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MINUTES OF THE IPS 24th GENERAL ASSEMBLY
25 May 2024

Present:

BOAINAIN-SCHNEIDER Alice,
Brazil/Switzerland
FALATAKIS-MULLER Claudette,

Switzerland
SCHNEIDER Rudolf, Germany/Switzerland

Online participants:

AMARAL Maria Cristina, Brazil
BALLIF Christiane, Switzerland
BRECKLE Anke, Germany
CABRAL DE MELLO Maria Elisabeth,
Brazil
CHATAIGNÉ Christine, France
CHOISNET Jérôme, France

MALGOUYRES Marie-Dominique, France
RAMOUNOULOU Simone, Brazil
REMUS Marion, Germany/Bolivia
SAINJU Bijaya Prakash, Nepal
SUBOTINOV Viktor, Russia/Ukraine
TSUMBA René, Congo-Kinshasa
ULATOWSKA Lisinka, The Netherlands

Excused:

ACLE Susana, Brazil
DUPONT Martine, Belgium
GERONIMO Adam, USA
GRASS Roswitha, Switzerland
LIMA Sonia M. de, Brazil
MANANGA MASUNDA Albert, Congo
Kinshasa
RÖLLI-WALLER Elisabeth, Switzerland

SMIRNOVA Elena, New Zealand/Russia
SNIPPE Marjolijn, The Netherlands
VAN DER VELDE Mintze, The Netherlands
WAAL Vita de, France/Italy
WADLOW René, USA

Chairman: Rudolf Schneider

Secretary: Alice Boainain-Schneider

The meeting was opened at 2 p.m. (C.E.S.T.) with the Gemini full moon meditation in English, guided by Rudolf and introduced by a text by Dr. Krishnamacharya on the sign of Gemini. The IPS General Assembly is always held in the week-end closest to the Wesak full moon calculated according to the Indian lunar calendar, that is the second full moon after the new moon in Aries. This year it fell on 23 May and the nearest week-end day was Saturday 25 May.

The detailed report of activities is contained in a separate document, "2023-2024 Report of Activities.pdf". It was presented by Rudolf, Alice and Lisinka.

Alice presented the financial report of the last 3 years. The main expenses over the past 3 years were the acquisition of a new computer (CHF 2'379.80), since the previous one was

already more than 7 years old, toner for the printer (CHF 1186.60), and maintenance of the IPS website (CHF 823). All income is from donations. Three larger donations to other groups were made through the Maitreya fund (CHF 8'0000), for which we transferred CHF 6'000 from the IPS account to the Maitreya fund account. Two of these grants were for IPS Kinshasa, and one for a group network in South America for a project on "Teaching the Great Invocation through Social Networks". The project is now online in Spanish (<http://www.meditacion-consciente.org>) and Portuguese (<https://www.meditacion-consciente.org/br>).

The detailed financial report is contained in the document "Balance 2023.pdf" (in English) and "Bilan 2023.pdf" (in French).

The participants approved the report of activities and the financial balance, and discharged the Executive Committee for its work in 2023.

The meeting continued with a general group discussion, with the main points summarised as follows.

Alice invited all friends and coworkers to share during the General Assembly how they see their future participation in the work of the Institute. All proposals and suggestions are invaluable for our work. Future perspectives include continuing the work on the Commons and communication with nature and continuing our cooperation with Master EK Spiritual and Service Mission in India, with Institute Alcor in Switzerland and France, with Stiftung Einheit Allen Lebens in Switzerland, with World Goodwill units of service in Natal, Rio, Brasilia, with the 2025 initiative, with spiritual groups in Ukraine and Russia.

Rudolf: Our future perspective is to cooperate with all human beings for because there is only one humanity. We need to stop national thinking and see us all as a human community and as planetary citizens, not French, German, Italian and so on. We are all born on this planet to prepare the next step, becoming planetary citizens. Yes, we can speak different languages. This is okay.

We speak different languages, but it has been suggested by one of the Masters of Wisdom that all children in the world learn English besides their mother tongue, as an international language for people to communicate all over the world.

Lisinka asked what the synthesis vision of the IPS is. We are all working for together but from different angles and have many separate projects. Yet the Institute's purpose is planetary synthesis.

Alice: The vision that unifies the IPS for me is the work of the ten seed groups. It is about making known the ten seed groups. That is our synthesis.

Rudolf: We are now in the process of making known the ten seed groups and asking people to reflect how to work with that new instrument.

Alice: All seed-groups are based on spiritual principles, and they all lead to a new civilization based on right human relations.

Viktor: In my understanding, there are two types of activity. First, we must search for the people who are working to create a better world in any forms of activity in society and make a list of such people. Secondly, we can work in the field of education. This is the project of the University for Planetary Synthesis. We can invite those people to participate in the programs of the University for Planetary Synthesis, to give ideas on how they can

change our world and how they can work together. This is my vision and answer for this question.

For example, in Kiev and Odessa we organized conferences and invited spiritually oriented people active in different fields to share about their activities. We also tried to organize some educational programs in Ukraine and Russia, in Kiev, in Odessa, in Rovno, in Vinnitsa, in Mucachevo, Lvov, Crimea and the Carpathian Mountains, in St. Petersburg and in Moscow. Rudolf with co-workers from Ukraine established in Kiev the annual international Forum "Ethical and spiritual aspects of the evolution of the human and society" which was held from 2000 till 2013. It was a positive and good experience of IPS activity at that time. Another possibility would be to present the 10 seed-groups at U.N. conferences.

Christine: Nations, not only individuals, could also be part of a seed group, depending on their characteristics, their national rays, etc.

Rudolf: We are all brothers and sisters on the planet, everywhere. We can mobilize and inform as many people as we like. We can talk about the 10 groups everywhere, because we are not trying to harm anyone, only to enrich existing activities. The 10 seed-group structure is an instrument given by the spiritual hierarchy to help humanity enter a process of spiritual development by working together. All the conflicts and fighting are caused by destructive and separative thinking on the level of the lower mind. This is not the soul level.

Christine mentioned that she participates in a group for dissipation of glamour at the Arcane School, and since January they have been working on the dissipation of the glamour of intellect to let the light of the soul can become visible, by building the Antahkarana bridge.

Viktor suggested we write a letter to world leaders, to propose cooperation on the basis of the 10 seed-groups and spiritual teachings, to go to the soul level. In particular to the President of Russia, who emphasizes cooperation in his speeches and governmental programs.

In reply to the question why he thinks Putin might be open to these ideas, Viktor said that would be the subject of another meeting. Rudolf saw him in passing in Geneva once, and thinks he had a special radiation. In short, he promotes decentralization of power in the world, because when a single power dominates, it becomes evil. Many countries are seeking for new, more balanced ways to interact internationally, for example within the framework of BRICS (founded by Brazil, Russia, India, China and South Africa). Maybe they would be open to the 10 seed-groups.

Viktor, Rudolf, Lisinka and Simone agreed to meet once to discuss what to include in such a letter to world leaders.

Christine: If each nation can bring its soul quality and contribute to the whole, to work together with all others, then we can arrive at a new civilization. At the United Nations, we have an international system with 193 nations, but only 15 in the Security Council, and 5 of them have veto rights. The Security Council should be reformed or dissolved.

Marie-Dominique: We are not experts in the political field, I think we can trust the world servers in the seed-group of political organizers. The same in all other seed-groups. If all are working towards a new civilization based on right human relations, we can trust that each group will do its work and we just have to take care of our own work.

In this respect, Susane Aclé once suggested that the IPS should make known all positive initiatives in the fields of the various seed-groups. Maybe by means of the IPS website, or a newsletter.

Simone also mentioned that we need to listen to what people are doing, to what they need, including their need to understand what is happening in the world today, and why certain choices are being made. We need to talk about what is good in the world. It is time to go out and meet people, common people, to spread the message and to listen to what people want to know. This is probably the most important thing, to give more attention to simple people and to ask what they want to know, what they want to say, what is their perception. To open more the dialogue.

Marie-Dominique fully agrees and thinks we should add another rule to the Golden Rule (“treat others as you want to be treated”). It should be “to speak well of what is good”.

After the meeting, Simone added in a written message: We live in different cultures, we have different priorities but all of us can start small activities and share experiences. At this moment I don't believe we need big movements, *but we need to move and share! Any small movement could be a reference of action or group purpose.*

Alice mentions another project we are going to start at the next monthly meditation for planetary synthesis. To reflect every month on one of the seed-groups, using the keynotes in the Code of Humanity, the keynotes given by the Tibetan and the material already available on the 10 seed-groups in several languages on the IPS website.

The General Assembly was concluded with the meditation for planetary synthesis, guided by Rudolf. A powerpoint slide show was projected at the same time on the screen shared with the participants, with the text of the meditation in French and Portuguese, like we do during our monthly online meditations for planetary synthesis.

Audio and video recordings of the meeting are available [at this online drive](#).