

Welcome to the Applied Ecopsychology Program!



“Nature is the unseen intelligence that loved us into being”

- **Elbert Hubbard**

Convert the things you love most into also being heartfelt, nature-connected therapies that responsibly improve the well-being of others, our Planet and you.

To better the human condition, the art of Project NatureConnect’s organic application of Ecopsychology passionately roots itself in the life of Nature and its Unified Field, Big Bang Universe. Although the latter is standard knowledge, to our loss, it is not yet a required aptitude in contemporary science, education and counselling curriculums.



The misunderstandings produced by this omission injure our personal and planetary life. They create lasting discontents and excessive demands for natural resources because our need for reasonable satisfactions is not fulfilled.

From 1974 to date, this destructive situation has steadily increased. It has produced Earth Misery (EM), a 50% deficit in Earth’s web-of-life resources. EM, in turn, has generated a 50% increase in species extinction, mental illness, obesity, climate change, oceanic oxygen depletion, loneliness, atmospheric carbon, population, forest fire size, mass shootings, and excessive stress. In addition, during this period EM has increased corruption, child abuse, unhappiness, mistrust, unfairness, expensive health care, political and economic extremes, destructive co-dependencies, addictions and many other disorders.

Mentally, physically and emotionally, we are engulfed in a sea of dangerous and growing Earth Misery. It is caused by our socialization abusively disconnecting us from authentic Nature, the fountainhead of authority in how its therapeutic balance and beauty works.

On average, over 99% of our lifetime is spent out of tune with the nurturing, 54-sense perfection of the natural world around, in and as us. Its absence

produces a distressing emotional void in us. We produce and suffer EM because we continually want so there is never enough.

The purpose of Education, Counseling and Healing is to give people the missing things that they need to become wholesome and contributing members of a society that improves the interactions of the world through mental health, ethics and moral justice. In natural areas, backyard or back country, our unique application of Ecopsychology and its Unified Field "Revolutionary Wisdom" significantly helps students who have the heartfelt desire to increase personal, social and environmental well-being. It enables them to reasonably transform EM into the happiness of self-sustaining and responsible relationships.



Our students are subsidized, independent thinking heroes because they dedicate themselves to appropriately invoke our organic form of psychology and community building in natural areas, backyard or back country. This 54-sense process originated in twenty years of hands-on, environmental psychology, outdoor expedition research. Its year-round laboratory was wild America; its teachers were the natural world's human and wild inhabitants.

Moment by moment, as nobody else can, and with the consent they receive from the life of their natural world kinships, our Ecopsychology and Ecotherapy students co-mentor their clients in EcoArts Therapy. It consists of USA accredited, work-exchange funded, online classes that enable them to benefit from their love of painting, music, higher power, yoga, academics, psychology, science, recovery, holism, healing, politics and most other attractions. In turn, those they help increase their well-being by organically invoking Ecopsychology in their personal and environmental relationships.



In 1942, during World War II, adding "Victory Garden wisdom" to our food-shortage catastrophe stopped the shortage in 720 days. After that, half the vegetable food of the United States came from our backyard gardens. The same major change with regard to our EM catastrophe can be accomplished by students and faculty co-mentoring themselves and others to add the organics of "Ecopsychology wisdom" to their life and livelihood.

Applied Ecopsychology reverses our disconnectedness by utilizing proven medical procedures. For example, good medical thinking and research have created surgical techniques that reattach an amputated arm back to the body. If reconnected properly, the arm will, in time, function normally.

Part of this art is the surgical technology our clear thinking has devised to bring the arm back in proper contact with the body. The remainder of the procedure is trusting that once this reconnection is made, nature itself has the wisdom to heal the rupture and rejoin the arm and body as one integrated organism. We don't know how to do that healing, however nature does it continuously via its natural attraction ecological processes at sub-atomic and global levels, for that is its way. Good medical thinking respects that nature has this extraordinary regenerative power. It taps into it. It surgically provides the proper environment and time for nature to heal, as only nature can. Applied Ecopsychology activities do the same thing with respect to our extremely nature-separated psyche and thinking process and the disorders they create.



The field of Applied Ecopsychology researches and initiates practical self-guiding methods and materials. These tools enable the prospective applied ecopsychologist to learn, use, and teach the nature-reconnecting process in the personal, professional and educational environments. This degree program offers vital information, expertise and support through mentorship, distance learning courses, interactive workshops, academic readings, Internet presentations, and independent study and projects.

Discover how our excessive separation from nature stresses our sentient inner nature and causes our most challenging problems. Learn to reverse this destructive process. Master thoughtful nature reconnecting activities that dissolve stress by satisfying our deepest natural loves, wants and spirit. This course teaches hands-on education, counseling and mental health skills that interlace our thoughts and feelings with the "higher power" wisdom of nature's creation process. Its unique natural attraction methods and materials let nature nurture self-esteem, friendships and responsibility. Applied Ecopsychology increases wellness and creativity and helps us build rewarding, sustainable relationships. Learn and teach this process to increase personal, social and environmental well-being.



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