

The East Shield of Human Nature

The power of the
Unexpected and Wild



THE SCHOOL OF LOST BORDER with WOMEN AND EARTH,
Schule für schamanische Heilwege and SHAMBHALA, Wilderness Schule
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“In the spring shield of human nature, death and birth, mortal and divine, nature and spirit, are inseparable one. The trickster knows this, and does not know it, and all the while is inexorably drawn to the light”.

-- Steven Foster, The Four Shields of Human Nature

Into the realms of our imagination there are no borders. Stepping beyond cultural and personal stories we enter a fertile ground where possibilities abound and anything is possible. When we dare to imagine we are more than we think we are, we surrender to our relationship with Spirit. We become a vehicle for healing, and the yearning of the universe toward wholeness and balance. For this we must get out of the way, risk our personal comfort zones, and trust in the creative, generous nature of Spirit.

In order to enter this regenerative arena it asks that we know our own foundational ground of being, familiar with the stories of who we are, what defines us, what calls us to reach beyond our personal existence. Before surrendering to our wild, creative nature, there is the question of intent. Do we choose to use this power of ours for the healing of others, or merely for self-empowerment? Here lies a personal choice that must be made again and again.

In this 6-day seminar you will explore your relationship with our spiritual nature and the wisdom that it evokes with each turn of our maturation. You will practice shapeshifting, meet the trickster, explore your deepest values, erase and reestablish borders, become no-name and drop into the fertile ground of emptiness where there is no difference between sacred and profane. There will be time alone each afternoon, across thresholds of imaginary separation, with councils and mirroring of stories each evening.

Kurssprache: englisch, bei Bedarf kann „teilweise“ übersetzt werde

KURSLEITERIN

Meredith Little, and her husband Steven Foster, co-founded Rites of Passage Inc. in 1977 and The School of Lost Borders in 1981 – pioneering the methods and dynamics of modern pan-cultural passage rites in the wilderness, and “field therapy”. The essence of their work is captured in articles, chapters, an award-winning documentary film, and books that include: The Book of the Vision Quest, The Roaring of the Sacred River, The Four Shields: The Initiatory Seasons of Human Nature, and Lost Borders: Coming of Age in the Wilderness. Since Steven’s death in 2003, she continues both nationally and internationally to guide and train others in this work, while also founding, with Dr. Scott Eberle, a new arm of Lost Borders entitled “The Practice of Living and Dying”. Her relationship with The School of Lost Borders currently includes her positions as the Co-Director of The Practice of Living and Dying Program, Director of Lost Borders International, and owner/publisher of Lost Borders Press.

DAS TEAM

Franz P. Redl, Claudia R. Pichl, Susann Belz – Wilderness LehrerInnen und VisionsuchebegleiterInnen in Europa.

Seminargebühr: CHF 520,00 oder € 420,00

Ort: Seminarhotel Gruberhof im Tirol bei Mittersill, genauere Infos und Anreise, siehe: www.gruberhof.info

Unterbringung/ Verpflegung: € 55,00 - € 65,00 je nach Zimmer

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Erst nach eingegangener Anzahlung ist der Kursplatz gesichert. Max 24 Teilnehmende

Die Wegbeschreibung, eine Teilnehmerinnenliste und Detailinformationen zum Kurs folgen ca. 1 Monat vor Seminarbeginn.

Annulation: Bearbeitungsgebühr CHF 50,00 oder € 30,00 bei Absage 4 Wochen vorher. 50% des Betrages bei Absage 2 Wochen vorher, falls sich keine Ersatzfrau findet. Bei späterer Absage voller Betrag.