



SCIENCE, CONSCIOUSNESS AND SPIRITUALITY CONFERENCE - 2011

“Know Thyself”

Perspectives of Consciousness Beyond the Body

Programme of Events:

Introduction Evening Friday October 28th, 2011

Venue: Hopetoun Alpha, 19 Beresford Square, Auckland

7.30pm	Welcome and introduction of the speakers: 10 minutes
7.40pm – 8.10pm	Title: “Quantum Awareness and Consciousness Beyond the Body” Presenter: Dr Amit Goswami This is a tour de force introduction to quantum physics and its revolutionary idea that consciousness, not matter, is the ground of all being. We will also introduce the idea of quantum activism--transformation of self and society using quantum principles of non locality, automatic interconnectedness and tangled hierarchy. Duration: 30 minutes
8.10pm – 8.40pm	Title: “The Neuro-Ontology of Spiritual Experience”. Presenter: Dr Ede Frecska Some manifestations of altered states of consciousness, unconscious/conscious shifts have quantum origin with significant psychosomatic as well as spiritual implications. The prevailing classical neuroscientific paradigm places the emphasis entirely on the neuroaxonal network as the foundation of every human experience. The quantum view is that ‘Signal nonlocality’, accessed by means of quantum entanglement is an essential feature of the quantum physical domain and the subneural interface provides a medium for this. Duration: 30 minutes

8.40pm – 9.10pm	<p>Title: “A Paradigm Revolution” Presenter Dr. Manjir Samanta-Laughton</p> <p>We are in the midst of a revolution that places Consciousness at the Heart of the Universe. What is the supposed current scientific paradigm? - An overview of the current limitations in biology and physics. What is the reality at the cutting edge of scientific knowledge, and what has consciousness got to do with it?</p> <p>Duration 30 Minutes</p>
9.10pm - 10.00pm	<p>Questions from the Audience.</p> <p>Dr Amit Goswami, Dr Manjir Samanta- Laughton and Dr Ede Frecska</p>
10.00pm	<p>Official proceedings conclude Opportunities for book signings</p>