Registrants are responsible for making their own accommodation arrangements.

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Lethbridge, AB
Phone: 403-327-5701
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www.coasthotels.com/hotels/canada/alberta

There are excellent room rates available only to those attending the APCA Conference and must be booked by March 15. Contact the hotel for further information.

Full registration fee includes all conference sessions, banquet on Monday, luncheon on Tuesday and all nutrition breaks.

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Conference Agenda

Monday, April 15, 2013

11:00 AM ~ Registration
1:00 PM ~ Welcome-Opening Devotion
1:15 PM ~ Dr. Paul Wong
Meaning Seeking / Meaning Making:
Contributions of Viktor Frankl, founder of Logotherapy and Holocaust survivor
2:30 PM ~ 2:45 PM Break
2:45 PM ~ Dr. Paul Wong
Meaning Centered Counselling
and Spiritual Care
4:00 PM ~ Break
4:15 PM ~ APCA Annual Meeting
6:00 PM ~ Banquet & Entertainment

Tuesday, April 16, 2013

9:00 AM ~ Morning Devotion
and Check-in
9:30 AM ~ Dr. Paul Wong
Spiritual Care & Meaning Transformation
in Death Acceptance and Grief Counselling
10:45 AM Break
11:00 AM ~ Rev. Tom Powell
Creative Approaches to Pastoral Care to Persons with Alzheimer’s Disease
12 Noon ~ Lunch
1:00 PM ~ Rev. Kevin Powell
Social Media and Pastoral Care
2:00 PM ~ Closing and Hospitality

Keynote Speaker:

Dr. Paul Wong

Dr. Paul T. P. Wong received his Ph.D. in Psychology from the University of Toronto. He has held professional positions at various universities.

Dr. Wong has published extensively with more than 120 scholarly journal articles, 60 invited chapters and five books. He is internationally known for his research on meaning in life, death acceptance, successful aging, positive existential psychology and meaning therapy. He has presented keynote addresses and workshops around the world.

Dr. Wong has been interviewed by numerous television and radio stations, including CBC, BBC, ABC, CNN, CTV, and Global TV. In addition, he has been consulted by major newspapers, including New York Times, Financial Post, National Post, and Toronto Star. Dr. Wong is cited by more than 6,000 websites internationally.

Dr. Wong is the Founding Pastor of the Chinese Gospel Church in Toronto. He has spent more than three decades ministering to refugees, foreign students and new immigrants.

Speakers

Rev. Tom Powell
CPE Supervisor LutherCare Communities

Rev. Kevin Powell
St. John Lutheran Church

Entertainment

Soloist: Rev. Tom Powell

This Conference would be of interest to:

- Clergy, Chaplains
- Pastoral/Spiritual Caregivers & Volunteers
- Health Care Workers
- Parish Nurses
- Social Workers
- Home Caregivers
- Palliative Care Personnel
- Those Interested In Pastoral Care

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