

Top 10 reasons to join Interweave

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- ⑨ Receive *InterweaveWorld* – our cool newsletter – 6 times a year, delivered right to your mailbox or email Inbox.
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- ⑦ Start or join an Interweave Chapter and connect with other BGLT people seeking a religious community.
- ⑥ Have voting privileges at Convo, our exciting annual conference and business meeting, held at fun places all over North America.
- ⑤ Support our events and workshops at General Assembly, including our Annual Banquet.
- ④ Nominate people for (and have a chance to win!) the Mark deWolfe Award, presented annually for lifetime devotion to Unitarian Universalist BGLT concerns.
- ③ Affect positive change within the Unitarian Universalist Association (UUA) through our status as a UUA Affiliate Organization.
- ② Become part of an organization that represents a welcoming liberal religious voice within local, regional, and continental BGLT communities.
- ① Contribute to a transformative grassroots movement that celebrates BGLT people, and works to end all forms of oppression!

To join Interweave:

Please send your US membership form and fee to...

*Interweave Continental
45 State Street #380
Montpelier, VT 05602*

Please send your Canadian membership form and fee to...

*Interweave c/o CUC
B018-1179 King Street West
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**No matter your nationality,
thank you for your support!**

**Local Interweave
Chapter contact info:**

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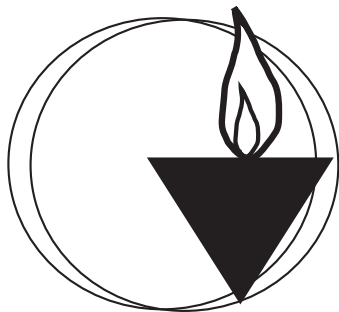
**Unitarian
Universalists**
*for Bisexual, Gay,
Lesbian, and Trans-
gender Concerns*

Our Mission/Vision

Interweave Continental is a membership organization actively working to end oppression based on sexual orientation and gender identity, recognizing that we will not be free until all oppression is a thing of the past. We are an affiliate organization of the Unitarian Universalist Association, and our work is guided by Unitarian Universalist principles.

We value and affirm the lives and experience of Queer people of faith of all ages, races, ethnicities, income levels, and abilities.

By providing and supporting leadership, and working in collaboration with other organizations of similar vision, we strive to connect and nurture all Queer individuals, communities, groups, and their allies.



History

Interweave Continental...

▼ Began as “Unitarian Universalists for Gay Concerns” in the early 1970s as a grassroots support network for sexual minority lay people and clergy in the Unitarian Universalist Association (UUA).

▼ Advocated successfully for a UUA “Office of Gay Affairs” (now the Office of Bisexual, Gay, Lesbian, and Transgender Concerns) in 1973, and for the Office’s funding in 1975.

▼ Held its first Convocation in 1983, with workshops and speakers designed to raise awareness of gay and lesbian issues.

▼ In 1993, adopted the name Interweave Continental: Unitarian Universalists for Bisexual, Gay, Lesbian, and Transgender Concerns and merged with the UU Bisexual Network to emphasize its commitment to inclusion for all identity groups and to encourage individual and chapter memberships.

▼ Resolved in 1994 to address institutional racism by outreach to people of color, and in 1999 became the first UUA Affiliate Organization to begin the Journey Toward Wholeness anti-racism process.

▼ Promotes interfaith dialogue through participation in the National Religious Leadership Roundtable, Equal Partners in Faith, and other multi-faith organizations.

▼ Is dedicated to becoming an anti-racist, multi-cultural institution, working to end all forms of oppression within the UUA and society at large.

Membership Form

Membership indicates that you are in sympathy with the principles and purposes of the Unitarian Universalist Association, as stated in Interweave Continental’s bylaws.

*Membership Categories**

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