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Conference - Respect for Diversity Thursday 11th Oct 2007, 18.30 – 21.00 Interfaith Seminar

• What is Respect for Diversity?

Faith leaders to explore this vast and multi-dimensional subject (diversity in religion, culture, social values, food, dress etc) in the context of human globalization of our world and to assist in developing a new consciousness and a new mindset.

• Who is this seminar aimed for?

For all communities, people of faith or none, to explore, to commit to enhancing the Harmonious Communities agenda and develop Community Cohesion. ChairInderjit Bhogal - Director, Yorkshire and Humber Faith ForumSpeakerDr Brian Walker - Religions For PeaceSpeaker - BuddhistDavid Midgley - Teacher, Jamyang Buddhist CentreSpeaker - ChristianBishop James Bell - Bishop of KnaresboroughSpeaker - HinduKiran Bali - Interfaith SpeakerSpeaker - JewishPhil Margolis - Director, Israel Information Centre (North England) Speaker - MuslimAkram Khan Cheema - OBESpeaker - SikhBhai Sahib Mohinder Singh - Chairman GNNSJ

Conference - The Civic Gospel Friday 12th Oct 2007, 13.30 – 16.00 Interfaith Seminar

• What is Civic Gospel?

A conference to explore values of shared responsibility between the Civic leaders, (policy makers, local/ regional visionaries and think-tanks) and citizens of Leeds to create a clear understanding of Rights and Responsibilities of all involved. Share the aims of the 8 UN millennium Goals, their implementation at grass-root level and plans for growth to regional, national, international and global level.

&bull: Who is this seminar aimed for?

For all Civic Leaders and citizens of Yorkshire and Humber:

To develop sustainable policies, understand the need for shared responsibility in order to become good citizens and create an atmosphere of positive action to eradicate global woes – poverty, global warming, extremism etc.ChairMrs Kuldip K BharjSpeaker 1Paul Rogerson - CEO Leeds City CouncilSpeaker 3Prof. Simon Lee - Vice Chancellor, Leeds MetSpeaker 4Carole Hassan - Chair Local Government Yorkshire & HumberSpeaker 6Chris Edwards - Chief Executive, Education Leeds

There will be a plenary session of half hour at the end of each conference to allow questions from the floor

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