

# Creating a Culture of Non-Violence

pre-conference track



## Interactive Conversations with

### Riane Eisler

Cultural historian and evolutionary theorist, pioneering researcher demonstrating the strong correlation between the status of women and the general quality of a nation's life.

### Satish Kumar

Editor of Resurgence magazine, founder of the Schumacher College and the London School of Non-Violence, close associate of Mahatma Gandhi's movement

### Dr. A.T. Ariyaratne

Considered "The Gandhi of our Era", Dr. Ari founded the Sarvodaya movement and is spiritual strategist and guide of the Sri Lankan peace movement.

### Marshall Rosenberg

*Author of Nonviolent Communication: A Language of Life*, Marshall has taken up where Gandhi, King, and other past visionary leaders for peace left off.

### Special Guest Bernie Glassman

American Zen teacher, author, and world-renowned social activist, Bernie is an abbot, co-founder of the Greystone Mandala, the Zen Peacemaker Order, and won the Best of America Award for Social Action.

### Panel Discussion

Facilitator: **Fleet Maull**, Peacemaker Institute



## 8:30 am to 5pm, Wednesday, September 29th

8 - 8:30 am: Registration and packet distribution

8:30 - 8:35: Introduction to Workshop Goals, Agenda and Expected Outcomes (Barry and/or Fleet)

8:35 - 9:30: 1st Speaker Session - **Riane Eisler**

8:35 - 8:40: Introduction

8:40 - 9:10: Riane Eisler presentation

9:10 - 9:20: 1st Responder - Hanne Strong

9:20 - 9:30: 2nd Responder - Ira Chernus

9:30 - 9:40: Break

9:40 - 10:35: 2nd Speaker Session - **Satish Kumar**

9:40 - 9:45: Introduction

9:45 - 10:15: Satish Kumar presentation

10:15 - 10:25: 1st Responder - Tara Sethia

10:25 - 10:35: 2nd Responder - Bill Ury

10:35 - 10:50: Break

10:50 - 11:45: 3rd Speaker Session - **A.T. Ariyaratne**

10:50 - 10:55: Introduction

10:55 - 11:25: Dr. A.T. Ariyaratne presentation

11:25 - 11:35: 1st Responder - Judith Simmer-Brown

11:35 - 11:45: 2nd Responder - Eric Rasmussen

11:45 - 1:15: LUNCH BREAK

1:30 - 2:25: 4th Speaker Session - **Marshall Rosenberg**

1:30 - 1:35: Introduction

1:35 - 2:05: Marshall Rosenberg presentation

2:05 - 2:15: 1st Responder - Joan Jubron

2:15 - 2:25: 2nd Responder - Bill de la Cruz

2:25 - 2:45: Break

2:45 - 4:45: Creating a Culture of Nonviolence Panel & Dialogue Riane Eisler, Satish Kumar, Dr. A.T. Ariyaratne, Marshall Rosenberg, Fleet Maull (moderator)

2:45 - 2:50: Introduction by **Fleet Maull** (moderator)

2:50 - 2:55: Opening statement by **Riane Eisler**

2:55 - 3:00: Opening statement by **Satish Kumar**

3:00 - 3:05: Opening statement by Dr. **A.T. Ariyaratne**

3:05 - 3:10: Opening statement by **Marshall Rosenberg**

3:10 - 3:50: Dialogue amongst the panelists (moderated by Fleet Maull)

3:50 - 4:00: Break

4:00 - 4:45: Dialogue between audience and panelists (moderated by Fleet Maull)

4:45 - 5:00 pm: Closing statements, business, departure



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