "Cultural Fundamentals in Philosophy" David A. Dilworth, SUNY at Stony Brook "The Politics and Theory of Postmodernism" Karl H. Potter, University of Washington "The Fundamentally Pragmatic Meaning of Indian Philosophy's Epistemic Terms"

Washington Room:

R. D. Gunaratne, University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka "Predication, Negation and Cognition: A Comparative Study" Li Zhi Ling, East China Normal University "On the Dual Nature of the Chinese Traditional Mode of Thought and Its Modernization" Arindram Chakravarti, Oxford University "Objective and Subjective Unity in Nyaya"

Kaniela Room:

T. S. Rukmani, University of Delhi "Canon and Creativity" Carol Bernstein, Bryn Mawr College "Sublime Discontinuities: Dispersing Subjectivity" Gregor Paul, Osaka City University "Ontology and Ethics: Basic Problems of Idealistic and Neo-Confucian Philosophy"

Kamehameha Room: Gan Yang, Chinese Academy of Social Sciences, Beijing "Perplexities of Modernity: The Cultural Misgiving of Modern China and the Cultural Anxiety of the West" Ulrich Libbrecht, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven "On the Methodology of Comparative Interpretation of Traditional Philosophies" Jorge Secada, University of Virginia "Historiography and Philosophy"

**EVENING (7:30-9:00)** 

7:30-9:00 PUBLIC LECTURE - KEONI AUDITORIUM, EWC Ramchandra Gandhi "Mahatma Gandhi and Ramana Maharshi" Chair: Cromwell Crawford, University of Hawaii

#### **FRIDAY, AUGUST 11, 1989**

#### **MORNING (9:00-12:30)**

9:00-10:30 PLENARY

Chair: Larry Laudan, University of Hawaii
Paper: Adolf Grünbaum, University of Pittsburgh

"Meaning Connections vis-a-vis Causal Connections in Psychoanalysis and the Human

Sciences"

Commentator: Graham Parkes, University of Hawaii

#### 10:30-10:45 COFFEE BREAK

10:45-12:00

Chair: Jonathan Westphal, University of Hawaii

G. C. Pande, University of Allahabad

"Two Dimensions of Religion"

K. N. Upadhyaya, University of Hawaii "Real and Rational in Indian Thought"

Commentator: Kenneth Inada, SUNY at Buffalo

#### **AFTERNOON (1:30-3:00)**

1:30-3:00 PLENARY

Chair: Michael Saso, University of Hawaii Paper: Feng Qi, East China Normal University

"The Characteristics of Traditional Chinese Philosophy and Their Development in Modern

Times"

Commentator: Xing Peiming, Academy of Social Sciences Beijing/Columbia University

**EVENING (7:30-10:00)** 

7:30-10:00 CLOSING BANQUET (by invitation)- PACIFIC BEACH HOTEL

#### SATURDAY, AUGUST 12, 1989

MORNING (10:00-12:00)

10:00-12:00 WRAP-UP SESSION - KEONI AUDITORIUM, EWC

Workshop Reports

Closing Remarks: Eliot Deutsch



# **VITAES OF PARTICIPANTS:**

PLENARY AND PANELS

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- Roger T. Ames holds a Ph.D. from the School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London. He is Professor in the Department of Philosophy at the University of Hawaii and Editor of the international journal Philosophy East and West. Dr. Ames' recent publications include The Art of Rulership: A Study in Ancient Chinese Political Thought, Thinking Through Confucius (with David L. Hall), and Nature in Asian Traditions of Thought: Essays in Environmental Philosophy (ed. with J. Baird Callicott). He is also a translator of Chinese classics.
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- A. T. Ariyaratne is Founder and President of the Sarvodaya Movement in Sri Lanka, an integrated rural development program. He has received numerous honors and awards worldwide for distinguished service in development and world hunger. Mr. Ariyaratne was educated and served as a teacher in Sri Lanka before assuming his present position.
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- Frederic L. Bender is Professor of Philosophy and Chairperson in the Department of Philosophy at the University of Colorado, Colorado Springs. He is the editor of the Norton Critical Edition of *The Communist Manifesto*, Karl Marx: The Essential Writings, and author of The Betrayal of Marx. He is currently working in the area of environmental philosophy.



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- Kisor Chakrabarti was born in Calcutta, India. He received a Ph.D. at the State University of New York at Buffalo in 1975. Dr. Chakrabarti has worked in Nyaya and Buddhist logic and is currently a visiting professor at Kutztown University, Pennsylvania.
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- Margaret Chatterjee received the B.A. and M.A. at Oxford University and the Ph.D. at the University of Delhi. She was Head of the Department of Philosophy at Delhi before assuming her present post as Director of the Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Simla. Dr. Chatterjee has published seven books and fifty-six articles on Indian and comparative philosophy. She has also published poetry and has written, lectured and broadcast on Gandhian thought.
- D. P. Chattopadhyaya received a D.Phil. at Calcutta University in 1959 and a Ph.D. at the London School of Economics and Political Science in 1963. He was Head of the Department of Philosophy at Jadaypur University, Calcutta, before assuming his present post as Chairman of the Indian Council of Philosophical Research. Dr. Chattopadhyaya has published in English and in Bengali and is presently researching the relation between sociology, biology and epistemology.

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