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**12<sup>nd</sup> Biennial Consultation**  
**Williamsburg, Virginia**  
**January 23-26, 2013**

Welcome to our Biennial Consultation!  
***FROM PASTS TO POSSIBILITIES***

Dear Colleagues

Welcome to both our new and our long-term members. As a member of this guild, I have come to appreciate the contributions of many persons who have worked to develop the Association for Theological Field Education over the past 60-plus years. From its very beginning, members have been attentive to the changing social, cultural, and ecclesial contexts of ministry. Over the years, the biennial consultations have been shaped by our corporate search for greater insight and wisdom in theological field education as well as its relationship to other theological and non-theological disciplines within the ministry formation curriculum.

Deeply attuned to context, theological field educators know the impact of location in all learning opportunities. This biennial consultation is no exception. Historic Williamsburg offers us a stimulating environment in which to reflect on our theme that spans over three centuries of history and continues to shape the practices and vision of the Western world. Seated across from the historic First Baptist Church as well as the College of William and Mary, our venue signifies the complexity of place and history. It also underlines the place of theological field education at the juncture of church, academy and world

It is our hope that you will experience this biennial consultation as a seamless whole and that the theme resonates for you throughout our time together. It is also our hope that the collaborations, resources and relationships that have marked the ATFE experience from its very beginning will be part of your experience here in Williamsburg.

Lorraine Ste-Marie  
Chair, Steering Committee

# *From Pasts to Possibilities*

## Conference Agenda-at-a-Glance

### Wednesday, January 23, 2013

2:00-4:00 p.m.	Research and Publishing Meeting	Huntington-Suite 220
4:00-5:00 p.m.	All About ATFE	Gloucester Room
4:00-5:00 p.m.	Caucus Contact Persons Meeting	Camel Bay-Suite 320
6:00-7:00 p.m.	Welcome Reception	Empire Ballroom
7:00-8:00 p.m.	Opening Session	Empire Ballroom
8:00-9:00 p.m.	Dessert Buffet	Empire Ballroom

### Thursday, January 24, 2013

8:30-9:15 a.m.	Worship	Empire Ballroom
9:15-10:15 a.m.	Keynote: Dr. Kwok Pui Lan	Empire Ballroom
10:30-11:45 a.m.	Table Discussions	Empire Ballroom
Noon-1:15 p.m.	Lunch Buffet	Papillon Bistro
1:15-2:10 p.m.	Business Meeting	Empire Ballroom
2:15-3:30 p.m.	Concurrent Breakouts-Session 1	See Reverse Side
3:45-5:00 p.m.	Concurrent Breakouts-Session 2	See Reverse Side
5:15-7:00 p.m.	CATFE Meeting	Huntington-Suite 220

### Friday, January 25, 2013

8:30-9:30 a.m.	Worship and Preaching: Dr. Bobby McClain	First Baptist Church
9:30-10:15 a.m.	Table Discussions	First Baptist Church
10:30-11:45 a.m.	Concurrent Breakouts-Session 3	See Reverse Side
11:45-12:30 p.m.	Business Meeting	Empire Ballroom
12:30 p.m.	Boxed Lunch Pick-Up	Hotel Lobby
12:45-6:00 p.m.	Cultural Crossroads	
7:00-9:00 p.m.	ATFE Banquet	Empire Ballroom

### Saturday, January 26, 2013

8:30-9:45 a.m.	Concurrent Breakouts-Session 4	See Reverse Side
10:00-12 Noon	Closing Session -Dr. Lorraine Ste-Marie	Empire Ballroom



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PLENARY AND BREAKOUT SESSIONS-AT-A-GLANCE**

Date/Time	Empire Ballroom	Jamestown	Williamsburg	Yorktown	Berkeley	Huntington Suite 220	Camel Bay Suite 320
Wednesday, Jan. 23 <sup>rd</sup> 8:00-9:00 pm	Welcome Reception Opening Session Dessert Buffet						
Thursday Jan. 24 <sup>th</sup> 8:30-11:45 am	Worship "Leadership in 2040" Table Discussions						
Thursday Jan. 24 <sup>th</sup> 2:15-3:30 pm <i>2:25</i>		A Guided Tour for New Adventurers in the Wilds of Theological Field Education	Program Assessment Through the Lens of Race, Class, and Gender	Diversity, Voice and Writing for the Discipline: A Conversation	Online Supervisor Training: Beta Version	Part 1: Peer Review Clinic	Pastoral Identity
Thursday Jan. 24 <sup>th</sup> 3:45-5:00 pm		Theological Reflection: Intersection of Theology, Theory and Praxis	Perspectives on the Place of Field Education in an Accreditation Review	Practical Theology and Theological Field Education: "Making Connections" <i>Joe Joyce</i>	Using Technology Effectively in Distance Education	Part 2: Peer Review Clinic	Gifting Our Graduates: Supporting Newly Ordained Clergy
Friday Jan. 25 <sup>th</sup> 8:30-10:15 am	First Baptist Church Worship "A Calling to Fulfill" Discussions						
Friday Jan. 25 <sup>th</sup> 10:30-11:45 am		Intercultural Immersion	I Have This Idea... How to Get Published	Illuminating Ministry: Group Spiritual Companionship	Leading Seminary Students in Grace-Filled Theological Conversation	Christian Discipline: Spiritual Nurture in Healthy Growing Congregations	Technology in the Trenches
Saturday Jan. 26 <sup>th</sup> 8:30-9:45 am		Field Education as a Mission: Forming Leaders for the Post-Christian Church	Cross Cultural Immersions and Global Justice	Exploring the Paradox of Theological Field Education	A Conversation on Future Trends in Field Education	Resources and Research for Writing and Publishing	Becoming Who I Am: Exploring Spiritual Foundations for Transformation
Saturday Jan. 26 <sup>th</sup> 10 am-Noon	Closing Forum: "For What Do We Hope?"						