From the desk of the coordinator

Former Superior General Antonio Pernia stated that the Anthropos Institute (AI) should “act as the guardian of the anthropos tradition of the Society” (VERBUM SVD 45, 1 (2004), 34). This issue of Interlink presents the 2016 activities of AI individuals and various institutions, dedicated to the social and religious sciences, within the global network of Anthropos Institute (AI) that contribute toward the fulfillment of this purpose. You are encouraged to survey what is being done in this regard.

A number of AI members continued in 2016 to be involved with the follow-up for the 2012 SVD General Chapter, “From Every Nation, People and Language: Sharing Intercultural Life and Mission.” The generalate-approved Resource Committee for Interculturality (RCI) consists of ten persons, including the following five AI members: Philip Gibbs (PNG), Jon Kirby (USW), S.M. Michael (INM), Alexander Rödlach (USC), and Roger Schroeder (USC).

An RCI work week was held in Nemi over January 3-9, 2016, to review the interculturality activities of 2015, develop additional tools and projects, and to work with the Arnold Janssen Spirituality Team (AJSC) from Steyl to begin developing a retreat on the spirituality of interculturality. After this week, the RCI—in collaboration with Robert Kisala (General Council) and Tim Norton (Nemi)—sponsored a two-week workshop, in Nemi, over January 10-23, 2016, to deepen and develop further aspects of interculturality for the participants of the January 2015 workshop, to deepen and develop further aspects of interculturality for the participants of the January 2015 workshop, who continued to serve as resource persons in interculturality on the zonal, sub-zonal and provincial levels. The main topics (and presenters) treated included: conflict resolution (Maureen McBride, RNDM), reconciliation (Robert Schreiter, CPPS), personality and culture (Ronald Pereira, SVD, INE), culture drama (Jon Kirby, SVD), trauma healing (Mercy Benson, SSPS), and initial formation and interculturality (Mark Weber, SVD, Generalate). There were twelve different presenters/ facilitators and twenty-five SVD and SSPS participants.

The resource persons submitted reports and materials from their work during 2016 to Schroeder, who then forwarded them in monthly bundles to the RCI and the Generalate. A total of 42 reports/files were received in 2016.

Following up on the spirituality of interculturality project, some participants of the January 2016 workshop volunteered to submit background materials for the sixteen retreat modules that were developed by the AJSC and some RCI members in the first week of January in Nemi. Together with other SVD and SSPS, who later accepted the invitation to contribute, thirty texts were written and submitted by twenty persons—thirteen SVD and seven SSPS. Five were in Spanish and the rest in English. This wealth of material was distributed to the resource persons, other contributors, SVD and SSPS General Councils, and the AJSC, who used this to further develop the retreat modules during their five-day convivencia in July 2016 in Steyl. Two RCI members—Adriana Milmanda SSPS (Argentina) and Schroeder—joined this latter effort.

Taking advantage of having so many AI members at the interculturality workshop, a meeting of Anthropos Institute members and other interested persons was held in Nemi on January 16, 2016. The following AI members attended: Andrade (BRS), Grodz (POL), Kirby (USC), Michael (INM), Munsi (JAP), and Schroeder (USC). Three other SVD with similar background also attended: Guillaume Bumba (CNG finishing doctorate in anthropology in NEB), Raymond Sudhiarsa (Director of Aditya Wacana Centre in Malang, IDJ), and Martin Tinnes (Indonesian anthropologist at Melanesian Institute, PNG). A significant amount of the meeting was devoted to sharing current and future work. The agenda also included the possibility of 1) zonal/sub-zonal gatherings of AI members, 2) common project among some AI members, 3) academic exchange among AI members and affiliated institutions, and 4) participation in the 10th annual seminar in November 2016 at Sanskriti – North Eastern Institute of Cultural Research in Guwahati (ING).

The most recent development from the two Interculturality workshops held in Nemi in January
2015 and 2016 is that the SVD and SSpS General Councils co-sponsored a joint three-week workshop on “Interculturality and Formation” in Nemi over January 15 until February 3, 2017 for thirty formation personnel from the two congregations. Adriana Milmanda and Roger Schroeder of the RCI were the co-chairs of the Organizing Team for this workshop, and several AI members were presenters.

The Coordinating Council of Anthropos Institute International—Roger Schroeder (USC), Philip Gibbs (PNG), and S.M. Michael (INM)—had face-to-face meetings in January 2016 in Nemi. During the year of 2016, International Coordinador Schroeder was able to meet personally with the following AI members: Andrej (AUS), Estepa (USC), Gibbs (PNG), Gnanaprakasam (INH), Grodz (POL), Kirby (USW), Kisala (ROM), Mantovani (AUS), Michael (INM), Munsi (JAP), Nawrot (BOL), and Rödlach (USC).

In terms of AI membership, Associate member Antoon Postma died in October 2016, at the age of 87 in the Philippines. The Dutch anthropologist, who had been an SVD, was a renown expert in the Mangyan culture. Ennio Mantovani changed his status from being a Full to an Emeritus member. Also two new members joined Anthropos Institute in 2016. Full member Joshua Gariba received a Ph.D. in Social and Cultural Anthropology from Louvain University and is now the new Director of Anthropos Institute St. Augustin. Darius Piwowarczyk serves as the General Director, and Othmar Gächter, Joachim Piepke, and Vinsensius Adi Gunawan as members of the editorial team.

The two volumes of *Anthropos* 2016 with 802 pages offer 25 articles, 11 reports and commentaries, and 128 book reviews. In addition to the extensive work of the four SVD members of the editorial team, Othmar Gächter wrote two reviews, and the following wrote one each: Andrej Bronk, Peter Knecht, and Darius Piwowarczyk.

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Please contact me, regarding any business related to the international network of Anthropos Institute at rschroeder@ctu.edu

Best wishes for 2017!

Roger Schroeder, SVD
International Coordinador of Anthropos Institute

## Publications of the Institute

The official publications of the Institute are entrusted to the Editorial Board at Anthropos Institute St. Augustin. Darius Piwowarczyk serves as Editor-in-Chief, and Othmar Gächter, Joachim Piepke, and Vinsensius Adi Gunawan as members of the editorial team.

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These reports include publications, conference papers, teaching and other activities/events during 2016. Materials in press will normally be mentioned when they appear. Members, however, sometimes also report on their works in progress to communicate what they are currently working on. These reports reflect the great diversity and depth of the work of the members of Anthropos Institute.

There are 30 individual reports.

### Joachim Andrade

Andrade continued to be a member of missiological reflection team (Equipe Inter-disciplinar) on the national level of the Religious Conference of Brazil, to produce scientific material for the religious in Brazil.

**Teaching and other presentations:**
1) Courses on Sociology of Religion, Ecumenism, and Inter-religious Dialogue and Missiology (over two semesters) in the Claretian Faculty – STUDIUM THEOLOGICUM.
2) Course of Anthropological Theology in the Faculty of Vincentians Fathers (second semester);
3) Treating topic of interculturality for programs organized by the Religious Conference of Brazil in five different areas of Brazil between April and November, 2016.
4) Presenting topic of interculturality for seven ongoing formation programs for different religious congregations in Brazil between April and November.
5) On behalf of the Bishops Conference of Brazil (CNBB), he taught inculturation and interculturality to missionaries preparing to leave for ad gentes mission, and another course for missionaries of various congregations who are coming into Brazil.
6) Talk on the theme of “Interculturality in the Religious congregations” in the Symposium of Missiologists in Brasilia.
7) Courses on interculturality for religious, and on interculturality and mission for seminarians on the national level (both in Brasilia).

### José Luiz Cazarotto

Cazarotto is teaching in a post-graduation university program. Much of his time and focus was on responding to terrible consequences of the breaking of a mining dam that deposited millions of cubic meters of mineral waste into the Rio Doce River. The ecological effect will last perhaps for a century. Long term pathologies are resulting from a long list of heavy metals dissolved in the water and mixed with that waste in the bottom of the river. He writes: “We just ‘celebrate’ the very first year. As part of this ‘new year’ we had a meeting on the issue….” Cazarotto gave a conference: “Geography and body: power and social configuration.” He is also dealing semiotic approach to territory. This is a kind of tool for urban research subjects.

### Bhaskar Das

Das is Assistant Professor of Anthropology at DHSK College, Dibrugarh, Assam (India). He received ‘Prof. B.M. Das Memorial Award’ from Sanskriti-NEICR at the Decennial National Conference held in Guwahati in November, 2016.

**Publications:**
Book edited:

Book chapters:

**Papers at conferences/symposia**
1) Paper entitled ‘Linguistic Family and Y-chromosome Haplogroups: A Study on Tibeto-Barma and Austro-Asiatic Groups of North-East India’ presented at the Indian Anthropological Congress-2016 organized by the Department of Anthropology, Assam University Diphu Campus and Indira Gandhi Rashtriya Manav Sangrahalya, Bhopal, under the auspices of the Indian National Confederation and Academy of Anthropologists.
2) Paper entitled ‘A study on the spread of haemoglobin E in North-East India using Y chromosome haplogroups’ presented in the national seminar on Anthropological Research in North-East India: Tradition and Transition organized by the Department of Anthropology, Dibrugarh University.

**Research:**
Working as a Principal Investigator in a University Grants Commission sponsored research project entitled ‘Incidence of anaemia and malnutrition among the female tea garden workers of upper Assam’.

**Invited lectures:**
1) Delivered three lectures in Research Methodology in Social Sciences at Sanskriti, Guwahati on 18th June, 2016 as part of the one month long internship training imparted to postgraduate scholars from the department of Sociology, Tezpur Central University, Assam.
2) Delivered 4th Prof. BM Das Memorial Lecture entitled ‘Health Status of the Tea Garden Workers with Special Reference to Anaemia’ at the Decennial National Conference of Sanskriti-NEICR, Guwahati from 18th to 20th November, 2016. The conference was titled Re-imagining Social Science Researches: Global Context, National Perspectives and Regional Priorities.
Norbert Foerster

Foerster lives in Humaitá in the Amazonia, a new mission of SVD in Brazil, coordinating this year the river-mission of that village, visiting regularly 67 little communities along the Madeira-river. He is the Vice-coordinator of Anthros do Brasil and professor at the Theological Institute John XXIII in Porto Velho - Rondônia. In 2016, he taught Pastoral Theology and History of Religion at graduate level at the Theological Institute in Porto Velho. He is a member of the research group REPAL (Religião e periferia na América Latina – Religion and periphery in Latin America) at the Methodist University of São Paulo (UMESP). This year, he was requested by this university repeatedly to revise academic articles.

Othmar Gächter

Gächter is a member of the Editorial Board of Anthropos. He edited (with Vinsensius Adi Gunawan) the “Review of Books” in: Anthropology & Mission 2016/53/454 (8-8 pp.).

Publication of Book Reviews:

Joshua Gariba

Gariba is the Director of the Tamale Institute of Cross-Cultural Studies (TICCS) in Ghana.

Book Publications:

Courses and Workshops:
1) Course in “Introduction to Social Anthropology” to seminarians of St. Victor Major Seminary, Tamale, Northern Region; and a course in “Myths and Symbols in African Traditional Religion” to students of Saints Peter & Paul Pastoral Social Institute at Wa, Upper West Region. These courses are part of the academic program for students and seminarians who write the Bachelor of Arts Degree examinations with the University of Ghana, Legon and University of Cape Coast respectively.
2) Two workshops on “Managing Cultural Differences in Religious Communities” to young professed sisters and to prospective formators of local and international Religious congregations working in Africa at the Institute of Continuing Formation (ICF) at Elmina.

Conference paper:

Patrick Gesch

Gesch devoted much time in teaching, finishing writing tasks and, for the first time, leading students of his department into doing field research. Regarding the latter, he taught Research Methods to teach methodology and encourage students to develop their research interest, for example through the use of questionnaires.

Publications and research:
1) He delivered a paper on witches (Tok Pisin: sangumya) at the Australian Anthropological Society’s conference on the general theme of threshold experiences. The communities with whom he had been involved enter into these witchcraft events through initiation processes, both on the side of the offending witches, and on the side of the orthodox villagers who can identify and deal with the witches. He has been working on revising this paper for publication for the Ethnos journal.
2) He is working on a contribution to a Festschrift for Jürg Wassmann, lately of Heidelberg University. Wassman and his students had come to our Divine Word University over many years to contribute to the building up of our Department of PNG Studies and International Relations. Gesch is reflecting on his fieldwork experiences over the past 43 years. The review of all the modalities of his fieldwork experience was an enjoyable reflection for him.
3) Gesch has been cooperating with a medical doctor who wants to revive traditional initiation in Yangoru, East Sepik Province, for the sake of instilling discipline that would reduce the occurrence of HIV/AIDS. While Gesch has argued against the revival of the tradition, he is counted as a co-author in the articles being written on this.
4) For research projects in 2017, Gesch intends to resume fieldwork, while teaching, to write up data he has collected on local initiations, which might now be declining in frequency and importance. Also, for 15 years he has been following a certain village court whose officers he knows well. He will see what he can write about those hearings which serve the peace and good order of the community.

Philip Gibbs

Gibbs is on the Coordinating Council of Anthropos International. He now has full-time teaching and administrative responsibilities at Divine Word University in Madang, PNG.

Publications:
1) “I Could Be the Last Man: Changin Masculinities in Enga Society, The Asia Pacific Journal of Anthropology, 17.3-4, 324-341, DOI: 10.1080/14442213.2016.1179783
4) “Basic rules of Enga spelling.” Appendix 6 in Polly Wiessner (ed.) Enga Culture & Community


Papers and presentations:

1) PNG at 40 Symposium, Alotau, Papua New Guinea, “Contribution of the Churches and Response to Social Issues in PNG.”

2) Australian Catholic University, Melbourne. “Globalization and the Church in the Pacific.”


5) Presentation at Research Symposium at Divine Word University, “Money is Making Us Poor. A view from the Middle Ramu.”

6) PNG Human Rights Festival. Film “Stop Sorcery Violence” (with Maria Sagista)

Josef Glinka

Glinka, at the age of 84, enjoys his hobby of Church history. Having published his autobiography and an article on 100 years of the SVD in Indonesia, he is now completing an article on The Catholic Church in Indonesia. All of this is in Polish. He served as a co-promotor for a dissertation about socio-biology on how beliefs influence parity, He continues to help infertile couples to have children. He discovered that water veins cause infertility. If somebody is interested in this, feel free to contact him for further information at glinka@indo.net.id.

Lazar Gnanaprakasam

Gnanaprakasam is the Director of Sanskruti -- Institute of Dravidian Culture and Research in Hyderabad, India.

Stanisław Grodź

Grodź until mid-2016 lectured at the Catholic University of Lublin, Poland as an assistant professor (Department of the Study of Religion and Missiology, Faculty of Theology) for:

* doctoral students in Fundamental Theology (in Polish on 1/ African Christology, 2/ the history of Christian-Muslim relations),

* doctoral students in theology (in English on 1/ Intercultural Dialogue, 2/ Inculturation, 3/ History and issues in Christian-Muslim contacts),

* M.A. students of European Studies (in English on Islam in Europe),

* M.A. theology students (in Polish – introductory course on the concept of marriage and family in the Islamic civilisation).

After his contract with the university ended on 30 September 2016, he moved to St Augustine and joined the staff of Anthropons Institute, beginning with a German language course.

Publications:

1) He is a member of the core editorial board of the Bibliographical History of Christian-Muslim Relations, 1500-1900 (CMR1900). So far they have published 4 volumes of about 900 pages each—one in 2014, one in 2015, the following two in 2016.


2) Apart from editing a dozen entries for the CMR1900 in the capacity of ‘Section Editor’ for Eastern Europe, he also wrote the following entries:

1. ‘Introduction’, in Volume 8, pp. 1-14

2. ‘Erazm Otwinowski’, in Volume 8, pp. 675-81

3. ‘Hieronim Bāliński’, in Volume 8, pp. 697-701

4. ‘Straszliwe widzenie Piotra Pęgowskiego’, in Volume 8, pp. 708-11

5. ‘Wojciech Miaskowski’, in Volume 8, pp. 756-66


Other publications:


Augustine Kanjamala

Publications:

1. The Future of Christian Mission in India, an Indian edition of an earlier publication, was reprinted by Theological Publication in India, Bangalore, 2016, pp. 399.

mission in India. This is the first ever Social research by the Catholic Church. The author, as CBCI Secretary for evangelization (Catholic Bishops Conference of India), collected data from 40 sample dioceses with the help of diocesan teams. The findings on emerging mission theology from below is a challenging invitation to construct a relevant missionology for India where around 97% of Indians find their salvation outside the Christian economy of redemption. On the one hand, Christian Mission may appear to be a failure in India in qualitative terms. However it was a success in qualitative terms, that is, by transforming the Indian Society and mentality for the better.


Jon Kirby

Kirby was appointed pastor of Blessed Sacrament Church, San Diego, USA in July 2016, but continues to facilitate programs of interculturality.

Programs and presentations:
1) A number of presentations in Nemi for RCI Interculturality Workshop in January 2016.
2) Bibliodrama retreat for Barona Mission and at OL Guadalupe, USA.
3) Gave presentations on ASGPP Phoenix on Interculturality using action methods.
4) Offered three interculturality presentations for Religious Communities as a SEDOS Conference near Nemi.
5) Presented a paper on using culture-drama to facilitate interreligious dialogue at the international IAMS Conference in Korea.
6) Offered a 2-day Interculturality Workshop to members of USA Souther Province (USS).
7) Offering two Bibliodrama session each month (September. to December) at Blessed Sacrament Church, San Diego CA, USA.

Publications:
Stories of our Intercultural Living and Mission, with Alexander Roedlach and Victor Zakarias (eds.) SVD Publications.

Peter Knecht

Knecht had the following activities in 2016.
1) Publication of two articles. The first (in English) is a report about the village in Northjapan, where he has done fieldwork for about 40 years. The second was a translation (from Japanese to English) of a chapter from a book about Shinto.
2) He taught five double-units of classes at the NCC Institute for the Study of Religion in Kyoto on “Shinto and Folk Religion.” Knecht has also taken students on five “field trips” to show them some of the practices he was talking about in class. The course is designed to give students some experience with Japanese religion and religiosity.
3) He also spoke with the SVD OTP students on some aspects of Japanese culture: beliefs, customs, rituals and social organization.
4) Finally, Knecht did some fieldwork in Inner Mongolia for about 10 days in June, and for a good week after Christmas until 9 January this year in the village, where he has done regular fieldwork in Northjapan over the years.

Zdzisław Kupiński

Kupiński is on the faculty of John Paul II Catholic University of Lublin (KUL), where is the head of the Department of Religious Studies and Missiology, and since 2016 the head of the Department of Religiology and Missiology.

Teaching:
He has taught the following subjects: The Church and the New Religious Movements, The Cult of Saints in Popular Religiosity, New Religious Movements, Slavic Mythology, Religiology, and Outline of Religious Studies.

Publications:
Book: Zdzisław Kupiński SVD, Jan Łuczkowski, Zwyczaje, obrzędzy i wierzenia weselne w Opolożyństwem. Tradycja a współczesność (Customs, Rituals and Wedding Beliefs in Region of Opocno, Tradition and Modernity), Opoczn 2016, pp. 323. Articles:
3. „Koncepcje duszy i zaświatów w obrzędach pogrzebowych i zasadzkowych” (The Concepts of the Soul and the Afterlife in Funeral and All Souls Day's Rituals), „Roczники Teologiczne” vol. LXIII 2016, n. 9, p. 143-161.
4. „Wieczera wigilijna Bożego Narodzenia i święconka wielkanocna w przekazie międzypokoleniowym wiary i tradycji” (Christmas Eve and Easter Basket in Intergenerational
Kuzhikkattuthazhe is the Director of Sanskriti—North Eastern Institute of Cultural Research (NEICR) in Guwahati, India (ING). This year being the decennial year of the Institute, Jose was invited by various research institutes to attend conferences and present research papers on themes pertaining to north east India. Apart from that Jose has been involved in rejuvenating social science researches in the north eastern region of India by taking classes for the internship students of Tezpur, Central University, Tezpur, Assam.

Other academic activity:
Kupisinski conducted a number of editorial reviews, and he has a number of items in the process for publication in the near future. He delivered papers at seven conferences and symposiums. He also was the promoter for one doctoral dissertation and a reviewer of a number of MA and BA theses.

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Publications:
He has also initiated a series of scholarly books to help doctoral scholars to have a ready reference with special reference to American Psychological Association (APA) referencing methods. This book was jointly edited by Dr. Bhaskar Das, an associate member of Anthropos International.

Other Activities:
Jose is also involved in establishing the library with more recent books on Anthropology, North East India Studies etc... He has organized the 10th annual national conference from 18th to 20th Nov. 2016. The focal theme of this conference was “Re-Imagining Social Science Researches: Global Context, National Perspectives and Regional Priorities.”

Ennio Mantovani
Mantovani officially retired from regular teaching at the end of 2009, and his status shifted within Anthropos Institute from being a Full Member to being an Emeritus one in 2016. He described his 2016 activities in this way:
1) Delivered a keynote address to the Australian Catholic Historical Society in Sydney but it has not been published as yet.
3) John Prior wrote a review of his last three books for Exchange (Utrecht).
4) He is reading more on the topic of Evolutionism, in light of his vast experience and research on Melanesian religions.

Michael, S. M.
Sebastian Maria Michael is a member of eh Coordinating Council of Anthropos International.

Publications:
Book:

Paper Presentations:
1) “Ecology — Interdisciplinary Perspectives”, Keynote Address delivered at the Inter-Collegiate Conference of the Faculty of Philosophy, Jnana-Deepa Vidyapeeth, Pune.
2) “Culture, Gospel and Communication in the Postmodern World”, Keynote Address Presented at the Meeting of the Regional Diocesan Directors of Communication & SIGNIS Members at Bijnor Communication Centre, at Kotdwra.
4) Seminar/Conference Participation
1) “Laudato Si: Living in Harmony from a Tribal Perspective”, organized by MISSION Network Pastoral in Asia, at SVD Regional House, Guwahati.
2) “Reflecting “Amoris Laetitia” in South Asian Context”, at National, Biblical and Catechetical and Liturgical Centre (NBCLC), Bangalore.

Roger Vanzila Munsfi
Munsfi taught five courses at Nanzan University while being involved in different research activities organized by the Nanzan Anthropological Institute. In April 2017 he will be shifted from the Faculty of Foreign Studies to a newly established Faculty of GLOBAL LIBERAL STUDIES. He will be teaching courses such as Cultural Anthropology/ Ethnology, Issues in Contemporary Cultural
Anthropology, Studies in Religion, Ethnic Problems and Human Dignity, Interculturality, Globalization and Multiculturalism, and continue to be involved with the activities of the Anthropological Institute. 

Publications:

Research:
1) He carried out cross-sectional research on “Social Organization and Religious Practices” among the Sakata of the Democratic Republic of Congo. The outcome of this research will enrich my forthcoming book on the same topic.
2) He conducted a second phase of his visual anthropological study of the “Sakata Folklore Dancing in Urban Settings”. The study focused more specifically on the Sakata band and residents found in Bandundu city.
3) He carried out fieldwork in Nagasaki districts among the Kakure Kirishitan Survivors (Hidden Christians). Emphasis was put on the (1) “Age-Old Ritual Practice of ‘Ohatshuhoage’ “ (a symbolic equivalent or ritual substitute of the Eucharist) performed by these religious minorities, and (2) Kirishitan Shrines and related Festivals held annually by Hidden Christians, Catholics and Buddhists. Some of the research findings enriched his article on the above-mentioned religious ceremony. Other data will be inserted into his forthcoming book on Kirishitan Shrines and Festivals in Japan: Looking at the Religiosity of Local Communities.

Conference papers and workshops:
1) Together with the Catholic Archive Center of Nanzan University, he organized a Workshop on ORASHO (Prayers used by Japanese Hidden Christians) at Nanzan University. These Catholic prayers (Oraso) were adapted to sound like Buddhist and Shinto prayers, yet retained many untranslated words from Latin and 17th century Portuguese and Spanish. Munsi was a guest speaker for the event.
2) He gave a Special Lecture on “Japanese Hidden Christians in Contemporary Settings” during the Interreligious Study in Japan Program (ISJP) organized annually by the NCC Institute for Religious Studies in Kyoto.
3) Munsi was involved in the plenary sessions and discussions organized by the African Association for the Study of Religions during the Annual Meeting/Conference of the American Academic of Religion (AAR) held in San Antonio, USA.

Piotr Nawrot
Nawrot, in addition to his annual classes at Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznan (UAM), Poland, served as a guest professor at these universities and institutions in 2016:
1) “Música misional”. Tarija, Bolivia: Centro Eclesial de Documentación and the Catholic University of Bolivia.
2) “Musical Sources in the Moxos Missions”. Mainz, Germany: Annual Congress of the Gesellschaft fur Musikforschung (German Society for Music Research), RISM.
4) “San Ignacio. Opera from the Jesuit Missions in Bolivia”. Chicago, USA: Loyola University Chicago. 11th Chicago Latino Music Festival.
6) Introduction to the concert: “San Ignacio. Opera de las misiones jesuiticas”. Chicago, USA: The Art Institute of Chicago, Fullerton Hall.
7) “Muzyka z jezickich misji w Boliwii”. Gostyn, Poland: Festiwal Muzyki Oratoryjnej, Musica Sacromontana.
8) “Muzyka z filmu ‘Misja’ a autentyczna muzyka Indian Guarani, Chiquitos i Moxos”. Poznań, UAM, Poland.
10) “Muzyka i ewangeliacja w Ameryce w czasie kolonizacji hiszpańskiej”. Warszawa, Poland: UKSW (Karol Wyszyński University in Warsaw).
11) “Zródeł muzyki dawnej w Boliwii”. Warsaw, UW (Warsaw University), Poland.

Publications:
Edited books:

Articles:
3) Two more articles will be published with date 2016, but at the beginning of 2017.

Artistic activities:
1) Artistic Director for Bolivia. Baroque Music Festival, Misiones de Chiquitos.
2) USA. The Art Institute of Chicago, Fullerton Hall. Opera de las misiones jesuiticas. Chicago.
3) Poland. Festival of Music, Musica Sacromontana. Gostyn, Poland.

Gregory Neonbasu
Neonbasu is the Head of St. Arnold Educational Foundation of the Catholic University of Widya Mandira Kupang, West Timor, Indonesia.

Teaching:
1) Anthropology, Gender-Politics, Governmental Anthropology, Ethics, and Sociology at several campuses: UNIKA Widya Mandira, STIPAS of St. Gregory the Great of the Archdiocese of Kupang; STIPAS of St. Peter of the Diocese of Atambua;
Christian University of Artha Wacana of Kupang (undergraduate students).
2) He teaches the same subjects for a postgraduate (doctorate, S3, PhD) program of Christian College State (Sekolah Tinggi Agama Kristen Negeri, STAKN) Kupang.

Publications:
Books:

Articles:

Research
He is researching TFUA, the traditional religion of the Atosin Meto from Timor, eastern Indonesia.

Papers presented:
1) “Etika Kepemimpinan”
2) “Antropologi dan Bahasa”
3) “Sebuah Paparan Pendekatan Papua dalam Perspektif Melanesia”
4) “Dinamika Pembangunan dalam Konteks Melanesia”
5) “The Network of Collective Reflection on Melanesian Anthropology, Searching through the roots of oral tradition” at Stellenbosch University of Cape Town, South Africa
6) “The Dynamic of Melanesian World, Tracing the Origins, Migrations and Settlements of Melanesia, at Vanuatu, Solomon Islands and Fiji (March 2016 as well as among ANZ of South Africa-Cape Town

Jacek Pawlik
Pawlik delivered lectures for these courses:
Religion Studies, Marriage and Family in Cross-Cultural Perspective, Theories of Culture, Cultural Communication, Cultural Anthropology in Contemporary Europe (all at UWM in Olsztyn); Cultural Anthropology (SVD Seminary, Pieniezno)

Publications:
Book:

Articles:

Conference papers:
1. International Conference Humans - Art – Education, Olsztyn, 2016, June 9-10, paper: Regional Education in Context of Interculturality;
4. Cultural and Social Context of State Foreign Policy, Pieniezno, 2016, June 28-30, paper: Interculturality in International Relations;

Francis Pereira
Pereira did the following teaching:
1. Thirty lectures on Contextual theology for theology students of Khristo Jyoti Mohavidyaloyo (KJM), the Interdiocesan Regional Theologate of Odisha at Sambalpur, India.
2. Fifteen lectures on Tribal theology to the fourth year theology students at KJM, Sambalpur.
3. Classes on Tribal Culture to first year theology students and twelve religious candidates at Samanvaya Theologate at Kolchoor, Chhattisgarh.
4. Classes on Tribal Theology to third year theology students of St. Charles Seminary, Naggur in Maharashtra state.

Other activities:
1. Guided two B.Th theology research papers (dissertations) at KJM, Sambalpur for the academic year 2015-2016.
2. Guided 13 theology students to present research papers for the Annual Seminar on the topic *Superstitious Beliefs and Witchcraft among Tribals*.
3. Guided field study of 12 theology students for five days in Sundargarh district of Odisha on the topic Tribal Religions Promoting Eco-theology.
4. Conducted Mission Animation for the confreres of ING in December 2016 at the Regional House, Guwahati in Assam state.

Joachim Piepke
Piepke is the Director of Anthropos Institute St. Augustin and as a member of the editorial team of the institute, he does much manuscript reading and proof reading. Together with Darius Piwowarczyk and Adi Gunawan, he prepared the article reviews for Anthropology & Mission 52 and 53, and he also edited those two issues.

Publications:

Other activities:
2) Conclusion of the Manuscript “A Liberation God is Different: Remarks for Critical Christians” (440 pp.).

Darius Piwowarczyk
Piwowarczyk, as the Editor-in-Chief of the *Anthropos* journal, edited the two issues of volume 111. On December 13, 2016, he successfully defended his postdoctoral dissertation at the University of Fribourg in Switzerland. In this
way, he acquired the “venia legendi” (Habilitation) in the area of social anthropology at that university. The habilitation book will appear in 2017, in Fribourg, under the title: “Transforming Africans into Cogwheels of the Imperial Machine: Progress, Nation, and Ultramontane Catholicism in Service of the German Colonial Project in Togo, 1892-1914.”

Publications:
1) „Indygenezm jako aspekt latynoamerykańskiej teologii wyzwolenia. Refleksja z perspektywy pracy misyjnej wobr Indian Paragwaju” Nurt (Pieniężno, Poland).

Teaching: Seminar „Interkulturalität – Herausforderung für Kirche und Gesellschaft heute” (Interculturality- A Challenge for the Church and Society), offered at the Philosophisch-Theologische Hochschule SVD Stankt Augustin, Germany.


Alexander Rödlach
Rödlach, Associate Professor in Medical Anthropology and Psychiatry at Creighton University in Omaha (USA).

Teaching and academic programs:
He is teaching courses related to medical anthropology and Africa, such as Global Health - A Biosocial and Justice-Oriented Approach and Health Care, Society and Culture. He is the director of the graduate program in medical anthropology, has spearheaded the development of a new graduate certificate program in Cultural Competency in Health Care, and is currently working with others on a joint anthropology and theology program in Health Ministry. He is co-organizing an intercultural graduate conference on the Creighton campus to be held in March 2017.

Research:
He is working with graduate and professional students on various research projects: with T. Andalcio on developing a self-measurement tool for faith communities to assess health infrastructure in parishes and congregations; with J. Wu and A. Lai on the impact of medical mission immersion trips on medical students' intercultural skills; and with A. Fried on access barriers to health services in low-income regions. He continues to analyze research data on faith community nursing's impact on the health of clients. He mentors the thesis project of S. Kohl on the association of illegal immigration status and ill health in Chicago.

Together with Renzo Rosales SJ and nine students, he did a needs assessment at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Lexington, Nebraska, USA, to better understand the needs of various cultural and other demographic groups in the parish and how to address them. Rosales and Alex are planning to develop a manual for similar needs assessments.

Publications:
1) Together with A. Nelson (University of North Texas) and R. Willems (Catholic University in Leuven) he is working on an edited volume titled The Crux of Refugee Resettlement: Rebuilding Social Networks. It will be submitted to a publisher in February, 2017, and include a chapter co-authored by him with the title The Competing and Shifting Relevance of Social Capital in Successful Refugee Resettlement.
2) Together with AI member Jon Kirby SVD and Victor Zackarias SVD, he edited an issue of In Word and Deed with the title Stories of our Intercultural Living and Mission, to be published early in 2017.

Conference papers:
1) Rödlach organized a panel with L. Heinemann on “Policy Interventions at the Level of Care - Caregivers' Navigations of Policy Constraints” at the Annual Meeting of the Society for Applied Anthropology in Vancouver, Canada. He gave a paper on “Faith Community Nurses - Skillfully Navigating Health Care Policies and Church Doctrines.”
2) He gave a paper during the Global Health Conference Midwest, with Jocelyn Wu, Allison Lai and Theresa Townley on “The Intercultural Development Inventory as a Cultural Competency and Sensitivity Measure for Medical Students Opting into a Global Service Learning Program.
3) He gave a paper at the Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association on “The Rise of the Female Sorcerer - Antiretroviral Treatment in Zimbabwe.”

Other Activity:
He co-led a joint program of two Creighton faculty and two St. Augustin faculty for Creighton and Sankt Augustin students on care for the dying and the dead from various disciplinary angles. The program was held at Sankt Augustin, Germany. He is currently developing a similar program with two nursing faculty at Creighton planning to spend two weeks in Sankt Gabriel, Austria, and to visit various sites in Vienna, Budapest and Bratislava.

Roger Schroeder
Schroeder is the Louis J. Luzbetak, SVD, Professor of Mission and Culture and the Chair of the Intercultural Studies and Ministry Department at Catholic Theological Union at Chicago (CTU). He is on a professional sabbatical during the 2016-2017 academic year. He did teach during the Spring semester 2016 at CTU, and directed the completion of theses for one Doctorate of Ministry and one MA in Theology student.

Publications and Editorial Work:
1) (With Stephen Bevans) Diálogo Profético: Reflexões sobre a missão crista hoje (São Paulo, Brazil: Paulinas, 2016), 230 pp. [Portuguese translation of Prophetic Dialogue]
2) Became one of three Associate Editors of the International Bulletin of Mission Research (IBMR).
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Schroeder gave the following lectures during four weeks in Australia:
1) Two talks on “Indigenous Theologies in the Americas” during a three-day seminar on “Listening to Indigenous Theologies Seminar” in Alice Springs;
2) Workshop on “What is the Mission of the Church?” for a Parish in Alice Springs;
3) “Inculturated Mission and Catholic Identity as Table Fellowship” for two groups of Catholic Education in Warwick and Toowoomba, Qld.;
4) Reflections on the Alice Springs Aboriginal Theology Seminar at Whitley College (Baptist) in Melbourne;
5) Talks on “The Mission of God for All Christians,” “Inculturation and the ‘Garden’,” “Prophetic Dialogue and Interculturality,” and “Mission as Table Fellowship in the Areopagus of Today,” for the Staff of Catholic Mission Australia, Sydney, NSW;
7) Talks on “Living Mission in a Secular and Changing World,” Catholic Education leaders, Wollongong, NSW.

Popular presentations and workshops:
2) “Sexuality, Gender Roles and Culture” for Cultural Orientation Workshop for SVD & SSPs.

Other Activities:
1) Over three weeks in Nemi, Italy, Schroeder chaired the work of the SVD international Resource Committee for Interculturality (RCI), co-directed the Second Workshop for Training Resource Persons in Interculturality, and worked with members of the international Arnold Janssen Spirituality Center to begin developing a retreat on the spirituality of interculturality.
2) Delivered a talk on “The Church and Indigenous Peoples in the Americas: Focus on the United States” at a conference on “The Church & Indigenous Peoples in the Americas” co-sponsored by CTU and DePaul University (USA).

Djilma Antônio da Silva
Da Silva, as the Director/President of Anthropos do Brasil, coordinated the preparation of the Symposium of the Anthropos Institute of Brazil, entitled “Challenges and perspectives for contemporaneity: Clues and answers for SVD via Anthropos.”
Da Silva prepared a pre-project for a post-doctorate entitled: “Between orality and writing: The ideological importance of literacy in the traditional quilombola communities in the perspective of preservation of memory.” This will be presented in 2017 in the department of social anthropology of the Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG), to obtain a postdoctoral degree in social anthropology.

He taught two missiology classes per month during 2016 for lay people at a parish in Rio Janeiro, and gave a presentation for the SVD Neos-Missionaries of Subzone Brazil on the theme of “Religious Life and Globalization.”

Janet Florine Tellis
Tellis is a Research Associate with Sanskriti - North Eastern Institute of Cultural Research, Guwahati, and has a full-time position teaching sociology on the undergraduate level.

Publication:

Presentations:
1) At the National seminar on “Indigenous Knowledge System For Sustainable Rural Development,” at NIRDPR-NERC, Guwahati.
2) At the International seminar on “Empowering Women to Lead Change” at Icfai University Agartala.

Franco Zocca
Zocca left the Melanesian Institute of Goroka (PNG) in March 2015, and his academic activities have been considerably reduced since then. He left PNG on May 15, 2016 and moved to the retirement house of the Italian Province in Varone di Riva del Garda, where his is a full time pastoral worker in the Pastoral Unity entrusted to the SVDs. He conducted the following courses/workshops in PNG in 2016:
1) Block Course on Sociology of Religion – Seminary of Vanimo;
2) Workshop on Sorcery and Cargo Cult to priests and religious in Kiunga;
3) Workshop on the Growth of Islam in PNG on Fatima Seminary, Mount Hagen;
4) Orientation Course for new missionaries in the diocese of Kiunga.

Reports on Corporate Members

Anthropos Institute St. Augustin
Much of their work has already been described above (p. 2) under “Publications of the Institute.” In addition, they have been involved with the international exhibition of photographs by the late AI member Martin Gusinde. For example, Darius Piwowarczyk participated in the exhibition in Santiago, Chile, in October 2016.
Also, AI member Stanislaw Grodz has now joined the staff, and is currently learning German. The other AI members in Sankt Augustin are Vinsensius Gunawan Adi, Othmar Gächter, Günther Gessinger, Joachim Piepke, and Darius Piwowarczyk (cf. individual reports above). Consult www.anthropos.eu for further information on Anthropos Institute of St. Augustin.

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NOTE OF CLARIFICATION:
At the moment the official Statutes of Anthropos Institute recognize only full corporate association. However, we also acknowledge and include here the important efforts in 2016 of the following institutions dedicated to the study of culture and religion which carry out the Anthropos tradition of our Society, even though they are not full corporate members as of yet. Each of these institutes have some SVD affiliation, though several are presently not officially recognized by the SVD Generalate. One or more SVD are working in each of these centers, of whom many are currently members of Anthropos Institute.

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Aditya Wacana Centre
Missiologist Raymundus Sudhiarsa, SVD, is the Director of Aditya Wacana Centre for Studies of Religion and Culture in Malang, Indonesia (IDJ). Gregorius Genane Kaha joined the centre in 2016, so along with Donatus Sermuda and Peter Sarbini, there are now four SVD on the staff.

The Centre organized the yearly mission symposium in January 2016 on the present mission challenges in the Indonesian context. It published two issues of the Perspektif journal, with articles on religions and cultures based either on field researches or academic debates, and the editors welcome contributions from SVD in other countries for their valuable articles to support the journal.

Sarbini published a book entitled Pesona Islam (‘Enchantment of Islam’), which was launched during the seminar on ‘Intercultural Competence’ in September, 2016. Donatus Sermuda completed a Doctoral Degree in socio-political science from the Airlangga University of Surabaya. Sermuda, Sarbini and Sudhiarsa are also active lecturers at the Widya Sasana School of Philosophy and Theology, Malang.

Anthropos do Brasil
AI member Djalma Antônio da Silva is the Director/President of Anthropos do Brasil. The year 2016 was the time to organize the administration of the Anthropos Institute of Brazil. Throughout the year, several meetings were held with the Anthropos team in Juiz de Fora and in Rio de Janeiro.

Journal:
The idea of preparing a journal of the Anthropos Institute of Brazil was developed, where conferencees with formation in the human sciences, theology and also lay people can publish articles. It was analyzed that the publication of a printed magazine would be very expensive. It was decided to publish an electronic magazine. The magazine's publication is being planned for 2017 or 2018.

Symposium:
A Symposium of the Anthropos Institute of Brazil took place in the Community of the Divine Word, in Juiz de Fora, in October, 2016, with the theme: "Challenges and perspectives for contemporaneity: clues and answers for SVD via Anthropos." Fifteen conferencees, two SVD seminars and three lay teachers attended the event. AI member Fr. Joachim Piepke (GER) developed the theme: "Anthropos International, origin, development and current situation." João Edeno Vale SVD then presented the theme: "Anthropos of Brazil: trajectory". And the third conference was made by Professor Faustino Teixeira of the Federal University of Juiz de Fora, with the theme: "Anthropological Challenges for SVD Missionary in Brazil. On the second day of the Symposium three work groups focused on: "human rights and integrity of creation"; "Education and the construction of identity"; "anthropology: anthropological challenges for the Church in Brazil". Each participant in the symposium was able to talk about their current research. A schedule was made for some Anthropos activities in 2017.

Institute of Indian Culture
Dr. Scaria Pannackal SVD is the Director of the Institute of Indian Culture (IIC), Mumbai, India. The following AI members are in this Institute: Augustine Kanjamala, S.M. Michael, and Joseph Mundananikkal (M.T.). IIC had a Memorial Lecture on the Institute day. This memorial lecture on ‘Scholarship as Mission’ was in honour of the founder scholar Dr. Stephen Fuchs and delivered by Dr.Agnelo Menezes, the Principal of St. Xavier’s College, Mumbai. According to him there is the need to revisit the notion of ‘Scholarship’ today. Pannackal described the talk in this way: “A scholar has to invest time in real issues, be in touch with those on the margins, spend long hours in libraries and laboratories and expend prolonged periods deliberating and writing. Real scholars are multifaceted and they are rooted in one discipline and yet constantly probe for links with other disciplines.” At the Memorial Lecture, the book Globalization and Religion - Interactions and Divergences by Provincial Paul Vattathara SVD, was released.

Melanesian Institute
Melanesian Institute (MI) is an Ecumenical social and Educational Institute administered by PNG and SI mainline churches (Catholic, Evangelical Lutheran, United and Anglican), that serves the people of Melanesia through Research. Publication and Education. Staff members include the following SVD: Geovanne Bustos (Director) and Martin Tinnes (Assistant Director & HOD Research).

Publications: Point series no. 40: Living in the Family of Jesus: Critical Contextualisation in Melanesia and Beyond (edited by William Kenny Longgar and Tim Meadowcroft). This is a joint publication with Laidlaw College New Zealand. Catalyst volume 46 nos. 1&2, and Occasional Paper no. 11: Christian Love and Politics of PNG.
The publications available in MI’s online bookshop: <shop.mi.org.pg> or its website www.mi.org.pg.

Programs:

Courses & inputs on various topics were given to Schools, Theological colleges, Church run pastoral Centres, Catholic Religious Orders, Leadership team of PNG Anglican church, International NGOs, MATS (Melanesian Association of Theological Schools), and forums sponsored by government bodies. Two cultural Orientation courses for expatriate church workers Interculturality has been were held. Interculturality will be an integral part of MI’s Courses and Community Outreach in 2017 onwards.

Research Project:
The Melanesian Institute Research Team (MIRT) carried out grassroots consultation on Marriage and Family Life (MFL) for critically engaging pressing social agendas in Papua New Guinea today. The consultation has identified macro issues like migration and multiculturalism, money and market economy, modernity and contested masculinity, mission impact and Christian values on MFL that will be the focus of in-depth investigations in the next three years (2017-19). Some Insights from this consultation have been developed into some course models and were offered to NGOs and new expatriate church workers who attended MI courses at the second half of 2016.

Sanskruti -- North Eastern Institute of Cultural Research

Anthropos Institute member Jose Kuzhikkattuthazhe (cf. individual report above) is the Director of Sanskriti—North Eastern Institute of Cultural Research (NEICR) in Guwahati, India (ING). Earlier this institute was known as Sanskriti - North Eastern Institute of Culture and Religion. About two years before it was re-christened as Sanskriti - North Eastern Institute of Cultural Research. So far this institute has offered ten annual national conferences (2007-2016) and the eleventh one is being planned for the year 2017. The theme of the conference is Customary Laws vis-a-vis Civil Laws in North East India – with special reference to Arunachal Pradesh. This institute has so far brought out 16 volumes based on the national conferences together with a couple of monographs on some communities of north east India. Under the banner of this institute we have been involved in animating young scholars who are pursuing doctoral studies in various universities with special reference to North East India. We are assisted by Ankit Kumar Gaur who has designed our web site (www.sanskritineicr.org) and others who are currently actively involved in doctoral studies as well. Currently this institute is engaged in editorial works on two books which are conceptualized by us, namely, Fairs and Festivals of North East India, and; Wisdom of the Ancestors: Customary Laws in North East India. The former local ordinary Archbishop Thomas Menamparampil SDB, and Archbishop John Moolachira, the present local ordinary of Guwahati, have been very interested in and supportive of the efforts of Sanskriti. Anthropos Institute members and other SVD have been involved in various ways with these initial developments of these SVD anthropological initiatives in North East India.

Sanskruti Kendra – Tribal Cultural and Research Centre

Ignatius Soreng SVD was appointed as the new Director of Sanskruti Kendra, Panaspara, Sundargarh, in April, 2016.

Cultural programs:

Tribal cultural programs were organized in three different places with the following elements:
1) Input on tribal realities, tribal history, and grass root realities; problems and proposals were discussed.
2) Competitions were conducted on tribal song, dance and role play. Programs ended with fellowship meal for everybody. These programs acted as a platform for tribal education for the youth and children.

Video shooting of Pada dance:

A very rare dance was video recorded, documented and circulated so others can learn it. In due time, this will be properly edited and circulated among the people.

Seminars for Tribal traditional medicine men

This was an attempt to bring together 18 tribal medicine-men in order to bring out and preserve hidden tribal medical practices. This was significant because these were not in public knowledge so far. There are still many things to know about this matter, through the medicine-men.

Study on black magic and witchcraft:

A workshop for consultation on village medicine, black magic and witchcraft was conducted at the Sanskruti Kendra in the month of August. Through sharing and discussion most of the facts about the topic hidden in public mind were brought out and documented. Also a study trip was made to a place called Mayong in the State of Assam. Revealing finds were made here. They are being assessed and will be produced in the form of a dissertation possibly this year.

Center Development:

Serious efforts are being made to obtain financial grants from the Government for infrastructure. If not successful, other funding sources will be sought.

Tamale Institute of Cross-Cultural Studies

The Director of the Tamale Institute of Cross-Cultural Studies (TICCS) in Ghana is the new AI member Joshua Gariba, who obtained his PhD in Social and Cultural Anthropology from the Catholic University of Louvain, Belgium.

Programmes:

1) One week Cross-cultural Orientation course for SVS/SVD Major Seminarians before they would commence their supervised long pastoral ministry for a year or two in different Dioceses of Northern, and Southern Ghana, and abroad.
2) The four week residential Cross-cultural course for Christian Missionaries and development workers consists a one week orientation on socio-cultural issues in Ghana, and a three-week course on cross-cultural communication.
3) An annual Study/Learning Exchange program with DKA, a group of young Catholic adults from
Austria who are interested in cross cultural exchange centred on language and culture learning.

4) A three-week introduction to Ghanaian language and culture, with a four-day village immersion segment was given to Humanist Service Corps, volunteers from the USA, who help improve education and general living standards of deprived communities along the eastern corridor of Northern Ghana.

Institute Promotion:
1) Catholic Bishops Conference of Ghana.
2) Conference of Major Superiors
3) The Marian Conflict Resolution Centre of the Catholic University College of Ghana, (CUCG) Sunyani is interested in partnering with TICCS to establish a satellite campus in the north.

Consult the TICCS website for further information: http://www.ticcsghana.org/

## Events

### Birthdays

In 2017 quite a number of AI members celebrate birthdays of particular significance: Glinka, Mantovani, and Thiel (85); Knecht (80); Lange (75); Gibbs (70); Pawlik (65); Kisala (60); and Muni (50). Ad multos annos to all of you.

### Jubilees

Congratulations to the following celebrating SVD vow anniversaries of particular significance: Müller (60), Kanjamala (55), and Tule (40). And to those celebrating significant ordination anniversaries: Glinka (60); Müller and Weiland (55); Piepke (50); and K. Jose and Andrade (25).

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