spiritual resources and is obsessed by the pursuit of material values. From this perspective, addiction is a significant factor in the current global crisis and finding ways of transforming it might be critical for human survival. The focus of the conference will thus extend far beyond a narrow understanding of addiction as pathology and will explore the possibility of viewing it as a form of spiritual emer-

gency, both individual and planetary.

We are very excited about the upcoming conference and believe that it will be a fascinating and important event. We invite all of you who share this vision to come and explore it with us intellectually and experientially. It will be an opportunity to reconnect with friends from the past and meet many new ones.

## **FOCUS**

The program of the

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- The role of spirituality in the development of addiction, in its treatment, and during recovery
- The contribution of C.G. Jung to the understanding and treatment of addiction
- The possibility of cooperation between spiritually oriented recovery practices (Twelve Step programs) and transpersonal psychology
- Practical implementation of transpersonal psychology in today's treatment settings
- Service as a vital element in spiritual practice and in recovery
- Understanding of addiction and codependence as universal human dilemmas
- The possibility of addiction to spirituality
- The importance of spirituality in human life and its relationship to religion
- The approaches which facilitate spiritual development and consciousness evolution
- The integration of spirituality into the modern scientific world-view

There will be regularly scheduled meetings of the various Twelve Step and other recovery support groups.

## CONFERENCE PRESENTERS

Call For Art:
During the conference, special spaces will be reserved for works of artists focusing on the spiritual quest and addiction. If you are interested personally or have specific suggestions, please contact Tav Sparks, Program Coordinator, 26 Hazel
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Angeles Arrien David Berenson John Bradshaw Darlene Cross David Darling Edward Drozdov Alf Foote China Galland Ruth Fishel Christina Grof Stanislav Grof Steven Halpern Chungliang Al Huang Jack Kornfield John Lee Mickey Lemle Linda Leonard Rokelle Lerner Bette Martin

Ralph Metzner Iane Middleton-Moz Lynn Namka George Nash Karen Paine-Gernee Gabrielle Roth Richard Seymour David Smith Tav Sparks Richard Tarnas Keith Thompson Frances Vaughan Pir Vilayat Khan Roger Walsh Andrew Weil Charles Whitfield Rev. Cecil Williams Marion Woodman and others

## **ORGANIZING COMMITTEE:**

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## PRE- AND POST CONFERENCE

Special pre- and post conference workshops will be held as separate events on the two weekends adjacent to the conference. These will provide participants an opportunity to explore at greater depth specific topics on addiction and the spiritual quest, as well as transpersonal psychology. Among the pre-conference workshops will be Stanislav and Christina Grof's The Adventure of Self-Discovery: A Holotropic Breathwork Experience. Anne and Jim Armstrong's Intuition, Addiction, and The Spiritual Path and Chungliang Al Huang's Follow Your Bliss: Mythbody to Live By. Among the post Conference workshops will be Charles Whitfield's Healing the Child Within. The schedule of the remaining workshops has not been finalized; for the final list, please contact the Conference Coordinator.