

ICUS Programs: Observations and Coding

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A total of 22 ICUS conferences were held between 1972 and 2000. This document is the product of reading through the program brochures and observing the structures of the conferences, the governing organization, advisor boards, planning boards, etc. Particular attention goes to the presence and roles of Sun Myung Moon. After reviewing all of the programs, I created a consistent scheme for numbering the committees, groups, sessions and presentation in order to enable bibliometric and networking research.

About these observations

Coding program pages

From ICUS II, the conferences were managed by International Cultural Foundation (ICL). The lengths of the programs ranged between 33 and 60 pages containing information on the management structure, the conference speakers and contents, information about ICUS, information about ICL, and so forth.

File ICUSPrograms.xlsx contains coding for classifying the pages by content type. I have attempted to separate codes into those that are specific to the current conference and those that apply to multiple conferences. For example, each conference program has a statement of purpose and theme applying to that conference. Later conference programs in this series also included a statement of purpose for ICUS as an ongoing project. In the coding below, statements of purpose specific to current conferences are coded under "foreword;" statements that apply to ICUS as an ongoing project are coded under "purpose."

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Cover Front and back cover pages, inside

Executive Executive committee

Foreword Statement of purpose of current conference, greeting for current conference

Obituary Page with obituary

Participants Lists of participants, including bios

Purpose Statement of purpose and objectives for ICUS

Schedule Schedule of speakers and sessions, agenda, timechart

Sponsor Pages devoted to Mr. Moon, history of ICUS, ICL and its history, ICUS publications, including order form

Structure Organizational structure of current conference, e.g., committees, boards

TOC Table of contents

Venue Map of venue, service counters, housekeeping

Committee/session enumeration

In order to provide for consistent enumeration of presentations that allows for grouping at committee and session levels, I have added labels to each program below. These are not in the original programs. The syntax is illustrated by the following example:

ICUS13.C07.S01.L03

| Label | Definition |
|--------|--------------------------------|
| ICUS13 | ICUS conference number |
| C07 | Committee number |
| S01 | Session number |
| L03 | Lecture or presentation number |

A few of the conferences include evening discussion groups or round tables. These are labeled as committee for an evening's discussions taken together with each discussion group labelled as a session. This allows for all of the lectures and presentations in the ICUS series to be at the fourth level of this tree.

Observations about the programs

ICUS I Moral Orientation of the Sciences

Held at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel in New York City in November 1972, the first ICUS conference (*First International Conference of Unified Science: Moral Orientation of the Sciences*, 1972) was managed by the Council for United Research and Education (CURE). The program handout was a simple two-sided folded letter-size handout.

There were 20 participants in ICUS I (Participant counts are from “International Conference on the Unity of the Sciences - History”, 2020).

The program was divided into three full-day sessions:

- **ICUS01.C01.S01** Concrete applications of unified science solutions
- **ICUS01.C02.S01** Tools for solution of scientific problems: meta-theory
- **ICUS01.C03.S01** Application of unisci tools: solutions of key problems

In his address in the first session, Sun Myung Moon announced a revision of CURE’s constitution and the extension of its “vertical front” into six countries. The meaning of “vertical front” is unclear even though it appears also in Edward Haskell (1972) and Carl H. Madden’s (1972) abstracts.

Neither “Unification Church” nor “Holy Spirit Association for the Unification of World Christianity” (Melton, 2022) appear in the program.

ICUS II Modern Science and Moral Values

Held at the Imperial Hotel in Tokyo in November 1973, the second conference ("Second International Conference of Unified Science: Modern Science and Moral Values", 1973) was managed by the International Cultural Foundation, Inc., an organization that which originated in Japan in 1968 according to the program.

C.U.R.E has been replaced by ICF, the International Cultural Foundation. This program has an executive committee consisting, with the exception of Edward Haskell as "Outgoing Chairman," solely of 15 Japanese professors.

The conference is divided into two committees:

- i **ICUS02.C01** Science and philosophy
 - (a) **ICUS02.C01.S01** Unity of science
 - (b) **ICUS02.C01.S02** Science and value
 - (c) **ICUS02.C01.S03** Nature of man
- ii **ICUS02.C02** Science, technology and society
 - (a) **ICUS02.C02.S01** Social development and science technology
 - (b) **ICUS02.C02.S02** Social impacts of science-technology
 - (c) **ICUS02.C02.S03** Human implications of life science

The program brochure uses artwork by Meiji era Japanese artists Taikan Yokoyama and Shunso Hishida.

The program contains no mention of Sun Myung Moon. Neither "Unification Church" nor "Holy Spirit Association for the Unification of World Christianity" (Melton, 2022) appear in the program.

ICUS III Science and Absolute Values

The third ICUS (“Third International Conference of Unified Science: Science and Absolute Values”, 1974) was held in November 1974 at the Royal Lancaster Hotel in London. ICF, which had been incorporated in New York State the previous December (“International Cultural Foundation, Inc”, 1973), continued as management and sponsor.

The executive committee of ICUS II has been replaced with an international advisory board with 13 members including Nobushige Sawada, who chaired ICUS II. There are additionally 15 academic advisors local to the U.K., two honorary members, chairman Lord Adrian and co-chairmen Kenneth Mellanby and Reginald V. Jones.

The participants are divided into four committees with the following sub-themes. (This expanded list serves as a basis for committee/session grouping.)

Committee 1 **ICUS03.C01** Quality of life: physical, mental and spiritual aspects

Session 1 **ICUS03.C01.S01** (untitled)

Session 2 **ICUS03.C01.S02** (untitled)

Session 3 **ICUS03.C01.S03** (untitled)

Session 4 **ICUS03.C01.S04** (untitled)

Committee 2 **ICUS03.C02** Value change and absolute values

Session 1 **ICUS03.C02.S01** (untitled)

Session 2 **ICUS03.C02.S02** (untitled)

Session 3 **ICUS03.C02.S03** (untitled)

Session 4 **ICUS03.C02.S04** (untitled)

Committee 3 **ICUS03.C03** The unity of science

Session 1 **ICUS03.C03.S01** (untitled)

Session 2 **ICUS03.C03.S02** (untitled)

Session 3 **ICUS03.C03.S03** (untitled)

Session 4 **ICUS03.C03.S04** (untitled)

Committee 4 **ICUS03.C04** The idea of the university in a troubled society

Session 1 **ICUS03.C04.S01** (untitled)

Session 2 **ICUS03.C04.S02** (untitled)

Session 3 **ICUS03.C04.S03** (untitled)

Session 4 **ICUS03.C04.S04** (untitled)

The program brochure uses sketches from Leonardo da Vinci's notebooks as artwork.

Sun Myung Moon presented a "Founder's address" at the opening ceremony. The program states that Sun Myung Moon founded the sponsor International Cultural Foundation in Tokyo in 1968. A photo shows Queen Elizabeth being introduced to a traditional music and dance group sponsored by ICF. Neither "Unification Church" nor "Holy Spirit Association for the Unification of World Christianity" (Melton, 2022) appear in the program.

ICUS IV The Centrality of Science and Absolute Values

ICUS returned to the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in November 1975 with its largest conference yet, “Fourth International Conference of Unified Science: Science and Absolute Values”, 1975, with 340 participants, more than twice that of the previous conference in London (“International Conference on the Unity of the Sciences - History”, 2020). This is the conference that prompted Irving Horowitz to formally research the next in the series (Horowitz, 1977).

Statement of purpose: The purpose of the 4th International Conference on the Unity of the Sciences is to provide an opportunity for some of the world’s most eminent scholars and scientists to reflect on the nature of scientific knowledge and discuss the relation of science to a standard of value.

The advisory boards expanded to 25 international advisors and 21 American advisors. Asterisks mark the names of Nobel Laureates.

The program is structured into four sections, each with three committees:

- i **ICUS04.C01** Unity of science
 - (a) **ICUS04.C01.S01** What are the legitimate boundaries of science?
 - (b) **ICUS04.C01.S02** What is the possibility of convergence, divergence, or synthesis of methodology between the social sciences and the natural sciences?
 - (c) **ICUS04.C01.S03** What are the characteristics of universal principles?
- ii **ICUS04.C02** The standard of value in society
 - (a) **ICUS04.C02.S01** What is the structure and role of the family in society?
 - (b) **ICUS04.C02.S02** Is religion functional as a source of a standard value today?
 - (c) **ICUS04.C02.S03** Are morals the responsibility of the individual or the social system?
- iii **ICUS04.C03** The university, research institutions, and human society
 - (a) **ICUS04.C03.S01** The problems of the university - who governs and for what purpose?
 - (b) **ICUS04.C03.S02** What is the impact of funding sources on scientific research?
 - (c) **ICUS04.C03.S03** What are the ethical considerations in the application of technology in society?
- iv **ICUS04.C04** The future world order
 - (a) **ICUS04.C04.S01** What is the nature of ideological and cultural interactions?

- (b) **ICUS04.C04.S02** How can we resolve global economic inequalities?
- (c) **ICUS04.C04.S03** What is the structure of a happy world and the possible means to realize it considering religion, science, politics, economics and education

The front cover uses ICF's symbol mark.

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ICUS V The Search for Absolute Values: Harmony Among the Sciences

ICUS moved to Washington, D.C., in 1976 and was held at the Washington Hilton Hotel “Fifth International Conference of Unified Science: The Search for Absolute Values: Harmony Among the Sciences”, 1976 with 360 participants. ICUS V was the subject of Irving Horowitz’s research and article in the Atlantic Monthly (Horowitz, 1977). (See also Horowitz, 1978).

The front cover uses ICF’s symbol mark. According to the statement of purpose, “the symbol of ICUS represents the dynamics of religion and scientific knowledge, or the subjective and the objective.”

In his introduction to the theme of the conference, John Eccles states, “The **harmony among the sciences** derives from their common metaphysical principles: namely that creative imagination is exercised in attempting to develop hypothesis that are in conformity with existing knowledge and that are challenged by new evidence that is discovered by research. Always the aim is to approach closer and closer to absolute truth.” (Emphasis in the original)

There are two advisory boards. The U.S. advisory board has 10 members; the international advisory board has 15 members. Nobel Laureates are not indicated.

The program is structured as four committees, each having three groups.

Religion is top on the list. Unity of science is not on the list.

Committee I **ICUS05.C01** Religion and Philosophy

Group A: **ICUS05.C01.S01** Are there values common to all religions?

Group B: **ICUS05.C01.S02** Can philosophy define values and is any agreement possible between philosophies?

Group C: **ICUS05.C01.S03** Religion and society

Committee II **ICUS05.C02** The social sciences and humanities

Group A: **ICUS05.C02.S01** The idea of the absolute in history, art and literature

Group B: **ICUS05.C02.S02** Are there absolute values common to all the social sciences?

Group C: **ICUS05.C02.S03** The discovery and transmission of absolute values for the future

Committee III **ICUS05.C03** The life sciences

Group A: **ICUS05.C03.S01** The origin of life

Group B: **ICUS05.C03.S02** Neuroscience and absolute values

Group C: **ICUS05.C03.S03** Absolute values and human survival

Committee IV **ICUS05.C04** The physical sciences

Group A: **ICUS05.C04.S01** Sciences and values

Group B: **ICUS05.C04.S02** The present state of science and technology and their potential for the betterment of mankind

Group C: **ICUS05.C04.S03** The new physics and absolute values

Sun Myung Moon presented the opening plenary address.

An introduction of the ICF on page 36 states, "The International Cultural Foundation is authorized to receive and is supported by contributions. Grateful appreciation is given to the Unification Church for its financial support which makes the ICUS series possible."

ICUS VI The Search for Absolute Values in a Changing World

ICUS moved to the Fairmont Hotel in San Francisco “Sixth International Conference of Unified Science: The Search for Absolute Values in a Changing World”, 1977 in 1977 with 400 participants.

In his introduction of the theme, John Eccles omits mention of metaphysical roots of the sciences and of “absolute truth” although he writes of a “search for absolute values.”

The advisory boards consist of a U.S. advisory board with 9 members and an international board of 17 members.

Programs for ICUS II-V listed participants’ affiliations and countries separately from the schedules of meetings and speakers. The program for ICUS VI weaves them into the main schedule.

The program is organized into 4 committees each consisting of 4 groups. In addition there are 13 discussion groups.

The top level is the same as for ICUS V with religion at the top and unity of science absent.

Committees:

Committee I ICUS06.C01 Religion and Philosophy

Group A: **ICUS06.C01.S01** Philosophies as alternative modes of social praxis

Group B: **ICUS06.C01.S02** Comparative religious responses to modernization

Group C: **ICUS06.C01.S03** Religion and society

Group D: **ICUS06.C01.S04** Religion and science

Committee II ICUS06.C02 The Social Sciences

Group A: **ICUS06.C02.S01** Intercultural communication in a changing world

Group B: **ICUS06.C02.S02** Values, policy and the control of violence

Group C: **ICUS06.C02.S03** Projecting a new economic world order

Group D: **ICUS06.C02.S04** Shaping a new political world order

Committee III ICUS06.C03 The Life Sciences

Group A: **ICUS06.C03.S01** The ethics of research on recombinant DNA

Group B: **ICUS06.C03.S02** Health care as a global problem: social and behavioral aspects

Group C: **ICUS06.C03.S03** Health care as a global problem in our changing world

Group D: **ICUS06.C03.S04** Biological foundation of altruism, dedication and egoism

Committee IV **ICUS06.C04** The Physical Sciences

Group A: **ICUS06.C04.S01** Limits of science

Group B: **ICUS06.C04.S02** A consideration of the universe as a whole

Group C: **ICUS06.C04.S03** The brain-mind problem in relation to the physical sciences

Group D: **ICUS06.C04.S04** The boundaries of science and technology

Discussion groups:

Group 1: **ICUS06.C05.S01** Media freedom and responsibility

Group 2: **ICUS06.C05.S02** Death and the meaning of life

Group 3: **ICUS06.C05.S03** The relationship of government and business to the individual in democratic and totalitarian systems

Group 4: **ICUS06.C05.S04** Ways and means of multidisciplinary studies

Group 5: **ICUS06.C05.S05** Science as an experience of the absolute: religious and moral implications of research

Group 6: **ICUS06.C05.S06** The future of humanity in a world of finite resources

Group 7: **ICUS06.C05.S07** Scientific research and enquiry: ivory tower or the market place, slaughterhouse or Shangri-la?

Group 8: **ICUS06.C05.S08** Future of the family: a cross-cultural perspective

Group 9: **ICUS06.C05.S09** How can atomic energy help man's future?

Group 10: **ICUS06.C05.S10** Alienation and identification

Group 11: **ICUS06.C05.S11** Systematic Interrelations of difference types of value

Group 12: **ICUS06.C05.S12** The role of education in imparting values

Group 13: **ICUS06.C05.S13** The social meaning of artistic creativity

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ICUS VII The Re-evaluation of Existing Values and the Search for Absolute Values

ICUS moved to the Sheraton-Boston Hotel in Boston “Seventh International Conference of Unified Science: The re-evaluation of existing values and the search for absolute values”, 1978 in 1978 with 450 participants.

The statements of purpose and theme of earlier ICUS conferences has been replaced by a one-page introduction to ICUS, and a one-page statement of the purpose of ICUS. The statements of purpose for ICUS II through ICUS VI were addressed to those specific conferences. The statement of purpose for ICUS VII is addressed to ICUS, not to any specific conference.

Eugene Wigner replaces John Eccles as chairman. The advisory boards consist of a U.S. advisory board with 16 members and an international board of 22 members.

The program is organized into 4 committees each consisting of 4 groups. In addition there are 10 discussion groups.

The top level is the same as for ICUS V and VI with religion at the top and unity of science absent.

Committees:

Committee I ICUS07.C01 Religion and Philosophy

Group A: **ICUS07.C01.S01** Redemption in contemporary theology

Group B: **ICUS07.C01.S02** Aspects of religious consciousness

Group C: **ICUS07.C01.S03** Death and suicide in contemporary thought

Group D: **ICUS07.C01.S04** Freedom and sources of authority

Committee II ICUS07.C02 The Social Sciences

Group A: **ICUS07.C02.S01** Youth challenge to existing ideas and institutions

Group B: **ICUS07.C02.S02** Democratic control of anti-democratic action

Group C: **ICUS07.C02.S03** Values and development - focus on the Middle East

Group D: **ICUS07.C02.S04** World futures - which ways are forward?

Committee III ICUS07.C03 The Life Sciences

Group A: **ICUS07.C03.S01** Ethical implications of biology

Group B: **ICUS07.C03.S02** Global health care

Group C: **ICUS07.C03.S03** Evolution of consciousness

Group D: **ICUS07.C03.S04** Human evolution

Committee IV **ICUS07.C04** The Physical Sciences

Group A: **ICUS07.C04.S01** Perspectives of science

Group B: **ICUS07.C04.S02** Contact with extraterrestrial civilizations

Group C: **ICUS07.C04.S03** Science and philosophy

Group D: **ICUS07.C04.S04** Science and society

Discussion groups:

Group 1: **ICUS07.C05.S01** The complementary nature of religion and science

Group 2: **ICUS07.C05.S02** Absolute values and motivation

Group 3: **ICUS07.C05.S03** Human nature and its mysteries: what we know and what we need to know

Group 4: **ICUS07.C05.S04** Multidisciplinary studies: ways, means and applications

Group 5: **ICUS07.C05.S05** World information network

Group 6: **ICUS07.C05.S06** Science as an instrument of peace

Group 7: **ICUS07.C05.S07** Limits and dangers of science

Group 8: **ICUS07.C05.S08** Value assumptions in education

Group 9: **ICUS07.C05.S09** Transfer of science and technology

Group 10: **ICUS07.C05.S10** Can human rights be articulated in objective principles

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ICUS VIII The Responsibility of the Academic Community in the Search for Absolute Values

ICUS was held at the Century Plaza Hotel in Los Angeles “Eighth International Conference of Unified Science: The responsibility of the academic community in the search for absolute values”, 1979 in 1979 with 485 participants.

The introduction to ICUS and statement of purpose repeat those for ICUS VII verbatim except for venue and conference title.

Eugene Wigner continues as chairman. The advisory boards consist of a U.S. advisory board with 17 members and an international board of 20 members.

The program is organized into 4 committees each consisting of 4 groups. In addition there are 11 discussion groups.

Committees:

Committee I ICUS08.C01 Value and Consciousness

Group A: **ICUS08.C01.S01** Humanities vs Social Sciences

Group B: **ICUS08.C01.S02** Can values be absolute?

Group C: **ICUS08.C01.S03** Brain, freedom and responsibility

Group D: **ICUS08.C01.S04** What is happiness?

Committee II ICUS08.C02 Change and Development

Group A: **ICUS08.C02.S01** Comparative philosophies of change

Group B: **ICUS08.C02.S02** Language, tradition and cross-cultural values

Group C: **ICUS08.C02.S03** Development of civilization and the changing self-conception of man

Group D: **ICUS08.C02.S04** Resources and economic development

Committee III ICUS08.C03 Population and Quality of Life

Group A: **ICUS08.C03.S01** How does material well-being affect "happiness"?

Group B: **ICUS08.C03.S02** Tomorrow's world population trends

Group C: **ICUS08.C03.S03** Health systems and population control

Group D: **ICUS08.C03.S04** Consequences of world population growth

Committee IV ICUS08.C04 Vision and direction of the future

Group A: **ICUS08.C04.S01** Technology and human values

Group B: **ICUS08.C04.S02** Science and technology policies for developing nations

Group C: **ICUS08.C04.S03** Frontiers of science and technology

Group D: **ICUS08.C04.S04** A look at the 1990's- What does the future hold?

Discussion groups:

Group 1: **ICUS08.C05.S01** Is there life after death?

Group 2: **ICUS08.C05.S02** Preservation of culture: What are the limits?

Group 3: **ICUS08.C05.S03** What are the values implicit in economic development?

Group 4: **ICUS08.C05.S04** Normalization of violence through mass communication

Group 5: **ICUS08.C05.S05** Do new patterns of wealth creation demand new structures of society?

Group 6: **ICUS08.C05.S06** Human knowledge and scientific models

Group 7: **ICUS08.C05.S07** Sociobiology and value systems

Group 8: **ICUS08.C05.S08** The becoming of a human person: Mother-child relations in the first year of life

Group 9: **ICUS08.C05.S09** Man's place in the world eco-system

Group 10: **ICUS08.C05.S10** Prospects for reducing world hunger

Group 11: **ICUS08.C05.S11** Energy and the urban effect

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ICUS IX Absolute Values and the Search for the Peace of Mankind

ICUS IX was held at the Fontainebleau Hilton Hotel in Maimi Beach “Ninth International Conference of Unified Science: Absolute Values and the Search for the Peace of Mankind”, 1980 in 1980 with 600 participants.

The introduction to ICUS and statement of purpose repeat those for ICUS VIII verbatim except for venue and conference title.

Morton Kaplan replaces Eugene Wigner as chairman. The US and international advisory boards have been combined into a single advisory board of 39 members.

The program is organized into 4 committees each consisting of 4 groups. In addition there are 12 discussion groups with the first 6 meeting Friday evening and the remaining 6 meeting Saturday evening.

Sunday afternoon concludes with a 2-hour “Inauguration of Global Congress of World’s Religions.”

Committees:

Committee I ICUS09.C01 Value and Consciousness

Group A: **ICUS09.C01.S01** Religion and values

Group B: **ICUS09.C01.S02** The family and values

Group C: **ICUS09.C01.S03** The economy and values

Group D: **ICUS09.C01.S04** The policy and values

Committee II ICUS09.C02 Change and Development

Group A: **ICUS09.C02.S01** Traditional views of change and development

Group B: **ICUS09.C02.S02** Contemporary Western and non-Western philosophies of change and development

Group C: **ICUS09.C02.S03** Man, society and the state in advanced societies

Group D: **ICUS09.C02.S04** Language and development

Committee III ICUS09.C03 Population and Quality of Life

Group A: **ICUS09.C03.S01** What is meant by “quality of life”?

Group B: **ICUS09.C03.S02** Population and values

Group C: **ICUS09.C03.S03** Biotechnologies and values

Group D: **ICUS09.C03.S04** Education and values

Committee IV ICUS09.C04 Vision and direction of the future

Group A: **ICUS09.C04.S01** Technology and authority: centralization and control

Group B: **ICUS09.C04.S02** Military technology and the individual

Group C: **ICUS09.C04.S03** Impact of government on the conduct of science

Group D: **ICUS09.C04.S04** Wealth and society

Friday discussion groups:

Group 1: **ICUS09.C05.S01** Multilingualism in developing countries, industrialized countries and future human communities

Group 2: **ICUS09.C05.S02** The cultural impact of science and technology on developing countries

Group 3: **ICUS09.C05.S03** Geopolitics of European security in the nuclear age and world peace

Group 4: **ICUS09.C05.S04** Ethology, ecology and philosophy of traditional health care delivery system of the Akamba

Group 5: **ICUS09.C05.S05** The matrifocal family: From an anthropological curiosity to a world problem

Group 6: **ICUS09.C05.S06** Sincerity, rationality and monitoring

Saturday discussion groups:

Group 1: **ICUS09.C06.S01** Science and the clarification of values: implications of recent findings in psychological and psychic research

Group 2: **ICUS09.C06.S02** Rapid economic and social change in developing nations and the problem of crime

Group 3: **ICUS09.C06.S03** The North-South problem

Group 4: **ICUS09.C06.S04** Alternatives to aggression

Group 5: **ICUS09.C06.S05** Ecological visions for designing a sustainable future

Group 6: **ICUS09.C06.S06** The emerging paradigm and its contribution to the unity of the sciences

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ICUS X The Search for Absolute Values and the Creation of the New World

ICUS X was held at Hotel Lotte in Seoul “Tenth International Conference of Unified Science: The Search for Absolute Values and the Creation of the New World”, 1981 in 1981 with 808 participants.

The introduction to ICUS and statement of purpose repeat those for ICUS X verbatim except for venue and conference title.

Morton Kaplan continues as chairman. The combined advisory board has 41 members.

ICUS X contains a subconference, the Global Congress of World’s Religions, in two evening sessions. The Wednesday session is a lecture, “The Unity of the Sciences,” and the Thursday session is titled “Women’s Roles in Changing Cultures.”

The program is organized into 5 committees each consisting of 3 to 4 groups.

Committees:

Committee I ICUS10.C01 Comparative Development: The Present

Group A: **ICUS10.C01.S01** The resource-deficient newly-industrial nations

Group B: **ICUS10.C01.S02** The resource-exporting developing nations

Group C: **ICUS10.C01.S03** The industrial veterans

Group D: **ICUS10.C01.S04** The less developed countries: in risk of chronic poverty

Committee II ICUS10.C02 Technology and Society in Transition

Group A: **ICUS10.C02.S01** Energy

Group B: **ICUS10.C02.S02** Information

Group C: **ICUS10.C02.S03** Materials

Group D: (no session)

Group E: **ICUS10.C02.S04** Broader implications

Committee III ICUS10.C03 The Future of Technology and Society

Group A: **ICUS10.C03.S01** The changing role of science

Group B: **ICUS10.C03.S02** Developments of technology and their consequences

Group C: (no session)

Group D: **ICUS10.C03.S03** Population and social patterns

Committee IV ICUS10.C04 Transformations of the individual in society

Group A: **ICUS10.C04.S01** Approaches to health and healing--East and West

Group B: (no session)

Group C: **ICUS10.C04.S02** The resurgence of East Asia: promises and pitfalls of modernization

Group D: **ICUS10.C04.S03** The resurgence of East Asia: cultural and spiritual dimensions

Group E: **ICUS10.C04.S04** The supranational movements: launch point 1981

Committee V **ICUS10.C05** Transformations in consciousness

Group A: (no session)

Group B: **ICUS10.C05.S01** The origins of human thought

Group C: **ICUS10.C05.S02** The transformations of philosophical thought: recent contributions

Group D: **ICUS10.C05.S03** Transformations of scientific thought: recent contributions

Group E: **ICUS10.C05.S04** The Future of consciousness

The program does not list a welcoming address by Sun Myung Moon. It does list a 2-hour opening ceremony but does not give the speakers for the ceremony. Sun Myung Moon and his wife (Hakja Han) hosted a farewell banquet.

An introduction of the ICF on page 32 states, "The International Cultural Foundation is authorized to receive and is supported by contributions. Grateful appreciation is given to the Unification Church for its financial support which makes the ICUS series possible. Participation in ICUS and other programs of ICF implies neither acceptance nor endorsement of the tenets and activities of the Unification Church."

ICUS XI The Search for Absolute Values and the Creation of the New World

ICUS XI was held at the Franklin Plaza Hotel in Philadelphia “Eleventh International Conference of Unified Science: The Search for Absolute Values and the Creation of the New World”, 1982 in 1982 with 525 participants.

The introduction to ICUS and statement of purpose repeat those for ICUS X verbatim except for venue and conference title. These texts are printed on background photos taken at ICUS II, one photo of which show Sun Myung Moon at the podium

Morton Kaplan continues as chairman. The combined advisory board has 38 members. The list of advisors has been moved from near the front of the program after the statement of purpose to near the back before the ICUS Secretariat.

The program is organized into 5 committees each consisting of 3 to 4 groups. Additionally, there are 5 evening roundtables. There is no global congress of world’s religions. The program provides a brief introduction to the topic for each group and roundtable. This feature is new.

Committees:

Committee I **ICUS11.C01** Responsibility of the Individual in World Society

Group I-A: **ICUS11.C01.S01** Arts and contemporary society

Group I-B: **ICUS11.C01.S02** Politics and contemporary society

Group I-C: **ICUS11.C01.S03** Values and contemporary society

Committee II **ICUS11.C02** Technology as a Panacea?

Group II-A: **ICUS11.C02.S01** Technology and the problems facing industrialized countries in the next century

Group II-B: **ICUS11.C02.S02** Technology and the problems facing the third world in the next century

Group II-C: (no session)

Group II-D: **ICUS11.C02.S03** Technology and space: pie in the sky or new frontiers?

Committee III **ICUS11.C03** Human Populations in the Future

Group III-A: **ICUS11.C03.S01** Food supply and human populations

Group III-B: (no session)

Group III-C: **ICUS11.C03.S02** Age and ageing: neurobiological aspects

Group III-D: **ICUS11.C03.S03** Age and ageing: psychosocial aspects

Committee IV **ICUS11.C04** Modes of Rationality

Group IV-A: (no session)

Group IV-B: **ICUS11.C04.S01** Evolutionary epistemology

Group IV-C: **ICUS11.C04.S02** Economic models of rationality

Group IV-D: **ICUS11.C04.S03** Philosophical theories of rationality

Committee V **ICUS11.C05** Self, Society, and the Cosmos

Group V-A: **ICUS11.C05.S01** Evolution of moral and ethical behavior

Group V-B: **ICUS11.C05.S02** Origins of human culture

Group V-C: **ICUS11.C05.S03** The new physics and cosmology

Group V-D: **ICUS11.C05.S04** The spiritual nature of man

Evening roundtables:

Evening roundtable #1: **ICUS11.C06.S01** The anatomy of peace

Evening roundtable #2: **ICUS11.C06.S02** Possibilities of nutrition intervention in Latin America

Evening roundtable #3: **ICUS11.C06.S03** Organization of matter: is it an accident or a scheme?

Evening roundtable #4: **ICUS11.C06.S04** Family: past, present, future

Evening roundtable #5: **ICUS11.C06.S05** The search for values in public administration

In addition to the above committees and evening roundtables, there was a presentation of an International Highway Project in the form of an evening roundtable, and a meeting of the Professors' World Peace Academy on Saturday afternoon.

Neither Moon nor his wife are listed in the main program, but a sponsorship page for ICF show a photo of Moon and states that he will deliver the Founder's Address to open the conference.

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The program also contains two-page spreads introducing the Professors' World Peace Academy and the Washington Institute for Values in Public Policy. Two additional pages promote ICF publications and seminars.

ICUS XII Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution

ICUS XII was held at the Chicago Marriott Hotel in Chicago “Twelfth International Conference of Unified Science: Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution”, 1983 in 1983 with 300 participants.

The introduction to ICUS and statement of purpose have been moved to the back of the program but still repeat those for ICUS XI verbatim except for venue and conference title.

ICUS’ management has been reorganized. The advisory board consists of 37 members and its place in the program has returned to the front. There is a new group of “ICF senior consultants” who are also members of the advisory board, but now have explicit positions in organizations operating under ICF. These consultants are the following:

| Consultant | ICF Position | Academic Position |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Morton A. Kaplan | Chairman, PWPA | Professor, Univ of Chicago |
| Karl H. Pribram | President, PWPA | Professor, Stanford Univ. |
| Richard L. Rubenstein | President, Washington Institute | Professor, Florida State Univ |
| Frederick Sontag | Chairman, Paragon House | Professor, Pomona College |

The program is organized into 6 committees each consisting of 3 sessions.

Committees:

Committee I **ICUS12.C01** Unity of the Sciences

Session 1: **ICUS12.C01.S01** The idea of “the unity of science” in intellectual history and the division of knowledge

Session 2: **ICUS12.C01.S02** Methodological aspects, the unity of physics and the unifying potential of the evolutionary perspective

Session 3: **ICUS12.C01.S03** The unifying potential of the ideas of a spontaneous order, self-organizing system, and the economic approach

Committee II **ICUS12.C02** The Challenge of Education in African Social Transformation

Session 1: **ICUS12.C02.S01** Identity and relevance

Session 2: **ICUS12.C02.S02** Dynamics of social institutions in education

Session 3: **ICUS12.C02.S03** Justice and cooperation

Committee III **ICUS12.C03** Art and Technology

Session 1: **ICUS12.C03.S01** (untitled)

Session 2: **ICUS12.C03.S02** (untitled)

Session 3: **ICUS12.C03.S03** (untitled)

Committee IV **ICUS12.C04** Developmental Experiences in East Asia and Latin America

Session 1: **ICUS12.C04.S01** Development in East Asia

Session 2: **ICUS12.C04.S02** Development in Latin America

Session 3: **ICUS12.C04.S03** Development for the future

Committee V **ICUS12.C05** The Emotions: Focus on Iner-Male Aggression and Dominance Systems

Session 1: **ICUS12.C05.S01** Aggression and dominance in non-human primates

Session 2: **ICUS12.C05.S02** Aggression and dominance in small human societies

Session 3: **ICUS12.C05.S03** Aggression and dominance: biological, psychological, anthropological, and political implications

Committee VI **ICUS12.C06** Global Environmental Problems

Session 1: **ICUS12.C06.S01** (untitled)

Session 2: **ICUS12.C06.S02** (untitled)

Session 3: **ICUS12.C06.S03** (untitled)

Under a list of ICF officers on page 29 is a statement of sponsorship, "The International Cultural Foundation is authorized to receive and is supported by contributions. Grateful appreciation is given to the Unification Church International for its financial support which makes the ICUS series possible. Participation in ICUS and other programs of ICF implies neither acceptance nor endorsement of the tenets and activities of the Unification Church."

Sponsor pages describe the following ICF sponsored programs:

- Professors World Peace Academy (PWPA)
- Introductory Seminars on the Unification Movement (ISUM)
- Paragon House Publishers
- The Washington Institute for Values in Public Policy (WI)
- ICF Founder's Award
- ICF Press

The description of ISUM states:

The core of the introductory seminars is a series of twelve lectures, given over five days, on the Divine Principle, the religious teachings of Rev. Moon. The lecturers are Unification Church members, either Ph.D. students or church leaders.

Among the sponsor's pages is an obituary for Ulf Svente von Euler.

ICUS XIII Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution

ICUS XIII was held at the J.W. Marriott Hotel in Washington, D.C. “Thirteenth International Conference of Unified Science: Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution”, 1984 in 1984 with 225 participants.

In a welcoming statement on page 2 Organizing Chairman Kenneth Mellanby makes the statement, “ICUS is perhaps the only conference able to assemble worldwide scholars and researchers from all disciplines, nations, and faiths, with complete freedom of thought and expression.”

There is no advisory board. The senior consultants are listed under ICF leadership on page 28.

The program is organized into 7 committees. Committee VII, The Search for Global Ideology, explicitly addresses Moonist theology as a unifying global ideology. The titles of the lectures in that committee are expanded to show some noteworthy detail.

Committees:

Committee I ICUS13.C01 Unity of the Sciences

Session 1: **ICUS13.C01.S01** (untitled)

Session 2: **ICUS13.C01.S02** (untitled)

Session 3: **ICUS13.C01.S03** (untitled)

Session 4: **ICUS13.C01.S04** (untitled)

Session 5: **ICUS13.C01.S05** (untitled)

Committee II ICUS13.C02 Theoretical Empiricism: A General Rationale for Scientific Model-Building

Session 1: **ICUS13.C02.S01** (untitled)

Session 2: **ICUS13.C02.S02** (untitled)

Session 3: **ICUS13.C02.S03** (untitled)

Session 4: **ICUS13.C02.S04** (untitled)

Session 5: **ICUS13.C02.S05** (untitled)

Committee III ICUS13.C03 Human Beings and the Urban Environment: The Future Metropolis

Session 1: **ICUS13.C03.S01** (untitled)

Session 2: **ICUS13.C03.S02** (untitled)

Session 3: **ICUS13.C03.S03** (untitled)

Session 4: **ICUS13.C03.S04** (untitled)

Session 5: **ICUS13.C03.S05** (untitled)

Committee IV **ICUS13.C04** Crises in Education in the 1980's: A Survey of Educational Values and Systems

- Chairs: John W. Ryan, President, Indiana University, and Nobuyuki Fukuda, President, University of Tsukuba

Session 1: **ICUS13.C04.S01** (untitled)

Session 2: **ICUS13.C04.S02** (untitled)

Session 3: **ICUS13.C04.S03** (untitled)

Session 4: **ICUS13.C04.S04** (untitled)

Session 5: **ICUS13.C04.S05** (untitled)

Committee V **ICUS13.C05** The Ocean in Human Affairs (sessions were not given individual titles)

Session 1: **ICUS13.C05.S01** History and evolution of earth and ocean

Session 2: **ICUS13.C05.S02** Ocean-atmosphere interaction

Session 3: **ICUS13.C05.S03** Ocean research and technology

Session 4: **ICUS13.C05.S04** The ocean in human commerce

Committee VI **ICUS13.C06** Spirit and Science: Imaginary and Reality

Session 1: **ICUS13.C06.S01** (untitled)

Session 2: **ICUS13.C06.S02** (untitled)

Session 3: **ICUS13.C06.S03** (untitled)

Session 4: **ICUS13.C06.S04** (untitled)

Session 5: **ICUS13.C06.S05** (untitled)

Committee VII **ICUS13.C07** The Search for Global Ideology

- Chair: Frederick E. Sontag

Session 1: **ICUS13.C07.S01** (untitled)

i. **ICUS13.C07.S01.L01** Responses to questions on unification thought, Sang Hun Lee, Unification Thought Institute

ii. **ICUS13.C07.S01.L02** Relationality and the concept of the heart, Larry Axel, Purdue Univ

iii. **ICUS13.C07.S01.L03** Towards a general theory of education in unification thought, Eduardo O.C. Chaves, Univ Michigan

Session 2: **ICUS13.C07.S02** (untitled)

- i. **ICUS13.C07.S02.L01** Unification thought and religious knowledge, Lloyd Eby, Unification Theologica Seminary
- ii. **ICUS13.C07.S02.L02** Unification thought and the critique of capitalism and communism, Richard L. Rubensteing, Florida State Univ

Session 3: **ICUS13.C07.S03** (untitled)

- i. **ICUS13.C07.S03.L01** Must we become relativists? Frederich Wallner, Univ Vienna
- ii. **ICUS13.C07.S03.L02** Philosophy of culture in unification thought, Peter K.Y. Woo, National Taiwan Univ
- iii. **ICUS13.C07.S03.L03** Relation between ethics and religious belief, Ramon C. Reyes, Ateneo de Manila Univ.

Session 4: **ICUS13.C07.S04** (untitled)

- i. **ICUS13.C07.S04.L01** Universalism in science and culture, Janusz Kuczynski, Univ Warsaw
- ii. **ICUS13.C07.S04.L02** The social philosophy for the new world, Siddhi Butr-Indr, Chaing Mai Univ

Session 5: **ICUS13.C07.S05** (untitled)

- i. **ICUS13.C07.S05.L01** Reason and heart: a comparison between Hegel's philosophy and unification thought, Paul Perry, CUNY
- ii. **ICUS13.C07.S05.L02** Philosophy East and West: unification or unity? Emilie Zum Brunn, French National Centre for Scientific Research

Neither Moon nor his wife are mentioned as present at the conference.

The Founder's Page consists of the same text copied from the Founder's Address at ICUS VIII in 1979.

There is no statement of financial support by the Unification Church.

A short history of ICUS on page 22 (20) contains the following:

By [1981] ICUS had gained recognition from the world academic community as being truly unique as an international gathering of scholars and scientists addressing issues of fundamental concern to humanity.

Now a world-wide network of cooperating scholars has been established and together with ICUS and several other ICF programs are helping sustain this network. Thus ICUS is presently moving toward smaller conferences.

The next page 23(21) replaces the purpose of ICUS of earlier programs with "Why ICUS?" containing the following text:

ICUS was established to produce an integrated world-view founded on absolute values generated through multidisciplinary academic dialogue. The two themes of ICUS – *Unity of Knowledge* and *Science and Values* – challenge the academic community to produce what Reverend Moon calls a new system of "Cultural Science."

Now in its thirteenth year, ICUS is the only conference of its kind which is truly international, interdisciplinary and concerned with the world as a whole.

Sponsor pages describe the following ICF sponsored programs:

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- Paragon House Publishers (PHP)
- The Washington Institute for Values in Public Policy (WI)
- Manhattan Center for the Creative and Performing Arts (MCCPA)

The description of ISUM states:

The core of the introductory seminars is a series of twelve lectures, given over three days, on the Divine Principle, the religious teachings of Rev. Moon. The lecturers are Unification Church members, either Ph.D. students or church leaders.

ICUS XIV Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution

ICUS XIV was held at the Hotel Inter-Continental in Houston “Fourteenth International Conference of Unified Science: Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution”, 1985 in 1985 with 240 participants.

Chairman Kenneth Mellanby’s introduction welcomes Sum Myung Moon’s release from prison and claims that Moon’s ”inner strength of character and abundant energy, and his example” increased his stature.

There is no advisory board. The following served as senior consultants and are listed under ICF leadership. There is now an ICUS Planning Board consisting of 21 people and organized into 3 committees: conference organizing committee, ICUS publications committee and research and development committee.

Senior consultants:

| Consultant | ICF Position | Academic Position |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Morton A. Kaplan | President, PWPA Int’l | Professor, Univ of Chicago |
| Kenneth Mellanby | Chairman ICUS XIV | Director Emeritus, Monk’s Wood |
| Karl H. Pribram | President, PWPA USA | Professor, Stanford Univ. |
| Richard L. Rubenstein | President, Washington Institute | Professor, Florida State Univ |
| Frederick Sontag | Chairman, Paragon House | Professor, Pomona College |

Planning board:

Conference organizing committee - To formulate comprehensive programs for annual ICUS meetings

Tor Ragnor Gerholm, Committee Moderator

Kenneth Mellanby, ICUS XV (1986) chairman

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Emilie Zum Brunn

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Raphael Patai

Stephen Henkin, Committee Coordinator

Research and development committee - To promote the growth of ICUS through research of potential participants, themes and financial resources

Alexander King, Committee Moderator

Jean Charon

Maurice Goldsmith

Gerard Radnitsky

Se Won Yoon

Brian Wijeratne, ICUS Research Assistant

Glenn Strait, Committee Coordinator

The program is organized into 6 committees each consisting of 3-5 sessions.

Committees:

Committee I **ICUS14.C01** Unity of Science: Organization and Change in Complex Systems

Session I: **ICUS14.C01.S01** Organization and change in the universe

Session II: **ICUS14.C01.S02** Organization and change in matter

Session III: **ICUS14.C01.S03** Organization and change in living systems

Session IV: **ICUS14.C01.S04** Organization and change in social systems

Session V: **ICUS14.C01.S05** General discussion

Committee II **ICUS14.C02** Synthesis and Relationships in Culture

Session I: **ICUS14.C02.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS14.C02.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS14.C02.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS14.C02.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS14.C02.S05** (untitled)

Committee III **ICUS14.C03** Forms and Symbols: The Roots of Behavior

Session I: **ICUS14.C03.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS14.C03.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS14.C03.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS14.C03.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS14.C03.S05** (untitled)

Committee IV **ICUS14.C04** Modernization, Appropriate Values and Education

Session I: **ICUS14.C04.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS14.C04.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS14.C04.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS14.C04.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS14.C04.S05** (untitled)

Committee V **ICUS14.C05** The Search for Unifying Global Philosophy

Session I: **ICUS14.C05.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS14.C05.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS14.C05.S03** (untitled)

Committee VI **ICUS14.C06** The Universe and Its Origin: From Ancient Myth to Present Reality and Fantasy

Session I: **ICUS14.C06.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS14.C06.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS14.C06.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS14.C06.S04** (untitled)

Neither Moon nor his wife are mentioned as present at the conference.

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There is no statement of financial support by the Unification Church.

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- Paragon House Publishers (PHP)
- The Washington Institute for Values in Public Policy (WI)
- Manhattan Center for the Creative and Performing Arts (MCCPA)

The description of ISUM states:

The agenda consists of 10-12 lectures given over three to four days and includes and "Outline of the Principle"—the religious teaching of Rev. Moon. The lecturers are presented by Doctoral Scholars, Ph.D. students and Church Leaders. [capitalization in the original]

Neither "Unification Church" nor "Holy Spirit Association for the Unification of World Christianity" (Melton, 2022) appear in the program.

ICUS XV Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution

ICUS XV was held at the J.W. Marriott Hotel in Washington, D.C. "Fifteenth International Conference of Unified Science: Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution", 1986 27-30 November 1986 with 240 participants.

There is no advisory board. The following served as senior consultants and are listed under ICF leadership. The ICUS Planning Board continues with the same members as for ICUS XIV.

| Consultant | ICF Position | Academic Position |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Morton A. Kaplan | President, PWPA Int'l | Professor, Univ of Chicago |
| Kenneth Mellanby | Chairman ICUS XIV | Director Emeritus, Monk's Wood |
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Gerard Radnitsky
Se Won Yoon
Brian Wijeratne, ICUS Research Assistant
Glenn Strait, Committee Coordinator

The program is organized into 7 committees each consisting of 6 sessions.

Committees:

Committee I **ICUS15.C01.S01** Unifying Principles in the Sciences

Session I: **ICUS15.C01.S01** Symmetry
Session II: **ICUS15.C01.S02** Space-time
Session III: **ICUS15.C01.S03** Energy
Session IV: **ICUS15.C01.S04** Entropy
Session V: **ICUS15.C01.S05** Special discussion
Session VI: **ICUS15.C01.S06** General discussion

Committee II **ICUS15.C02** The Value of Human Life

Session I: **ICUS15.C02.S01** (untitled)
Session II: **ICUS15.C02.S02** (untitled)
Session III: **ICUS15.C02.S03** (untitled)
Session IV: **ICUS15.C02.S04** (untitled)
Session V: **ICUS15.C02.S05** (untitled)
Session VI: **ICUS15.C02.S06** (untitled)

Committee III **ICUS15.C03.S01** Towards Ecumenism in World Philosophy

Session I: **ICUS15.C03.S01** (untitled)
Session II: **ICUS15.C03.S02** (untitled)
Session III: **ICUS15.C03.S03** (untitled)
Session IV: **ICUS15.C03.S04** (untitled)
Session V: **ICUS15.C03.S05** (untitled)
Session VI: **ICUS15.C03.S06** (untitled)

Committee IV **ICUS15.C04** The Relationship Between Science and the Arts
and its Relevance to Cultural Transformation

Session I: **ICUS15.C04.S01** (untitled)
Session II: **ICUS15.C04.S02** (untitled)
Session III: **ICUS15.C04.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS15.C04.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS15.C04.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS15.C04.S06** (untitled)

Committee V **ICUS15.C05** Problems of Third World Development: The Case of Africa

Session I: **ICUS15.C05.S01** Environment

Session II: **ICUS15.C05.S02** Nature

Session III: **ICUS15.C05.S03** The Land

Session IV: **ICUS15.C05.S04** Society

Session V: **ICUS15.C05.S05** Education

Session VI: **ICUS15.C05.S06** Politics

Committee VI **ICUS15.C06** Eastern Approaches to Knowledge and Values: with an emphasis on "Qi"

Session I: **ICUS15.C06.S01** An Eastern approach to psychological knowledge

Session II: **ICUS15.C06.S02** The concept of "Qi"

Session III: **ICUS15.C06.S03** "Qi" and yoga

Session IV: **ICUS15.C06.S04** West encounters Eastern "Qi"

Session V: **ICUS15.C06.S05** The practice of "Qi": theoretical basis

Session VI: **ICUS15.C06.S06** The practice of "Qi": medical application

Committee VII **ICUS15.C07** Global 2000 Revisted: Re-Assessing Man's Impact on Spaceship Earth

Session I: **ICUS15.C07.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS15.C07.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS15.C07.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS15.C07.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS15.C07.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS15.C07.S06** (untitled)

Neither Moon nor his wife are mentioned as present at the conference. A photo of Moon and another of his wife at ICUS XV are included in the program for ICUS XVI.

Sponsor pages describe the following ICF sponsored programs:

- The ICF Founder's Award*

- Professors World Peace Academy (PWPA)
- The Washington Institute for Values in Public Policy (WI)
- Paragon House Publishers (PHP)
- The World & I
- Introductory Seminars on the Unification Movement (ISUM)

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In the description of the ICF Founder's Award on page 33 is a statement: "The award is given biennially (starting in 1982) and carries a substantial cash prize. It is presented by the Founder of ICF, the Reverend Sun Myung Moon, on the occasion of the Annual International Conference on the Unity of the Sciences." Only two recipients are mentioned in the programs: Eugene Wigner in 1982 and Frederick A. Hayek in 1985.

The description of ISUM states:

The agenda consists of ten to twelve lectures given over three to four days and includes and "Outline of the Principle"—the religious teaching of Rev. Moon. The lecturers are presented by Doctoral Scholars, Ph.D. students and Church Leaders. [capitalization in the original]

ICUS XVI Absolute Values and the Reassessment of the Contemporary World

ICUS XVI was held at the Stouffer Waverly Hotel, Atlanta "Sixteenth International Conference of Unified Science: Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution", 1987 26-29 November 1987 with 225 participants.

Planning board:

Conference organizing committee - Researches ways to make the conference function more efficiently as well as contribute more substantially to the ICUS themes of "Unity of Knowledge" and "Science and Values" through committee work, plenary lectures and task forces

Tor Ragnor Gerholm, Committee Moderator

Kenryk Skolimowski

Kenneth Mellanby

Alvin Weinberg, ICUS XVI(1987) Chairman

Michael J. Higatsberger

Thomas G. Walsh

Gregory Breland, Deputy Director, ICUS Committee Coordinator

ICUS publications committee - Develops effective means to disseminate - through books, journals and monographs - the ideas and overall ethos of ICUS as presented in conference discussions and independently written papers

Raphael Patai

Claude Villee, Committee Moderator

Marcelo Alonso, Editor, IJUS

Klaus Schleicher

Joan Groom, Managing Editor, IJUS

Kerry Poblantz, Director, ICUS Books (through August 1987) Committee Coordinator

Research and development committee - Finds ways to enhance the ICUS contribution to global scholarship through research of contemporary issues of concern, encourages participation of new scholars, seeks out additional funding sources and develops long-range goals and projects

Gerard Radnitsky

Se Won Yoon

Alexander King

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The program is organized into 7 committees each consisting of 6 sessions.

Committees:

Committee I **ICUS16.C01** The Unity of the Universe

- Session I: **ICUS16.C01.S01** Origin and evolution of the universe
- Session II: **ICUS16.C01.S02** Large scale structures in the universe
- Session III: **ICUS16.C01.S03** The Milky Way
- Session IV: **ICUS16.C01.S04** Solar systems and the Earth
- Session V: **ICUS16.C01.S05** Life in the universe
- Session VI: **ICUS16.C01.S06** Thoughts about the future

Committee II **ICUS16.C02** The Value of Human Life

- Session I: **ICUS16.C02.S01** (untitled)
- Session II: **ICUS16.C02.S02** (untitled)
- Session III: **ICUS16.C02.S03** (untitled)
- Session IV: **ICUS16.C02.S04** (untitled)
- Session V: **ICUS16.C02.S05** (untitled)
- Session VI: **ICUS16.C02.S06** (untitled)

Committee III **ICUS16.C03** Towards Ecumenism in World Philosophy

- Session I: **ICUS16.C03.S01** (untitled)
- Session II: **ICUS16.C03.S02** (untitled)
- Session III: **ICUS16.C03.S03** (untitled)
- Session IV: **ICUS16.C03.S04** (untitled)
- Session V: **ICUS16.C03.S05** (untitled)
- Session VI: **ICUS16.C03.S06** (untitled)

Committee IV **ICUS16.C04** A Critical Assessment of the Achievements of
the Economic Approach

- Session I: **ICUS16.C04.S01** (untitled)
- Session II: **ICUS16.C04.S02** (untitled)
- Session III: **ICUS16.C04.S03** (untitled)
- Session IV: **ICUS16.C04.S04** (untitled)
- Session V: **ICUS16.C04.S05** (untitled)
- Session VI: **ICUS16.C04.S06** (untitled)

Committee V **ICUS16.C05** The Human Food Chain: The Problem of Nour-
ishment

- Session I: **ICUS16.C05.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS16.C05.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS16.C05.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS16.C05.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS16.C05.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS16.C05.S06** (untitled)

Committee VI **ICUS16.C06** Eastern Approaches to the Unity of Spirit and Matter: Qi and Science

Session I: **ICUS16.C06.S01** Possible contributions of Qi to science: an overview

Session II: **ICUS16.C06.S02** Qi as empirical fact

Session III: **ICUS16.C06.S03** Philosophical significance of Qi in Eastern thought

Session IV: **ICUS16.C06.S04** Physics and Qi: interaction of spirit and matter

Session V: **ICUS16.C06.S05** Qi and view on nature in Eastern thought

Session VI: **ICUS16.C06.S06** Qi and physics: unified understanding of spirit and matter

Session VII: **ICUS16.C06.S07** Summary session

Committee VII **ICUS16.C07** In Search for Understanding Among the Monotheistic Religions

Session I: **ICUS16.C07.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS16.C07.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS16.C07.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS16.C07.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS16.C07.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS16.C07.S06** (untitled)

Neither Moon nor his wife are mentioned as present at the conference. A photo of Moon and another of his wife at ICUS XVI are included in the program for ICUS XVII. The Founder's Page consists of paragraphs copied from the Founder's Address at ICUS IV in 1975 (Moon, 1975).

There is no mention of the Unification Church in the program, either as a funding source or in the description of ISUM.

Sponsor pages describe the following ICF sponsored programs:

- The ICF Founder's Award
- International Journal on the Unity of the Sciences (IJUS)
- Professors World Peace Academy (PWPA)

- International Journal on World Peace
- The Washington Institute for Values in Public Policy (WI)
- The Advisory Council to the Unification Movement International (ACUMI)
- Paragon House Publishers (PHP)
- The World & I
- Introductory Seminars on the Unification Movement (ISUM)

The description of ISUM states:

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ICUS XVII Absolute Values and the Reassessment of the Contemporary World

ICUS XVII was held at the Stouffer Concourse Hotel, Los Angeles "Seventeenth International Conference of Unified Science: Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution", 1988 24-27 November 1988 with 260 participants.

Planning board:

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The program is organized into 7 committees each consisting of 6 sessions.

Committees:

Committee I ICUS17.C01.S01 The Evolution of Man

- Session I: **ICUS17.C01.S01** (untitled)
- Session II: **ICUS17.C01.S02** (untitled)
- Session III: **ICUS17.C01.S03** (untitled)
- Session IV: **ICUS17.C01.S04** (untitled)
- Session V: **ICUS17.C01.S05** (untitled)
- Session VI: **ICUS17.C01.S06** (untitled)

Committee II ICUS17.C02 Ethnocentrism vs. World Unity: Impacts on Socialization and Education

- Session I: **ICUS17.C02.S01** Behavior and learning concepts: theories and research results
- Session II: **ICUS17.C02.S02** Methods and values for comparison: concepts and strategies
- Session III: **ICUS17.C02.S03** Ethnocentrism in education: case studies from Europe and America
- Session IV: **ICUS17.C02.S04** Ethnocentrism in education: case studies from Asia and Africa
- Session V: **ICUS17.C02.S05** What leads beyond ethnocentrism: multicultural socialization and education
- Session VI: **ICUS17.C02.S06** Education beyond ethnocentrism: experiences and demands on policy

Committee III ICUS17.C03 Interdisciplinary Approaches to Development and Modernization

- Session I: **ICUS17.C03.S01** Science and technology infrastructure of developing countries
- Session II: **ICUS17.C03.S02** Foreign aid and national development
- Session III: **ICUS17.C03.S03** Science and culture
- Session IV: **ICUS17.C03.S04** Science, technology and the basic needs of life
- Session V: **ICUS17.C03.S05** Ecobalance and technological development

Session VI: **ICUS17.C03.S06** Science, technology and ethical norms

Committee IV **ICUS17.C04** East-West Perspectives on Spirit and Science

Session I: **ICUS17.C04.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS17.C04.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS17.C04.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS17.C04.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS17.C04.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS17.C04.S06** (untitled)

Committee V **ICUS17.C05** Eco-Philosophy as a New Metaphysical and Cultural Reconstruction

Session I: **ICUS17.C05.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS17.C05.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS17.C05.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS17.C05.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS17.C05.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS17.C05.S06** (untitled)

Committee VI **ICUS17.C06** Neurobiology in Relation to Global Ideology and Values

Session I: **ICUS17.C06.S01** Neurobiology of global ideology and values

Session II: **ICUS17.C06.S02** Diversity of values

Session III: **ICUS17.C06.S03** Evolution of ideologies and values

Session IV: **ICUS17.C06.S04** Global purpose of life

Session V: **ICUS17.C06.S05** Search for new solutions

Session VI: **ICUS17.C06.S06** Guidelines for global values

Committee VII **ICUS17.C07** The Ethics of Nuclear Deterrence

Session I: **ICUS17.C07.S01** Challenges to deterrence

Session II: **ICUS17.C07.S02** Theological perspectives on just war and nuclear deterrence

Session III: **ICUS17.C07.S03** Defenses as an alternative to nuclear deterrence

Session IV: **ICUS17.C07.S04** Defenses as an alternative to nuclear deterrence (continued)

Session V: **ICUS17.C07.S05** Values and nuclear deterrence

Session VI: **ICUS17.C07.S06** Nuclear deterrance in developing countries

Neither Moon nor his wife are mentioned as present at the conference nor are their photos in the program for ICUS XVIII.

There is no statement regarding funding by the Unification Church.

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ICUS XVIII Absolute Values and the Reassessment of the Contemporary World

ICUS XVIII was held at the Sheraton Walker Hill Hotel, Seoul "Eighteenth International Conference of Unified Science: Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution", 1991 23-26 August 1991, 3 years after ICUS XVII, with 210 participants.

Planning board (identical to that of ICUS XVII but with removal of Lloyd Eby, Director, ICF Publications Committee Coordinator and John Byrum, ICUS Publications):

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The program is organized into 6 committees each consisting of 6-7 sessions.

Committees:

Committee I **ICUS18.C01** The Limits of Science?

- Session I: **ICUS18.C01.S01** Space-Time limits
- Session II: **ICUS18.C01.S02** Conceptual limits
- Session III: **ICUS18.C01.S03** Complexity limits
- Session IV: **ICUS18.C01.S04** Scientists' limits
- Session V: **ICUS18.C01.S05** Policy limits
- Session VI: **ICUS18.C01.S06** Societal limits

Committee II **ICUS18.C02** Agricultural genetic engineering and society

- Session I: **ICUS18.C02.S01** (untitled)
- Session II: **ICUS18.C02.S02** (untitled)
- Session III: **ICUS18.C02.S03** (untitled)
- Session IV: **ICUS18.C02.S04** (untitled)
- Session V: **ICUS18.C02.S05** (untitled)
- Session VI: **ICUS18.C02.S06** (untitled)

Committee III **ICUS18.C03** National and World Unity: Educating for the 21st Century

- Session I **ICUS18.C03.S01** Context of nationalism in education
- Session II **ICUS18.C03.S02** Comparison of nationalism and internationalism in education: the industrialized countries
- Session IIIA(1) **ICUS18.C03.S03** Comparison of nationalism and internationalism in education: the developing countries
- Session IIIA(2) **ICUS18.C03.S04** Beyond educational nationalism
- Session IVA **ICUS18.C03.S05** Nationalism in education: East Asia (case studies 1)
- Session V **ICUS18.C03.S06** Nationalism in education: Eastern Europe and the Middle East (case studies 2)
- Session VI **ICUS18.C03.S07** Nationalism in education: Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union (case studies 3)
- Summary Session **ICUS18.C03.S08** Nationalism in education: a comparative view

Committee IV **ICUS18.C04** The Contemporary Family in Cross-Cultural Context

Session I: **ICUS18.C04.S01** The family and contemporary society

Session II: **ICUS18.C04.S02** The family and contemporary society
(cont.)

Session III: **ICUS18.C04.S03** The family and contemporary society
(cont.)

Session IV: **ICUS18.C04.S04** Values transmission

Session V: **ICUS18.C04.S05** Social group integration

Session VI: **ICUS18.C04.S06** The impact of immigration on Hispanic families

Committee V **ICUS18.C05** East-West Perspectives on Science and Spirit: Time and Consciousness

Session I: **ICUS18.C05.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS18.C05.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS18.C05.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS18.C05.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS18.C05.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS18.C05.S06** (untitled)

Committee VI **ICUS18.C06** Unification Thought and the Global Transformation of Consciousness

Session I: **ICUS18.C06.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS18.C06.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS18.C06.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS18.C06.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS18.C06.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS18.C06.S06** (untitled)

The agenda appends 2 additional days to the dates on the cover of the program, 23-26 August. For the mornings of 27 and 28 August the agenda lists the "Inaugural Assembly of the Inter-Religious Federation for World Peace." For the afternoon of 28 August it lists a "Tour of Unification Movement Activities in Seoul."

Moon is not listed in the program but the program for ICUS ICUS XIX contains a photograph of Moon.

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There is no statement regarding funding by the Unification Church.

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ICUS XIX Absolute Values and New World Order

ICUS XIX was held at the Hotel Inter-Continental, Seoul “Nineteenth International Conference of Unified Science: Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution”, 1992 19-22 August 1992, 1 year after ICUS XVII, with 210 participants.

Planning board (identical to that of ICUS XVIII):

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The program is organized into 6 committees each consisting of 6-7 sessions.

Committees:

Committee I **ICUS19.C01** The Nuclear Option in the Past, Present and in the Future

Session I: **ICUS19.C01.S01** Historical background and prospects of nuclear energy

Session II: **ICUS19.C01.S02** Nuclear power and the world in transition

Session III: **ICUS19.C01.S03** What are the safety aspects of reactor types?

Session IV: **ICUS19.C01.S04** Assessment of radiological consequences of the Chernobyl accident

Session V: **ICUS19.C01.S05** Implications of the 1990 International Commission of Radiological Protection (ICRP) recommendations

Session VI: **ICUS19.C01.S06** The concept of non-proliferation of nuclear weapons

Committee II **ICUS19.C02** The Global Empowerment of Families

Session I: **ICUS19.C02.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS19.C02.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS19.C02.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS19.C02.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS19.C02.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS19.C02.S06** (untitled)

Committee III **ICUS19.C03** Theoria and Praxis in Unification Thought

Session I **ICUS19.C03.S01** Context of nationalism in education

Session II **ICUS19.C03.S02** Comparison of nationalism and internationalism in education: the industrialized countries

Session IIIA(1) **ICUS19.C03.S03** Comparison of nationalism and internationalism in education: the developing countries

Session IIIA(2) **ICUS19.C03.S04** Beyond educational nationalism

Session IVA **ICUS19.C03.S05** Nationalism in education: East Asia (case studies 1)

Session V **ICUS19.C03.S06** Nationalism in education: Eastern Europe and the Middle East (case studies 2)

Session VI **ICUS19.C03.S07** Nationalism in education: Eastern Europe and the Soviet Union (case studies 3)

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Committee IV **ICUS19.C04** The Contemporary Family in Cross-Cultural Context

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Session II: **ICUS19.C04.S02** The family and contemporary society (cont.)

Session III: **ICUS19.C04.S03** The family and contemporary society (cont.)

Session IV: **ICUS19.C04.S04** Values transmission

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Committee V **ICUS19.C05** East-West Perspectives on Science and Spirit: Time and Consciousness

Session I: **ICUS19.C05.S01** (untitled)

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Session III: **ICUS19.C05.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS19.C05.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS19.C05.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS19.C05.S06** (untitled)

Committee VI **ICUS19.C06** Unification Thought and the Global Transformation of Consciousness

Session I: **ICUS19.C06.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS19.C06.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS19.C06.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS19.C06.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS19.C06.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS19.C06.S06** (untitled)

The agenda appends 4 additional days to the dates on the cover of the program, 19-22 August. Starting from the ICUS closing ceremony after a luncheon on 22 August, PWPA panels run until the afternoon of 24 August; a "PWPA/ICUS Farewell Banquet" closes the evening. While the PWPA sessions come after the main ICUS sessions, the opening plenary session on 20 August is listed as a joint session of ICUS and PWPA. For 25 August, the agenda consists of "International Wedding Ceremony, Entertainment, Special

Events” at the Olympic Stadium. For 26 August, the agenda lists breakfast and departures.

Moon and Hakja Han are not listed in the program but the program for ICUS ICUS XX contains a photograph of them.

The Founder’s Page consists of the same text copied from the Founder’s Address at ICUS XVI in 1987 that was used in the programs for ICUS XVII and XVIII.

A page introducing a new ICF Encyclopedia Project has replaced the page on ISUM that was in the program for ICUSXVIII. ”Unification Church” does not appear in the program.

ICUS XX Absolute Values and the Unity of the Sciences: The Origin and Human Responsibility

ICUS XX was held at the Sheraton Walker Hill Hotel, Seoul “Twentieth International Conference of Unified Science: Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution”, 1995 21-25 August 1995, 3 years after ICUS XIX, with 150 participants.

Planning board (identical to ICSU XIX except for the absence of Kenneth Mellanby, Joan Groom and Alexander King):

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Committees:

Committee I ICUS20.C01 Scientific Objectivity and Human Values

Session I: **ICUS20.C01.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS20.C01.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS20.C01.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS20.C01.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS20.C01.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS20.C01.S06** (untitled)

Committee II ICUS20.C02 Genetic Knowledge, Human Values and Human Responsibility

Session I: **ICUS20.C02.S01** The present status of genetic knowledge – what we know and what we don't know

Session II: **ICUS20.C02.S02** The concepts of "genetic health" and "genetic disease" – Do they make sense?

Session III: **ICUS20.C02.S03** The present state of genetic knowledge and its implications for health care

Session IV: **ICUS20.C02.S04** Treatment of genetic disease – public health issues

Session V: **ICUS20.C02.S05** Genetic knowledge viewed from ethnic, cultural and religious perspectives

Session VI: **ICUS20.C02.S06** Public policy for genetic knowledge and its use

Committee III ICUS20.C03 Values and the Social Order: Order by Rules and Rules by Order

Session I: **ICUS20.C03.S01** Voluntary vs. coercive orders: theory and history

Session II: **ICUS20.C03.S02** Cultural evolution and self-determination

Session III: **ICUS20.C03.S03** Evolution of morality and of legal institutions

Session IV: **ICUS20.C03.S04** Forms of government and their consequences

Session V: **ICUS20.C03.S05** Escapes from coercive orders to voluntary orders

Session VI: **ICUS20.C03.S06** Regional and functional federalism facilitates freedom

Committee IV ICUS20.C04 Science, Nature and the Sacred

- Session I: **ICUS20.C04.S01** Science and the sacred
- Session II: **ICUS20.C04.S02** Perspectives from history
- Session III: **ICUS20.C04.S03** Views from the physical science
- Session IV: **ICUS20.C04.S04** From the psychology[sic] of science
- Session V: **ICUS20.C04.S05** Studies of consciousness
- Session VI: **ICUS20.C04.S06** Other significant perspectives
- Committee V **ICUS20.C05** Re-Visioning the Aging Society: A Global Perspective
- Session I: **ICUS20.C05.S01** Population aging: a surprise-free forecast
- Session II: **ICUS20.C05.S02** (continuation)
- Session III: **ICUS20.C05.S03** The strong face of age: a paradigm shift
- Session IV: **ICUS20.C05.S04** (continuation)
- Session V: **ICUS20.C05.S05** Practical utopias
- Session VI: **ICUS20.C05.S06** (continuation)
- Committee VI **ICUS20.C06** In Pursuit of Beauty: Biological Foundations of Aesthetics
- Session I: **ICUS20.C06.S01** Anthropology of aesthetics
- Session II: **ICUS20.C06.S02** Biological adaptations and norms in the arts
- Session III: **ICUS20.C06.S03** Evolutionary significance of tragedy and monster tales
- Session IV: **ICUS20.C06.S04** The left and right sides of the brain
- Session V: **ICUS20.C06.S05** The aesthetics of complexity
- Session VI: **ICUS20.C06.S06** Spiritual implications of bioaesthetics
- Committee VII **ICUS20.C07** Towards the Harmony of Cultures
- Session I: **ICUS20.C07.S01** (untitled)
- Session II: **ICUS20.C07.S02** (untitled)
- Session III: **ICUS20.C07.S03** (untitled)
- Session IV: **ICUS20.C07.S04** (untitled)
- Session V: **ICUS20.C07.S05** (untitled)
- Session VI: **ICUS20.C07.S06** (untitled)

The agenda appends 3 additional days to the dates on the cover of the program, 21-25 August. The opening plenary session on 20 August is listed as a joint session of ICUS and PWPA, but no further PWPA events are listed other than a "Joint Plenary Session" on the evening of 23 August. A presentation of the International Highway Project is scheduled for after dinner on 24 August. For 25 August, the agenda consists of "International Wedding Ceremony and Entertainment" at the Olympic Stadium. A "Special Seminar" and afternoon tour are scheduled for 26 August and a full-day tour is scheduled for 27 August.

Moon and Hakja Han are not listed in the program. "Unification Church" does not appear in the program.

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ICUS XXI Absolute Values and the Unity of the Sciences: Science for the Benefit of Humanity

ICUS XXI was held at the Washington Hilton and Towers, Washington “Twenty-first International Conference of Unified Science: Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution”, 1997 24-29 November 1997, 2 years after ICUS XX, with 150 participants.

There is no planning board.

The program is organized into 7 committees each consisting of 6-7 sessions. The seventh committee is labeled a “festival committee”.

Committees:

Committee I **ICUS21.C01** The Information Revolution, Higher Education, and Research

Session I: **ICUS21.C01.S01** Information technologies and higher education

Session II: **ICUS21.C01.S02** Information technologies and inter-institutional collaboration

Session III: **ICUS21.C01.S03** Information technologies and research

Session IV: **ICUS21.C01.S04** Information technologies and tele-education

Session V: **ICUS21.C01.S05** Panel discussion

Session VI: **ICUS21.C01.S06** Toward a global interactive university network

Session VII: **ICUS21.C01.S07** Summary session

Committee II **ICUS21.C02** Symmetry in its various aspects: Search for Order in the Universe

Session I: **ICUS21.C02.S01** Mathematics

Session II: **ICUS21.C02.S02** Physics

Session III: **ICUS21.C02.S03** Chemistry

Session IV: **ICUS21.C02.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS21.C02.S05** Social sciences

Session VI: **ICUS21.C02.S06** (untitled)

Session VII: **ICUS21.C02.S07** Summary session

Committee III **ICUS21.C03** Human Universals and the Biological Foundations of Art

Session I: **ICUS21.C03.S01** Native American

Session II: **ICUS21.C03.S02** New Guinean

Session III: **ICUS21.C03.S03** Australoid and African

Session IV: **ICUS21.C03.S04** Russian

Session V: **ICUS21.C03.S05** Literate popular culture

Session VI: **ICUS21.C03.S06** Non-linear perspectives

Session VII: **ICUS21.C03.S07** Summary session

Committee IV **ICUS21.C04** Treatment of Non-linear Systems in Physics and Economics

Session I: **ICUS21.C04.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS21.C04.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS21.C04.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS21.C04.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS21.C04.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS21.C04.S06** (untitled)

Session VII: **ICUS21.C04.S07** Summary session

Committee V **ICUS21.C05** Wholeness Through the Pathways of Wisdom

Session I: **ICUS21.C05.S01** Part 1: Wisdom across faith traditions

Session II: **ICUS21.C05.S02** (continuation)

Session III: **ICUS21.C05.S03** Part 2: Faith, ethics and healing

Session IV: **ICUS21.C05.S04** (continuation)

Session V: **ICUS21.C05.S05** Part 3: Toward a new synthesis (and beyond?)

Session VI: **ICUS21.C05.S06** (continuation)

Session VII: **ICUS21.C05.S07** Summary session

Committee VI **ICUS21.C06** Life, Death, and Eternal Hope

Session I: **ICUS21.C06.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS21.C06.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS21.C06.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS21.C06.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS21.C06.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS21.C06.S06** (untitled)

Festival Committee **ICUS21.C07** World Culture and Sports Festival Committee

Session 1: **ICUS21.C07.S01** Detente for religion and science

Session 2: **ICUS21.C07.S02** Theories of evolution and creation

Session 3: **ICUS21.C07.S03** Theoretical heirs of socialism and capitalism

- Session 4: **ICUS21.C07.S04** Re-construction of the concept of the family and the value set associated with it
- Session 5: **ICUS21.C07.S05** North-South issues, including equalization of technology
- Session 6: **ICUS21.C07.S06** Harmony of humans-in-nature
- Session 7: **ICUS21.C07.S07** Harmony among religious traditions
- Session 8: **ICUS21.C07.S08** Summary session

Like the previous 2 ICUS conferences, ICUS XXI includes a mass wedding, which is labeled in the program as an "International Blessing Ceremony and Entertainment" and was held at RFK Stadium. All day Sunday and all day Monday are scheduled for arrivals, a lot of time for just 150 participants. Perhaps the same venue is being used for participant in the mass wedding.

ICUS and PWPA hold 4 joint plenary sessions: the opening, a joint plenary about science and values, a joint plenary about the World University Federation, and a joint plenary for the Federation of Peninsula Nations for World Peace.

The program for the jointly held 7th International Congress of the Professors World Peace Academy was published in PWPA's journal, the journal on peace studies and peace policies. ("The 7th International Congress of the Professors World Peace Academy", 1998)

Moon and Hakja Han are not listed in the program. "Unification Church" occurs in the title of Keisuke Noda's presentation on wisdom but not elsewhere in the program.

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ICUS XXII Absolute Values and the Unity of the Sciences: Science for the Benefit of Humanity

ICUS XXII was held at the Lotte Hotel, Seoul ("Twenty-second International Conference of Unified Science: Absolute Values and the New Cultural Revolution", 2000) 9-13 February 2000, 2 years after ICUS XXI, with 150 participants.

There is no planning board.

This ICUS conference was part of a larger "World Culture and Sports Festival (WCSF)." A description in the agenda states that this is the fourth WCSF. It also states that the first WCSF in 1992 included ICUS XIX, the second WCSF in 1995 included ICUS XX, and the third WCSF in 1997 included ICUS XXI. Not stated but listed in the programs for ICUS XIX, XX, XXI and this program are mass weddings, labeled "Wedding" in the ICUS XIX and XX programs and "Blessing" in ICUS XXI and this program. This program also lists the following organizations as participating in this WCSF:

Family Federation for World Peace and Unification International (formerly known as the Unification Church)

Federation for World Peace

Federation of Island Nations for World Peace

Federation of Peninsular Nations for World Peace

International Relief and Friendship Foundation

Interreligious Federation for World Peace

Interreligious and International Federation for World Peace

Martial Arts Federation for World Peace

Professors World Peace Academy

Religious Youth Service

Unification Thought Institute

Women's Federation for World Peace

World Media Association

Youth Federation for World Peace

The program is organized into 6 committees each consisting of 6-8 sessions. The seventh committee is labeled a "festival committee".

Committees:

Committee I **ICUS22.C01** Symmetry in its various aspects: Search for Order in the Universe

Session I: **ICUS22.C01.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS22.C01.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS22.C01.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: (free time)

Session V: **ICUS22.C01.S04** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS22.C01.S05** (untitled)

Session VII: **ICUS22.C01.S06** (untitled)

Committee II **ICUS22.C02** Holistic Medicine in Modern Health Care

Session I: **ICUS22.C02.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS22.C02.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS22.C02.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: (free time)

Session V: **ICUS22.C02.S04** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS22.C02.S05** (untitled)

Session VII: **ICUS22.C02.S06** Concluding discussion

Session VIII: (free time)

Committee III **ICUS22.C03** The Threat of Epidemics

Session I: **ICUS22.C03.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS22.C03.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS22.C03.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: (free time)

Session V: **ICUS22.C03.S04** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS22.C03.S05** (untitled)

Session VII: **ICUS22.C03.S06** Concluding discussion

Committee IV **ICUS22.C04** Police and Military – Public or Private? Explorations in the Theory and History of Security Protection

Session I: **ICUS22.C04.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS22.C04.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS22.C04.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: (free time)

Session V: **ICUS22.C04.S04** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS22.C04.S05** (untitled)

Session VII: **ICUS22.C04.S06** (untitled)

Committee V **ICUS22.C05** Non-linear Structures in Natural Sciences and Economics

Session I: **ICUS22.C05.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS22.C05.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS22.C05.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS22.C05.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS22.C05.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS22.C05.S06** (untitled)

Session VII: **ICUS22.C05.S07** (untitled)

Session VIII: **ICUS22.C05.S08** Concluding discussion

Committee VI **ICUS22.C06** Science and Music: A Unifying Concept

Session I: **ICUS22.C06.S01** (untitled)

Session II: **ICUS22.C06.S02** (untitled)

Session III: **ICUS22.C06.S03** (untitled)

Session IV: **ICUS22.C06.S04** (untitled)

Session V: **ICUS22.C06.S05** (untitled)

Session VI: **ICUS22.C06.S06** (untitled)

Session VII: **ICUS22.C06.S07** (untitled)

Session VIII: **ICUS22.C06.S08** (untitled)

Moon and Hakja Han are not listed in the ICUS program. "Unification Church" occurs in the form of Family Federation for World Peace and Unification International as an organization participating in the WCSF.

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