

Unitarian Universalist Multiracial Unity Action Council

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"For the Unity of the Light and
Dark Skinned People Of The World."

Call to Action—October 28 – October 30, 2022

The Michael Servetus/InterNational Conference Against Racism (MS/INCAR)

In Memoriam: Michael Servetus --Martyr in the Cause of Multi-Religious Tolerance –a **Hybrid Event**, Sponsored by the Unitarian Universalist Multiracial Unity Action Council—UUMUAC, (Organized by Its Religious Professionals Task Force , the MS/INCAR Committee– Revs. Finley C. Campbell, Vernon Chandler, and Beverly Seese, members)

Theme: The vital role which Multiracial Unitarian Universalism as an embodiment of the Seven Principles of the Unitarian Universalist Association of Congregations, especially the Fourth Principle, can play in the struggle against racism in all its forms from Afghanistan to Zambia.

We do this, in part, by commemorating the life, theology, and martyrdom of one of the ancestors of UUMUAC, Brother Michael Servetus. We do this mainly by inviting members and friends of UUMUAC from around the world to take part in this event. Plus, all others interested in our Multiracial Unitarian Universalist approach to the struggle against racist ideologies in all their forms, especially reaching out to our non-American participants. Non UUMUAC participants must have no major objections to the Seven UU principles in order to participate.

The Hilton Geneva Hotel and Conference Center, Geneva, Switzerland, will be the site for our three key activities and all times for the hybrid activities will be 9 am – 3 pm, Central Time USA and 4 – 10 pm, Geneva, Switzerland time.

Since this will be a hybrid conference, we are planning to have professional Zoom services for all our key sessions to encourage maximum participation.

A General Schedule of Activities

Pre-Conference: beginning Friday, October 21-ending Friday, October 28 – settling in/tours/excursions/cultural activities in the Geneva City area and beyond for on-site arrivals, Transportation, housing, and all of the costs of participation for those going to Geneva itself are the responsibility of the participants. We will send information on housing at the Geneva Hilton Hotel and Conference Center, plus guidance on train arrangements, flight options, and arrival by car to those who indicate they will be going physically to the conference. Information supplied by request only.

If you are planning to attend in person, please contact Rev. Dr. Finley C. Campbell at finleycampbell5200@comcast.net.

Conference: Our proposed program:

1. October 28, Friday opening session:
Prof. Alan Spector, Ph. D., former professor of sociology-- Why this conference? Why now? Discussion; Last words; socializing.
2. October 29, Saturday plenary session:
Panel discussion: The Vision of Michael Servetus and the Multiracial Unitarian Universalist Struggle Against Racism, featuring Revs. Finley C. Campbell, Peter Hughes, and Craig Moro with Revs. Beverly Seese and Jack Reich
3. October 30, Sunday final plenary session:
Homily, Rev. Finley C. Campbell: The Harvest Is Great; The Laborers Are Few – The Need for the Growth of UUMUAC as An InterNational Organization

A detailed program will be made available on or about October 1, 2022.

The cost of registration, whether in-person or via Zoom, is \$150. And Registration will remain open until Thursday, October 27, 2022, Noon Central Time (7 p.m. Geneva Time). How to register for the Conference: Go to www.uumuac.org and then click on the contact tab. There provide all the information requested and indicate that you wish to register for the International Conference in Geneva. Then, using the donate button there, or the donate button on the homepage, make your \$150 registration payment. Alternately, you may send your full contact information plus a check for \$150 payable to UUMUAC to the below address, with "International Conference" in the Note section. UUMUAC, 1448 E. 52nd St., Box 267, Chicago, IL 60615 www.uumuac.org. You can also send registration or other inquiries about this InterNational Conference Against Racism (INCAR) to uumuac@gmail.com.

It is time to make Multiracial Unitarian Universalism an international force, along with others committed to multiracial unity, multicultural synergy, and international solidarity. We have a world to win.