



THE MISSION OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Called out to take responsibility



Conference 2018
June 18 - 22
 Conference Center
 Schönblick / S-Germany

Times	Monday 18.06.	Tuesday 19.06.	Wednesday 20.06.	Thursday 21.06.	Friday 22.06.
	Daily Theme				
07:00 - 08:15	Breakfast				
08:30 - 08:50	Worship				
08:50 - 09:30	Relection 2 Knowing Our Mission <i>Chris Wright</i>	Relection 3 Mission as Good News <i>Chris Wright</i>	Relection 2 Mission and Transformation <i>Chris Wright</i>	Relection 2 Mission and Just Societies <i>Chris Wright</i>	
09:30 - 09:45	Application Table Discussions				Response
09:45 - 10:10	Plenary Mission Interrupts <i>Alia Abboud</i>	Plenary Christian-Muslim Peacemaking <i>Jonathan Bornman</i>	Plenary Peace Building: the Church involved in Mission <i>Johannes Reimer</i>	Plenary Justice and Mission <i>n.n.</i>	
10:15 - 10:30	Discussion				
10:30 - 11:00	Refreshments				
11:00 - 11:45	Thematic Focus Corruption and Mission <i>Martin Allaby</i>	Thematic Focus Gender-based Violence and Mission <i>Mandy Marshall</i>	Thematic Focus Reconciliation and Mission <i>Joseph Nyamutera</i> <i>Rhiannon Lloyd</i>		
11:45 - 12:15	Group Work	Group Work	Group Work		
12:30 - 13:00	Application Is Change Possible? <i>Justice Interview</i>	Application Inclusive Approaches <i>Disability Interview</i>	Application Walking with the Poor <i>Humility Interview</i>		Worship, Closure, Commissioning
13:00 - 14:30	Lunch				
14:00 - 16:00	START: 14:30 Opening Asking Tough Questions <i>Chris Wright</i>	Tracks 1-8 Session One	Tracks 1-8 Session Three	Tracks 1-8 Session Four	
16:00 - 16:30	Refreshments				
16:30 - 18:00	Peace & Reconciliation: the heat of God's Mission <i>Johannes Reimer</i> Response Group Activity	Tracks 1-8 Session Two	Networking Free Time	Tracks 1-8 Session Five	
18:00 - 19:30	Dinner				
19:30 - 21:00	Debate What is a Just Society?	Case Studies	Movie Night	Creative Communications	

Morning sessions: Devotions: These will lead us from exploring the ideal partnership example we see in the Trinity, through to the practical implications of God's call to partner with us in his mission. **Plenaries:** leading on from the devotions we will consider the practical and ideological challenges we face in the current partnerships that we are involved in. Understanding these challenges will enable us to more fully engage together in the work of seeing our communities transformed.

Evening discussions: Each evening will offer possibilities for interaction and discussion with participants and guests.

The Mission of God's People: Called out to take Responsibility

What is the mission of God's people in a world marked by wars, injustice and suffering? This conference helps us to focus on our biblical mandate and learn from the experiences of Christian practitioners in various ministries. It is a great opportunity to widen your horizon, deepen your knowledge and network with others.

Seminar Tracks

- 1 Fundamentals of Christian Development Practice (de)**
Thomas Schmidt, Thomas Kröck
- 2 Fundamentals of Christian Development Practice (en)**
Roland Lubett
- 3 Development Practice & Project Management**
Alfred Borchert
- 4 Human Trafficking and Gender based violence**
Mandy Marshall, Frank Heinrich, Gaby Wendland, David Westlake
- 5 Peace Building: a ministry of reconciliation**
Johannes Reimer, Joseph Nyamutera, Rhiannon Lloyd
- 6 Building Just Communities**
Alia Abboud, Martin Allaby, Andrea Vogt
- 7 Interfaith Dialogue - working with Muslims**
Jonathan Bornman
- 8 Overcoming neo colonialism -
How to work alongside the poor**
Frank Paul, Jim Harries

**TOPICS, SPEAKERS UND TRACKS ARE SUBJECT
TO CHANGE.**

Some of our speakers:



REV. DR. CHRIS WRIGHT

has taught at UBS (India) and at All Nations Christian College (England). He is the Director of the Langham Partnership committed to the strengthening of the church in the Majority World.



DR. ALIA ABBOUD

from Lebanon has been working with the Lebanese Society for Educational & Social Development (LSESD) and World Vision Lebanon.



REV. JOSEPH NYAMUTERA

from Ruanda has worked with African Evangelical Enterprises. In 2010, he and his wife Esther founded Mercy Ministries involved in the work of healing and reconciliation.



MANDY MARSHALL

From UK has worked with Tearfund and the NGO Restored. She has been teaching on gender & gender-based violence all around the world.



PROF. DR. JOHANNES REIMER

born in the former Soviet Union, is internationally involved as counsellor and speaker. He has written more than 20 books and is presently the director of Peace & Reconciliation of WEA.



VIAHAL MANGALWADI

and his wife Ruth are working in India. He is one of India's foremost Christian intellectuals, the author of over 20 books and a political activist.

All talks and discussions will be held in English, except for Track 1. German translation will be offered for all plenary sessions.

What's CCD?

Faced with the challenges of poverty and hardships in their countries of deployment, Christian organizations naturally started to engage in small initiatives or larger projects to relieve the poor's needs and showing ways out of poverty. To support Klaus Strub, a farmer from Germany, who engaged in missions as a volunteer founded the working group „Mission and Agriculture“ (AMuL) in 1993.

With increased interest and more attendants in 2003 the name was changed to Christian Community Development Conference (CCDC). The conference offers Christians who are engaged in development cooperation, opportunities to question and refine their theological perspectives and development practice. CCDC has been established as an international forum for networking and training.

Who organizes CCD?

The CCD Conference is jointly organized by the German Association of Evangelical Missions (AEM), European Evangelical Mission Association and Micah Network. The organizing team is composed of members from various Christian aid organizations and mission agencies.

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