

General NMI Convention/Global Mission Conference
Global Tracks and Mission Workshops Schedule
 June 24-26, 2009 – Orlando Convention Center

Global Tracks and Mission Workshops will be offered each day of the Global NMI Conference as follows: Wednesday 3:15 – 4:15 p.m., Thursday 4:30 – 5:30 p.m., and Friday 4:30 – 5:30 p.m. We request that participants in Global Tracks plan to attend all three sessions of the same track. We are working to provide Spanish, French, Portuguese, and Korean translators in as many sessions as possible.

I.D.	Title	Presenter(s)	About the Presenter(s)	Details	Days Offered – Room #
Global Track #1	New voices in conversation: How are we embracing next generations of mission leaders and missional churches in a post-colonial world?	Agatha Heap and Dean Blevins and dialogue team	Agatha is a founder and former director of Brazil's first Missionary Training Center. She has an MA in theology from Point Loma and is currently raising 3 children. Dean is the professor of Christian Education at Nazarene Theological Seminary. He was recently elected as chair of the board of directors for YouthFront, a youth ministry organization providing training in youth ministry for several evangelical churches and denominations.	Set in a conversational format over three days, this track will discuss living into <i>missio Dei</i> (the mission of God) as we experience dramatic shifts in the church, leadership, and the world. The next generation of mission leaders are exploring new mission models and learning to repent of past colonialism while embracing the passion of our heritage.	Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday S310EF (Continuous)
Global Track #2	Who is my neighbor: How are we incarnating the gospel in a world of diverse cultures, religions, and traditions?	Filimao and Samantha Chambo and dialogue team	The Chambos are missionaries serving with the Church of the Nazarene on the Africa Region. Filimao is the Regional Education and Discipleship Coordinator and Samantha is the Regional NMI Coordinator. Prior to their present assignments, the Chambos served as pastors in Mozambique and South Africa. Both are ordained elders. They have two children.	Set in a conversational format over three days, this track will discuss collaborative, creative, and holistic ways we live out the gospel in our world among people of different faiths and cultural backgrounds. You will dialogue with people involved in major church development and discipling movements, and with leaders of strategies such as compassionate ministries, disciple making, and JESUS Film.	Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday S310CD (Continuous)

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Global Track #3	Global prayer: How are we moving each local church to become a house of prayer for all nations?	Sylvia Cortez and dialogue team	Sylvia is the Director for Discipleship Ministries at Point Loma Nazarene University. She earned the M.Div. from Nazarene Theological Seminary. Facilitating creative and reflective prayer has been a major component of her work with college students. With interests like religion in the arts and Frederick Buechner, she brings a wealth of resources to her ministry.	Set in a conversational format over three days, this track will focus on how we passionately pray into the mission of God. Prayer has recently seized the imagination of a younger generation of Christians with movements like 24/7 prayer and interactive prayer rooms. In prayer we catch a glimpse of how we join God in His mission.	Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday S310AB (Continuous)
Global Track #4	Gospel and global epidemics: How are we responding to crises that impact worldwide population?	Nell Becker Sweeden and dialogue team	Nell is the Compassion Education Coordinator for Nazarene Compassionate Ministries. After graduating with a MDiv. from Nazarene Theological Seminary, she is now in Ph.D. studies in Practical Theology at Boston University. Nell and her husband, Josh, hope to dedicate their lives and service to unity and diversity, dialogue, reconciliation, hospitality, and journeying together as the Church of the Nazarene.	Set in a conversational format over three days, this track will dialogue around the Church of the Nazarene's responses to global injustices and epidemics worldwide. What does it mean for local churches to live out God's holistic mission in facing HIV/AIDS, hunger, and poverty worldwide? We will discuss church and community development approaches highlighting microenterprise and long-term sustainable development in communities.	Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday S310GH (Continuous)
Global Track #5	Peace and reconciliation: How are we living out God's call to be peacemakers in a world of unrest?	Brian Becker and dialogue team	Brian is currently serving as the Director of International Ministry at Point Loma Nazarene University. Last year he returned from the Democratic Republic of Congo where he worked with HOPE International, a Christian micro-finance organization. While living in the DRC he witnessed the first democratic elections in 40 years and worked in collaboration with the UN peacekeeping force.	Set in a conversational format over three days, this track will discuss our call to be peacemakers in light of realities like the Rwandan genocide, immigration tensions, and international war. As a people who have been reconciled to God, we are marked by the grace we have received and we are compelled to extend that reconciling grace to persons and communities.	Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday S320CD (Continuous)

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Workshop #1	Using JESUS Film Tools to Engage Your Local Church and District in Mission	Brian Helstrom	Brian Helstrom is a Nazarene missionary assigned as Executive Director of JESUS Film Harvest Partners for the Church of the Nazarene and is based in Olathe, Kansas, USA.	<p>What you will Take Away:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Projects for your church and district which connect all ages to direct mission impact. 2. Discover new ideas others are using to engage their people in ministry. 3. See the cutting edge tools being used for evangelism and discipleship. 	<p>Wednesday - S320A</p> <p>Repeated Friday - S320A</p>
Workshop #2	Reaching the World on My Street: Coming Together to Do Mission – Blending Cultures in Multi-ethnic Churches and Districts	John Moore and Pat Stockett Johnston	John Moore currently serves on the Eurasia Region as the Coordinator of Evangelism and Church Planting and as the District Superintendent of the Hungary District. Pat Stockett Johnston, retired Nazarene missionary and Los Angeles (California) District NMI President, has written five NMI reading books and writes articles and devotionals for several denominations.	<p>What you will Take Away:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Grasp the seismic, global, cultural shifts that are rocking our world. 2. Multicultural and multicongregational churches and districts: define, identify, and evaluate. 3. How to blend people groups for mission in multicultural churches/districts. 	<p>Wednesday - S320B</p> <p>Repeated Thursday – S320B</p>
Workshop #3	Nurturing Holistic Mission through Local Church Compassionate Ministries	Althea Taylor and Trino Jara	Althea Taylor serves as the Nazarene Compassionate Ministries Coordinator for the USA/Canada Region. Trino Jara is that Coordinator for Nazarene Compassionate Ministries Coordinator for the Commonwealth of Independent States in the Eurasia Region.	<p>What you will Take Away:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Engage in mobilizing your church for holistic mission. 2. Learn how to do an assessment of the needs/assets in your community and how to partner with existing organizations and churches toward effective ministry. 3. Steps to beginning a compassionate ministry. 	<p>Wednesday - S330A</p> <p>Repeated Friday - S320B</p>

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Workshop #4	NMI Primer – Effective Local Church NMI in the 21st Century	Coordinated by Lola Brickey with Sue Call, Nancy Long, John Wilcox, and Gina Pottenger	Lola Brickey, Eastern Kentucky district NMI president, has served in a variety of positions on the general, district, and local church level, including local NMI president. She worked two decades with a large corporation and is an adjunct college instructor. Sue Call, Nancy Long, and John Wilcox are experienced District NMI Presidents. Gina Pottenger works with the global NMI office team and serves as managing editor of the new World Mission Web magazine.	What you will Take Away: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Practical and effective NMI techniques and insights for churches of every size - for new and experienced leaders. 2. How to effectively use NMI tools to reach 21st century local congregations. 3. Panel of NMI veterans share first hand experiences for growing and nurturing NMI in local congregations. 	Wednesday - S330B
Workshop #5	FORMULA 5.52.52.0 – New Global Giving	Eunice Brubaker and Friends	Rev. Eunice Brubaker is the General NMI President and also President of the Kansas City (USA) District. She is the Executive Pastor of the Topeka, Kansas Fairlawn Church of the Nazarene.	What you will Take Away: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. New Strategies: Global Giving. 2. Great Commission Attitude: Joy of Giving. 3. New Wineskins: Blessed Giving. 	Wednesday - S330C Repeated Thursday – S330C
Workshop #6	Video, Internet, and “Mouse Ears” - Mission Technology in a Disneyland World	David Anderson and the staff of exceptional communicators (not the 7 dwarfs)	Dave Anderson and the World Mission creative team of Ann Baldwin, Bryan Rich, Lee Rudeen, and Brian Utter will bring years of mission experiences and helpful insights to this workshop.	What you will Take Away: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Using media to make the most of the 5-minutes your pastor gives you during the service for missions. 2. Storytelling as a tool of ministry. 3. How to make "IT" stick. 	Wednesday - S330D
Workshop #7	¿Mision vrs. Discipulado?	Patricia Picavea	Patricia Picavea es doctora en teología del STN de Kansas City, USA. Tiene experiencia en la pastoral y la administración ministerial como Coordinadora Regional de MEDD (2000-2008). Actualmente es editora de los materiales ministeriales en CNP, y vive en Guatemala junto a su esposo Germán, y sus dos hijos, Natanael y Priscila.	Que se Llevara: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Definicion y alcance de la mision 2. Definicion y alcance del discipulado 3. Cumpliendo la mision: haciendo discipulos 	Wednesday - S330E

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Workshop #8	Beyond Work and Witness - Partnering for Missions	Bob Prescott and Merritt Mann	Both Bob Prescott and Merritt Mann have been involved with Nazarene missions and partnerships for many years in numerous capacities. Bob directed Nazarene Compassionate Ministries and recently "retired" as the Mid-Atlantic District NMI President. Merritt has served 15 years as World Mission Partner Coordinator for the Church of the Nazarene.	<p>What you will Take Away:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Personalize missions with a place, face, and name 2. Partnership opportunities for individuals and churches 3. Partnership benefits, including support for the World Evangelism Fund and 10% approved mission specials 	Wednesday - S330F
Workshop #9	Living, Loving and Learning with my Buddhist-Jewish-Taoist-Muslim-Hindu-Post Modern-Secular-New Age Neighbor	Creative Access Representative	The presenter is the Asia-Pacific Education Coordinator. In addition to giving lectures around the world in philosophy and comparative religion, he has also served as both a university professor and a senior pastor in North America.	<p>What you will Take Away:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Living: Exploring bridges that lead to a genuine dialogue. 2. Learning: How to figure out why they do/say/believe/act.... 3. Loving: Discovering practical applications that make a real difference. 	Wednesday – S330G Repeated Friday – S330F
Workshop #10	Engaging Young People in a Mission Culture	Joel Tooley	Joel and Pam Tooley are career missionaries for the Church of the Nazarene. They are assigned to the U.S.A. and have been instrumental in the border initiative with Mexico. He is a World Mission mobilization coordinator.	<p>What you will Take Away:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Develop a strategy for developing youth leaders to be engaged in global ministry. 2. Discover how to involve youth in maximum-impact short term missions. 3. Engage in the progression of knowing, being, and doing – this generation's Acts movement. 	Wednesday – S330H

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Workshop #11	Principles and Practices of the Church of the Nazarene in Responding to Global Injustices and Working with the Poor	Stephen Gualberto and Cosmos Mutowa	From the Philippines, Stephen Gualberto serves as the Program Development Coordinator with NCM International. He helps with NCM field programs and with the Child Development program. Cosmos Mutowa is a missionary serving as NCM Regional Coordinator and Helping Hands Africa Director. Prior to this assignment, Cosmos and his wife, Andronica, served in Malawi. Cosmos is an ordained elder.	What you will Take Away: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Understand the biblical framework of compassionate ministry and revisiting the heritage of the Church of the Nazarene in ministering to the poor. 2. Learn about existing global epidemics and how the church through NCM is responding globally. 3. Engage the local church to compassionate ministries on a global scale. 	Thursday - S320A
Workshop #12	iconnect w/Gen Next	Debra Voelker	Debra Voelker is the NMI President of the Washington Pacific (USA) District. She and her husband have worked with high school students and college age young adults for the past 9 years.	What you will Take Away: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Why the 'Y'?: A generation that defies definition. 2. italk, itext, iserve: Connecting technology driven youth to serve a hurting world 3. Leadershift: Mentoring Gen Next to maximize their leadership potential. 	Thursday - S330A Repeated Friday – S330A
Workshop #13	What in the World is God Doing?	Charles Gailey and Howard Culbertson	Dr. Chuck Gailey is a popular mission speaker and author. He served as a Nazarene missionary in Swaziland, Africa. He was the founding director of the School of World Mission and Evangelism at Nazarene Theological Seminary. Howard Culbertson served as a Nazarene missionary, most notably in Haiti. Currently he is a mission professor at Southern Nazarene University. Gailey and Culbertson co-authored "Discovering Missions" in 2007.	What you will Take Away: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. WHY in the world do we emphasize mission in the church? 2. WHAT exciting things is God doing worldwide in the 21st century? Dramatic stories of the explosion of growth reshaping the church. 3. HOW can we best communicate the excitement of the "why" and the "what" to our churches? God's unchanging commission in a changing world. 	Thursday - S330B Repeated Friday – S330B

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Workshop #14	Answering the Call in the 21st Century	Kathy Mowry with Jon Livengood	Kathy Mowry is a professor of Mission and Christian Education at Trevecca Nazarene University, Nashville, TN (USA). She and her husband served as Nazarene missionaries in Russia for 11 years. Jon Livengood is an NMI staffer who coordinates Mission Call strategy at the Global Ministry Center.	<p>What you will Take Away:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How are young people today experiencing and talking about the call to missions? 2. What are the new frontiers which will face this generation of missionaries? 3. What can you do to encourage and equip a new generation for mission in tomorrow's world? 	<p>Thursday - S330D</p> <p>Repeated Friday – S330D</p>
Workshop #15	Growing Missional Children: From the Backyard to the Ends of the Earth	Greg Nash	Rev. Greg Nash is the children's pastor at the Gallatin (TN) Church of the Nazarene. Greg has been a VBS Curriculum-writer for the General Church. He is a writer of children's stories and curriculum, a speaker for Children's Revivals and Camps and frequently leads Children's Ministries training classes and workshops.	<p>What you will Take Away:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Practical ways to excite and inspire our children about missions. 2. How to become intentional with a children's mission strategy. 3. Using our resources to make a difference in the Kingdom with children. 	<p>Thursday - S330E</p> <p>Repeated Friday – S330E</p>
Workshop #16	Creating a New Passionate Vision for NMI in the 21st Century Nazarene Church	Dennis Moore	Dennis Moore has been the Southern Florida District NMI President for 24 years. He has numerous volunteer responsibilities at the local, district, university (Trevecca), and general church levels.	<p>What you will Take Away:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Understand how culture impacts the church/NMI and what positive steps we can take in our response. 2. How the local church NMI can effectively use discipling to powerfully impact its church people. 3. Practical tips, tools and ideas to involve every age group in the church for missions. 	<p>Thursday - S330F</p>

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Workshop #17	Rivers -Tables - Towels: The Changing Landscape of Leadership	Randy Craker	Rev. Randy Craker is the Northwest (USA) District Superintendent. He pastored the Church of the Nazarene at Kirkland, Washington for 16 years. He is a graduate of Northwest Nazarene University and Nazarene Theological Seminary.	What you will Take Away: 1. Leadership: not maintenance but mission. Learning to create vision for a missional congregation. 2. Leadership: not top down but teamwork. Learning to build teams to help you live out your missional vision. 3. Leadership: not power but service. Learning to foster a servant-leader culture that impacts local congregations and the world.	Thursday - S330G Repeated Friday – S330G
Workshop #18	Surpassing the Superhero Mentality: A Plea for a Shift In the Way We Do Work & Witness	Scott and Emily Armstrong with David Cooper	Scott and Emily Armstrong are Nazarene missionaries. They serve in Costa Rica where they coordinate "Maxima Mision" and short and long term volunteers. Both are graduates of Olivet and Scott is a graduate of NTS. David Cooper is the International Volunteer Coordinator for the Church of the Nazarene.	What you will Take Away: 1. How to make short term missions have a long-term impact. 2. Understand and incorporate new Work & Witness paradigms for the 21st Century. 3. Become aware of and foster healthy intercultural dynamics between sending and receiving teams.	Thursday - S330H Repeated Friday – S330H
Workshop #19	Coffee Bean Leadership - Just for District Presidents	Coordinated by Eunice Brubaker with Peggy Hatter, Dennis Moore, and Donna Sisk	Rev. Eunice Brubaker is the General NMI President and also President of the Kansas City (USA) District. She is the Executive Pastor of the Topeka, KS Fairlawn Church of the Nazarene. Peggy Hatter, Dennis Moore, and Donna Sisk are seasoned District NMI Presidents with good, helpful District President coffee brews for success.	What you will Take Away: 1. The Secret Blend – Keeping Balance in Life and Leadership 2. The Mild Blend – Blending an Effective Council 3. The Bold Blend – Dynamic and Powerful Conventions	Friday - S330C

Note: ordained elders, district licensed ministers, and local licensed ministers who are senior pastors in the Church of the Nazarene are eligible to receive Continuing Education Units (CEUs) for attending any of the NMI global tracks or mission workshops.