



JSMC at The Parliament of the World’s Religions

August 13 to August 17 at McCormick Place, Chicago



Jain Program Highlights

Time	Description	Location
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Sunday, August 13

1:30PM to 3:30PM	Parade of Faiths	Parade Route
3:30PM to 5:30PM	Opening of Dwaar of Jain Temple	Main Hall
5:30PM to 8:30PM	Fund Raising Dinner Cruise	Navy Pier

Monday, August 14

10AM to 12:00PM	Opening Plenary: Nitin Ajmera (Chair of PoWR) and HH Acharya Lokesh Muniji	Plenary Hall
1:00PM to 3:00PM	Global Ethics Plenary: Nitin Ajmera (Chair of PoWR) as Jain Speaker	Plenary Hall
3:00PM to 4:30PM	An Interfaith Call to Action on Climate Change	Hall E - Room 4
3:00PM to 4:30PM	Ethics and Diplomacy of Food: Wisdom from Mahatma Gandhi & Jain, Jewish and Sikh Traditions	E 271 A
3:30PM to 5:00PM	Long Island Kirtan	Plenary Hall
5:00PM to 6:00PM	Mahavir Bhagwan Movie	E 352
6:00PM to 7:00PM	24 Tirthankar Vairagya Story - A Show	E 352

Tuesday, August 15

8:00AM to 9:30PM	Religion and Human Rights	Hall E - Room 13
9:00AM to 12:00PM	Workshop on Conscience - Part 1	Hall E - Room 22
1:00PM to 3:00PM	Crisis Plenary: Munishri 108 Pramaan Sagarji Maharaj as Jain Speaker	Plenary Hall
3:00PM to 6:00PM	Universal Values for Living in Excellence	Hall E - Room 22
5:00PM to 6:30PM	Human Rights, Duties and Responsibilities: Challenges of Modern Democratic Systems	E 271 A
5:00PM to 6:30PM	Significance of Swastika - A Sacred Symbol for More Than a Billion People	E 353 C

Wednesday, August 16

10AM to 10:10PM	Jain Performance by JSMC - 1	Plenary Hall
10AM to 12:00PM	Conscience Plenary: Ms. Surbhi Pandya as Jain Speaker	Plenary Hall
1:00PM to 2:30PM	Into the Future - Religion for Future Generations	Hall E - Room 3
1:00PM to 4:00PM	Universal Vows for Green Earth and Happiness	Hall E - Room 22
4:00PM to 5:00PM	Peace through Non Violence of Mahavir	Hall E - Room 22
5:00PM to 6:30PM	Forgiveness and Reconciliation: Stories of Faith	E 450 B

Thursday, August 17

8:00AM to 9:30PM	Peace through Non Violence Gandhian & Other Methods	E 271 A
10AM to 10:10PM	Jain Performance by JSMC - 2	Plenary Hall
10AM to 12:00PM	Community Plenary: Shri Atmarpit Nemiji as Jain Speaker	Plenary Hall
1:00PM to 2:00PM	4 Pillars of Joyous Living	Hall E - Room 22
2:30PM to 4:30PM	Yugpurush	E 352
3:00PM to 4:30PM	Religious Perspectives on Approaching Interfaith Dialogue	E 271 B
5:00PM to 6:30PM	Environmentalism, Climate and Rights of All Living Creatures	E 450 B
5:00PM to 6:30PM	Nemi Rajul Play by Jain Society of Metropolitan Chicago (JSMC)	Plenary Hall
5:00PM to 6:30PM	The Greening of Congregations - Jain Perspective	E 265
7:00PM to 10:00PM	Sacred Music Night	Plenary Hall

Friday, August 18

9:00AM to 12:00PM	Workshop on Coscience - Part 3	Hall E - Room 22
9:30AM to 10:30AM	Rhythm of Cosmic Dance	Exhibit Hall
10:30AM to 12:00PM	Approaches to Establishing World Peace	Hall E - Room 1
1:00PM to 2:30PM	Leaders Who Championed for Human Rights and Religious Freedoms	Hall E - Room 1
3:00PM to 5:00PM	Closing Plenary: Nitin Ajmera (Chair of PoWR) and Samani Jin Pragya ji as Jain Speakers	Plenary Hall

Daily Programs

8:30AM to 9:00AM	Bhavna Yog	Jain Temple
9:00AM to 6:00PM	Impacts of Killing	Exhibit Hall
9:00AM to 6:00PM	Meditation Through Jain Agams	Hall E - Room 18
11:00AM to 12:00PM	Party Like a Jain	Kids PoWR





Acharya
Lokeshmuniji



Muni Shri
Pramaansagarji



Samni Jin
Pragyaji

Plenary Keynote Speakers on
JAINISM



Atmarpit Nemiji



The Parade of Faiths