Today, the earth is screaming with pains of conflicts and wars as well as environmental destruction. It has a number of serious ‘pains’ such as regional conflicts, terrorism, poverty and pollution of water (the sea, the river), land (the mountain), air (the sky), the drying-up of natural resources, the water shortage, the decrease of the forest, the disappearance of the species, the desertification, and the food shortage.

We do need to change the “zero-sum” way of thinking to create one’s own wealth by sacrificing others and at the cost of others, to the “plus sum” way of thinking to create prosperity together and to be prosperous together. The problem is the lack of the conscience. For the prosperity of the human race i.e. humanity and the preservation of the global environment i.e. nature, it is decisively vital to regain the lost conscience and to build-up the new earth culture based on the conscience.

We need to innovate for sustainable global peace in many ways. New ways of thinking, culture, politics, business, society are all needed.

In the place where Mahatma Gandhi was born and raised, IPRA shall discuss new ways and thinking for realizing global peace. We invite all the peace researchers and peace workers to the historical conference in India.
Innovation for Sustainable Global Peace
Ahmedabad, India
November 24-27, 2018

Host institutions: World Peace Centre (WPC) - Gujarat Vidyapith Peace Research Center (AMA)
Foundation for Peaceful Change (FPC)

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<td>Opening Plenary: Gandhi’s Nonviolent Legacy: Innovation for Sustainable Global Peace Prof. Dr. N. Radhakrishnan, Indian Council of Gandhian Studies, Delhi, Dr. Monica Sharma, Director, Gandhian Studies Centre</td>
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Guest of Honor: Dr. Sudarshan Iyengar; Moderator: Dr. Prem Anand Mishra

Guest of Honor: Mr. KH Patel (India); Moderator: PD Dr. Hans Günter Brauch (Germany)
18:35-18:45  
- Felicitations of Chief Researchers, and Shri Mukesh Patel, Shri KH Patel by Shree Purshottampriyadasji Swamiji Maharaj  
- Felicitations of Shree Purshottampriyadasji Swamiji Maharaj by IPRA

18:45-18:55 - Ashirvad by Shree PurshottampriyadasjiSwamijiMaharaj

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19:05-22:00 - Opening reception with food

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  *(hopefully 200 people, depending in clearance optention from MHI)* |
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- Candice Carter, USA, Convener of Peace Education Commission  
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**Dinner**

**Monday Nov.26 AMA**

**Plenary IV:** *Indigenous Wisdom, Experiences and Alternatives for Peace*  
- Atahere Te Akau Wharehoka, Taranaki, New Zealand (film and discussion)  
- **Moderator**: Dr. Manjuri Sharma, Convener Indigenous People’s Right

**Plenary V:** *IPRA Foundation*  
- **Participants:**  
  - Cociodialude  
  - Seeema Shakhawat  
  - Anna Snyder  
  - Lydia Wanjigitan  
  - Andrea del P. Rodríguez Sánchez  
- **Moderator**: Diana de la Rúa, President IPRAF

**Lunch**

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| DEP              | Development & Peace |
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| GEP              | Gender & Peace |
| GPE              | Global Political Economy |
| HR               | Human Rights |
| IC&R             | Internal Conflicts and Conflict Resolution |
| IPR              | Indigenous People’s Rights |
| MCJ              | Media Conflicts & Journalism |
| NOM              | Nonviolence and Peace Movements |
| PEC              | Peace Education |
| PNMRTJ           | Peace Negotiation, Mediation, Reconciliation & Transitional Justice |
| PT&H             | Peace Theories & History |
| RSP              | Religion, Spirituality & Peace |
| SDC              | Security, Demilitarization & Civil Society |
| YSP              | Youth, Sport & Peace |

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