

Summer school

Integral Human Development

Annual Seminar of the International PhD Program & Research Network *Contemporary Humanism* in cooperation with the Postdoc-Fellowship Program in Integral Human Development at CADOS – Católica Doctoral School

5-9 September 2022

Integral Human Development (IHD) is a concept first coined by Pope Paul VI in his Encyclical *Populorum progressio* signaling that the focus of development should be in “the development of each man and of the whole man” (n. 14). Pope Francis has renewed this intention for a focus on IHD by encouraging to seek ways that “may better meet the needs of the men and women whom they are called to serve”. In institutional terms, the creation of a Dicastery of Integral Human Development bringing together all the activity related to this theme is a strong affirmation of a renewed attention to the field.

In line with this focus on IHD, the 2022 annual seminar of the International PhD Program & Research Network *Contemporary Humanism* in cooperation with the Postdoc-Fellowship Program in Integral Human Development at UCP seeks to discuss issues concerning the three main areas of concern in IHD: Faith and Integral Development, Fringes of Humanity and Care of Creation. The seminar will allow to enrich the research frameworks and insights around the multiple dimensions that constitute integral human development by challenging society’s preconceptions of development, poverty and inequality and debating knowledge on concepts, notions and realities of the world we live in. On the assumption that “authentic development is the development that makes every person ‘more human’ and seeks to promote the good of the whole person and of every person”, the seminar seeks to understand what a New and Contemporary Humanism might mean and how it could help to transform 21st century’s culture and society.

The International PhD Program & Research Network *Contemporary Humanism* in cooperation with the Postdoc-Fellowship Program in Integral Human Development at CADOS – Católica Doctoral School invites doctoral candidates and post-doc researchers to participate in this seminar by presenting a 20 minutes paper on topics related to IHD.

The seminar will be held in a hybrid form, allowing for on-site and online participation.

Enrolment:

Abstract of max. 400 words and short **CV** of max. 300 words to be sent until **June 10 2022** to dhi.cados@ucp.pt

Acceptance on June 21 2022.

Attendance Fees:

On-site: € 60,00, including conference program, certificate, coffee breaks and lunch at canteen (free for members of Contemporary Humanism Network as well as Doctoral and Post-Doc Fellows at CADOS)

Online: € 30,00 including conference program and certificate (free for members of Contemporary Humanism Network as well as Doctoral and Post-Doc Fellows at CADOS)

The summer school is conceived as a Blended Intensive Programme and counts on online components for all participants (sending of abstract and a virtual wrap-up meeting for participants who require 3 ECTS in October 2022; date tbc) as well as an onsite component in Lisbon (5.9.-9.9.2022).

Evaluation (3 ECTS): Paper presentation during the contact hours and in written form before the online wrap-up meeting.

Keynote Speakers:

ACU: [Andrew McKenzie-McHarg](#) - title of the presentation: "Modes of Understanding the Margins"

ICP: [Michael Bourgatte](#) - title of the presentation: "Video Empowerment in the Digital Age"

UCLy: [Chiara Pesaresi](#) - title of the presentation: "A Philosophical Perspective on Integral Human Development in the Light of Vulnerability"

UCP: [João Duque](#) - title of the presentation: "Monist Posthumanism or Analogue New Humanism?"

PUC: [Alejandra Carrasco](#) - title of the presentation: "Justice, Respect and Care"

Program structure

WEST	Monday 5.9.2022	Tuesday 6.9.2022	Wednesday 7.9.2022	Thursday 8.9.2022	Friday 9.9.2022
9h30- 11h45	Arrival – Welcome	Faith and Integral Development Paper sessions by Doctoral and Postdoc researchers	Fringes of Humanity Paper sessions by Doctoral and Postdoc researchers	Care of Creation Paper sessions by Doctoral and Postdoc researchers	Care of Creation Paper sessions by Doctoral and Postdoc researchers
12h00 - 13h00	Keynote	Keynote	Keynote	Keynote	Keynote
13h00 - 14h30	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
14h30 - 17h00	Faith and Integral Development Paper sessions by Doctoral and Postdoc researchers	Fringes of Humanity Paper sessions by Doctoral and Postdoc researchers	Cultural Program Visit to the Amélia de Mello gallery	Round table IHD in debate	Departure