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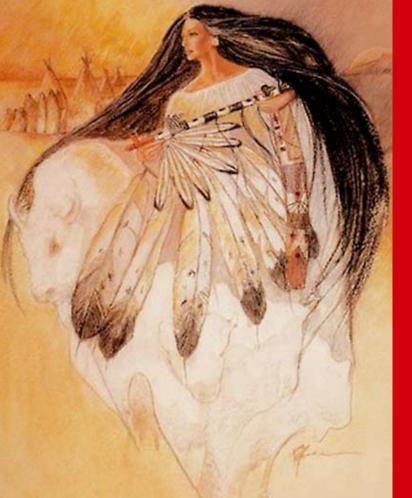


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Partnership Studies in Education and World Literatures in English, draws upon the most recent investigations on the cultural evolution of Western societies, underlying the tension between "equalitarian" and "dominator" modes of living, and those counter-discursive strategies (both linguistic and thematic) used by some significant writers in English to move away from the cultural hegemony and ideology of the Empire

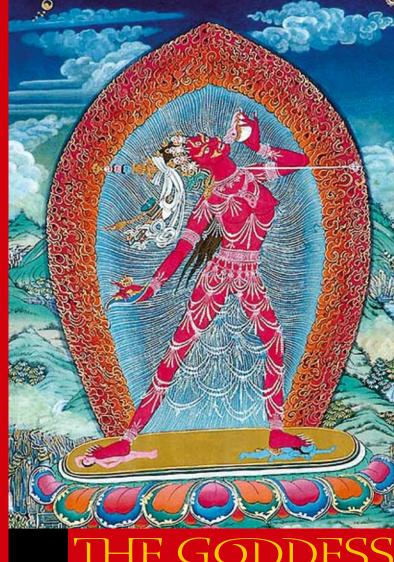
and recover its historical and mythical "past",

especially the "native" one. Similarly, **The Goddess Awakened** aims at representing
"other" possible patterns of construction of
the self and forms of coexistence generated
by non-hierarchical relational processes in
order to better understand and promote
respect for the variety and complexity of
world cultures, languages and literatures, at
local, national and international level. The
"awakening" of the Goddess will also be
celebrated by a photographic and sculptural
exhibition of the Sacred Feminine.



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## THE GODDESS AWAKENED

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## 19 APRIL 2007

**MORNING SESSION** 

Chair Antonella Riem

**9.00-10.00** Antonella Riem: Presentation of the Interlink and PRIN Research projects: Greetings from the authorities

**10.00-10.30** Maria Renata Dolce: Presentation of the first and second volumes of the series ALL *Sapienze antiche all'incrocio di mondi - ANAM CARA* (Antonella Riem Natale, ed., Udine, Forum, October 2006), and *L'India dell'immaginazione nei racconti di Raja Rao* di Stefano Mercanti (Udine, Forum, November 2006)

**10.30-11.00** Opening Lecture: Riane Eisler in videoconference from California, Centre for Partnership Studies

11.00-11.30 coffee break

**11.30-12.00** Luisa Conti Camaiora: Ambiguous Goddess Networks in the Proems of Spenser's *Faerie Oueene* 

**12.00-12.30** Reading of S.L. BHYRAPPA, introduced by S. RAMASWAMY

**12.30-13.00** ROBERTO ALBAREA: *Partnership* Models for a Viable and Sustainable Education

**13.15** lunch

#### AFTERNOON SESSION

Chair Luisa Conti Camaiora

**15.00-15.30** ALESSANDRO GROSSATO: The Triune Goddess Represented - opening of the exhibition

**15.30-16.00** Carlo Maria Bajetta: Sir Walter Ralegh and the Goddess-Queen

**16.00-16.30** MILENA ROMERO: Manifesting the Earth-Womb Goddess in Late-Renaissance English Literature

**16.30-17.00** tea break

Chair Carlo Maria Bajetta

**17.00-17.30** Anna Pia De Luca: The Maturing of the Goddess: the Crone Figure in Female Canadian Literature

**17.30-18.00** ALESSANDRA BURELLI: Mother-Tongue: Ties of *Partnership* 

**18.00-18.30** Davide Zoletto: Multiculturalism and *Partnership* Studies: Towards Intercultural Education

**20.00** dinner

**21.15** ILEANA CITARISTI e SASWAT JOSHI *Orissi* dance performance

## 20 APRIL 2007

MORNING SESSION

Chair Maria Renata Dolce

9.00-9.30 David Malouf: a Reading

**9.30-10.00** Antonella Riem: Archetypes of *Partnership* and the Goddess in *The Conversations at Curlow Creek* 

**10.00-10.30** Franca Cavagnoli: Echoes of the Other. Translating David Malouf into Italian

**10.30-11.00** Maria Bortoluzzi: Language and *Partnership* in *An Imaginary Life* 

**11.00-11.30** coffee break

**11.30-12.00** S. Ramaswamy: *A Partnership* Study of S.L. Bhyrappa's Novels

**12.30-13.00** K.C. Belliappa: Exceptional *Partnerships* and Affirmation of Life: In An Antique Land and A Fine Balance

13.00 lunch

### AFTERNOON SESSION

Chair Antonella Riem

**15.00-15.30** Tom Petsinis: Approaching Mount Athos Through Poetry and Prose

**15.30-16.00** RICHARD NILE: Stirring the Possum and Waking the Goddess: *Partnerships* in Australian Literature Across Europe, India and Australia

**16.00-16.30** Frion Murphy: Reading from the Novel *Devotion* 

16.30-17.00 JAYA SAVIGE: A Poetry Reading

**17.00-17.30** tea break

Chair S. Ramaswamy

**17.30-18.00** SAUMITRA CHAKRAVARTY: The Feminine Divine in the works of Toni Morrison and Mahasweta Devi.

**18.00-18.30** Stefano Mercanti: The Divine Vessel and the Flowering Consciousness in Raja Rao's *The Serpent and the Rope* 

**20.00** dinner

19 - 30 APRIL - PALAZZO ANTONINI (ENTRANCE HALL AND AULA 4): PHOTOGRAPHIC EXHIBITION OF

THE TRIUNE GODDESS AND ARCHEO-SCULPTURES OF THE FRIULIAN ARTIST BERNARDA VISENTINI

## 21 APRIL 2007

MORNING SESSION

Chair Roberto Albarea

**9.00-10.00** Reading of Native Poets: Lance Henson (Cheyenne) and Natalia Molebatsi (South Africa)

**10.00-10.30** RAPHAEL D'ABDON: The *Partnership* Spiritual Voice in the Poetry of Natalia Molebatsi, Napo Masheane, Lebo Mashile

**10.30-11.00** Maria Renata Dolce: Crossing Boundaries: His/her-story, Female Genealogies and the Call of the Earth Mother in André Brink's *Imaginings of Sand* 

11.00-11.30 coffee break

Chair Saumitra Chakravarty

**11.30-12.00** Nicoletta Vasta and Piergiorgio Trevisan: Shell's "Incurabl(y) Romantic" Construction of *Partnership:* A Multimodal Analysis

**12.00-12.30** Marta Dorigo Salamon: Echoes of the Goddess in Contemporary Children's Fiction

**12.30-13.00** LAURA PECORARO: *A Story brought by Brigit:* The Goddess Figure in Lady Gregory's Work

**13.00-13.15** Luisa Sello:

The Personification of Krsna and Radha in Giacinto Scelsi's Music

**13.15-13.45** Singing performance by ELEONORA SENSIDONI and IVAN ZIRALDO

13.45 lunch

**AFTERNOON SESSION 15.30** quided tour of Udine

22 APRIL 2007 MORNING SESSION

**10.00-18.00** guided tour of Venice

