



Center for Philosophy

On
Tuesday, January 27, 2009 at 7:30 PM
we invite you to a lecture by

Prof. Emeritus Robert Tapp
University of Minnesota

on the issue of
"Global Metrics and Sectarian Worldviews"

Professor Tapp has lectured at the Center for Humanism and Culture in the City in Miami for the past 5 years, and it is a distinct pleasure to welcome back one of America's great Humanists.

Tonight's lecture is about human socialization patterns, which always have included worldviews – and in particular sectarian views because they were based on local traditions, revelations, and pronouncements. Only in the 20th century did metrics deserving to be called "global," emerge. Their substance is ethical rather than theological, reversing the previous prioritizing.

Now we must analyze ways to transform worldviews better to support the new metrics. Based upon these analyses, some may undergo internal and competitive transformation while others may diminish. Ideally, we will need to develop a meta-secular arena where the fullest competition can occur, and where results can be comparatively assessed.

Democratization can aid this process if accompanied by global education that permits and expands individual choices.

There is a \$10 admission fee

The venue is:

Arts & Mind Center
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Coconut Grove, FL.

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