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35th IASD Dream Conference Scottsdale, Arizona June 16 - 20, 2018

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request (reserving a meal is recommended since there are no other restaurants in walking distance)

Call for Volunteers wait list open

The Venue • is the beautiful Doubletree Paradise Valley Resort; a resort hotel in a Frank Lloyd Wright style architecture, near the heart of Scottsdale Arizona at a low \$89 per room / night. It is also a perfect location for attendees who want to stay over for a few days to drive the cool high country loop to the many destination sites in Arizona (see below). The hotel is 12 miles from the Phoenix Sky Harbor international airport. We have negotiated the same discount rate for 3 days before and after the conference for attendees who want to take advantage of the local attractions or a high country trek.

PLAN A TREK TO THE ARIZONA HIGH COUNTRY

Bring your family or organize a group of friends to drive the scenic loop and cool rim country of Arizona (see the map and pictures). The Grand Canyon is only a 4 hour drive but you will want to stop along the way to see the many sights: the red rocks and mystic vortexes of Sedona; Flagstaff and Oak Creek canyon with its natural water slide, Meteor Crater, the massive Indian cliff dwellings of Walnut Canyon; and drive back via the backroads through the Ghost Town of Jerome: stop off at the cliff dwelling of Montezuma's Castle or the fantastic architectural vision of Paolo Soleri at Arcosanti. Continue your visit to include the Painted Desert, the Petrified Forest, the ribbon canyons of Lake Powell in Page AZ, or re-capture the 50's on Old Route 66 in Seligman.

Robert Stickgold, PhD- associate professor of psychiatry at Harvard Medical School.

Fariba Bogzaran, PhD - founder of the Dream Studies Program at John F. Kennedy University and author of Extraordinary Dreams;

Lee Irwin, PhD - Professor of Religious Studies at the College of Charleston and author of *The* Dream Seekers:

Katja Valli, PhD - Senior Researcher at the Department of Psychology, University of Turku, Finland; IASD Research Committee Chair;



CALL FOR DREAM ART ENTRIES

Application Open Online

The 2018 Juried Dream Art Exhibition will be held in conjunction with the annual conference at Scottsdale.

Deadline: March 15, 2018.

We are now accepting original art work about or inspired by dreams (visionary or emotional experiences that occurred during sleep). Twodimensional and multi-dimensional media will be considered, including painting, drawing, collage, sculpture, video, and installation art. You do not need to be a member of IASD or a conference attendee to participate. Click for entry information.

ATTENTION ACCEPTED SPEAKERS FOR THE 2018 DREAM CONFERENCE:

We encourage IASD speakers to promote the conference event. The more attendees at the event, the more people that get to hear the awesome content you have to share!

NEW in 2018 – Customized Promotional Graphic! Add your photo and presentation title, and send to your personal social

media network on Facebook, Twitter or personal email.

35th Annual Dream Conference Doubletree Resort Paradise Valley | Scottsdale, Arizona iasdconferences.org/2018 | June 16 - 20, 2018 JOIN US & 140 PRESENTERS FROM AROUND THE GLOBE! MULTIDISCIPLINARY PROGRAM! Research and Theory; Clinical Approaches; Dreamwork Practices; Arts & Humanities; Education; Religion, Spirituality and Philosophy; Extraordinary, PSI and Lucid Dreams; Dreams & Health; Culture & History; Fundamentals and Mental Imagery Your Photo Your Name Here International Association for the Study of Dreams

Send your photo to Laura Atkinson by 1 April 2018. She will email your customized graphic within 48 hrs. This customization service is available only until April 1, 2018 due to schedule and demand; but you are welcome to assist with promoting the conference until the last day!

It's Time To Vote

Clare Johnson, PhD, Vice President and Chair of the Nominating Committee

It's time to vote! Each year five Member-elected IASD Directors complete their three-year term,

and our members vote for five new Directors. At their February 2018 meeting the IASD Board of Directors approved a wonderful slate of candidates recommended by the Nominating Committee for the five Board vacancies which will be filled in June 2018.

The following seven candidates have been invited to run: Michelle Carr (UK), Athena Kolinski (USA), Jordi Borras (Spain), Angel Morgan (USA), Kim Mascaro (USA), Loren Goodman (South Korea), Peter Ribbens (USA). From these seven candidates, the five with the most votes will be announced on Monday, 18th June in the Membership Meeting at the Arizona conference (come along and support them!).















Candidates: Jordi Borras Michelle Carr Loren Goodman Athena Kolinski Kim Mascaro Angel Morgan Peter Ribbens

The Board appointed three new Directors: Jean Campbell, Clare Johnson, and Robert Waggoner. The new slate of Executive Officers for 2018 has also been approved: President, Clare Johnson; Board Chair, Laurel Clark; Vice President, Sherry Puricelli; Secretary, Anna-Karin Bjorklund; and Treasurer, Robert Waggoner. All new member-elected and Board-appointed Directors, as well as IASD Executive Officers, will begin their terms during IASD's annual conference at the first Board meeting on Saturday, June, 16, 2018.

Only current members of IASD can vote for Board of Directors members. You will receive a password for the vote and once you've signed the electronic consent form, you can go ahead and vote.

To cast your vote please visit **2018 Time to Vote**, where you will find bios and photos of the candidates and Officers.

We look forward to receiving your vote. Thank you for helping us to create a wonderful and engaged team of people to head up IASD and enable our dream community to continue to grow and thrive.

BRAIN AWARENESS WEEK MARCH 12 - 18, 2018

Help share IASD's expertise on the dreaming brain!

IASD is taking advantage of Brain Awareness Week—a global campaign of the Dana Alliance to share knowledge of the dreaming brain.

With your help, that is.

Each day during March 12-18, an original IASD BAW article will be posted in the Articles for Dreamers section of IASD's home page, and on IASD's Facebook page. A select team of IASD researchers will discuss a range of interesting topics such as learning and dreaming, narcolepsy, and Post Traumatic Stress Disorder and dreams. Please share each day's articles widely wherever you're active online, whether it's Facebook, LinkedIn, Twitter, your own blog, or by email to friends and colleagues.



A handout PDF—"What Your Brain Is Doing While You Sleep"—is already online, at https://tinyurl.com/ycaj4hj6, ready to share now. You can also print it two-sided on a single sheet of paper. Consider giving out some copies locally to school teachers, healthcare providers, reporters, scout troop leaders... anyone who might have a natural interest in the brain, in dreaming, or both.

Questions? Email Gloria Sturzenacker at glsturz@cs.com.

Jeremy Taylor Library In the Works

Kelly Bulkeley has graciously taken on the responsibility for moving, storing, and preserving Jeremy Taylor's professional books and papers, which will be the seeds for a brand-new dream research library he is building in Portland, Oregon. Jeremy's daughter Tristy, who gave the green light for this project, understands that her father had a major influence on the contemporary study of dreams and his works will have an enduring historical significance for the field.

To learn more about Kelly's process of packing up and shipping the over 15,000

pounds of books (seven and a half tons!) click here.



Dream News Announcement

Our beloved **Janet Garrett**, who has been our copy editor since 2010, is passing the torch to **Joy Fatooh** who has graciously stepped up to join our team. Janet has done an exceptional job and she will be dearly missed. Thank you, Janet and we welcome you, Joy!

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Sherry Puricelli, Chair

1. OFFICE: Report Assistant

Looking for a volunteer to manage reports in IASD's new Membee system. These include reports for membership, donations, conference registrations and other events where information is collected through the Membee program.

Volunteers needn't have previous Membee experience, but should have a basic understanding of MS Excel and MS Word, and be familiar with online browsing.

2. OFFICE: Membership Profile Assistant

Looking for a volunteer with basic computer skills to learn the new Membee membership program, help with the membership profiles and interface with members on how to use it.

3. OFFICE: Links Checker

Do you love to explore the web? We need people to go through the IASD website and check links to make sure they work. You'll have a great opportunity to learn more about IASD, what we do, and what our website offers!

4. OFFICE: Researchers

We need volunteers with good writing and research skills who would like to add to Wikipedia. When people search for "dreams" or other dream-related topics, if Wikipedia has IASD-related references, it lets people know about us and improves our rating in search engines. Wikipedia looks for well-documented resources. When these resources are connected with IASD, people interested in dreams can find us. For example, if you look at the page on Dream Art, it says this article needs additional citations for verification. Dream art The page on Dreams has many resources but could be further updated – and continually updated as dream research and writing continues!

Please contact our president Sherry Puricelli at awakendream@ymail.com or Board Chair Laurel Clark at lclark@som.org if you would like to help with these projects.

5. EDUCATION COMMITTEE: Moodle Skills

Volunteers are needed for the IASD Online Course Center. Do you have experience in the Moodle educational learning platform? Or are you interested in learning how to develop and manage CE courses using Moodle, and helping the rapid expansion of the IASD online education center? Please contact **Anna-Karin Bjorklund** at annakdreams@gmail.com or **Scott Sparrow** at Gscotspar@gmail.com if you want to be a part of developing our online courses!



REGIONAL NEWS YOU CAN USE

Susanne Van Doorn, Chair, IASD Regional Events Committee

As in the Northern Hemisphere the light softly increases in strength, our dreams may weave patterns of safety that we crave in our lives. Wherever we are, let's continue to make our world a better place through dreams and action.

If you want to join our regional team, you are welcome. You would need to become an IASD member if you are not already.

We currently have 52 regional representatives – IASD members living on all continents of the world. They are the people who greet the new and renewing members online and who are actively involved in promoting dream work in their region. **At the moment we are looking for a new representative for England.**

Please check the IASD website for up-to-date names and contact information for the regional representative in your area. The <u>Regional Representative webpage</u> is divided into regions, making your search more user-friendly.

IASD HEADQUARTERS HAS NEW LOCATION

Our IASD office has moved.

Our new mailing address is:

IASD PO Box 206 Novato, CA 94948

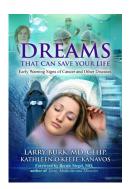
If your mailer cannot send to a PO Box, use this address:

IASD 1537 South Novato Blvd #206 Novato, CA 94948

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MEMBERS IN THE MEDIA



A NEW BOOK ON DREAMS OF DIAGNOSIS AND HEALING

Dr. Larry Burk made his first IASD presentation on dreams that warn of cancer in 2013 and published a paper in 2015 of 18 women who dreamed of their breast cancers prior to having any symptoms. One of the dreamers in his study, Kat O'Keefe-Kanavos, is his co-author for a new book *Dreams that Can Save Your Life: Early Warning Signs of Cancer and Other Diseases* to be published by Findhorn Press, an imprint of Inner Traditions/Bear & Co., on April 4, 2018. There are stories of dreams of many types of cancer and other diseases, healing dreams and dreams of illness in others. The book's vision is to restore dreams to their rightful place in medicine and inspire future research. www.larryburkmd.com.

In this issue, Hot Off the Press focuses on dreams as inspiration for fantasy literature. This column publishes links to evidence-based scientific articles on dreams that are written for a non-research audience.

13 DREAM-RELATED STORIES BY H.P. LOVECRAFT BY KELLY BULKELEY



H.P. Lovecraft (1890-1937) was a prolific

American author of poems, short stories and novellas in the horror/fantasy genre. Although he died in poverty and obscurity, he has since been recognized as one of the most influential writers of "weird fiction" since Edgar Allen Poe. In 2005 an edition with several of Lovecraft's *Tales* was published by the eminent Library of America, in recognition of his enormous impact on contemporary fantasy literature. One of the most powerful sources of his creativity came from his dreams and nightmares. The following lists 13 of Lovecraft's most dream-infused stories, with the dates he wrote them.

SOURCE: HUFFINGTON POST

BAD DREAM LEADS TO A DREAM COME TRUE, BY KAREN CERNICH

A bad dream awoke Nancy Campbell, Labadie, from her sleep several years ago and immediately sent her searching for paper and pen to capture the thoughts in her head. What she wrote down was a conversation between two people, but those words turned out to be the inspiration for a fantasy novel and possibly even the start of a series. *The Cost* introduces readers to Eormengrund, "a world where the magic of a mind has more power than Smith, Wesson or Winchester," Campbell writes. "Get ready for an adventure of epic proportion, where nothing is totally what it seems."

SOURCE: MISSOURIAN



ILLUMINATED COSMIC DREAM VOYAGES

FEBRUARY TOTAL NEW AND RENEWING MEMBERS = 59

FEBRUARY RENEWING MEMBERS = 45

Christian Gerike
Suzanne Stewart
Robert Hoss
Lynne Hoss
Anne Reese
Joseph Reese
Therezinha Moreira Leite
Barbara A. Bluck
Dale E. Graff
Alfio Maggiolini
Nicole Gratton
Susannah Benson

JFK Universities Library Asst. Fisher Library

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Angel Kwan-Yin Morgan

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Patti Allen

David Patrick Greene

Bonnie Buckner

Tracey L. Kahan

Don Middendorf

Beverly Ann Ford

Linda Scott

Carol D. Warner Rachel G. Norment

Melinda Powell, nee Ziemer Ken Arenson Rose Gordy Steven E. Pilgram Patricia Schmieg Susanne van Doorn Tadas Stumbrys G. Nathan Feinstein Margarette Kaylor Kelly Bulkeley Bernard Welt Mark T. Blagrove Rev. Geoff G. Nelson Heather Dawn Holly C. Benzenhafer Seven Anonymous

FEBRUARY NEW MEMBERS = 14

Chris McCleary
Maria A. Wattier
Rev Robert Haden
Erin Headrick
William Rath
Miguel Gasca
Kim T. Phetteplace
Michael J. Wahl
Mr. Harry de Bont
Laura V. Grace
Four Anonymous



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