

# WHY TAKE A CLASS AT UBIS?

- Study the teachings of *The Urantia Book* at your own pace, in a methodical and progressive way, and in a setting without spatial-temporal constraints.
- Expand your cosmic consciousness through studying specific sections of papers or given themes.
- Enhance your spiritual perception with new intellectual acquisitions.
- Share your experience with other truth seekers.
- Meet other students of *The Urantia Book* from different cultures and religions around the world.
- Build social fraternity based on the teachings of *The Urantia Book*.

## UBIS AROUND THE WORLD

UBIS is recognized worldwide as a vector of knowledge and convergence. Many isolated readers appreciate being able to communicate and share the teachings of *The Urantia Book*. Students from the following countries have taken courses in these languages:

**English:** Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, Colombia, Cyprus, France, Hong-Kong, Indonesia, Italy, Lebanon, the Netherlands, New-Zealand, Nigeria, the Philippines, Romania, Russia, South Africa, Taiwan, Uganda, Ukraine, United Kingdom, and the United States.

**French:** Belgium, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Canada, France, French Polynesia, Haiti, Ivory Coast, New Caledonia, and the United States.

**Portuguese:** Angola, Brazil, and Portugal.

**Spanish:** Argentina, Austria, Bolivia, Chile, Columbia, Cuba, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Italy, Mexico, Panama, Peru, Spain, the United States, and Venezuela.

## WHAT STUDENTS SAY ABOUT UBIS

“My dear classmates, you have contributed immeasurably to my enhanced comprehension of these wonderful Papers.” (H.M.)

“The unequivocal highlight for me during this past ten-week course was learning from all of my fellow students. I have been particularly impressed with the breadth and depth of each person’s experiences and knowledge of the Fifth Epochal Revelation.” (M.G.)

# URANTIA BOOK INTERNET SCHOOL



- Are you making progress in your understanding of the teachings of *The Urantia Book*?
- Do you want to make new friends and share the book’s teachings with other readers?
- Would you like to gain experience and become a teacher or study group leader?

If your answer to these questions is “yes,” then UBIS might be for you!

Come join us and experience the joy of meeting with students from around the world in an educational and fraternal framework at

[ubis.urantia.org](http://ubis.urantia.org)



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### SCHOOL (UBIS)

#### ABOUT UBIS

The school, founded in 1998 and sponsored by Urantia Foundation, is an online school free of charge. The school is lead by a board of 12 volunteers, and courses are given by more than a score of passionate teacher-facilitators with experience in education and an extensive knowledge of the teachings of *The Urantia Book* in English, French, Portuguese, and Spanish.

UBIS provides a safe and friendly virtual classroom for small groups of truth seekers and spiritual explorers from around the world to share insights.

Children are welcome to participate with approval from, and supervision of, a parent or guardian. Families, working as a team, have taken UBIS courses.

UBIS Board of Directors



## UBIS PURPOSE

The online school is dedicated to the study of *The Urantia Book* with the goal of assisting the global community of readers with in-depth study of the book.

The school is designed to help students

- *Develop an understanding of complex concepts.*
- *Expand comprehension by delving deeper into the teachings.*
- *Learn teamwork by sharing insights with fellow students.*
- *Gain experience in presenting and sharing the teachings of the book.*
- *Train teachers and leaders.*

The authors of *The Urantia Book* are the teachers of the revelation. It is, therefore, the purpose of UBIS to spread the teachings in a non-interpretive manner. UBIS courses are modeled after the Jesusonian teaching approach—questions first and embellishment from there.

## TAKING A COURSE

Taking a UBIS course is **easy** and **free**. Just log onto our user-friendly website at [ubis.urantia.org](http://ubis.urantia.org), open a student account, choose your language, and during registration time, register for one of the courses listed. UBIS offers courses thoughtfully designed by our teacher-facilitators to provide students with the experience of discovering for themselves the truths of *The Urantia Book* together with other truth seekers.

Recent course offerings include such intriguing titles as: «*The Inescapable Command*» (“Be you perfect”); «*Our Quest for Consciousness*»; «*The Soul: Offspring of Spirit and Material Mind*»; «*The Supreme: Our Universe Home*»; and many other topical and core curriculum courses.

The academic year consists of three, ten week trimesters with enrollment and registration occurring during the first full two weeks of September, January, and April. Each trimester begins with an orientation week. It is followed by four, two-week periods comprised of reading the assigned sections, responding to three of six questions based on that reading, and discussing and sharing each student’s understanding of the concepts encountered. The concluding week is a summary.

**Please join us.**