## **IP--Meaning Conference Announcement**

Subject: Meaning Conference 2016 - Call for Papers

The International Network on Personal Meaning (INPM) is pleased to announce the <u>9th</u> <u>Biennial International Meaning Conference</u> (Second Wave Positive Psychology Summit) to be held July 28-31, 2016 in Toronto, Canada.

This is the only international conference focusing on **second wave positive psychology** (PP2.0), which embraces the dark side of life and empowers humanistic values. It emphasizes cutting-edge research and innovative meaning-oriented interventions from the world's leading psychologists, including **Kirk Schneider**, **Mick Cooper**, **Robert Neimeyer**, **Michael Steger**, **Carol Ryff**, **Judith Wright**, **Clara Hill**, **Itai Ivtzan**, **William Breitbart**, **Paul T. P. Wong**, and more.

In addition to several pre-conference workshops for professionals in mental health and the workplace/organizations, the highlights of the conference include:

- Second Wave Positive Psychology Summit to explore the new frontiers of positive psychology as informed by existential-humanistic psychology,
- Panel on Meaning-Centered Interventions in counselling and therapy, and a
- Panel on Terrorism and Heroism consisting of Jordan Peterson, Michael Lerner, Alex Batthyany, and Alex Pattakos.

To encourage research in humanistic-existential contributions to PP2.0, we invite graduate students to enter a **Scholarship Competition**; for details, click: <u>http://meaning.ca/conference/scholarship-contest/</u>

To submit a **Proposal (Symposium, Workshops, Papers, or Posters**), <u>click here</u>. <u>http://meaning.ca/conference/call-for-papers/</u>

The submission deadline is April 30, 2016, and notifications will be sent before May 25, 2016. Please note that the early bird registration deadline is May 31, 2016. For more information on the conference, pre-conference workshops, and registration, <u>click here</u>.

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