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*The Worldwide Church:
The Global Reach of Mormonism*

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MEETING ROOMS AND SCHEDULE

Friday, March 7, 2014

LDS Conference Center, Little Theater, Salt Lake City, Utah

9:00–10:10 President Dieter F. Uchtdorf—Keynote Address

SESSION 1

- 10:20–11:30 *Global Pioneers in Church Education* Casey Griffiths, Seminaries and Institutes
Development of the Church's Humanitarian Aid Craig Ostler, BYU Church History and Doctrine
Theorizing International Mormonism Taunalyn Rutherford, Adjunct BYU Church History and Doctrine

SESSION 2

- 11:40–12:50 *Conflict, Persecution and Martyrdom* Craig Manscill, BYU Church History and Doctrine
A Light in the Darkness Reid Neilson, LDS Church History Department
The Non-Mormon Mormon Andrew Reed, Adjunct BYU Church History and Doctrine

12:50–1:50 Lunch Break

SESSION 3

- 1:50–3:00 *The Church in France: A Study of Relationship* Christian Euvrard, Seminaries and Institutes
The Church's Cultural Challenges in Europe Jerry Hansen, BYU Idaho; Hans Noot, Seminaries and Institutes; Medlir Mema, doctoral candidate, George Washington University
Waldensians and Mormons in Italy Mauro Properzi, BYU Church History and Doctrine

SESSION 4

- 3:10–4:10 *Moses Hindoian: Reconstructing Local History* James Goldberg, LDS Church History Library
Saim Abd Al-Samid Ardis Parshall, LDS Church History Library
Mormon Relations with Islam John Plaiss, University of Illinois

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Thursday, March 6, 2014

Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah

9:00–9:20 Welcome and Introduction (CONF 2254)

SESSION 1	CONF 2254	CONF 2258	CONF 2260
9:20–10:30	<p><i>Establishing the Gospel in Afghanistan</i> Ken Alford, BYU Church History and Doctrine</p> <p><i>Administering a Worldwide Church</i> Richard Cowan, BYU Church History and Doctrine</p> <p><i>The Dividends of Religious Freedom</i> Don Holsinger, BYU Kennedy Center and International Center for Law and Religious Studies</p>	<p><i>Temples As Sanctifiers of Space</i> Jared Halverson, Seminaries and Institutes</p> <p><i>LDS Buildings, the Fourth Essential</i> Ray Luce, Georgia State University</p> <p><i>The Globalization of Mormon Music</i> Ed Riding, LDS Church History Library</p>	<p><i>Documenting Mormonism as a Global Religion</i> Scott Christensen, Jared Feller, Grace Stephenson, Jeremy Talmage—LDS Church History Department</p> <p><i>Pres. Lorenzo Snow's Renewal of Missionary Work</i> Dennis Horne, LDS Materials Management Department</p> <p><i>Core and Periphery: Religious Identity & Memory</i> Jacob Olmstead, Laura Hurtado, Gary Boatright Jr., Anne Barrett, LDS Church History Department</p>

SESSION 2	CONF 2254	CONF 2258	
10:40–11:50	<p><i>A Student's Perspective on Life at the Juarez Ac.</i> Scott Esplin, BYU Church History and Doctrine</p> <p><i>Latin America and the Globalization of the Church</i> Mark Grover, Emeritus BYU Lee Library</p> <p><i>LDS Church Schools in Mexico</i> Barbara Morgan, BYU Church History and Doctrine</p>	<p><i>Pentacostals and Mormons in Africa</i> Richard Bennett, BYU Church History and Doctrine</p> <p><i>Global Impact of the 1978 Revelation</i> Clint Christensen, LDS Church History Department</p> <p><i>The Freeze and the Thaw: Ghana</i> J.B. Haws, BYU Church History and Doctrine</p>	

11:50–12:50 Lunch Break

SESSION 3	CONF 2254	CONF 2258	
1:00–2:10	<p><i>Taiwan Mission—Early Years</i> Felipe Chou, Seminaries and Institutes</p> <p><i>The First Three Years in Taiwan</i> John Hilton, BYU Ancient Scripture</p> <p><i>Is the LDS Church a Japanese New Religion?</i> Greg Wilkinson, BYU Church History and Doctrine</p>	<p><i>The Meeting of Mormonism with Two Asian Subcultures</i> Lewis Hassell, Jonah Fjested—University of Oklahoma</p> <p><i>Bringing Christianity and the Gospel to Thailand</i> Michael Goodman, BYU Church History and Doctrine</p> <p><i>The Two Translations of the Korean Book of Mormon</i> Gerritt Van Dyk, BYU Lee Library</p>	

SESSION 4	CONF 2254	CONF 2258	
2:20–3:30	<p><i>The Establishment of the Church in Latvia</i> Sherilyn Farnes, LDS Church History Department</p> <p><i>Societal Security and Minority Religions</i> Jeremy Lamoreaux, BYU Idaho</p> <p><i>Czechoslovakia's Mission President Wallace Toronto</i> Mary Jane Woodger, BYU Church History and Doctrine</p>	<p><i>Temples As Sanctifiers of Space</i> Jared Halverson, Seminaries and Institutes</p> <p><i>LDS Buildings, the Fourth Essential</i> Ray Luce, Georgia State University</p> <p><i>The Globalization of Mormon Music</i> Ed Riding, LDS Church History Library</p>	

3:30–3:50 Refreshment Break

SESSION 5	CONF 2254	CONF 2258	
3:50–5:00	<p><i>Church Membership in County Durham</i> Ron Bartholomew, Seminaries and Institutes</p> <p><i>Mormonism and the British Press</i> Susan Howard, Attorney (Retired)</p> <p><i>Influence of the Church in the Island of Tonga</i> Vai Tafuna, Adjunct BYU Church History and Doctrine</p>	<p><i>The Internet and the International Church</i> Jessica Finnegan, Graduate Student, University of Cambridge</p> <p><i>To Every Tongue: Church Language Policy</i> James Miller, LDS Church History Department</p> <p><i>The Production of Proselytizing Filmstrips</i> Matthew Wilcox, Seminaries and Institutes</p>	

5:00–7:00 Dinner Break

7:00–8:30 Terryl Givens—Keynote Address (JSB Auditorium)