

# International Association for the Psychology of Religion

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Website: [www.iaprweb.org](http://www.iaprweb.org)

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<http://www.iaprweb.org/membership.html>

Benefits of membership:

1. Regular membership with the IAPR includes the subscription to the *Archive for the Psychology of Religion*. For regular members, print and online version are free.
2. Members of the IAPR pay reduced conference fees for the organization's conferences.
3. IAPR members receive special discounts for their subscriptions to:
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4. IAPR members receive the Association's e-mail newsletters which keep you in touch with the scientific community and inform you about conferences, job advertisements, funding opportunities, key publications, and the Association's latest developments and activities.

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Dear IAPR members,

If you would like to add information in future newsletters please e-mail me the text! This may concern general announcements, conferences (future and report from past ones), job opportunities, key publications, or any other information you think IAPR members might be interested in.

If you are an early career researcher (PhD student or postdoc) and would like to see your work featured in the newsletter, contact me!

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### UCSIA Summer school and Academic workshop

#### UCSIA Summer School 2016 – Public Religion, Spirituality and Lifestyle

The annual UCSIA summer school on “Religion, Culture and Society: Entanglement and Confrontation” is a one-week course taking place From Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> of August until Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> of September 2016 at the University of Antwerp, Belgium. This year the programme will focus on the topic of [Public Religion, Spirituality and Lifestyle](#). You can submit your application via the [electronic submission form](#) on the [summer school website](#). The completed file as well as all other required application documents must be submitted to the UCSIA Selection Committee not later than Sunday 15 May 2016.

More information: [www.ucsia.org/summerschool](http://www.ucsia.org/summerschool)

#### Academic workshop – The Critical Role of Religious Community Life in Europe

On October 19<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> 2016, UCSIA organizes the academic workshop [The Critical Role of Religious Community Life in Europe: A World Between Tradition and Innovation](#) at the University of Antwerp, Belgium. Researchers, doctoral students and other experts are welcome to submit their application until 15 June 2016. Candidates should send in the completed submission form, accompanied by a short academic curriculum vitae and an outline of the proposed paper. The decision of the selection committee will be communicated by end-June 2016 the latest. Further details and the online application form are available at the [website](#).

More information: [www.ucsia.org](http://www.ucsia.org).

### Duke Spirituality & Health Workshop

**Location:** Durham, North Carolina

**Dates:** August 15-19, 2016

**More information and Registration:** <http://www.spiritualityhealthworkshops.org/>

Now is the time to register for a spot in the 2015 summer research workshop on spirituality & health. The workshop is designed for those interested in conducting research in this area or learning more about the research that is now being done. Those with any level of training or exposure to the topic will benefit from this workshop, from laypersons to graduate students to seasoned researchers and professors at leading academic institutions. Over 700 persons from all over the world have attended this workshop since 2004. Individual mentorship is being provided to those who need help with their research or desire career guidance (early registration required to assure mentorship). Partial tuition scholarships are available for those with strong academic potential and serious financial hardships.



### **The John Templeton Foundation**

The Templeton Foundation is accepting small grants submissions (less than \$217,400), the next deadline is May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016. The next deadline for large grants submissions (greater than \$217,400) is August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016.

More information: <https://www.templeton.org/what-we-fund/grantmaking-calendar>