

Please note change of dates for the AUM conference, now in June:

## AUM 2012: Reflections on Auroville

A gathering of alumni and supporters of  
the ideal of human unity

June 21–24, 2012 • Shutesbury, MA



*"Auroville wants to be a universal town where men and women of all countries are able to live in peace and progressive harmony above all creeds, all politics, and all nationalities. The purpose of Auroville is to realise human unity." — The Mother*

### Theme

This year's All USA Meeting (AUM), a conference for those interested in the work of Sri Aurobindo and the Mother, will focus on the Auroville experience, welcoming the extended family of those who have visited Auroville or are inspired by its vision.



*A community meeting in Auroville*

Sri Aurobindo writes, "Man is a transitional being, he is not final. Evolution is not finished; reason is not the last word nor the reasoning animal the supreme figure of Nature. There is something that he is not yet which he has to be; he is reaching always towards the something yet unrealised; his whole life and nature is a preparation, an endeavour of Nature towards what is beyond him."

Auroville is to be a major vehicle of this evolutionary thrust and, eventually, a platform for transformation.

## Conference site

AUM 2012 will take place at Sirius Community retreat center, 72 Baker Road, Shutesbury, MA.

Sirius an intentional community devoted to spiritual, ecological, and communitarian principles. Sirius offers conference center facilities, guest accommodations, free wi-fi, hiking trails, and delicious meals made from organic vegetarian ingredients, many of which are grown onsite in gardens, orchards, and a greenhouse.



*Sirius greenhouse*



*Meeting room*



*Guest room*



*Dining room*

## Hosts

AUM 2012 is being hosted by Matagiri Sri Aurobindo Center in Mt. Tremper, NY, and Living Routes, an organization based in Amherst, MA, that has sponsored many student programs to Auroville over the years.

## For more information

Details on program, registration, accommodations, and travel will be posted as they become available: [www.collaboration.org/aum/2012](http://www.collaboration.org/aum/2012)

Please send questions about AUM 2012 to: [info@matagiri.org](mailto:info@matagiri.org)