King’s University College at Western University

CONSCIOUSNESS CONFERENCE

Saturday, March 3, 2018, 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Kenny Theatre, Darryl J. King Student Life Centre

Master of Ceremonies: Professor Laura Melnyk
Chair, Department of Psychology, King’s University College

Lynda Hutchinson PhD, Department of Psychology, King’s University College, MindUP™ — A Curriculum for Supporting Children's Development of Mindful Awareness

Devon Trower MA Candidate, Faculty of Education, Western University, Exploring Children's Self-Regulation for Learning within a Mindfulness-Based Social and Emotional Learning Program

Daniel Kharlas, MA Candidate, Western University, Virtual Reality and Applications to Wellness

Morgan Gardner PhD, Faculty of Education, Memorial University, The Light of Winter Mornings: Lingering in Relational Wonder

Shannon Foskett PhD Candidate, Department of Cinema and Media Studies, University of Chicago, Rethinking Representation: Questions from Neuroimaging

Achim Kempf PhD, Department of Applied Mathematics, University of Waterloo, The Role of Quantum Neural Networks in Artificial Intelligence

Jonathan Geen PhD, Department of Religious Studies, King’s University College, Consciousness in the Buddhist Tradition: An Overview

Monali Malvankar PhD, Department of Ophthalmology, Schulich School of Medicine and Dentistry, Impact of Breathing Exercises and Meditation on Health-Related Quality of Life in Glaucoma and Dry Eye Disease Patients

Akshya Vasudev MD, Department of Psychiatry, Schulich School of Medicine and Dentistry, Sahaj Samadhi Meditation, a Type of Automatic Self-Transcending Meditation, in Late Life Depression: A Randomized Controlled Trial

Natalie Trent PhD, Department of Psychology, Harvard University, The Effectiveness of Reiki Healing as a Treatment Modality

Isabelle Goulet PhD, University of Arizona, A Perspective on Consciousness Rooted in the Algonquin Traditions

Loretta Norton PhD, The Brain and Mind Institute, Western University, Detecting Awareness in the Acute Comatose State

Paul Frewen PhD, Department of Psychiatry, Schulich School of Medicine and Dentistry, Trauma Related Altered States of Consciousness

Kamini Vasudev MD, Department of Psychiatry, Schulich School of Medicine and Dentistry, Sudarshan Kriya Yoga in Post Traumatic Stress Disorder

Kasha Herba MSW, The Consciousness Lab, King’s University College, Transcendent States of Consciousness at a Self-Development Seminar

Monika Mandoki MA, Centre for Theory and Criticism, Western University, Explaining Near-Death Experiences using Plotinus’ Philosophy

Imants Barušs PhD, Department of Psychology, King’s University College, The Emergence of Consciousness Studies as an Academic Discipline

Nicci Borowski & Jordan Kritzinger, Western University, Why We Need a PhD Program in Consciousness Studies

Open to the public. No charge. However, anyone who is coming to the conference needs to register at www.kings.uwo.ca/consciousness/ so that we can plan accordingly.

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