ASSOCIATION FOR THE
ANTHROPOLOGICAL STUDY OF CONSCIOUSNESS

PROGRAM OF THE 3RD ANNUAL MEETING  MARCH 5-8, 1987
Presbyterian Conference Center - Pacific Palisades, Ca.

THURSDAY MARCH 5

4:00-6:00  REGISTRATION
6:00-6:30  DINNER
7:00-9:00  WELCOME AND CAMPFIRE
9:00      BUSINESS MEETING-BOARD OF DIRECTORS

FRIDAY MARCH 6

8:00-8:30  BREAKFAST

9:30-9:50  OPENING SESSION- WELCOME TO PARTICIPANTS & OBSERVERS
Michael Winkelman (Univ. of California, Irvine) Program Co-Chair
Geri-Ann Galanti (California State University) Program Co-Chair
Stephan Schwartz (Mobius Society) AASC President 1986-1987

APPLIED ASPECTS OF CONSCIOUSNESS RESEARCH
Chair: Geri-Ann Galanti

9:50- 10:10  The transpersonal archaeologist: an interchange of science and

10:10-10:40  Applied parapsychological research in healing
Stephan Schwartz, Mobius Society, Los Angeles, CA.

10:40-11:00 Questions and Break

11:00- 11:30 Earth’s Sacred Places
Rand De Mattei, Mobius Society, Los Angeles, CA.

11:30- 11:55 Cognitive attributes and belief in the paranormal
Michael Nanko, United Western Medical Centers, Santa Ana, CA.

LUNCH  12:00-12:30
FRIDAY MARCH 6 (afternoon)

MEDIUMSHIP AND PERSONALITY
Chair: Geri-Ann Galanti

1:00-2:00 The medium is the masseuse
Dan Hawkmoon Alford and Matthew C. Bronson,
California Institute for Integral Studies, San Francisco, CA.

2:00-2:30 A Southern California odyssey: becoming a modern medium
Alice Saltzman, Social Sciences, University of California, Irvine

2:30-2:40 Break

2:40-3:10 Managing the multiple personality in prison
Ralph Allison, M.D., Morro Bay, Ca.

3:10-3:40 The use of anthropological theory to treat a case of multiple personality
Kelly Anne MacDonald, Dept. Soc. & Anthropology, Simon Frazer U.

3:40-4:10 Psychic Healing: mental illness- the shamanic paradigm revisited
D. Scott Rogo, John F. Kennedy School of Consciousness, Orinda, CA.

4:10-4:20 Break

SYMBOLS AND CONSCIOUSNESS- WORKSHOP
Chair: Michael Winkelman

4:20-5:05 Ancient Egypt: wisdom for today
Linda Grof, Political Science, CSU-Dominguez Hills, Carson, CA.

5:05-5:50 Psychofeedback through symbolic logic
Jordan Weiss, M.D., Fountain Valley, CA.

5:50-6:00 Discussion

6:00-6:30 DINNER

7:00-10:00 EXPERIENTIAL WORKSHOP
The way of the shaman- an experiential exploration
Leslie Conton, Fairhaven College, Western Washington University,
Bellingham, WA.
SATURDAY MARCH 7

8:00-8:30 BREAKFAST

APPROACHES TO THE STUDY OF CONSCIOUSNESS
Chair: Michael Winkelman

9:00-9:40 The world view of the dowser
Jeff MacDonald, New School for Social Research, New York

9:40-10:20 A holistic multidimensional model of consciousness for interpreting shamanistic and other dissociative experience states
Willard Johnson, Dept. Religious Studies, SDSU, San Diego, CA.

10:20-10:30 Questions and Discussion

10:30-10:40 Break

10:40-11:30 Current scientific terminology in the emerging consciousness of wholeness
René Lawson, Integrated Studies, Otterbein College, Westerville, OH.

11:30-11:50 Role of fiction in teaching consciousness expansion
Felicia Campbell, Dept. English, U. of Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada

11:50-12:00 Questions and Discussion

12:00-12:30 LUNCH

PSYCHODYNAMIC ASPECTS OF HEALING
Chair: Geri-Ann Galanti

1:15-1:45 The use of reichian breathing procedures, rebirthing, reparenting procedures for creating new perinatal paradigms
Elaine Childs-Gowell, Seattle, WA.

1:45-2:15 Clinical adaptations of parapsychological techniques for coping with death anxieties
Jack Kapchan, Dept. Psychology, U. Miami, Florida

2:15-2:30 Questions and Break
CROSS-CULTURAL AND CLINICAL ISSUES IN PARAPSYCHOLOGY
Chair: Gail Kawanami-Allen

2:30-3:00 The need for hermeneutic methodology in clinical parapsychology
Oscar Miro-Quesada, West Georgia College, Carrollton, GA.

3:00-3:30 Clinical parapsychology as a profession
William Roll, West Georgia College, Carrollton, GA.

3:30-4:00 From crises to sacred space
Sharon Solfvin, John F. Kennedy University, Orinda, CA.

4:00-4:15 Break

4:15-4:45 Western and non-Western approaches to crises intervention with individuals reporting spontaneous psi experiences.
Cynthia Siegel, J. F. Kennedy University, Orinda, CA.

4:45-5:15 Perspectives on assessment & treatment of individuals reporting disturbing psychic experiences
Gail Kawanami Allen, Univ. of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA.

6:00-6:30 DINNER

7:00-10:00 EXPERIENTIAL WORKSHOPS- (sign up at registration)
CATHY WOLF- Song of Creation Gathering
AMY WIGGINS- Healing Way, Healing Light Center, Glendale, CA.

SUNDAY MARCH 8

8:00-8:30 BREAKFAST

ALTERED STATE REALITIES
Chair: Michael Winkelman

9:30-10:00 The "sensed presence" in unusual environments
Peter Suedfeld, Dept. Psychology, University British Columbia

10:00-10:30 Shamanism in the twentieth century
Ruth-Inge Heinze, Center for South and Southeast Asian Studies, UCB

10:30-10:50 Discussion & Break

10:50-11:30 Black Elk’s view of the American culture
William Lyon, Dept. Anthropology, University of California, Berkeley

12:00-12:30 LUNCH/Planning session for proposals for the 1987 AAA Meetings

AASC, P.O. Box 4032 Irvine, Ca. 92716-4032. (714) 856-0328/ (213) 827-0937