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Education

University of Central Florida <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Full academic scholarship➤ B.A. in Psychology➤ Concentration in Cognitive Science	2004-2007
California Institute of Integral Studies <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ MA in Philosophy and Religion➤ Concentration in Philosophy, Cosmology, and Consciousness	2008-2010
California Institute of Integral Studies <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Partial academic scholarship➤ PhD Philosophy and Religion➤ Dissertation title: "Cosmotheanthropic Imagination in the Post-Kantian Process Philosophy of Schelling and Whitehead"	2010-2016

Affiliations

Board of Trustees California Institute of Integral Studies http://www.ciis.edu/About_CIIIS/Trustees.html	2013-2014
Secretary and Communications Director Executive Committee, International Process Network internationalprocessnetwork.com	2013-present

Employment

Assistant Program Coordinator Philosophy, Cosmology, and Consciousness program at CIIS	2011-2014
Host of PCC Forum Interdisciplinary Lecture Series pccforum.wordpress.com	2011-2015
Executive Assistant to the Provost California Institute of Integral Studies	2014-2017
Executive Assistant to the Interim President California Institute of Integral Studies	2016-2017
Adjunct Lecturer Philosophy, Cosmology, and Consciousness Program at CIIS	2016- present
Manager, Office of the Provost California Institute of Integral Studies	2017- present

Publications

- [“Logos of a Living Earth: Towards a New Marriage of Science and Myth for Our Planetary Future,”](#) in [World Futures: The Journal of New Paradigm Research](#), 2012, Vol. 68 (2), 93-103.
- [“Participatory Psychedelia: Transpersonal Theory, Religious Studies, and Chemically-Altered \(Alchemical\) Consciousness,”](#) [Journal of Transpersonal Research](#), 2013, Vol. 5 (2), 86-94.
- [The Re-Emergence of Schelling: Philosophy in a Time of Emergency](#) (Lambert Academic Publishing, 2014).
- [“Leaves of Grass \(a poem for Walt Whitman\),”](#) [Sufism: an inquiry](#), 2014, Vol. 16 (3), 49-50.
- [“The Influence of Rudolf Steiner on My Philosophical Development,”](#) [Being Human](#), 2015, Michaelmas-Fall Issue.
- [“Ralph Waldo Emerson: Philosophical Lessons for a Civilization in Crisis,”](#) in [The Beacon of Mind: Reason and Intuition in the Ancient and Modern World](#), edited by Andrea Blackie and John H. Spencer, 68-85 (Vancouver: Param Media, 2015).
- [“The Function of Reason and the Recovery of an Earthly Architecture,”](#) in [720](#), Summer 2016, #12 (London: FunctionLab).
- [“Minding Time in an Archetypal Cosmos,”](#) [Archai: The Journal of Archetypal Cosmology](#), Vol. 5, 51-60 (Persistent Press, 2016).
- [“Worldly Religion in Whitehead and Deleuze: Steps Toward an Incarnational Philosophy,”](#) in [Human Life in Process: Recent Advances in the Creation of a Process-Based Worldview](#), 182-193 (New Castle, UK: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2016).
- [Book Review of Retrieving Realism by Hubert Dreyfus and Charles Taylor](#), [World Futures](#), Vol. 73, 179-185 (Taylor and Francis, 2017).
- [“Retrieving Realism: A Whiteheadian Wager,”](#) [International Journal of Transpersonal Studies](#), Vol. 36, Iss. 1 (2017).
- [“Burning Man and the Seeds of a New Story,”](#) in [Mission at Tenth’s](#) special supplement “Carnival of Consciousness: Practice as Research at Black Rock City,” Vol. 7, 2018.
- [“Religion in Human and Cosmic Evolution: Whitehead’s Alternative Vision,”](#) in [Unprecedented Evolution: Continuities and Discontinuities Between Human and Animal Life](#) (Claremont, CA: Process Century Press, forthcoming).

Self-Published

- [On the Matter of Life: Towards an Integral Biology of Economics \(2010\).](#)
- [Integral Imaginings: Essays on Soul, Spirit, and Earth \(2012\).](#)
- [Physics of the World-Soul: The Relevance of Alfred North Whitehead’s Philosophy of Organism to Contemporary Scientific Cosmology \(2013; second edition in 2016\).](#)

Conferences, Presentations, and Events

- [“Schelling’s Naturphilosophie: Platonic Lessons for Speculative Realism,”](#) delivered April 8th, 2011 at the Here Comes Everything: Speculative Realism Panel at CIIS
- [“The Democratization of Initiation at Burning Man: A Cosmotheandric Inquiry,”](#) delivered September 19th, 2011 at the Esalen Institute.
- [“Cosmopolitical Theology: Violence, Value, and the Push for a Planetary People,”](#) delivered October 8th, 2012 at the Esalen Institute.
- [“Images of Earth and Eros in Walt Whitman’s Poetry,”](#) delivered April 8th, 2013 at the Cosmology of Love conference at CIIS.
- [“Worldly Religion in Whitehead and Deleuze: Steps Toward an Incarnational Philosophy,”](#) delivered September 9th, 2013 in Krakow, Poland at the 9th International Whitehead Conference.
- [“Emerson and Whitehead: Towards a Transcendentalist Cosmopolitics,”](#) delivered October 30th, 2013 at the Esalen Institute.
- [“Disenchantment, Misenchancement, Reenchancement,”](#) delivered with Richard Tarnas October 30th,

- 2013 at the Esalen Institute.
- [“The Psychedelic Eucharist: Towards a Pharmacological Philosophy of Religion,”](#) delivered September 29th, 2014 for Entheogenic Research, Integration, and Education (ERIE) event at CIIS.
 - [“Evolutionary Panpsychism or Eliminative Materialism?: Towards an Anthrocentric Philosophy of Nature,”](#) delivered October 29th, 2014 at the Esalen Institute.
 - [“War of the Worlds: Love and Strife in the Pluriverse,”](#) delivered April 17th, 2015 at the Cosmology of Love conference at CIIS.
 - Chair of [“Late Modernity and its Re-Imagining,”](#) a track at the International Whitehead Conference in Claremont, CA (“Seizing an Alternative: Towards an Ecological Civilization”) occurring June 4th-7th, 2015.
 - [“Whitehead’s Non-Modern Ontology: Cosmos and Polis in the Pluriverse,”](#) delivered June 5th, 2015 at the International Whitehead Conference (“Seizing an Alternative: Towards an Ecological Civilization”) in Claremont, CA.
 - [“Religion in Human and Cosmic Evolution: Whitehead’s Alternative Vision,”](#) delivered June 6th, 2015 at the International Whitehead Conference (“Seizing an Alternative: Towards an Ecological Civilization”) in Claremont, CA.
 - [“The Interrupted Irruption of Time: Towards an Integral Cosmology with Help from Whitehead and Bergson,”](#) delivered October 17th, 2015 at the 45th Annual Jean Gebser Society Conference (“Architects of the Integral World”) in San Francisco, CA.
 - [“Critique of Pure Feeling: Whitehead on Kant’s Transcendental Aesthetic,”](#) delivered November 4th, 2015 at Bishop’s Ranch Retreat Center.
 - CIIS Public Programs and Performances: A Conversation with Jake Orlowitz, [“Wikipedia: The Sum of All Knowledge.”](#) March 9th, 2016.
 - “Ecodeclic Philosophy and the Future of the Planet,” delivered September 24, 2016 at the Symbiosis Gathering in Oakdale, CA.
 - [“Philosophies of Diversity: Multiplying, Pluralizing, Intersecting, and Planetizing the Love of Wisdom,”](#) a presentation and panel discussion on November 14th, 2016 at CIIS.
 - CIIS Public Programs and Performances: A Conversation with Earth and Fire Erowid: [“Erowid’s Psychoactive Encyclopedia.”](#) January 26th, 2017.
 - CIIS Public Programs and Performances: A Conversation with Jorge Ferrer, [“Participatory Spirituality.”](#) May 11th, 2017.
 - “Whitehead and Media Ecology: Toward a Communicative Cosmos,” delivered June 23rd, 2017 at the [18th Annual Media Ecology Convention \(“Technology, Spirituality, Ecology”\)](#) at St. Mary’s College in Moraga, CA.
 - “The Place of Life in the Cosmos: Feeling the Origin of Organism,” delivered July 26th, 2017 at the 11th International Whitehead Conference (“Nature in Process: Novel Approaches to Science and Metaphysics”) at the University of the Azores in Ponta Delgada, Portugal.

Teaching

- [“The Difference Between Kant’s and Schelling’s Philosophies of Nature,”](#) delivered October 8th, 2013 as a guest lecturer in Sean Kelly and Robert McDermott’s course “Spirit and Nature” offered at California Institute of Integral Studies.
- [“Introduction to German Idealism and Romanticism,”](#) delivered September 30th, 2014 as a guest lecturer in Robert McDermott’s course “Introduction to Philosophy, Cosmology, and Consciousness” offered at CIIS.
- “Introduction to Ralph Waldo Emerson, Henry David Thoreau, William James, and Charles Sanders Peirce, from an Anthroposophical Perspective,” delivered March 20th and 21st, 2015 as a substitute lecturer in Robert McDermott’s Waldorf Teacher Training course at the San Francisco Waldorf School.
- Teaching Assistant for “CSTP 4019 Transpersonal Psychology,” an online graduate level course for [The Alef Trust/Middlesex University](#); co-taught with Glenn Hartelius, PhD; September, 2015-May, 2016.

- Co-instructor of "[PARP 6439 Brief History of Western Thought](#)," a graduate level course for California Institute of Integral Studies; co-taught with Richard Tarnas, PhD. September-December, 2016.
- "Archetypal Panpsychism: Whitehead, Jung, and Hillman," a lecture and workshop for the Idaho Friends of Jung in Boise, ID. January 20th-21st, 2017.
- Instructor of "[PARP 6393 Mind and Nature in German Idealism](#)," an online graduate level course for California Institute of Integral Studies. January-May, 2017.
- Instructor of "[PARP 6133 Whitehead's Adventure in Cosmology: Toward a Physics of the World-Soul](#)," an online graduate level course for California Institute of Integral Studies, August-December, 2017.
- "[Process Philosophies](#)," delivered October 24th, 2017 as a guest lecturer in Sean Kelly's course "Introduction to Philosophy, Cosmology, and Consciousness" offered at California Institute of Integral Studies.
- Instructor of "PARP 6135 Process and Difference in the Pluriverse," an online graduate level course for California Institute of Integral Studies. To be offered January-May, 2018.
- Instructor of "[Evolution and Spirituality in the West](#)," a graduate level course for the Ecology and Spirituality program at Schumacher College in the UK, June 18th-22nd, 2018.