Eurasian Shamanism as Healing

Symposium
Friday May 20, 2005
9:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Tresidder Memorial Union, Oak Lounge

9:30 am  Izaly Zemtsovsky, Ph.D.
Ethnomusicologist, Folklorist
Visiting Professor of Music, Stanford University
“The Phenomenon of Shamanism: The Siberian Case”

11:00 am  Alma Kunanbaeva, Ph.D.
Anthropologist
Visiting Professor of Cultural and Social Anthropology, Stanford University
“The Phenomenon of Shamanism: The Central Asian Case”

1:00 pm  Peter Newsom, M.D.
Psychiatrist, El Camino Hospital
“Shamanic Healing: Our Past and Our Future”

2:00 pm  Interview with Galiya Kassymova
Folk Healer, Kazakhstan
“Folk Healing in Modern Kazakhstan”
Alma Kunanbaeva, Interviewer and Interpreter

4:00 pm  Demonstration Session: “Melotherapy”
Folk Healer Galiya Kassymova with musician Saben Baribaev

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