ROBERT S. HARTMAN INSTITUTE

Newsletter

Summer Edition 2016

Important News!

Global RSHI Conference

Knoxville Airport Hilton

October 20, 21

Register here!

Hotel Reservation

Register here!

Book by October 4th

Submit conference proposals by August 1st !!

Journal of Formal Axiology

Past issues available on the Members section of the website!

RSHI Website

Check it out!

Our Conference is Coming Up

We are getting excited about celebrating the 40th anniversary of the birth of the Hartman Institute and our 39th annual meeting in October. We already have really great committed presenters lined up, but still have room for more!

The theme will be:
"The Relevance of Hartman's Thinking Today!"

In keeping with past formats we ask that presentations last about 30 minutes plus 15 minutes to allow for a question and answer period and lively discussions. If you have a special application that might take a double session, please still submit and we will take it under advisement. Proposals will be accepted through August 1st, so that everyone has time to make accommodations for travel. Include the title and short summary of what you will speak on and how it is relevant to the theme for this year.

We are also considering a new approach. In an attempt to be progressive with building our educational outreach we also want to encourage people who conduct trainings of any kind that include axiology, to consider offering some of them through the Institute. A panel will be set up at the conference to include those who wish to do this. We will then develop training through the institute. Contributors to this training will gain the exposure from the institute, and share in its proceeds from the training. These proceeds on the Institute's side will allow the Institute to continue to develop training for all.

We will be holding a board meeting on this topic. Please let me know if you are interested in being part of this panel, and email me with any questions about this potential training opportunity so the board can have an opportunity to discuss them. We may even invite a few of you to join in on the discussion that day.

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PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Greetings!

Welcome to those who have joined or renewed their memberships recently. We are so happy to have you share in the rich legacy of Robert Hartman**.**

Be sure to read **Pam**'s letter on the first page. We are looking forward to a wonderful conference and especially look forward to your involvement. Consider submitting a proposal.

Do you want to learn more from those who knew Robert Hartman? Get in touch with those in our Wisdom Council who worked with him or were his students. That includes Wisdom Council Chair **Mark Moore, Art Ellis, Rem Edwards, Wayne Carpenter**, and **Steve Byrum**, for example, all of whom knew Hartman when he taught at the University of Tennessee. The Wisdom Council has also chosen to ask **Darlene Clark**, former RSHI Treasurer, to join them.

My congratulations go to the European Branch who put on an amazing conference. The presentations were rich in substance and prompted good discussion.

Some of you have noticed that we are now providing access to the Manual of Interpretation online. It is available to all registered Service Providers (**ASP**), who may also order one for those they teach.

Finally, my thanks to **Rem, Vera** and **Cliff** who are working on the Journal. It will be out soon!

Warm wishes for a wonderful Summer. Please feel free to contact any one of us if you have questions.

K.T. Connor, PhD
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AN OPEN INVITATION...

If you are already a member of the Hartman Institute – Congratulations! You know the dedication of our Board, Wisdom Council and members to further Dr. Hartman's research so that common good can be applied to all facets of society in our world. We are the world's premier Institute for development, research and education in value science, and you can do your part to grow our membership by inspiring your friends, associates, and clients to join.

This year marks the Institute's 40th birthday, and we invite you to join or renew your membership! Any consultant, psychologist, sociologist, teacher or coach can benefit greatly from learning about axiology and using it in their work. Many of us are available for training in how to best apply our products and services in your field.

Check out our web site, http://hartmaninstitute.org and join or re-join one of our branches! Then, start using your membership benefits. We'd love to see you get involved!

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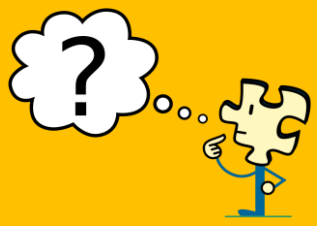

NOW HOW DOES THE NEW WEBSITE REGISTRATION WORK?

A NOTE FROM JAY NIBLICK, SOCIAL MEDIA VP

The new process has the new registering member go through and set everything up themselves, including their username and password. By the time we receive notification that they are a member, everything is already done and they have likely already visited the member's only section. Once they register and their payment is automatically confirmed through our automated system, they now have access to all member benefits.

Every existing member will receive an automated email in the weeks prior to their membership expiring. In that email is a link where they can go directly to their profile, log in, and either cancel their membership or update their credit card information. If they already have a card on file and want to continue to be a member, they don't have to do anything as it will automatically renew.

How is it working for you? Are you getting your renewal notice?

If you are joining, is the process working for you?

Be sure to let Jay know if you are having problems.
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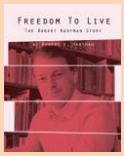

FREEDOM TO LIVE
Now available as eBook
Click here: *Freedom to Live*

Hartman on Why He Was Motivated to Study How to Organize Good:

Philosophers are aware that man has developed lopsidedly, that his knowledge of the world has dangerously outstripped his knowledge of himself, that he has learned to value and control nature but not how to value and control himself. They note with concern that even as he prepares for planetary travel, he continues to live in the Stone Age emotionally. Natural Science has changed the physical way we live so much that Julius Caesar or Columbus would not comprehend it. Unfortunately, it is equally certain that Jesus Christ would find mankind little changed. For the inner landscape in which he was interested and where he hoped to establish the Kingdom of God looks as barren and sterile, as chaotic and anarchic, as neglected and uncultivated as in his day. In this landscape the whole work of cultivation is still to be done – the clearing and plowing, the building of highways and lines of communication.

He wrote this in the 1960's. Where are we today?

What can each of us do to move us toward his dream, using what he has left us?

Share your thoughts on our LinkedIn site.
To join our group, contact our Secretary, Adina Borta, adina@adinaborta.com.

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OUR MISSION AND STRATEGY

Our Mission: **To refine, enhance and apply Formal Axiology.**

Our Vision, or why we want to do this: **To Change the World for the Better**.

- **Have Hartman's Axiology accepted and taught in Universities**
  - Propose courses to Universities
  - Grow our Journal's impact
  - Have articles accepted in other Journals
  - Publish more research
- **Have more people educated in Hartman's Axiology**
  - Conduct & Publish more research
  - Recover and make available Hartman related work from his Special Collection
  - Find opportunities to speak everywhere
  - Create practical programs, books & training
- **Have more people use Axiology in more fields**
  - Create practical programs, books & training
  - Translate Hartman's Axiology in decision making programs

What do the Officers Do?

Get involved—they need you! ☺

- **President**
  - Chair Board meetings
  - Chair Executive Committee
  - Coordinate with Chapters
  - Construct communications
  - Serve as Link with Wisdom Council
- **Secretary**
  - Maintain minutes and documents
  - Assist President with and distribute communications
  - Assist committees as appropriate
- **Treasurer**
  - Chair finance Committee
  - Review budgets
  - Approve budget-related expenditures
  - Coordinate Funding Committee
  - Nurture the successor
- **VP, Education**
  - Chair Education Committee
  - Nominate Conference Chair
  - Coordinate Education efforts across branches
  - Nurture the successor
- **VP, Research**
  - Coordinate research activities
  - Coordinate Journal and other publications
  - Nurture the successor
- **VP, IT/Social Media**
  - Chair IT committee
  - Coordinate webmasters and tech support
  - Nurture the successor
- **VP, Member Development/Experience**
  - Link with networks of potential members
  - Survey and provide service to members
  - Nurture future board members