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# PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL MISSION

My life's work builds a sustainable world of masculinities that care for Earth, others and self.

# **AREAS OF EXPERTISE**

Profeminist Masculinities Author & Scholar

Boy's and Men's Mentor

**Men's NGO Executive Officer** 

Adjunct University Unit Coordinator/ Lecturer/ Tutor

Community Development Specialist

Conflict Resolution Facilitator
Violence Prevention Educator
Life Skills Educator
Project Manager
Carpenter

Social Entrepreneur & Eco-preneur

Postgraduate Mentor & Supervisor

Social Sustainability Consultant

Profeminist Activist
Environmental Activist
Wilderness Leader
Outdoor Educator
Field Ecologist
Research Project Manager
Men's Research Associate

# RESEARCH AND TEACHING APPOINTMENTS

September – October 2019. **Visiting Scholar** on International Book tour at Victoria University of Wellington (NZ) and California State University San Marcos (CA), Colorado University (CO), Montana State University (MT), University of Wisconsin – River Falls (WI), Clarkson University (NY), College of Charleston (SC).

March 2019 – Present. <u>Science, Technology and Society (STS)</u> in Technology Management and Economics (TME Department), Chalmers University of Technology. Post-doctoral Research Fellow.

Feb – Present 2018. Prescott College, AZ. PhD project supervisor.

Feb – April 2017. Prescott College, AZ. **Mentored Course on Gender and Environment**. Adjunct Graduate Mentor.

February 2016 – Present. Linköping University, **Department of Thematic Studies (TEMA) / Technology and Social Change.** Visiting Scholar.

June – September 2014. Edith Cowan University. **Perth Institute of Business Technology**, **Joondalup**, **WA**. Adjunct Lecturer in Emergency Mental Health and Crisis Management.

January – August 2013. Edith Curtin University. **Paramedics, School of Medical Sciences, Joondalup, WA**. Adjunct Lecturer in Emergency Mental Health and Crisis Management.

January – February 2011. **Women's Studies Department, University of Colorado, CO, USA**. Courtesy Appointment to progress doctoral research on *Ecological Masculinities*.

June 2008 – February 2009. **Philosophy Department, University of Oregon, Oregon, USA**. Courtesy Appointment to progress doctoral research on *Ecological Masculinities*.

February 2001 – 2013 (PhD) Murdoch University, Perth, Western Australia. Post-Graduate Research Student, Adjunct

Lecturer, and Unit Coordinator. Conducted Ph.D. research in Sustainability, Environmental Philosophy and Gender Studies on a Murdoch University Research Scholarship (MURS) with concurrent adjunct teaching in a variety of social sustainability courses. Completed the PhD in Feb 2013, with High Distinction.

September 2002 – August 2003 (MSc). **Schumacher College (The University of Plymouth), Totnes, U.K.** Post-graduate Research Student, studying a MSc in Holistic Science with a dissertation on the ethology of male chimpanzees and bonobos to explore links with human male capacities to care. Completed May 2003 with High Distinction.

# **PUBLICATIONS**

### 2020

'When Gender Equality and Earth Care Meet: Ecological masculinities in practice' by Robin Hedenqvist, Paul M. Pulé, Martin Hultman, and Vidar Vetterfalk, in *Gender, Intersectionality and Climate Institutions in Industrialised States* edited by Annica Kronsell and Gunnhildur Lily Magnusdotti. Oxon: Routledge (pending)

'Intimate Dwelling and Mourning Loss in the (m)Anthropocene: Ecological masculinities and the felt self by Todd LeVasseur and Paul M. Pulé, in *Communicating in the Anthropocene: Intimate Relations* (Environmental Communication and Nature: Conflict and Ecoculture in the Anthropocene edited by C. Vail Fletcher and Alexa M. Dare. Lanham: Lexington Books (pending).

'Men, Masculinities and Earth: Contending with the (m)Anthropocene' edited by Paul M Pulé and Martin Hultman. Basingstoke: Palgrave MacMillan (pending).

#### 2019

'Men and Nature: a critical analysis of the Mythopoetic Men's Movement' by Paul M Pulé and Martin Hultman, in Ecomasculinities: Negotiating Male Gender Identity in U.S. Fiction, edited by R. Cenamor and S. Brandt. Lanham: Lexington Books. Lanham: Lexington Books.

'Industrial/Breadwinner Masculinities and climate change: understanding the "white male effect" of climate denial' by Paul M Pulé and Martin Hultman in Climate Hazards, Disaster, and Gender Ramifications, edited by Helle Rydstrom and Catarina Kinnvall. Oxon: Routledge.

'<u>Ecological masculinities: a response to the Manthropocene question</u>' by Martin Hultman and Paul M. Pulé in *Routledge International Handbook of Masculinity Studies* edited by Lucas Gottzén, Ulf Mellström, Tamara Shefer. Oxon: Routledge.

### 2018

<u>Ecological Masculinities: Theoretical foundations and practical guidance</u> by Martin Hultman and Paul M Pulé. Oxon: Routledge.

#### 2015

<u>'Deep Thinking for Sustainable Times: Arne Naess's Deep Green Future'.</u> Proceedings for the International Sustainable Development Research Society Conference (10-12 July). Victoria: Deakin University.

<u>'Dingo's Smile: Fasting for a Glimpse of One's True Self'.</u> Proceedings for the International Sustainable Development Research Society Conference (10-12 July). Victoria: Deakin University.

<u>'A Declaration of Caring: Towards Ecological Masculinism'.</u> Cambridge: Cambridge Scholars Publishing.

#### 2013

<u>'A Declaration of Caring: Towards Ecological Masculinism' [Doctoral Dissertation].</u> Perth Murdoch University.

**Where are all the ecomasculinists in Mining?** in M/C Journal: A Journal of Media and Culture, 16(2): online. Vanquishing the violator: men, caring and lessons from ecology in Ending Men's Violence Against Women and Children, Spring: 109-126.

### 2009

'A Declaration of Caring: Towards an Ecological Masculinism'. Proceedings for the International Sustainability Conference (22-25 April). Philadelphia: Villanova University.

'Eco Ethics Matter: Deep Green Eco Ethics and Strong Sustainable Development for the 21st Century' in S. Paulin (ed.) Sustaining a Future. London: Earthscan Books [Publication forthcoming].

## 2008

'A Declaration of Caring: Towards an Ecological Masculinism'. Unpublished paper presented at the Living Through Nature

Conference (19-22 June). Eugene: University of Oregon Press.

#### 2007

<u>'Ecology and Environmental Studies'.</u> In Michael Flood, Judith Kegan Gardiner, Bob Pease, and Keith Pringle (eds.) International Encyclopedia of Men and Masculinities. London: Routledge, pp. 158-162.

### 2006

'Towards an Ecological Masculinism'. National Conference Proceedings-Men's Advisory Network, Inc. (29 October – 1 November). Fremantle: PROMACO Conventions, PTY, LTD., pp. 311-316.

#### 2003

'Us and Them: Primate Science and the Union of the rational Self with the Intuitive Self' (Master's Dissertation). Totnes: Schumacher College/Plymouth University Press.

# PROFESSIONAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Teaching Excellence Nominee for STP206/606 Sustainability Ethics and FDN150 Reinventing Australia instruction at Murdoch University (June, 2009).

Teaching Excellence Nominee for STP/206/606 Environmental Ethics and FDN150 Reinventing Australia instruction at Murdoch University (December, 2005).

## SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES

- **20-24 August, 2018. Landau University, Germany.** Ecological Masculinities topic presented at *Political Masculinities in Europe: New Definitions, Methods and Approaches*, an International Summer School.
- 26-28 February, 2016. Rachel Carson Centre. 'Men and Nature' Workshop, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universitat, Munich, Germany. Gasthörer ('Guest Listener') and discursive contributor on Ecological Masculinities.
- **10-12 July, 2015. Deakin University, Victoria.** Track Chair for the Deep Ecology and Ethics Stream at the International Sustainable Development Research Conference.
- **21-28 July, 2013. Donnelly River, Western Australia.** Co-coordinated a 7-day residential ecophilosophical retreat to facilitate local leadership development towards a sustainable future for all.
- **20-22 September**, **2011. Perth, Western Australia.** Organised and attended the 9<sup>th</sup> National Men's health Gathering that addressed issues of indigenous and non-indigenous boys and men's health and wellbeing.
- **23-27 April**, **2009**. **Villanova University**, **Philadelphia**, **USA**. Presented *A Declaration of Caring: Towards an Ecological Masculinism* to an international audience of peers as part of a Sustainability conference.
- **19-23 June, 2008. University of Oregon 'Thinking Through Nature Conference', Eugene, Oregon, USA.** Presented a paper titled: A Declaration of Caring: Towards an Ecological Masculinism which introduced the concept of an ecologised masculinities theory to the gender/nature discourse.
- **30 October-2 November, 2007. Marine and Coastal Conference. Denmark, Western Australia.** Participated in this state conference as a representative of FERN, to add the voice of local community organizations to a State strategic vision for coastal sustainable development.
- 15 November-2 December, 2005. International Conference of Social and Environmental Sustainability, Calcutta, India. Presented a seminar on my doctoral work studying the intersection between maleness and sustainability.
- **28 August, 2006. UWA Extension Seminar:** *Engaging with Nature.* Presented an overview of my doctoral work titled '*Towards an Ecological Masculinism*' to a community of academic peers.

## **COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

- **Seed College** (Social Enterprise, 2013 to Present). Founding member and national co-coordinator of an alternative and residential tertiary institution that weds the principles of sustainability with practical research projects out in the community drawing on Western and indigenous wisdoms to support the rise of greater social and environmental justice for all.
- **Re–evaluation Co–Counselling (also: RC)** (Bryn Athyn and Burlington, USA, Totnes, UK. and Perth, Australia. 1994 Present). Attend study groups and workshops to develop counselling relationships with peers, which aim at eliminating oppression in all its forms and creating diverse and just communities around the world through personal growth and leadership development.
- **Colorado Outward Bound School** (Rocky Mountains, CO. September October 1999). Attended the Mountain Educator's Training with an emphasis on developing applied Leadership Skills. Participants also received training in community development, conflict resolution, outdoor safety, and environmental ethics
- Project Adventure (Ithaca and Syracuse, NY. April & June 1999). Attended Advanced Leadership Skills and Adventure

Approach to Prevention and Early Intervention. Both workshops train participants in the theory and application of adventure programming as a tool for effective experiential education. Emphasis is given to educating students who struggle with traditional educational modalities due to behavioural and learning differences or multiple risk factors.

**Domestic Violence Training** (Doylestown, PA. April 1997). Completed a 40-hour training on Domestic and Dating Violence and 18months of specialized instruction in Violence Prevention and Diversity Training with youth.

Undoing Racism Workshop (Dayton, OH. May 1995). Completed a 25-hour training by the People's Institute for Survival and beyond; an exposé of racism in modern U.S. society, how it is intimately linked to poverty and the post-industrial history of western civilization, and how to end it.

Alternatives to Violence Project (Dayton Correctional Institution, OH. September 1995). Graduated from a Quaker based training focused on ending violence in our communities.

# PERSONAL PROFILE

Literacy in PC and Macintosh operating systems (esp. iOS, Office 365, Adobe Professional, Blackboard Unit Management System, Turnitin, Moodle, Nvivo), an enthusiastic gourmet cook, carpentry, construction and mechanical skills, photographer, avid backpacker and outdoors person, lover of stimulating conversation and cultural events, active listener and engaged community member committed to creating and maintaining closeness with others and the Earth through building relationships and engaging stakeholders, dedicated advocate for improving the sense of connected for men with self, others and the more-than-human world.

## REFEREES

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