

Newsletter from Pachamama, 6 June 2015

In an effort to keep you informed and inspired with a reduced number of emails, we have consolidated the Pass it On Facilitator Update and the general Pachamama Alliance Newsletter and created an integrated newsletter just for Facilitators. We are really happy with the result and hope you see the value!

So much has happened in the last month and we are thrilled to share news from your fellow Facilitators around the world! In this newsletter, you'll learn about Facilitators using Pachamama Alliance's Up to Us engagement pathway to build and strengthen Communities in China, San Diego, CA, and Mexico, as well as our thriving partnership with Brahma Kumaris.

In case you missed it, Charles Eisenstein was the guest speaker on our May Global Facilitator Call and reminded us of the importance of our work as Facilitators. [Listen to the recording.](#)



Regards,
Maisa Arias
Global Engagement Manager
On behalf of the Educational Programs at the Pachamama Alliance



[23 New Facilitators Commit to Spreading the Symposium Across China](#)

The commitment of three Symposium Facilitators dedicated to expanding the Awakening the Dreamer Symposium in China resulted in 23 newly trained Symposium Facilitators, 3 Symposiums, and over 350 awakened citizens. [Read more](#)



Community Creation Day Reinvigorates San Diego Community

Community Creation Days are aimed at starting and enlivening Pachamama Alliance communities all around the world. [Read more](#)



Over 150 Facilitators and Growing: Mexico Community Continues to Organize

April and May were planning months for the community in Mexico. These are some of the exciting updates from the local core team. [Read more](#)



Symposium Message Expands to Brahma Kumaris Communities in Latin America

Our three-year partnership has brought the Symposium to Brahma Kumaris spiritual centers in countries around the world, most recently to Colombia, Peru, Mexico, and Argentina. [Read more](#)

News from Ecuador



[VIDEO] Co-Founder, Bill Twist, Returns from Ecuador with Updates On Our Alliances

Pachamama Alliance Co-founder and CEO, Bill Twist, recently travelled to Ecuador to meet with the new president and other newly elected leaders of the indigenous Achuar Nation of Ecuador-Nacionalidad Achuar del Ecuador (NAE). [Read the timely updates](#)



Naku Ecotourism Project Launches, Builds Resilience of Sápara Nation

Earlier this year, the Sápara ecotourism project, Naku, was officially launched for the Ecuadorian audience, building the resilience of the Sápara Nation. The Sápara people invite you to visit Naku on a Pachamama Journey this summer. [Learn more about our Journey](#)



Closure of Fundación Pachamama Continues to Draw International Reaction

Team Members of the former Pachamama Alliance sister organization in Ecuador, Fundación Pachamama, continue to be invited to speak nationally and internationally about the bigger context of the implications of closing the Fundación Pachamama offices in 2013. [Read more](#)



Immerse Yourself in Indigenous Wisdom on a Journey this Summer

There are limited spaces still remaining on our summer Pachamama Journeys to the rainforest of Ecuador and to the high desert of New Mexico.



[Jul 11-24: An Intimate Journey with the Achuar, Ecuador](#)



[Aug 15-27: An Immersion with the Sápara, Ecuador](#)



[Aug 28-Sep 3: An Immersion in Indigenous Wisdom, New Mexico](#)

Join an Introductory Call with Program Director, David Tucker

On the 1-hour call David Tucker will introduce you to the profound, life-changing experience of visiting this region of the Amazon rainforest, describe the wisdom and ways of our indigenous partners—including shamanic practices, and answer any questions you may have about the Journeys. [Join our June 17 Intro Call](#)

Game Changer Intensive



The Game Changer Intensive
An Online Course to Change the World

Register by June 28

[Sign Up Now](#)

Equip Yourself with Tools and Knowledge to Change the World

Sign Up by June 28 – The Game Changer Intensive provides an analysis of the systems and structures that create and sustain a world of injustice and environmental degradation, and empowers you with the personal resources and community needed to effectively stand for a just, sustainable, and fulfilling future. [Get details and enroll](#)

Special Event



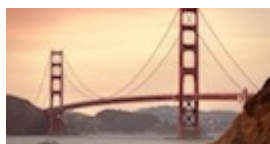
Special Evening with Ecuadorian Secretary of Buen Vivir, Freddy Ehlers

June 9, San Francisco, CA – We invite you to a very special evening with Mr. Freddy Ehlers, the head of Ecuador's innovative Ministry of Buen Vivir and a friend of Pachamama Alliance within the government of Ecuador. Mr. Ehlers has been the minister of tourism and a presidential candidate in Ecuador, and is a global ambassador for the concept of Buen Vivir being the basis for a genuine measure of human progress. [Get details and RSVP](#)



[Our Second Annual Luncheon Fundraiser in San Diego Re-Engages Community](#)

We hosted 253 highly engaged attendees at our San Diego Luncheon. Nearly 80 of them were inspired to sign up to attend a Community Building day in San Diego and over 50 people signed up to take the latest Game Changer Intensive course! [Read more](#)



[Save the Date: Our San Francisco Luncheon is on November 19, 2015](#)



[Save the Date: Our New York City Luncheon is on December 3, 2015](#)



New Moon Action: Send Peace and Happiness Into the World with Loving Kindness Meditation

New Moon is on June 16 – In many time-honored cultures, the New Moon symbolizes potential and embodies a portal for a new vision. Each month, Pachamama Alliance offers New Moon Actions to realign with our values for a thriving, just, and sustainable world for all.

[Discover this simple practice](#)