

# L/L Research

# **Board of Directors Meeting Minutes**

# Annual General Meeting Via Video Conference February 19, 2024

#### Attendees

- Jim McCarty (President)
- Morris Hoagland (Vice-President)
- Beatriz Gonzales (Secretary)
- Steve Engratt (Treasurer)
- Suzanna Miller
- Gary Bean (Executive Director)
- Austin Bridges (Advisory member)

A quorum was established with the majority of the board present.

#### Call to Order

Meeting called to order by Vice President Morris Hoagland at 7:07 ET.

Austin Bridges kept the minutes.

Meeting agenda distributed beforehand by Gary Bean via email on 2/13/2024 without any motions to amend, change, or otherwise alter items.

#### **Business**

Gary, Jim, and Austin presented on the various points listed in the attached agenda (see below) with accompanying Board discussion, and answered all questions to provide further clarification.

#### During the presentation:

- Gary presented the year-end financials from 2023, including revenue and expenses and results of the 2023 fundraiser.
- Morris gave a summary of the endowment and investment accounts, with a strong note of gratitude for our anonymous donor who gifted the endowment.
- Gary gave a report on the work done on the website recently, particularly work done on the translation multisite project and the new languages published in the past year.
- Jim gave an update on the public channeling circles, intermediate channeling circles, and the status of the channeling circle.
- Austin gave an update on the C/C channeling circles.
- Austin and Gary reported on the very successful gatherings from the year, including the changes
  including a new time of year for Homecoming, a new regular one-day event in Berlin, and the first
  L/L gathering on the west coast with Coming Home outside of Seattle.
- Beatriz gave an inspiring report on the Art of Healing Circle Retreats that were promoted this year.
- Jim gave a report on the writing and production of Living the Law of One 102 and 103.
- Austin spoke about the production of a single-volume Ra Contact book that will be coming this year.

- Gary spoke about new material related to the Brown Notebook and the origins of L/L Research that is being scanned and prepared for publication.
- Austin gave an update the card-deck project currently in production with Schiffer Publishing.
- Austin reported on the completion of the Ra Contact YouTube project.
- Jim spoke about his continuing service of writing in the Camelot Journal, particularly his project of reviewing and interpreting the history of Q'uo channelings.
- Gary gave a report on the publication of the Blogworthy report, highlighting the testimony from translators reflecting on the multisite project.
- Gary spoke about the Call for Group Peace Visualization that took place.
- Austin and Gary reported on the tech infrastructure upgrades and migration to Microsoft.
- Gary reported on the coming gatherings for 2024, including adding another Coming Home event, meaning one in Pennsylvania and one in Washington. Morris and Beatriz brought up a discussion about the capacity for attendance and how to consider how many people we can accommodate in the different venues.
- Gary spoke about the vision for the coming website upgrade that will include user accounts to interact with transcripts in various ways, a redesign, a section for beginners, and more.
- Taking place just a few days after the 2024 Homecoming Gathering opened, the group discussed how the gathering had filled up in an hour and a wait list ballooned thereafter. Gary discussed how, following Trisha's proposal and leadership, L/L would hold two Coming Home to a New Earth gatherings this year, one west coast, one east coast. The Board discussed the changing landscape with approval of and encouragement for L/L's attempt to meet this growing need.
- Morris cautioned against overburdening the operation and burnout.

# Adjournment

Morris moved to adjourn at 8:53pm ET. Motion seconded by Jim.

Meeting minutes approved via email follow up sometime thereafter in the third density.



# L/L Research

# Board of Directors AGM Agenda

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## Year-In-Review

#### I. Financial

- a. review 2023
- b. endowment & investment report

## II. LLResearch.org

- a. celebrated two years
- b. began intensive work on LLResearch.org 2.0
  - i. add user accounts, no cost
  - ii. build variety of new features for interacting with the library, no cost
  - iii. redesign site layout, organization, and navigation
  - iv. create means for dedicated translators to edit/publish content directly
  - v. rebuild code base
  - vi. create new sections/services
    - 1. guided individual & group meditations
    - 2. beginner's corner
    - 3. study courses
    - 4. streaming audio
    - 5. updated wiki
    - 6. integrate journals
    - 7. new seeker map, integrated with library site
- c. stats
  - i. 387k visitors in 2023, 1.4m page views
  - ii. 60% of traffic comes from English-speaking countries
  - iii. top ten most visiting countries in order: United States | Canada | United Kingdom | Germany | Australia | Russia | China | Mexico | India | France
  - iv. 66% visitors on mobile or tablet

#### III. LLResearch.org – Translations

- a. launched the <u>multisite project</u> [foreign-language versions of the website]
- b. by December, published the 21<sup>st</sup> multisite and 24<sup>th</sup> language on the website
- c. Ra in new languages 2023: Greek, Farsi, Korean, Arabic
- d. published to website
  - i. conscious channeling transcripts:
    - 1. Spanish: 94 transcripts
    - 2. Russian: 10 transcripts

- 3. <u>Dutch</u>: 4 transcripts
- 4. German 22 transcripts
- 5. Russian: 6 transcripts
- 6. Polish: 31 transcripts
- 7. Greek: 5 transcripts
- 8. Czech: 1 transcript
- 9. <u>French</u>: 1 transcript
- 10. Farsi: 1 transcript
- ii. books:
  - 1. Romanian: The Ra Contact, Volume 1 (prepared for print)
  - 2. <u>Korean</u>: The Ra Contact, Volume 1 (Volume 2 published recently)
- iii. Ra Contact transcripts: hundreds added for nearly all languages, making them searchable with the search engine.

See A Year in Translations below for expanded version.

# IV. <u>Channeling Circles</u> updates

- a. <u>public meditations</u> continue, reservation system
- b. Kathy retires
- c. intermediate channeling circles
- d. extra c/c circles
- e. transcription team & library publication

#### V. <u>Team Roles</u>

- a. Event Manager
- b. Web Dev
- c. Operation Specialist

#### VI. Gatherings

- a. Homecoming Gathering (Louisville)
- b. Prague Law of One Gathering
- c. Berlin, a spiritual afternoon
- d. Coming Home Gathering (Seattle), first west of Louisville
- e. Promoted: Art of Healing Circle Retreat (see "healing retreat" in blog)

## VII. Book Publications & Development

- a. audiobooks published:
  - i. Voices of the Confederation
  - ii. A Wanderer's Handbook
  - iii. Secrets of the UFO,
- b. in development:
  - i. Living the Law of One 102 editing & 103 writing
  - ii. The Ra Contact: create single-volume hardcover
  - iii. The Brown Notebook, expansion

## VIII. LOO Publisher updates

a. card deck project

#### IX. Media Projects Update

- a. Ra Contact YouTube completed, all 106 sessions online (January)
- b. Tilting at Windmills

c. ACG videos

## X. Social Media: not very important stats

- a. Facebook
- b. Twitter
- c. YouTube
- d. Patreon
- e. Instagram

## XI. Speaking activities

- a. Jim and Austin/Gary/Trish joined Jonathan Tong for live video Q&As.
- b. Europe Law of One Study Group
- c. various others

# XII. Other ongoing services

- a. Gaia peace meditations
- b. seeker ministry, email grows
- c. podcast, barely
- d. Camelot Journal + Blogworthy
- e. prison ministry
- f. newsletters

#### XIII. Other Year-In-Review

- a. Call for Group Peace Visualization | Participant experiences
- b. Microsoft infrastructure upgrades
  - i. Directory database
  - ii. Email system and team integration
  - iii. Resources for collaboration

# XIV. Licensing Partners (May update this later.)

- a. Das Gesetz Des Einen Verlag: German & French: Celebrated nine years from Oct 1, 2014.
- b. Spolek Zákona jednoty: Czech: Celebrated six years on Apr 19, 2017.

# **Looking Ahead**

# Upcoming Projects, Goals, Hopes, & Dreams

- 1. Develop channeling circle
- 2. Host Events: in-person and hopefully online
- 3. Develop website
  - a. Build new language multisites, incl Hindi, Hebrew, Finnish
  - b. Translations
    - i. Continue to publish backlog and ongoing translations of Ra Contact
    - ii. Publish first-ever Hebrew, Serbian, Dutch, Finnish Ra Contacts
    - iii. Translator accounts for direct publishing/editing
    - iv. Translating pages interactively
- 4. Design, build, and launch LLResearch.org (as mentioned above)

- a. Add user accounts, no cost
- b. Build variety of new features for interacting with the library, no cost
- c. Redesign site layout, organization, and navigation
- d. Create means for dedicated translators to edit/publish content directly
- e. Rebuild code base
- f. Create new sections/services
  - i. Guided meditations
  - ii. Group meditations
  - iii. Beginner's corner
  - iv. Study courses
  - v. Streaming Audio
  - vi. Updating Wiki
  - vii. Integrate Journals
  - viii. New seeker map, integrated with library site

#### 5. Books:

- a. The Ra Contact: create single-volume hardcover
- b. Living the Law of One 102: edit and publish
- c. The Brown Notebook expansion
- d. A Concept Guide
  - i. Update to V2
  - ii. Record ACG Audiobook
  - iii. Create online course
- e. Resource Series
  - i. Write Mystical Heart. Publish Resources Vol 2 book
  - ii. Launch committee to create additional Resources volumes
- f. Audiobooks: Publish remainder of audio library
- g. Get other books updated with corrections
- 6. Card deck card project
- 7. Tilting at Windmills video project
- 8. Continue Software infrastructure upgrades
- 9. Experiment with Microsoft's Co-Pilot (AI)
- 10. Generate more creative content and resources:
  - a. Podcasts
  - b. Video content for youtube
- 11. Tap volunteer pool
- 12. More networking/community engagement
  - a. Study Group Support
  - b. Social media
- 13. Big Dreams
  - a. Digitize/stream channeling audio library
  - b. Create super-massive index of Transcript Library
  - c. Wanderers database
  - d. Library research
- 14. Foreign-language editions:
  - a. Develop licensing program
  - b. Explore European center for publishing

# XV. Board Business / Open Floor

# A Year In Translation 2023

## Celebrated the 21st multisite and 24th language!

#### I. Translations: new books published to the website this year:

- a. Ra Contact
  - i. Korean Sienna
  - ii. Polish Pawel (revision)
  - iii. Hungarian Laszlo (revision)
  - iv. Romanian Horia (revision)
- b. Ra Contact: individual sessions (published and ongoing)
  - i. Arabic B.
  - ii. <u>Bulgarian</u> Kirilina
  - iii. Chinese Terry, Sean
  - iv. Czech Vojta & team
  - v. Farsi (Persian) Meysam, Pupak, Julien
  - vi. French Misha
  - vii. German Jochen
  - viii. <u>Greek</u> Vassilis & Vasilis
  - ix. <u>Hungarian</u> Laszlo
  - x. Indonesian Fatiha
  - xi. <u>Italian</u> Mauro
  - xii. Korean Sienna
  - xiii. Polish Pawel
  - xiv. Portuguese Edgard
  - xv. Romanian Horia
  - xvi. Russian Serge
  - xvii. Spanish Gabriel and team
  - xviii. Swedish Lana + Klas

## II. Translations: books in progress:

- a. Ra Contact
  - i. Arabic B.
  - ii. Bulgarian Kirilina
  - iii. Chinese Wen (new edition)
  - iv. Czech Vojta & team
  - v. <u>Dutch</u> Jan
  - vi. Farsi (Persian) Meysam, Pupak, Julien
  - vii. Greek Vassilis & Vasilis
  - viii. Hebrew Jonathan, Erez, & team
  - ix. Hindi Ginni, Meenakshi, & team
  - x. <u>Hungarian</u> Laszlo (revision)
  - xi. Portuguese Edgard
  - xii. Russian Margarita (new edition)
  - xiii. <u>Serbian</u> Dejan
  - xiv. Swedish Lana + Klas
- b. Living the Law of One

- i. Spanish Tatiana, Claudio
- c. A Channeling Handbook
  - i. French Misha
- d. A Wanderer's Handbook
  - i. Turkish Hakan, Nihal

#### III. Translations: new transcripts published to the website:

- a. Dutch Erik, Martine
- b. Czech Vojta
- c. Farsi Meysam
- d. French Ivy
- e. German Jochen
- f. <u>Greek</u> Vasilis
- g. <u>Persian</u> Meysam
- h. Polish Marlena
- i. Russian Vladimir
- j. Spanish Octavio, Maite, Vanesa

## IV. Translations: transcripts in progress:

- a. <u>Chinese</u> Sean & Terry
- b. <u>Dutch</u> Erik, Martine
- c. German Jochen
- d. Portuguese Marta
- e. Polish Marlena
- f. Spanish Octavio, Maite, Vanesa
- g. Russian Vladimir

## V. Translations published by foreign publishers:

- a. Taiwan One Center: Chinese: AWH
- b. Stazione Celeste: Italian: AWH
- c. Marcador: Portuguese: 101
- d. Brand Skybooks: Vietnamese: 101

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# Das Gesetz des Einen

# German/French Licensing Partner Printed Catalogue

Original title	French	German
Living the Law of One, 101: The Choice	Comment vivre la Loi Une Niveau I: Le Choix Softcover 978-3-945871-63-8 Kindle B019E06488	Das Gesetz des Einen leben, Das 1×1: Die Wahl Softcover 978-3-945871-47-8 Tolino epub 9783739439105 Kindle in part 1 to 3
Extraterrestrial Communication, Telepathy Data Collected by D. T. Elkins		Außerirdische Kommunikation, Telepathische Daten gesammelt 1958-61 von D. T. Elkins Softcover 978-3-945871-09-6 Kindle B01BANWYEK Tolino epub 9783739435923
A Wanderer's Handbook	Vade mecum du pèlerin errant: Un manuel à l'intention des extraterrestres et autres outsiders spirituels Softcover 978-3-945871-65-2 Kindle B073X5GRK2	
The Ra Contact: Teaching the Law of One	Le contact Ra: La Loi Une enseignée Vol I: Softcover 978-3-945871-37-9 Kindle B07B9VZ8SJ Vol II: Softcover 978-3-945871-39-3 Kindle B07BMV8RHS Complete Softcover 978-3-945871-60-7	Der Ra-Kontakt: Das Gesetz des Einen lehren Vol I: Softcover 978-3-945871-38-6 Kindle B078V8NJ5X Vol II: Softcover 978-3-945871-40-9 Kindle B078VK85F4 Complete: Softcover 978-3-945871-35-5 Hardcover 978-9-949308-00-0
Unified Index		Der Ra-Kontakt: Gesamtindex und Glossar Softcover 978-3-945871-83-6
Secrets of the UFO	OVNI – Les messages Softcover 978-3-945871-61-4 Kindle B08Y93NJRP	
Tilting at Windmills	Un ministère donquichottesque: Interview de Carla L. Rueckert et Jim McCarty Softcover 978-3-945871-67-6	
A Book of Days: Channeling from the Holy Spirit	Une pensée pour chaque jour: Textes reçus de l'Esprit-Saint en channeling Softcover 978-3-945871-96-6 Kindle B08GM8X6D5	

Voices of the		Stimmen des Bündnisses
Confederation		Softcover 978-3-945871-98-0
		Kindle B08TW66WGM
		Tolino epub 9783752131857
A Concept Guide - The	Guides des Concepts, Le contact Ra –	
Ra Contact Resource	série "Ressources"	
Series	Softcover 978-3-945871-48-5	

# Das Gesetz des Einen

Selected Works: Printed Catalogue

Original title	Language
The Ra Contact: Teaching the Law of One,	Romanian
Volume 1	Contactul Ra: Înva aturile Legii lui Unu
	Softcover 978-3-949308-30-7
	Kindle coming soon