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The Lutheran Alliance for Faith, Science and Technology

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Alliance Status

Since October 1991, the Alliance has been an Independent Lutheran Organization recognized by the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) with liaison through the Theological Discernment Team in the Office of the Presiding Bishop.

Resource to the Church

Alliance members, including scientists, science teachers, clergy and others interested in this work and have acted as resources for faith and science matters throughout the ELCA as well as ecumenically.

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Jesus "is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation, for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible, and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or ruler or power – all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things and in him all things hold together...."

Colossians 1:15-18a

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OUR MISSION

The Lutheran Alliance for Faith, Science and Technology is an Independent Lutheran Organization dedicated to expanding awareness, encouraging conversation and promoting action regarding the implications of science and technology for Christian faith and life.

I want to be on the Alliance community list

Add me to the *Covalence* email monthly alert

I would like to write an article for *Covalence*

I would like to learn more about Alliance projects

ISSUES

- Brain science and faith
- Cosmology
- Creation and evolution
- Environmental stewardship
- Genetics and genetic engineering
- Impacts of technology
- Religious education
- Worship in a scientific and technological age



Current Alliance Steering Committee

Bruce Booher, Chair – ELCA pastor
John Albright – Retired physicist, educator
Susan Barreto – Journalist
Karl Evans – Geologist
Ida Hakkarinen – Meteorologist
Dana Hendershot – ELCA Pastor
Kristi Keller – Physicist
Lea Schweitz – Theologian
Lou Ann Trost – Educator, theologian
Roger Willer – ELCA Churchwide Office liaison,
Ethicist

Alliance Activities

Online Bulletin: *Covalence*

A monthly, online publication, *Covalence* provides a forum for news, stories and essays on a variety of faith and science topics. Back issues are available online at: www.luthscitech.org

Workshops and Forums

The Alliance has held workshops at events for the Lutheran community across the church, including:

- Ecumenical Roundtable 2017 meeting: "Being the Church in the Age of Biological Manipulation," Lutheran Center, Chicago, IL
- ELCA Youth Gathering July 2015: "Mythbusting Faith & Science," Ford Field, Detroit, MI
- Sunday Scientist Symposium 2009: "God Through Evolution: 150 years after Darwin's *Origins*," Augsburg College, Minneapolis, MN

Curriculum Development

The Alliance is involved in the ongoing creation of faith and science curriculums that engage audiences in the discussion, especially youth. Curriculums may be found online located at: www.luthscitech.org

Devotional & Worship Materials

Faith and science materials are developed for use by pastors and congregation members in church and work settings. For resources, visit www.luthscitech.org or the ELCA website at: www.ELCA.org (type "science" in search box)

Ecumenical Roundtable

The Ecumenical Roundtable on Science, Technology and the Church is an annual meeting of denominational groups from the U.S. and Canada to plan common work, share resources and engage together in discussion. Learn more: ecumenicalroundtable.com



Alliance Community

A community list of those interested in the work of the Alliance is maintained; members receive updates on the plans coordinated by the Steering Committee and are encouraged to volunteer for activities of interest or to serve as a resource for task forces and study groups. You may be added to the list by sending in the form on the reverse panel.