Dialogue on Science, Ethics, and Religion (DoSER) Events

Indigenous Knowledge, Science, and Ethical Frameworks for Collaboration  
Monday, February 8, 12:00 – 12:45pm ET  
This symposium will explore active research and engagement projects led or co-led by Native American and Indigenous scholars working in diverse ethical, scientific, and public health disciplines. It will highlight the importance of bringing diverse voices in conversation with scientific research and public health initiatives.

Science Communication and Engagement with Religious Publics Workshop  
Tuesday, February 9, 2:00 – 2:45pm ET  
DoSER staff will present an overview of why considering the perspectives of religious and spiritual publics is important for science engagement. Scientists engaging with these communities will have an opportunity to discuss prior experiences and anticipated challenges, share strategies for constructive dialogue with sensitivity to a range of worldviews, and practice effective science communication at the intersection of science, faith, and culture.

No Wine, No Cheese, No Problem: Science & Faith Networking Social  
Tuesday, February 9, 5:00 – 6:00pm ET  
Please join us for a networking event to learn more about DoSER’s work and how you can get involved! The hospitality lounge is open to all Annual Meeting attendees. People encouraged to attend include scientists looking to engage with religious individuals or communities and people of faith who want to engage at the interface of science and religion.

The Dynamic Past: How Science Helps Give Voice to Silenced Stories  
Wednesday, February 10, 3:00 – 3:45pm ET  
This session will explore how tools of science, including new technologies, techniques, and collaborations in a variety of fields have supported the reclamation and revitalization of culture, heritage, and identity for communities of African descent. The session will highlight Black scientists, historians, community representatives, and others as it reflects on the role of community engagement and the need for equitable and just decision-making around the impact of scientific research.

Pursuing Environmental Justice Through Science and Religion Workshop  
Thursday, February 11, 1:15 – 2:00pm ET  
This workshop will explore the effects of environmental degradation and discrimination on vulnerable populations and discuss how elements of various faith traditions, combined with forefront science, can assist environmental justice efforts.

Find more information at meetings.aaas.org