

PLAQUE UNVEILED AT GANDHI INSTITUTE
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A plaque commemorating the founding of the Gandhi Institute for Reconciliation was unveiled June 13 at the Martin Luther King Jr. International Chapel at Morehouse College in Atlanta. The inscription of the plaque includes quotes by SGI President Ikeda, whose name is listed alongside that of Mahatma Gandhi and Chapel Dean Lawrence Edward Carter Sr. as authors of the “Litany for the Founding of the Gandhi Institute for Reconciliation.” The plaque has been installed prominently in the Martin Luther King Jr. International Hall of Honor.

President Ikeda has stated that the mission of the Institute is “to heal and revive human hearts and minds deeply wounded by violent ideologies and open the way for a new chapter in human history,” and honored Mahatma Gandhi as someone who had tapped into “the eternal rhythm of life that animates all people, every society and the universe itself.”

In addition, Soka University of America President Daniel Habuki presented Morehouse College President Walter E. Massey with Soka University’s highest award for his contributions to the ideals for which the university was founded.