



PSYCHOLOGISTS AS ACTIVISTS:

BEING A VOICE FOR THE WILD PART OF THE HUMAN PSYCHE

PRESENTED BY: IAN MCCALLUM



If human behavioural choices are at the core of the environmental issues of our time – global warming, climate change, wild animal and wild habitat loss – three foundational questions need to be addressed:

What is the human place in Nature?

What is the place of Nature in human beings?

What is a human being deprived of contact with the natural world?

EVENT DETAILS:

Date: Tue 10 April 2018

Time: 7pm for 7.30pm

Venue: UCT Lung Institute,
George Str, Mowbray,
Cape Town

Cost: SAAJA Analytical
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More About 'Psychologists As Activists'

Animals forests, rivers, oceans and landscapes are not mere aspects of human life. They are in our blood and in our psyche. Our sanity depends on them. If so, where are the voices of psychologists when it comes to addressing these questions? If the primary task of a psychologist is to understand people and to promote their wellbeing, then think about it: we are all psychologists in our own way. If so, what will it take to be a voice for the voiceless and more...a voice for the wild part of the human psyche?

More About the Presenter

Ian McCallum Ian McCallum is a psychiatrist, analytical psychologist, adjunct professor at the Nelson Mandela Metropolitan University Graduate School of Business in Port Elizabeth and an honorary lecturer in the Department of Psychiatry at the University of Cape Town. A long standing contributor to the UCT Darwin Centre – Teaching Biology Project - his academic interests focus on evolutionary biology, conservation psychology and environmental ethics. He is the author of two anthologies of wilderness poems: **Wild Gifts** (1999), **Untamed** (2012) and a novel **Thorns to Kilimanjaro** (2000). He was the writer/poet for the Mail and Guardian award winning 'UNTAMED' exhibition at Kirstenbosch Botanical Gardens (2010-2012). His book **Ecological Intelligence – Rediscovering Ourselves in Nature** won the Wild Literary Award at the World Wilderness Congress in Mexico 2009. He is a co-founder of the International League of Conservation Writers (www.ilcwriters.org), a founding partner of safari organisation Invent Africa (www.inventafrica.co.za); co-founder of the Cape branch of the Wilderness Leadership School and a foundation member of SAAJA. He is a specialist wilderness guide, a director of the Wilderness Foundation and a trustee of the Cape Leopard Trust.

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