

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

“PEACE OF RELIGIONS, TODAY”

Organized by

**University of Bucharest, The Faculty of Roman-Catholic Theology, Romania
The Council for Research in Values and Philosophy, Washington D.C., S.U.A.**

Bucharest, 1-3 June 2023
General Berthelot Street, no.19

Thursday, 1 June 2023, Faculty building, Second floor, no. 24

<p>10:00 Opening remarks Wilhelm Dancă (Rev. Prof., Dean of the Roman-Catholic Faculty, University of Bucharest, Romania)</p>
<p>10:15 Keynote speaker William Sweet (St Francis Xavier University. Department of Philosophy, Antigonish, NS Canada) Religion, Peace, and the Human Person</p>
<p>11:00 Keynote speaker Daniel Barbu (University of Bucharest, Romania) Love, War, and Fairness. Is Peace Normatively Impossible?</p>
<p>11:45-12:00 Coffee Break</p>
<p>12:00 Hu Yeping (The Council for Research in Values and Philosophy, Washington D.C., S.U.A.) Peace and Harmony as the Ultimate Goal of Justice</p>
<p>12:45 Emanuel Sălăgean (Adventus University, Cernica, Romania) From love to global peace in the vision of George F. McLean</p>
<p>13:30-15:00 Lunch</p>
<p>15:00 Karim Douglas Crow (The Council for Research in Values and Philosophy, Washington D.C., S.U.A.) Intra-Religious Muslim Dialogue? Geostrategic and Religious Implications of Sunni-Shi' ah Rivalry</p>
<p>15:45 Asna Husin (Ar-Raniry State Islamic University, Banda Aceh, Indonesia) Knowledge Is Light': Seeking the Basis for Peace Between Muslim and Christian</p>
<p>16:30</p>

<p style="text-align: center;">Dan Chițoiu (Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iassy, Romania) Role of Spirituality in Conflict Resolution. Scenarios and Strategies</p>
17:15-17:30 Coffee Break
<p style="text-align: center;">17:30 Hristofor-Tarciziu Șerban (University of Bucharest, Romania) Împăcarea cu Dumnezeu, înfăptuită de Isus Christos - sursa păcii dintre oameni</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">18:00 Cristian Bălănean (University of Bucharest, Romania) Coabitarea valorilor creștine cu democrația în Uniunea Europeană pe linia Sartori-Hayek</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">18:30 Daniela-Ionela Mare (University of Bucharest, România) Persoana consacrată, “făcător de pace”?</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">19:00 Gabriela Blebea-Nicolae (University of Bucharest, Romania) De ce dușmănim?</p>

Friday, 2 June 2023, Faculty building, Second floor, no. 24

<p style="text-align: center;">10:00 Wilhelm Dancă (University of Bucharest, Romania) Peace of Religions or Christian Denominations? Some Remarks on the “De pace fidei” by Nicolaus Cusanus in the Context of the Russian-Ukrainian Conflict</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">10:45 Eduard Giurgi (University of Bucharest, Romania) Peace in the World Conditioned by the Peace in the Heart: a Closer Look at <i>Pacem in terris</i></p>
11:30-11.45 Coffe Break
<p style="text-align: center;">11:45 Otniel Bunaciu (University of Bucharest, Romania) Blessed are the peacemakers ... A reflection on Karl Barth’s understanding on War and Peace from a perspective of the situation in Europe today</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">12:15 Gerald Duroisin</p>

<p>(Church Notre-Dame, Namur, Belgium)</p> <p>The „mediatio unionis”: Elements of Mariology and Ecclesiology for our Time</p>
<p>13:30-15:00 Lunch Break</p>
<p>15:00</p> <p>Adina Bălan (University of Bucharest, Romania)</p> <p>Women, Religion and Peacebuilding</p>
<p>15:45</p> <p>Florian Ioniță (University of Bucharest, Romania)</p> <p>Father Georges Lemaitre author of the “primordial atom” theory 1931 (today Big Bang)</p>
<p>16:30</p> <p>Lorena Stuparu („Ion I. C. Brătianu“ Institute of Political Sciences and International Relations of Romanian Academy, Romania)</p> <p>Armonia religiilor în viziunea lui Mircea Eliade</p>
<p>17:15-17:30 Coffee Break</p>
<p>17:30</p> <p>Ilie-Grigore Cătălin (University of Bucharest, Romania)</p> <p>Conflict economic, discernământ religios</p>
<p>18:00</p> <p>Roxana Zanea (Octav Onicescu National College, Bucharest, România)</p> <p>Distrugând locurile sacre : patrimoniul sacru în fața conflictelor</p>
<p>18:30</p> <p>Ana Moldovan Rafail (University of Bucharest, Romania)</p> <p>Pavlichienii, o identitate marcată de conflict. Războiului ruso- turc din 1806-1812</p>
<p>19:00</p> <p>Elena Oliviana Epurescu (University of Polytechnics of Bucharest, România)</p> <p>Pacea din noi și pacea de lângă noi</p>

Closing remarks in English: **Hu Yeping**

Closing remarks in Romanian: **Adina Bălan**

Saturday, 3 June 2023

Cultural day

Departures

Peace be with you all!