

Maharishi Purusha Capital of the Western World

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MEN'S 2018 COURSE SCHEDULE

NEW CREATING COHERENCE COURSE SCHEDULE

June 9–23 • \$1150

July 21–August 4 • \$1150

September 15–29 • \$1150

June 9–July 7 • \$1600

July 21–August 18 • \$1600

September 15–October 13 • \$1600

This course provides an ideal venue for going deeper into pure consciousness for an extended period of time. Each Creating Coherence Course begins with a one-week WPA (see course list below), which is included in the course fee. After the WPA is finished, the program is similar to the WPA routine but with afternoons free for personal activities. For the maximum benefit of this program there must be a minimum of three course participants. The WPA course office will help coordinate those interested to ensure that we have the required minimum for the listed starting dates. If someone is interested in attending at another time, or would like to organize the minimum group of three course participants around other starting and ending dates, please contact us at courses@purusha.org.

TASTE OF PURUSHA COURSE FOR SINGLE MEN

The Taste of Purusha Course is for single men who want to stay with PurushaSM for a minimum of one month to explore the possibility of longer-term participation in the Maharishi Purusha ProgramSM. Course participants will spend time on an ideal routine which includes extended time for practice of the TM[®] and TM-Sidhi[®] programs, delicious organic meals, and evening knowledge meetings with Purusha featuring video talks by Maharishi and Maharaja Adhiraj Rajaram. Starting dates will typically begin with one of our scheduled one-week WPAs and the course can last up to three months. The Taste of Purusha Course is designed for at least two participants to be taking the program at the same time to ensure the richest possible experience. The Purusha Admissions Office will help to coordinate the course dates with those interested to ensure that we have at least two participants. The fee is \$1500 per month, with any WPA included in the course fee. You may fill out a Taste of Purusha application at PurushaCourses.org or contact us for more information at AdmissionsOffice@Purusha.org.

WORLD PEACE ASSEMBLIES

Presidents' Day Weekend with Dr. Stuart Rothenberg • February 16-19 (Fri-Mon), 3 nights • \$450

Dr. Rothenberg will be returning to lead our Presidents' Day WPA. In addition to videos by Maharishi, the course will include a presentation on the Maharishi Vedic Approach to HealthSM. Dr. Rothenberg has worked closely with Maharishi and the leading Vaidyas in the movement for many years, overseeing health clinics and educational programs. Currently he is the national director for the Maharishi Ayurveda Association of America and an adjunct Professor of Maharishi AyurvedaSM at Maharishi University of ManagementSM.

Maharishi Vedic Astrology Course During the Nine Days of Mother Divine • March 17-24 (Sat-Sat), 7 nights • \$950

Dr. Charles Heath, Director of Maharishi Jyotish programs for North America, will be returning to lead this WPA on Maharishi Vedic AstrologySM during Navaratri, the nine days of the Vedic calendar most lively in the qualities of Mother Divine. Come and explore the extraordinary contributions Maharishi's Science and Technology of Prediction and Transformation offers to the individual and society — enlightenment, self-sufficiency, and all possibilities. Learn how the Vedic disciplines of Maharishi JyotishSM and Maharishi Yagya[®] programs provide the intellectual and experiential means to gain integration of mind, body and environment, avert problems before they arise and promote good fortune in life. The course includes videos of the traditional recitations for the Nine Days of Mother Divine.

May Weekend WPA • May 4-7 (Fri-Mon), 3 nights • \$450

We have three weekend WPAs per year — Presidents' Day, early May, and Columbus Day — each beginning on a Friday and ending on a Monday. These courses are particularly convenient for our East Coast friends to make a comfortable drive and get a quick lift in experiences and deep rest. The effect of these weekend courses is dramatic. Participants report that even at the end of the first day they feel like they've already enjoyed several days of profound rest and lively deep silence.

WPA with Dr. Bevan Morris - The Great Leap of Natural Law in One Generation:

Maharishi and the Dawn of a Golden Age, and the Fulfillment of all Religious Traditions • May 26-June 2, (Sat-Sat) • 7 nights, \$950

Dr. Bevan Morris, Prime Minister of the Global Country of World PeaceSM and the International President of Maharishi Universities of Management, will lead this special Spring WPA. The exciting theme of "Maharishi and the Dawn of a Golden Age" promises to be one of our most inspiring courses ever. Bevan is also a TM-Sidhi administrator, renowned for his beautiful comments on the experiences of higher states of consciousness described by members of the Invincible America Assembly. This WPA will be a wonderful opportunity to ask questions you may have about your experiences and practice of the TM and TM-Sidhi programs. For four decades, Dr. Morris worked closely with Maharishi on countless initiatives and projects around the world, and now works closely with Maharaja Adhiraj Rajaram. In his capacity as one of the foremost representatives of Maharishi's world-wide TM organization, Bevan has met with top leaders from every field in over 100 countries.

WPA on the Bhagavad-Gita with Raja John Bright • June 9-16 (Sat-Sat), 7 nights • \$950

Raja Bright spent many years working intimately with Maharishi, absorbing his wisdom, and for over 20 years led weekly Gita study groups at the TM center in Palo Alto, CA. Comments made by previous participants in this course included:

- "Raja John Bright's course is Purusha's best kept secret!"
- "These were the most lively, insightful discussions I've had at any course in 20 years."
- "I walked away with unprecedented access to the Gita and Maharishi's brilliant commentary."

Please join us for this unique opportunity to delve deeply into the transcendent while simultaneously correlating your experiences with the Gita. As Chapter 2, verse 40 of the Gita says, "Even a little of this Dharma delivers from great fear." You will leave with a renewed and ongoing experience of the Gita as a personal guidebook to development of higher states of consciousness.

Guru Purnima WPA with Dr. Fred Travis • July 21–28 (Sat-Sat), 7 nights • \$950

Dr. Fred Travis is Director of the Center for Brain, Consciousness, and Cognition at Maharishi University of Management. He is noted for making the scientific research on the TM and TM-Sidhi programs both accessible and inspiring to any audience. Fred will be bringing EEG equipment to test several WPA volunteers and illustrate in real time the profound effects of transcending on the brain physiology. Dr. Travis has done extensive research on the changes in brain functioning during meditation, yogic flying, and reading Vedic literature. Fred says "Cosmic consciousness is closer than you think, and it's not a theoretical concept. It's the reality of our life. The whole thrust of our life on earth is to enhance brain functioning." Dr. Travis is Chairman of the Department of Maharishi Vedic ScienceSM at MUM, author of the book *Your Brain Is a River Not a Rock* and co-author of *Excellence through Mind-Brain Development and Dharma Parenting*. Fred has presented his groundbreaking research on brain integration as a marker of higher states of consciousness and success in all walks of life to conferences and meetings around the world on behalf of both MUM and the David Lynch Foundation. This Guru Purnima course will include videos of Maharishi and highlights from the global celebration in Holland.

4th Annual Enlightened Leadership International WPA • August 10-20 (Fri-Mon), 10 nights • \$750

This course has been designed to give the next generation a taste of the great power and bliss of the Maharishi Purusha Program. Here at the Maharishi Purusha Capital of the Western WorldSM, you will experience a profound level of silence and deep rest from extended practice of the TM[®] and TM-Sidhi[®] programs in an atmosphere deeply enriched by a large group of long-time members of the Purusha program. If you would like to rapidly develop your consciousness in a pristine natural environment with a group of like-minded young men, this is the course for you. The course is open to unmarried single men under the age of 45 who practice the TM-Sidhi program and includes:

- Spacious individual Maharishi Vastu[®] accommodations with beautiful forest views
- Delicious organic vegetarian cuisine and good company
- Blissful, fresh mountain air and scenic hikes on 400 acres of wooded property with panoramic mountain vistas
- Specially selected knowledge talks of Maharishi during the afternoons and evenings
- A kayaking trip down the Potomac River and refreshing swims in our lake

A 33% discount is available for full-time students and those working full time in an organization affiliated with the Global Country of World Peace. Scholarships may be available for those who qualify.

September WPA with Dr. David Orme-Johnson • September 15-22, (Sat-Sat), 7 nights • \$950

This course will feature not only our usual meeting structure with a wealth of treasured videos of Maharishi, but later in the course Dr. David Orme-Johnson will lead a few sessions – including sharing stories and answering questions. David is a Professor Emeritus of Psychology at Maharishi University of Management and worked with Maharishi for many years on scientific research on the TM and TM-Sidhi programs. He is one of the most prolific researchers in the TM organization, having authored over 100 papers on the beneficial effects of the TM and TM-Sidhi programs on individual and world consciousness. You may read more about David's fascinating background in the three-part TM News article at <https://tinyurl.com/yaurwsnby>

Columbus Day Weekend • October 5–8 (Fri-Mon), 3 nights • \$450

This will be the last weekend course in 2018. The close proximity of the Purusha CapitalSM to much of the East Coast makes it an ideal venue for weekend WPAs.

Nine Days of Mother Divine WPA with Dr. Doug Birx • October 13-20 (Sat-Sat), 7 nights • \$950

Once again we are offering this very popular WPA led by Dr. Doug Birx. Doug has taught many thousands of people the TM-Sidhi program in more than 80 CIC Courses, and Maharishi called him the "Master Checker". Come and enjoy Doug's warmth and wisdom as he discusses experiences and does a thorough review of correct practice of the TM-Sidhi program. There will also be an opportunity to meet with Doug privately about your TM-Sidhi practice. His courses always fill up quickly, so be sure to reserve a room early. Some comments from prior courses:

- "Doug completely eliminated any trace of effort that I'd been having in program."
- "I couldn't believe how generous he was with his one-on-one consultations. Program has become so blissful."
- "I loved his warmth and easy-going manner. So inspiring."

This course coincides with Navaratri, the nine days of the Vedic calendar most lively in the qualities of Mother Divine. Vijaya Dashami, Victory Day, is October 19th. The course includes videos of the traditional recitations for the Nine Days of Mother Divine.

Dipavali WPA with Dr. Neil Paterson • November 3-10, (Sat-Sat), 7 nights • \$950

We are happy that Dr. Neil Paterson will once again visit the Purusha Capital and lead an autumn WPA. Neil worked extensively with Maharishi for over 30 years, is a TM-Sidhi administrator and Advanced Technique teacher, and is currently working closely with Maharaja Adhiraj Rajaram. He will meet daily with the course and answer all questions, whether about Maharishi, higher states of consciousness, or practical points regarding the subtle practice and experience of the TM-Sidhi program. In addition, Neil will meet privately with anyone who wishes regarding their Advanced Techniques or TM-Sidhi program. Here are some comments from participants at his last course:

- "Neil manages to simultaneously be eloquent, comprehensive and down-to-earth."
- "As the week went on, my program became more and more effortless and brought my program to a level I've never experienced before. Best of all, that new depth of experience appears to now be a permanent part of my program at home."
- "Best course I've been to since learning the TM-Sidhis in person with Maharishi."

Dipavali, The Festival of Lights (Mahalakhmi), is November 7th. Mahalakhmi is the day in the Vedic calendar when the Laws of Nature supporting wealth and prosperity are most lively.

Silence Course • Dec 29-Jan 9 or Dec 29-Jan 13, 11 or 15 nights • \$1500 or \$1900

For many years, wherever Purusha happened to be, we spent the first seven days of January in deep silence along with Maharishi. We invite you to join us in this annual tradition of beginning each New Year from a platform of powerful silence and deep experience of the TM and TM-Sidhi programs. The Silence WPA has been a favorite for many course participants due to the depth of experiences gained during this longest WPA of the year.

If your travel arrangements make it necessary to arrive a day early or leave a day later, please inform our office at courses@purusha.org. We offer a discount for full-time students and anyone working full time for an organization associated with the Global Country of World Peace. Please contact us for details. Governors who are interested in being guest WPA course leaders should email us at courses@purusha.org. Apply online at www.PurushaCourses.org