A Convergence Culture - Bridging Science and Spirit

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here is power in science that is unrivaled -- unless it is by the enormous influence spirituality has had upon individuals, environments and nations throughout the ages. I'm sure it seemed startlingly audacious 20 years ago for the International Society for the Study of Subtle Energies and Energy Medicine (ISSSEEM) to assert its mission using the simple tag line, Bridging Science and Spirit. Oh, but the landscape has changed dramatically -- whether because accepted science has been contradicted so many times by new findings or because we have actually begun to integrate spirituality, broadperspective thought, and methodical analysis. We, as humans, not only need to know how the world works, but we need to believe in what it all means and need it to inform us in living our lives —morally, ethically, and spiritually.

"We know the truth, not only by reason, but also by the heart." Pascal

Within the naturally allied organizations of ISSSEEM and HTP, contemporaries, researchers, healers, teachers, and pioneers on the thought frontier are creating the new convergence culture of heart and reason, science and spirit. We welcome Healing Touch Program as a co-sponsor at our 20th Anniversary conference, **Evidence-based Spirituality for the** 21st Century, June 25 - 29 at The Westin in Westminster, Colorado. ISSSEEM President, Charley Tart says, "This conference will be of interest only to those who are going to die and want to know what they might do in the meantime to live a life of happiness and value."

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Denise Lewis Premschak brings a spirited, collaborative perspective and rich resources to ISSSEEM. She draws upon her experience and leadership in sales, training, marketing, recruiting, and consulting in both the corporate and

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