

# **Community Experience**

# **Community Dialogue**

Mon, 5 Sep 2022

#### Venue: Wisma Geylang Serai, 915 Geylang Road, Singapore 409228 Shuttle bus will be provided to and fro Raffles City Convention Centre

- Engage with experts on Singapore's interethnic and interfaith efforts.
- Explore issues of identity, multiculturalism and interreligious constructs in building cohesive societies.

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Time	Activity
5:30pm 5:45pm 6:00pm	Shuttle bus from Raffles City Convention Centre to Wisma Geylang Serai
6:30 – 7:15pm	Registration and dinner (provided)
7:15 – 9:15pm	Panel discussion with experts / religious leaders
9:45pm 10:00pm	Shuttle bus from Wisma Geylang Serai to Raffles City Convention Centre

# Dialogue on: Building Bonds of Trust - Strategies, Narratives & Interventions



# **Dr Julian Hargreaves**Director of Research at The Woolf Institute

He holds an MRes (Distinction) in Criminology and a PhD in Applied Social Science, both from Lancaster University. His research interests include ethnic and religious minority communities; diversity, integration and cohesion; Islamophobia and Antisemitism; counter-extremism and counterterrorism; social research methods; and policy-related research. As part of his work at the Woolf Institute, he teaches on the MPhil in Middle Eastern and Asian Studies (Pathway A: Muslim-Jewish Relations), University of Cambridge. He is an Affiliated Lecturer at the Faculty of Asian and Middle Eastern Studies, a Research Associate at St. Edmund's College, Cambridge and a Visiting Fellow at the Centre of Islamic Studies. At the Woolf Institute, Julian has led the research and analysis on various projects including the Diversity Study of England and Wales 2020 (the UK's largest known study of diversity).



#### Ms See Guat Kwee

Author, interfaith bridgebuilder and facilitator

She holds a Master of Arts in Islamic Studies and Christian-Muslim Relations from Hartford International University of Religion and Peace, CT USA (previously Hartford Seminary). Her book, Christian-Muslim Relations in Singapore from Independence to Post 9/11 was published in 2019. She was founding Chairperson for the Centre for Interfaith Understanding, Singapore (2020-2022) and is currently its Board Member. She has been creating safe spaces for conversation for more than a decade using the circle process.



#### Moderator

#### **Dr Mathew Mathews**

Principal Research Fellow and the Head of the Social Lab at the Institute of Policy Studies, Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy, National University of Singapore

He has been involved in over 50 research projects examining social policy issues including race, religion, immigrant relations, family and poverty. Together with his colleagues, he recently released a report on the second wave of the CNA-IPS survey on race relations. He also led the IPS-OnePeople.sg Indicators of Racial and Religious Harmony study and other studies examining inclusion issues. Dr Mathew is on the boards of OnePeople.sg and the National Volunteer and Philanthropy Centre, and Families for Life Council.



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### **Community Exploration**

Tue-Thu, 6-8 Sep 2022

Visit places of worship around Singapore and discuss the value systems and socio norms of Singapore's diverse cultural and religious landscape.

The bus will depart Raffles City Convention Centre at 5:30pm daily from Days 1 to 3. The Community Exploration tours are expected to last 4 hours.

The daily itinerary includes:

#### Heartland Bus Tour

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#### Learning Journeys @ Places of Worship

Engage with religious leaders and practitioners. Learn about the practices and the history behind the locations.

# • Dinner @ The Heartlands Savour Singapore's multi-ethnic flavours in the heartlands.

#### Day 1

# Place of WorshipReligionLorong Koo Chye Sheng Hong TempleTaoismSri Srinivasa Perumal TempleHinduism

Zion Bishan Bible-Presbyterian Church



Lorong Koo Chye Sheng Hong Temple



Sri Srinivasa Perumal Temple



Christianity

Zion Bishan Bible-Presbyterian Church

#### Day 2

Place of Worship	Religion
Buddha Tooth Relic Temple	Buddhism
Maghain Aboth Synagogue	Judaism
Masiid An-Nahdhah	Islam



Buddha Tooth Relic Temple



Maghain Aboth Synagogue



Masjid An-Nahdhah

#### Day 3

# Place of WorshipReligionCathedral of the Good ShepherdCatholicCentral Sikh TempleSikhismNagore DargahIslam



Cathedral of the Good Shepherd



Central Sikh Temple



Nagore Dargah



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#### Day 3

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Central Sikh Temple	Sikhism
Nagore Dargah	Islam



Sri Srinivasa Perumal Temple



Buddha Tooth Relic Temple



Maghain Aboth Synagogue



Nagore Dargah



# Programme Outline

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Mon, 5 Sep 2022

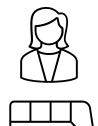


**Community Dialogue** 

Day 1

Tue, 6 Sep 2022

- Opening Address
- Keynote Address
- 1<sup>st</sup> Plenary: How faith can bridge divides



**Young Leaders Programme Segment** 

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Day 2

Wed, 7 Sep 2022

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Plenary: How diversity can be harnessed for the common good
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Plenary: How technology can be leveraged to foster mutual trust
- Breakout Session 1



**Young Leaders Programme Segment** 

**Community Experience** 

Day 3

Thu, 8 Sep 2022

- Breakout Session 2
- Breakout Session 3
- Closing Address



**Young Leaders Programme Segment** 

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Note: Programme is subject to change and will be updated continuously up to the Conference.

Community Dialogue

The dialogue aims to deepen understanding of ethnic and religious diversity. The dialogue provides a platform for public views and sentiments on key issues affecting race relations to be shared during the sessions. The dialogue also aims to capture personal narratives from Singaporeans on their lived experiences; views impacting race relations; as well as prompt action.

The session will be held on Monday, 5<sup>th</sup> September at an external location. Note that no transportation will be provided to and fro the venue.

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9:00pm	End of programme

# **Community Exploration**

Visits

The bus will depart Raffles City Convention Centre at 6pm daily from Days 1 to 3. The Community Experience tours are expected to last 4 hours each day. The daily itinerary includes:

- Heartland Tour brief description of this
- Learning journeys @ places of worship see below for locations
- Dinner + Heartland Exploration brief description of Heartland Exploration

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	Day 1: Tue, 6 Sep 2022
Place of Worship	Religion
Sri Srinivasa Perumal Temple	Hindu
Lorong Koo Chye Sheng Hong Temple Association	Taoism
Church of True Light/ Church of Good Shepherd	Christianity
	Day 2: Wed, 7 Sep 2022
Place of Worship	Religion
Buddha Tooth Relic Temple	Buddhism
Masjid An-Nahdhah Taoism	Islam
Bahá'í Centre	Bahá'í
	Day 3: Thu, 8 Sep 2022
Place of Worship	Religion
Cathedral of the Good Shepherd	Catholic
Central Sikh Temple	Sikhism
Nagore Dargah	Indian Muslim

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Through visits to places of worship around Singapore, participants will have the opportunity to deepen intercultural understanding, and discuss the value systems and socio norms of Singapore's diverse cultural and religious landscape.

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- **Heartland Tour** A tour enroute to the Places of Worship showcasing Singapore's culture
- Learning journeys @ places of worship An opportunity to engage with religious leaders/ practitioners
- **Dinner @ The Heartlands** Savour Singapore's multi-ethnic unique flavours in the heartlands

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- Coach bus will leave on time as most locations does not allow extensive waiting
- Delegates are advised to bring along cash for dinner as some stores may not accept other form of payment

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Pen – Option 3	OPTION 3 - METAL PEN WITH BOX	1
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Gift – Option 2	OPTION 2 - BAMBOO MOBILE STAND	7
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