

12th WORLD CONGRESS OF THE THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

Toward Insight and Wholeness: Our Role in Shaping the Future

23 to 27 July 2025

Venue: THE NEST Hall, University of British Columbia (UBC), Canada

Wednesday, 23 July

7.30-9.00 AM Registrations
9.00 AM OPENING OF THE 12th WORLD CONGRESS
First Nation's Welcoming, Invocation
Welcoming by the Hosting TS
Welcoming by the International TS
Greetings, Group photo
10.30 AM Keynote Lecture: "150 years of Theosophy" by Michael Gomes
Book release
3.00 PM Discussion groups
4.30 PM Lecture by Shikhar Agnihotri
Free evening

8-8.45 AM BREAKFAST

10 AM BREAK

12-1 PM LUNCH

4 PM BREAK

6-7 PM DINNER

Thursday, 24 July

7.30-8.00 AM Meditation
9.00 AM Lecture by Elif Kamisli
10.30 AM Workshops (I)
3.00 PM Intercultural dialogue "Wisdom across borders: Toward a More Connected World"
4.30 PM TS Canada, Centenary Celebration
7.30 PM TS Canada: Cultural evening

Friday, 25 July

7.30-8.00 AM Meditation
9.00 AM Lecture by Elizabeth May on the Congress Theme
10.30 AM Workshops (II)
3.00 PM Short talks (WFYT and TS)
4.30 PM President's Lecture, Tim Boyd
7.30 PM 150 years of the TS. Documentary at AMS Theatre

Saturday, 26 July

7.30-8.00 AM Meditation
9.00 AM Lecture "Nehru and Theosophy: Spiritual Principles of a Formative Statesman"
By Mitch Horowitz
10.30 AM Panel "Theosophical Roots&Shoots" with representatives of
the Theosophical Movement
1.00 PM Half Day outing
7.30 PM Last evening together: Adyar Illustrated, Indian dance

Sunday, 27 July

7.30-8.00 AM Meditation
9.00 AM Lecture by Stephen Hoeller
10.30 AM Dialogue: Tim Boyd and Michael Gomes
3.00 PM Panel with workshops facilitators
4.30 PM CLOSING CEREMONY

28 July: Tours for those who have pre-booked to some of the tours

TOS CONFERENCE

The Role of Service in Shaping the Future

1st evening at NEST Hall, other days in room 2306/2309

Sunday, 27 July at the Nest Hall

6.00 PM TOS Dinner
7.30 PM Opening of the 5th TOS Conference

Sunday, 28 July, at the Nest meeting room 2306/2309

9.00 AM Inaugural Address by Tim Boyd
11.00 AM TOS Program
Orientation by Nancy Secrest: "Have we met our most recent goals?"
2.00 PM Grass roots achievements: presentations by TOS countries
4.15 PM Discussion: "Two Halves of the Same Whole"
7.30 PM Some kind of entertainment

Sunday, 29 July, at the Nest meeting room 2306/2309

9.00 AM TOS Vision: "The Role of Service in Shaping the Future"
Four short talks
10.45 AM Address: "The Role of Service in Shaping the Future" by Vic Hao Chin Jr
1.30 PM TOS Vision: Group discussions and planning of future goals
4.30 PM Closing the Conference

30 July: Tours for those who have pre-booked to some of the tours