

Tuesday, August 2, 2005

9:00 – 17:30

Hall B

**2nd Symposium on Personal and Spiritual Development
in the World of Cultural Diversity**

Chairs: Prof. Kensei Hiwaki, Tokyo International University, Japan
Prof. Otto E. Rössler, University of Tuebingen, Germany
Prof. Hugh Gash, St Patrick's College, Dublin, Ireland

Cultural Enrichment and Personal Maturation

by Prof. Kensei Hiwaki, IIAS; Tokyo International University, Saitama, Japan

The Harmonious Meeting of Matter & Shape

by Prof. Ayten Aydin, IIAS; Civil Engineer/Anthropologist, Rome, Italy

Intelligent Computerized Dolls as Companions in Old Age

by Prof. Otto E. Rössler, University of Tuebingen, Germany

Spiritual Moment

by Prof. Hugh Gash, St Patrick's College, Dublin, Ireland

First-Person Science, Cognitive Science, and Spiritual Practice

by Dr. Wendell Wallach, WW Associates, Connecticut, U.S.A.

Lunch Break 12:00-1400

Modelling Faith and Uncertainty

by Prof. Hugh Gash, St Patrick's College, Dublin, Ireland, and
Prof. James Rhodes, Jacksonville University, Florida, U.S.A.

Essential Parameters of Cross-Cultural Differences

by Prof. Wiktor H. Adamkiewicz, IIAS; Maritime University, Gdynia, Poland

The Teaching of History

by Prof. John Hiller, University of Sydney, Australia

**Forming Scientific Notions in Childhood as a Precondition of Successful Personal
Growth and Spiritual Development Equal to it**

by Dr. Olga S. Fomichova, Prof. Vladimir A. Fomichov, and Dr. Lioudmila Oudalova,
Moscow, Russia

Staring at Sea: An Artist Examines Primordial Nostalgia

by Prof. Tina Simonton, Georgia Institute of Technology, Georgia, U.S.A.

Amplifying the Two Cultures Tale: Adding Spirituality to the Science-Humanity Mix

by Prof. Brian R. Sinclair, University of Calgary, Alberta, Canada