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MISSION STATEMENT

ISSC was founded in 1979 by Charles Tart, PhD, the Grandfather of Consciousness Research. In his illustrious career he did pioneering research, inspired several generations of fellow researchers and served as a sounding board and guiding light. We have no mission, no cause, unless we first and foremost made him proud of who we are and what we are accomplishing.

OUR GUIDING PRINCIPLE

We want to be a part of changing our current culture and intellectual paradigm so that grieving parents can trust their own spiritual visions. We believe that spiritual visions contain the seeds of grief resolution, if only they can be understood and trusted by those who experience them.

OUR SPECIFIC MISSION

ISSC is a Non Profit Tax Exempt Foundation 501 (3)(1) tasked with doing scientific research and educational activities on the nature of human consciousness.

Our specific mission is to research and promote educational activities with regards to Spiritual Neuroscience. Specifically we publish in mainstream scientific and medical journals, and promote educational activities of mainstream scientific researchers and concepts.

We define Spiritual Neuroscience as the biological interface between the human mind/brain/body unit and nonlocal reality. Nonlocal reality is a term from theoretical physics indicating that the basis of reality is a timeless spaceless all information domain. Our assumption is that material reality is based on information: consciousness comes first.

SPECIFIC AREAS OF INTEREST

1. Near Death Experiences, death and dying, grief resolution and spiritual visions.
2. Energetic healing, especially remote energetic healing.
3. Controlled remote viewing.
4. The mind's ability to influence the data stream of white noise true random number generators.
5. Spiritual treatments for PTSD and Dissociative Identity Disorder
6. Traumatic brain injury, social media networking, and functional neurogenesis.