

NCGR Online Education Program

“Toward Mastery & Certification”

Level-II

Part-1 & Part-2

This course is designed according to the NCGR-PAA Professional Certification Program. Professional certification is awarded by PAA after passing exams for Levels I, II, III, IV. The PAA Study Guide, as well as Important Updates are available at:
<http://www.astrologersalliance.org>

Level-II Course is divided into 2 consecutive parts.
Each part requires separate registration.

Part-1)

LEVEL-II, P-1: Forecast - Understand & Calculate Progression & Solar Arc & Transits

Total of 10 weekly sessions.

NOTE: For L-II, Part-1 It is assumed that the student knows how to Calculate a complete Natal Chart - houses and planets.

Part-2)

LEVEL-II, P-2: Astrology Beyond the Basics - Classical Astrology, Advanced Astronomy, Applied Forecast – from Theory to Practice

Total of 13 weekly sessions.

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CURRICULUM: See below.

SCHEDULE: Classes are held on Tuesdays, 7:00 - 8:30 PM, US Eastern Time

REGISTRATION: www.geocosmic.org

CLASS RECORDING: is made available after each session.

Online Webinar Technology

- Online, live, and interactive audio-visual classes, using Zoom technology.
- For best learning experience: Login on a computer, or any device with at least 14" screen
- Prior to each session the students receive a link to connect to the online session.

Study

During the course, students receive printed instructions & other material, as well as assignments. It is the students' responsibility to practice extensively on their own, in addition to class time, in order to ensure their success. See Curriculum Below.

Before the Course Begins, Students Must have, or Obtain:

BOOKS & CALCULATOR

- 1) THE AMERICAN EPHEMERIS - **MIDNIGHT** - by Neil Michelsen.
1900-2000 (**20th century**) -and-
2000-2050 (**21st century**)
- 2) TABLE OF HOUSES The Michelsen Book of Tables (**Placidus Houses**)
<https://tinyurl.com/The-Michelsen-Book-of-Tables>
- 3) CALCULATOR *CASIO Scientific fx nnn* series (for sexagesimal calculations)
<https://tinyurl.com/Casio-Calculator-FX-260>
- 4) PAA Study-Guide, Revised Curriculum on: <http://www.astrologersalliance.org/>

CURRICULUM

Level-II, Part-1

Forecast: Understand & Calculate Secondary Progression & Solar Arc Direction and Transits

- 1) Introduction to Forecast Methods
- 2) Forecast Interpretation Guidelines – Method Comparing & Integration
- 3) Forecast Timing Guidelines – Transits, Triggers, Other
- 4) ACD – Definition, Use, Calculation
- 5) Secondary Progression Calculation, using the ACD – Planets, Houses & Declination
- 6) Solar Arc Calculation
- 7) Applied Practice – Transits, Progression and Solar Arc – the combined effects in the chart
- 8) Relocation Charts & Astro-Cartography: Definition, Calculation and Interpretation Guidelines

Level-II, Part-2

Astronomy – Fundamental Concepts Refresher

- 1) Planetary cycles & rate of daily motion
- 2) Asteroids & Chiron (position, cycles and use)
- 3) The Cardinal Points - Equinox & Solstice
- 4) Tropical vs. Sidereal Zodiac and the Precession of the Equinoxes
- 5) The Lunar Nodes and the Nodal Cycle
- 6) Other Planetary Nodes
- 7) Eclipses, their connection with the Nodes, and the Saros Cycles

Advanced Astronomy

- 8) Declination: Parallels & Contra-Parallels
- 9) Anticia and how to find it in the chart
- 11) Great Circles (Celestial Meridian & Equator, Rational Horizon, Prime Vertical)
- 12) Coordinate Systems and how they are measured – review all
- 14) Right Ascension
- 13) Sidereal Time and its uses
- 10) Planets at Perigee-Apogee, perihelion-Aphelion
- 15) House Systems

Classical Astrology - Beyond the Basics

- 16) Sign Classification (Triplicities, Quadraplicities, Polarities)
- 17) Essential Dignity-Debility – the 5 levels of Rulership
- 18) Accidental Dignity-Debility – by House placement
- 19) The Decans (two systems) & other sub-divisions of the Signs (Terms/Bounds & Faces)
- 20) Reception and Mutual Reception
- 21) Dispositor & Final Dispositor
- 22) The Almuten (of the chart, and of a house), and how to find it
- 23) Diurnal-Nocturnal Charts; Diurnal-Nocturnal Signs; Diurnal-Nocturnal Planets
- 24) The Minor Aspects and how to find them
- 25) Lunar and other Planetary Phases
- 26) Houses: Hemispheres and Quadrants
- 27) Derived Houses
- 28) Time Lords – Chronocrators – various systems
- 29) Mundane Charting – Ingress charts, Lunations, Eclipses, Planetary conjunction & Cycles
- 30) Ethics: Counseling & Consultation