



SOUTHWESTERN COLLEGE & NEW EARTH INSTITUTE



2024 - 2025 Certificate Program Course Schedule

Full course descriptions will be published in the quarterly schedules.

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You can register directly with this link: <https://newearth.regfox.com/nei-registration-form>

FALL 2024

Trauma, Grief, and Renewal Certificate

TGR 5200: Dying to Know: Issues of Death and Dying for the Professional

Rev Ted Wiard, EdD, LPCC, CGC

September 28 & 29, 9am-6pm MST, Online via Zoom

Addictions, Abuse and Recovery Certificate

AAR 5900: Motivational Interviewing: Engaging People in Meaningful Change

Richard Pelfrey, BA, LADAC, NCAC

October 5 & 6, 9am-6pm MST, In person at Southwestern College

November 9 & 10, 9am-6pm MST, Online via Zoom

Human Sexuality Certificate

HS 5200: Working with Queer Sexualities

Laura Rademacher, MA, LMFT, CST, CST-S

October 12 & 13, 9am-6:30pm MST, Online via Zoom

Children's Mental Health Certificate

CMH 5055: The Foundations of Jungian Sandplay Therapy

Lorraine Freedle PhD, LCSW

October 25-27, Friday, 5-8pm MST; Sat & Sun, 10am-5pm MST, Online via Zoom

Applied Interpersonal Neurobiology & Psychedelic Studies Certificate

AIN/PS 5610: The Healing Potential of Non-Ordinary States of Consciousness: The Legacy of Stanislav Grof, MD

Kate Cook, MA, LPCC, TEP

November 9 & 10, 9am-6:30pm MST, In Person at Synergia Ranch

Ecotherapy Certificate

TE 5600: Mindfulness of the Body, Mind and Heart with Nature

Rochelle Calvert, PhD, CMT, SEP

November 16 & 17, 9am-6:30pm MST, Online via Zoom

WINTER 2025

Applied Interpersonal Neurobiology Certificate

AIN 5300: Neurobiological Roots & Applications of Experiential Action Methods

Kate Cook, MA, LPCC, TEP & Diana Zumas, MA, LPC, LPCC

January 11 & 12, 9am-5:30pm MST, In person with working lunch at Southwestern College

Trauma, Grief, and Renewal Certificate

TGR 5400: Trauma Theory, Process, and Interventions

Rev Ted Wiard, EdD, LPCC, CGC

January 11 & 12, 9am-6pm MST, Online via Zoom

Ecotherapy Certificate

TE 5800: Our Ecological Crisis: Healing the Trauma of the Earth

Rochelle Calvert, PhD, CMT, SEP

January 18 & 19, 9am-6:30pm MST, Online via Zoom

Psychedelic Studies Certificate

PS 5100: The Psychedelic Movement: Pioneers in the History, Research, and Current Policy Development

Amy Wong Hope, MSW, LCSW

February 1 & 2, 9am-6pm MST, Online via Zoom

Human Sexuality Certificate

HS 5600-2: Non-Monogamy and Polyamory: Ethical Therapeutic Practice with Diverse Relationships

Laura Rademacher, MA, LMFT, CST, CST-S

February 8 & 9, 9am-6:30pm MST, Online via Zoom

Addictions, Abuse and Recovery Certificate & Children's Mental Health

AAR/CMH 5510: Addiction and the Developing Brain: Prevention and Treatment for Adolescents

Richard Pelfrey, BA, LADAC, NCAC

February 22 & 23, 9am-6pm MST, Online via Zoom

Spring 2025

Ecotherapy Certificate

TE 5450: Rhythms, Cycles and Elements of Healing with Nature: Finding Our Way

Rochelle Calvert, PhD, CMT, SEP

April 5 & 6, 9am-6:30pm MST, Online via Zoom

Trauma, Grief, and Renewal Certificate

TGR 5300: The Art of Healing Grief and Trauma

Rev Ted Wiard, EdD, LPCC, CGC

April 12 & 13, 9am-6pm MST, Online via Zoom

Psychedelic Studies Certificate

PS 5200: The Psychedelic Experience: Transcendent Personal Growth and Transformation

Amy Wong Hope, MA, LCSW

April 26 & 27, 9am-6:30pm MST, Online via Zoom

Children's Mental Health Certificate

CMH 5016-2: Integrative, Holistic Development of Children's Mental Health for Children from Diverse Cultures

Naja Druva, MS, LPCC

May 1-3, Thurs 5:30pm-8:30pm MST, Fri 3pm-8pm MST; Sat 9am-6:30pm MST, Online via Zoom

Human Sexuality Certificate

HS 5650: Sexual Inheritance: Recognizing Ancestral, Familial, and Cultural Messages

Laura Rademacher, MA, LMFT, CST, CST-S

May 10 & 11, 9am-6:30pm MST, Online via Zoom

Addictions, Abuse and Recovery Certificate

AAR 5550: Addressing the Elephant in the Room: Cultivating Recovery within the Family System

Richard Pelfrey, MS, LMHC, LADAC, NCAC

May 17 & 18, 9am-6pm MST, In person at Southwestern College

Applied Interpersonal Neurobiology Certificate

AIN 5360: Honoring the Voices Within: Understanding, Differentiating, and Integrating our Internal Parts through Experiential Processes

Diana Zumas, MA, LPC, LPCC

June 7 & 8, 9am-5:30pm MST, In person with working lunch at Southwestern College

Summer 2025**Children's Mental Health Certificate**

CMH 5095: Restoring Hope: Suicide and Self-Harm Prevention and Intervention for Youth

Naja Druva, MS, LPCC

June 28 & 29, 9am-6:30pm MST, Online via Zoom

Trauma, Grief, and Renewal Certificate

TGR 5500-2: Theories of the Grief Process

Rev Ted Wiard, EdD, LPCC, CGC

July 12 & 13, 9am-6pm MST, Online via Zoom

Applied Interpersonal Neurobiology Certificate

AIN 5310: Polyvagal Theory Embodied: A Deep Dive into PVT using Art and Action Methods

Diana Zumas, MA, LPC, LPCC and Tejal Murray, MA, LPCC, ATR-BC

July 19 & 20, 9am-5:30pm, In person with working lunch at Southwestern College

Psychedelic Studies Certificate

PS 5300: Navigating Ethical Practice in the Wild West of Psychedelics- Safety and Risk Reduction in an Emerging Landscape

Amy Wong Hope, MSW, LCSW

July 26 & 27, 9am-6:30pm MST, In person with one hour lunch at Southwestern College

Ecotherapy Certificate

TE 5250: Walking With Ancestors: Healing Our Relations

Rochelle Calvert, PhD, CMT, SEP; Ann Filemyr, PhD

August 2 & 3, 9am-6:30pm, Online via Zoom

Addictions, Abuse and Recovery Certificate & Human Sexuality

AAR/HS 5420: Compulsion or Coping Skill? What To Do When Sex, Tech, and Other Behaviors Get Out of Control

Richard Pelfrey, BA, LADAC, NCAC

Aug 23 & 24; 9am-6pm, Online via Zoom

TE 5700: Wilderness Fast

Katherine Ninos, MA, LPCC & Carol Parker, PhD, LPCC

September 6-14 in Canyon de Chelly

Mandatory Orientation Sunday, August 3, 2 – 4 pm on campus

Section full for this year, 2025. Reach out to Katherine to be added to waitlist for next year.

Students using an elective for this course, must have an elective in fall 2025 or have it moved to fall 2025.