

4th Annual International Conference on
“Engaging The Other:”
The Power of Compassion



November 12 - 15, 2009 San Francisco, California USA

**At a time when polarization is the enemy
A conference exploring “The Other” from a universal, cross-cultural perspective
to promote wider public dialogue about images of “Us and Them”**

We Invite You To:

an extraordinary conference to address the roots of fear based beliefs and stereotypes, prejudice, polarization, enemy images, and artificial barriers of misunderstanding and distrust that divide us.

Join over 70 presenters to engage in 4 days of workshops, roundtables, and facilitated dialogue bridging the divide and cultivating our capacity for reconciliation, appreciation of diversity, and peace.

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“An important, timely dialogue ...everyone needs to be part of”

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