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EDUCATION

Ph.D., Systems Engineering, Defense and Systems Institute (DASI), [was Systems Engineering Evaluation Center], University of South Australia, Adelaide, Australia, Started 2002, Examination copy produced March 2009. Granted December 17, 2009. See http://emergentdesign.net

Ph.D., Sociology, London School of Economics, University of London, London, UK, 1982

B.A., Sociology & East Asian Studies, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas 1973

CURRENT POSITION
Partner AgileMinds LLC Agile Transformation Consulting
http://onticity.com http://scaleagile.com

DISSERTATIONS

Emergent Design: Explorations in Systems Phenomenology in Relation to Ontology, Hermeneutics and the Meta-dialectics Of Design
Advisor: Tim Ferris (UniSA)

The Structure of Theoretical Systems in relation to Emergence
Advisors: David Martin (LSE), H.P. Rickman (London: City U.)
Abstract and Scanned Copy at http://archonic.net/disab.html

FIELDS OF SPECIALIZATION

Primary: Philosophy: Ontology; Systems Theory: Self-Organization and Emergence

Secondary: Systems Engineering, Software Engineering, Process Engineering, Lean Agile Consulting

Tertiary: Ontological Engineering, Knowledge Engineering

PUBLISHED ARTICLES

"Software Engineering Design Methods and General Systems Theory"

> International Journal of General Systems [Vol. 24 (1-2) 1996 pp.43-94].

"Theoretical Approach to the Interaction Between the Meta-system Schemas of the Artificial (Built) Environment and Nature" with J. Solis and T. Ferris in Towards the Foundaiton of Theory for the Built Environment, 1st Symposia, Salford Centre for Research and Innovation, Salford UK June 2007, ISBN 9781905732296, (University of Salford, 2007)

UNIQUE CONTRIBUTIONS

- Agile Theory
- Autopoietic Theory Critique
- Emergent Meta-Systems Theory
- Emergent Worlds Theory
- General Schemas Theory
- Kantian Meta-Episteme
- Meta-dialectical Design Theory
- Meta-Systems Theory
- Ontological Theory of Emergence
- Onto-mythology
- Quadralectics and Pentalectics
- Reflexive Social Theory
- Special Systems Theory
- Structure of the Design Field
- Structure of the Western Worldview
- Theory of Emergent Design
- Theory of Emergent Foundational Mathematical Categories
- Theory of High Performance Teaming
- Theory of the Pleroma (field out of which the worldview arises)

SIGNIFICANT WORKS

Reflexive Autopoietic Dissipative Special Systems Theory, 2000

Special Systems Theory 2013

See http://works.bepress.com/kent_palmer and http://archonic.net

BOOKS

Wild Software Meta-systems, 1996, Apeiron Press, Electronic Book

Fragmentation of Being and the Path Beyond the Void, 1994, Apeiron Press, Electronic Book

Autopoietic Reflexive Systems Theory, 2000, Apeiron Press, Electronic Book

Non-dual Science, 2001, Nondual Science Institute, Electronic Book

Apeiron Press at http://archonic.net/apeiron.htm
Nondual Science Institute at http://nondual.net

WORK IN PROGRESS: Related to Second Dissertation
Foundations Of Emergent Meta-Systems Theory And Practice: *Prospectus for the Research*
General Schemas Theory – 9 papers
Studies in the Foundations of General Schemas Theory – 10 papers
Metaphysics of Emergence – 2 papers
Anti-thesis: The Individual Schemas – 12 papers
Special Schemas Theory as Nondual Science – 13 papers (http://nondual.net)
Foundations of General Schemas Theory – 12 papers
Philosophy of General Schemas Theory – 2 papers
Application of General Schemas Theory: Design Methods and Meta-methods – 19 papers
The Deep Structure of Design – 1 paper
The Foundations of Emergent Meta-systems Theory – 3 papers
Introduction to General Schemas Theory – 13 papers
On a Foundation for Emergent Design in General Schemas Theory – 17 papers
Emergent Engineering – 18 papers
Foundations of Emergent Science and Engineering – 9 papers
Emergent Architectural Design and Onto-Epistemological Engineering – 5 papers
Elements of the Metanomos: Beyond Metaphysics and Metalogos – 10 papers
Systems Phenomenology – 19 papers (Basis of the Dissertation)
Advanced Design and Meta-Design Foundations – 6 papers
New Emergent Design – 3 papers (attempt to rewrite dissertation)
Emergent Design – Examination Copy of Dissertation ~620 pages, ~1300 footnotes, ~1700
        bibliography items, ~77 diagrams.

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WORKING PAPERS: Related to Second Dissertation
A Dialectical, as well as Geometrical and Algebraic, Model of System and Meta-system
        Synergies with Joseph Kasser
Anti-Terror Meta-systems Engineering
Autonomic Systems and Special Systems Theory
Beyond Dynamic Ontologies to N-ontologies and the foundations of Emergence in
        Fundamental Ontology

Building Habitat Knowledge Meta-system: *First Responders Information and Knowledge Meta-system*
Emergence and Complexity in relation to General Schemas Theory (discussion)
Exploring Intelligent Enterprise System Limitations
From General Systems Theory to General Schemas Theory
Introduction to the Meta-thesis
Introspective Grid Architecture
Meta-system Engineering Futures
Meta-systems Engineering
On a Simple Geometrical and Algebraic Representation of Emergence
On the Foundations of Systems Engineering
Ontological and Knowledge Emergent Engineering of Systems and Meta-systems based on
       General Schemas Theory
Possible Grounds For A Reflexive Sociology
Proposed "Integral Systems Engineering Methodology" Architectural Design Language
Quantum Games and Meta-systems Theory
Radical Knowledge Discovery and Emergence
Self-Adaptation, Self-Organization and Special Systems Theory
The Creation of Ad Hoc Emergent Designs for Resilient Systems in Crisis Environments
       with Scott Jackson and Tim Ferris
The Evolving Joint Perspective and Meta-systems Theory: A Case Study based on the Joint
       Vision Document
The Failure of Systems Engineering as an approach toward Complex Adaptive Systems in
       our major Customer's Eyes: Analysis of the Capstone Concept for Joint Operations
       and its relation to Meta-systems Theory
Toward an Intelligent Military Enterprise: An Introduction to an Approach to Joint Forces
       based on Meta-systems Theory
Towards a Possible Approach to Meta-systems as Escapements
Tutorial on Philosophy of Systems Schemas: For INCOSE SSEG
Vajra Logics and Mathematical Meta-models for Meta-systems Engineering

See http://holonomic.net

WORKING PAPERS: Unrelated or Previous to Second Dissertation
A New Turning: *On the Transformation of Buddhism into a General Path of Nonduality*
A Terrafirma Terma Text
Advanced Process Architectures (tutorial)
Agile at Scale Transformation course syllabus
Agile Theory synopsis
Alchemy and Special Systems Theory
An Approach Toward Being, Existence and Manifestation
Approaching Deeper Nondualities
Archetypal Gender Ontology
Autopoietic Meta-Theory
Clarification of the Existential Roots of the Western Worldview: Me/Iw/Kheper/Wnn
Deep Mathematics and Meta-Systems Theory
Elaborating Linkage Propositions with Linkage Hypotheses based on General Schemas
       Theory, Special Systems Theory, and Emergent Meta-systems Theory 2010

Emergent Agile at Scale Adaptation Approach
Emergent Worlds: Exploring the Pleroma
Emergent Worlds: On the Existentials underlying the Western meta-Worldview
ErThinking: *Mindfulness of the Contributions*
Exploring the Meta-worldviews
Foundations of Agile Teaming synopsis
Guervich Abstract Machines
Hacking the Essence of Software
Holonomic Alchemical Science
Holonomic Alchemy
Holonomic Theory of Consciousness
Homeopathy and Acupuncture Theory and Beyond
Idea, Essence, Existence and Archetype *(On Nietzsche, Jung and others)*
Inquiry into Primordial Experience: Exploring Early DzogChen
Intratextuality
Language and Special Systems Theory: *Perspectives on Learning Language*
Lode Stone
Making Sense of Meaning in Deleuze: *From Hyper and Wild Being to Ultra Being*
Metaphor and the Heideggarian Existentiells 2013
Nietzsche's Madness: *thinking through darkness and light*
Nondual Core of the Western Worldview
Occidentalism – 3 papers
On the Places in Our Language
On the Places in Our Language: *The Diagrams of William Rawlin*
Orienting in a Clean Meta-system
Panarchy, Emergent Meta-systems and Gaia: *Mathematical Grounding for Panarchy Theory and the Mythic projection of Gaia as global Emergent Meta-system*
Philosophical Mentoring
Primal Ontology and Archaic Existentiality
Product Owner Agile Systems Engineering Strategies
Proto-Schemas
Reflexive Autopoiesis and Weak Measures
Reworking The Integal System Engineering Method Domain Specific Languages: Future Directions in Model-based Architectural Design 2010
Social Systems Engineering: Foundations of a New Discipline 2012
Software Craftsmanship Vision
Special Systems Theory 2013
Special Systems Theory as a Nondual Nonintegral Singular Conjunctive Meta-theory 2010
Systems Science and Design Science for Software and Systems Engineers course syllabus and 2 tutorial papers
Tangled Hierarchies
The Terma of Teaming
The Anamorphic Cycle: *Understanding the response to Nihilism within the Western Worldview*
The Essential Nature of Product Traceability and its relation to Agile Approaches
The Logic Of Sense In The Jubilate Agno by Christopher Smart: *A Test Case for the theory of Sense of Deleuze*
The Ontological Foundations of Autopoietic Theory
Thinking Through Cyberspace (presentation)

Toward an Archeology of Clean Space Metaphor Therapy
Vehicles of Non-Existence in relation to the Western worldview: *Understanding the Meta levels of Negation*
What are the Principles that arise in Practice?

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Book Manuscripts:

Agile Theory Book finished (7 chapters) 2012
The Foundations of Agile Teaming Book finished (10 chapters) 2013
Lean Agile Systems Engineering Book finished (8 chapters) 2013
Lean Agile Scaling Book in progress (7 chapters) 2013
Structure of the Western Worldview Book in progress (10 chapters) 2012
Search for a Deeper Theory of Everything Book unfinished (3 chapters)
Emergent Worlds: Being, Existence, Manifestation And Deeper Nonduality Book in progress finished (13 chapters) 2010
Primordial Sufism Book finished (9 chapters)
Meta-enlightenment Book unfinished (5 chapters)
Markets as Meta-systems Book unfinished (2 chapters) http://bubblenomics.biz

TEACHING EXPERIENCE
Instructor: Software Architectural Design and Requirements, UCI Extension

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE
Systems Engineer
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CONFERENCE/SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS
Conference on Systems Engineering Research, 2004, 2005, 2008, 2011
Dynamic Ontology Conference, 2004
IEEE LA 2013 Agile at Scale presentation
INCOSE LA Mini-Conference, 2009, 2013
International Council of Systems Engineers, 2002, 2007
International Society of Systems Sciences Conference, 2000, 2004, 2012
Social Theory Conference 2003
Society for Chaos in Psychology and The Life Sciences 2011
The International Social Theory Consortium Conference, 2003

OCCASIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

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http://think.net
http://trace-studies.org

Complete Electronic Works (out of date)
See http://archonic.net/kdp_ouvre_size04.pdf

Non Electronic Works
Being, Existence and Manifestation (book manuscript)
Primal Archetypal Wholeness (book manuscript)
The Pattern of Man (book manuscript)
Guide to Working Papers for previous dissertation
        See http://archonic.net/wp78_prolog02.htm
Working Papers toward the First Dissertation (1000 page manuscript of working papers, first
        two sections edited and available)
Double Helix: Master of Philosophy Working Papers See http://archonic.net/disab.html

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