

SEDOS AUTUMN SEMINAR 2020

In cooperation with *Faith and Praxis*

**The Past - Present - Future of our Congregational
STRUCTURES IN THE SERVICE OF MISSION**

Friday 16 and Saturday 17 October 2020

SEDOS WEBINAR

(online group discussion will be organized by language group)

DAY 1

10.00-10.15: Prayer and Introduction

10.15-11.15: PANEL *Institutes with different practices of organizing the Congregation.*
(focus: What is the evolution of our structures in the last 20 year)
Congregation 1 Medical Mission Sisters, MMS (Sr. Agnes Lanfermann)
Congregation 2 Immaculate Heart of Mary, CICM (Fr. Ador Castillo)
Congregation 3

11.15-11.45: Coffee Break

11.45-12.15: Group sharing based on the learnings and questions

12.15-12.45: Feedback from the groups

MIDDAY BREAK

14.00-15.00: LECTURE *How free can we be to change structures?*
Speaker Sr. Mary Wright, IBVM
(focus: canonical implications when changing structures)

15.00-15.30: Coffee Break

15.30-16.15: Group sharing based on the questions from the speaker

16.15-17.00: Feedback from the groups

DAY 2

10.00-10.15: Prayer and Introduction

10.15-11.15: PANEL *Being creative with the structures*

(Focus: offering examples on how some Congregations are changing for the moment their structures in view of mission)

Congregation 1: Missionaries of Nazareth

Congregation 2.

Congregation 3:

11.15-11.45: Coffee Break

11.45-12.15: Group sharing based on the following questions:

Are we as creative as we could be?

If you had the freedom to organize your Congregation from zero?

If you were to create a new Congregation?

12.15-12.45: Feedback from the groups

MIDDAY BREAK

14.00-15.00: LECTURE *Covid19. Analysis, impact on our life and mission.*

Speakers: Ricky Laguda, FSC General Councilor (Philippines)

Br. Robert Shaefer, FSC Formation Secretary (US) (to be confirmed)
(focus: Digitalization and our structures.)

15.00-15.30: Coffee Break

15.30-16.00: Group sharing on the influence of Covid-19 in the ways of interacting, working, organizing the work of the Council and the mission

16.00-16.45: Reflections and suggestions from the different groups

16.45-17.00: Conclusion

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