

MEGAN ROSE PHD

PSYCHOLOGIST. SCHOLAR. PROFESSOR.

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Transpersonal Psychology

Paganism

Organic Inquiry

Sexuality & Religion

Holistic Sustainability

Leadership Ethics

EDUCATION

Doctorate

CA Institute of Integral Studies

2009 - 2019

East-West Psychology

Masters

Graduate Theological Union

1994 - 1998

Ethics and Social Theory, Religion in Society

LANGUAGES

English

French

Arabic

PROFILE

Dr. Megan Rose is a Ceremonial Magician, Druid, and a Shakta Tantric practitioner. Her teachings and practice focus on the integration of Pagan and animistic spiritualities within a transpersonal psychological framework. She is a member of the teaching faculties at Sofia University and Cherry Hill Seminary. She is also a columnist for the religion and spirituality website Patheos. Megan is on a mission to NORMALIZE THE PARANORMAL by helping people step into deeper relationship with the other-than-human intelligences of Earth.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Adjunct Faculty

Sofia University

2025 - present

Adjunct faculty in the MBA Program.

Instruction of the following online and on campus courses:

- Foundations of Leadership and Management
- Creating Learning Organizations
- Team Conflict and Managing Change
- Behavioral Marketing, Insights, and Strategies
- Business Communication and Scholarship

Chair of the Department

Cherry Hill Seminary

2022 - present

Department chair of the Pastoral Counseling and Chaplaincy department.

Creation and instruction of the following online courses:

- Fall 2025: Spiritu-Intimacy, Insights course
- Spring 2025: Sexuality, Culture and Religion, 3 unit course
- Fall 2024: The Faery Faith--a Participatory Animism, Insights course
- Fall 2023: The Dark God--His many faces and expressions, Insights course
- Summer 2023: Transpersonal Psychology, 3 unit course
- Fall 2022: The Dark Goddess--Her many faces and expressions, Insights course

Founder, Core Faculty

The Spirit Marriage School

2021 - present

Founded an independent learning institute that supports continuing education in the areas of psycho-spiritually and pagan scholarship.

Creation and instruction of the following online courses:

- Psycho-spiritual Alchemy, 8 month course
- Elemental Tree of Life, 6 month course
- The Faery Faith, 4 month course
- Spirit Marriage 101, 2 month course

Instructor

HCH Institute

2008 - 2009

Creation and instruction of the core course, Healthy Boundaries for Healers, in the Energy Therapy certification program. This is part of the Hypnotherapy and Psycho-Spiritual trainings curriculum.

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PUBLICATIONS

Spirit Marriage: Intimate Relationship
with OtherWorldly Beings
Inner Traditions/Bear and Co., 2022

Conscious Choices: An Evolutionary
Woman's Guide to Life
Chapter 15: *Deep Longing: A Sexual
Evolution*
Love Your Life Publishing, 2008

MENTORSHIP

- Chair, PhD Dissertation Committee,
Belinda Brucks, Modern Sex Therapies
Institute, 2026
- Advisor, PhD Dissertation Consultant,
Ryan "Indigo" Warman (2023),
Veronica Hernandez (2022),
Department of East-West Psychology,
California Institute of Integral Studies

PRESENTATIONS

Association for the Study of Women in Mythology

*From Psyche to Saint Teresa: Exploring spirit marriage between
women and other-than-human beings* April 2025

*Devotion, Death and Dynamism: The Many Faces of Mary
Magdalene*, Panel presentation with Margaret Merisante, PhD
and April Heaslip, PhD April 2015

Harvard Divinity School

Ecological Spiritualities Conference April 2022

*Rewilding the Pagan Soul: Albion, EcoPsychology, and the Epigenetic
Memory of Place*, co-presented with Ryan Indigo Warman, PhD

Pantheacon

*Spirit Marriage: Cultivating a Bonded Relationship with
Otherworldly Beings* February 2020

*Rewilding the Pagan Soul: Connecting to our Ancestors in
Albion*, co-presented with Ryan Indigo Warman, PhD February 2019

Supernatural Studies Association

*Spirit Marriage: A Phenomenological, Transcultural Inquiry into
Intimate Relationships Between Humans and Supernatural
Beings* March 2019

San Francisco Theosophical Society

The Celtic Faery Faith: Meeting our Extraordinary Ancestors December 2019

Autoethnography of an Eco-Sexual Priestess series June - August 2019

*Entheosis: Cross-cultural Spiritual Technologies for Awakening
the Divine Within* January 2018

California Institute of Integral Studies

East-West Psychology Symposiums

Mary Magdalen: Dark Goddess, Female Christ April 2013

*Exploring Intentional Communities: ZEGG, Damanhur and
Findhorn*, panel discussion with Ryan Indigo Warman, Hank
Obermeyer, and Jonathan Levine October 2012

*When God Had Sex: The Practice of Spirit Marriage in Ecstatic
Spirituality* April 2011

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VOLUNTEER

The Entheosis Institute

Executive Director, 2017 - present

A non-profit organization devoted to helping people cultivate a lived experience of their authentic Self through art, education, eco-spirituality and beloved community.

The Great Turning Institute

Wisdom Council Member, October 2013 - present

Transformative Wisdom Intensive: Leadership for a More Compassionate Self and World

TRAININGS

- **Initiated Druid**, Anglesey Druid Order, 2023 - 2024
- **Registered Yoga Teacher** (500hr), Yoga Kula, 2016 - 2019
- **Senior Faery Seer**, House of Brigh Faery Seership Institute, 2010 - 2024
- **Ordained Minister**, Seven Sisters Mystery School, 2012 - 2013
- **Shakta Tantric Practitioner**, Sri Vidya School, 2011 - 2016
- **Intimacy Counselor**, Integrative Arts Institute, 2011 - 2012
- **Chi Nei Tsang Practitioner**, Healing Tao, 2005 - 2006
- **Clinical Hypnotherapist**, HCH Institute, 2004 - 2006
- **Energy Healing & Deep Bodywork Therapist**, Diamond Light School of Massage, 2003 - 2004
- **Swedish & Shiatsu Massage Therapist**, SF School of Massage, 2002 - 2003

INTERVIEWS

Dreamlands

YouTube interview with Whitley Strieber

["Can you marry a non-physical entity?"](#)

July 2022

Open Minds

Gaia TV interview with Regina Meredith

["Spirit Marriage"](#)

June 2022

The Dr. Pat Show

Talk radio interview

["Spirit Marriage: Intimate Relationships with Otherworldly Beings"](#)

April 2022

Audacious with Chion Wolf

WNPR Connecticut public radio interview

["Spectrosexuality: When a spirit is your spouse"](#)

March 2022

New Thinking Allowed with Dr. Jeffrey Mishlove

YouTube interview with Emmy Vadnais

["Spirit Sex and Marriage"](#)

March 2022

Journey to the Goddess TV: Regenerating Ancient Feminine Wisdom for Modern Women

YouTube interview with Dr. Annalisa Derr

["Mary Magdalene: Sacred Sexuality Regeneratrix"](#)

April 2020