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## Curriculum Vitae Dawson Church

### Education:

Baylor University	BA Communications	1979
Baylor University	University Scholars Program	1979
Holos University	ThD Integrative Healthcare*	2005
Universal University	PhD Natural Medicine#	2006

### Credentials & Affiliations

Certified Energy Health Practitioner	ACEP CEHP license number	#2016
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### Service Activities

Assn for Comprehensive Energy Psych	Research Director	2007-2008
Family Connection	Board President	1995-2003
Cathedral of St. John the Divine	Board, Earth Community	1981-1985
Baylor Institute for Foreign Policy	Fellow	1977-1980

### Employment

2009-present	Editor	<i>Energy Psychology</i> journal
2006-present	Executive Director	Soul Medicine Institute
1995-2007	President	Elite Books
1990-1995	CEO	Atrium Publisher's Group
1986-1990	Publisher	Aslan Publishing
1981-1985	Freelance Editor	Bantam, Dell, Random

### Books:

*The Genie in Your Genes* (Energy Psychology Pr, 2009). Author. (#based on Universal dissertation)  
*Einstein's Business* (Elite, 2007). Editor.  
*Soul Medicine* (Elite, 2006). Co-Author. (\*based on Holos dissertation)  
*Healing the Heart of the World* (Elite, 2006). Editor.  
*Healing Our Planet, Healing Our Selves* (Elite, 2005). Editor.  
*Heart of Healing* (Elite, 2004). Editor.  
*Facing Death, Finding Love* (Aslan, 1994). Author.  
*Communing With the Spirit of Your Unborn Child* (Aslan, 1989). Author.  
*The Heart of the Healer* (Penguin, 1989). Editor.

### Keynote Speeches, Presentations, & Trainings:

*Energies of Love*, Mariott Kauai, Feb 11, 2013  
*Clinical EFT workshop*, Bluespirit Retreat Center, Jan 7, 2013  
*Clinical EFT for Eating Disorders*, Renfrew Center Conference, Nov 10, 2012  
*Veterans, Treatment, & Trauma*, Omega Institute, Oct 13, 2012

*Processing Fear in Recurring Dreams*, ASD Dreamscience Conference, Jun 22, 2012  
*Clinical EFT Level 1-2 Training*, Arche Psychotherapy Center, Paris, May 24, 2012  
*Clinical EFT Level 1-2 Training*, Omega Institute, Oct 7, 2011  
*Advanced PTSD Treatment Symposium*, Omega Institute, May 18, 2011  
*Clinical EFT Level 1-2 Training*, French Integrative Medicine Physicians Group, Paris, May 10, 2011  
*The Genie in Your Genes*, i-Mosaic Integrative Medicine Conference, Apr 6, 2011  
*EFT in Your Psychotherapy Practice*, Psychotherapy Networker, DC, Mar 27, 2011  
*Clinical EFT in VA Hospitals*, Armed Forces Public Health Conference, DC, Mar 21, 2011  
*The Epigenetic Mystic*, CAIET Energy Psychology Conference, Toronto, Nov 5, 2010  
*The Epigenetics of Clinical EFT*, EFT Master's Conference, London, Oct 4, 2010  
*Clinical EFT Level 1-2 Training*, French Integrative Medicine Physicians Group, Paris, Sep 18, 2010  
*Implementing Clinical EFT in the VA and DOD*, House Homeland Affairs Committee, Sep 15, 2010  
*Innovative Treatments for PTSD and TBI*, House Veterans Affairs Committee, Jul 21, 2010  
*EFT for PTSD*, Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Jul 20, 2010  
*EFT for Performance*, World President's Organization, San Francisco, Apr 14, 2010  
*Epigenetics of Emotion*, International Organization of Eating Disorder Professionals, Mar 11, 2010  
*The Genie in Your Genes*, American Academy of Anti-Aging Medicine, Dec 8, 2009  
*The Genie in Your Genes*, Foundation for Mind Being Research, Oct 23, 2009  
*Energy Psychology as Evidence-Based Medicine*, CAIET conference, Toronto, Oct 18, 2009  
*The Epigenetics of Health*, Copenhagen Health Association, Denmark, Oct 11, 2009  
*Genes, Guns and Greening*, French Integrative Medicine Physicians Group, Paris, Oct 1, 2009  
*How Epigenetics Affects Your Health-Span*, American Academy of Anti-Aging Medicine, Sep 10, 2009  
*The Genie in Your Genes*, World President's Organization, San Francisco Yacht Club, June 26, 2009  
*Genes and Emotion*, Dutch EFT Conference, Netherlands, June 13, 2009  
*Epigenetics, Energy Psychology and Health Span*, Center for Brief Therapy, Brussels, June 8, 2009  
*The Energies of Love*, Austrian Healing Center, Vienna, June 6, 2009  
*Science, Love and EFT*, EFT Events, Ilkley, Yorkshire, May 30, 2009  
*Energy Psychology in the National Health Service (NHS)*, Association for the Advancement of Meridian Energy Techniques, Yorkshire, May 29, 2009  
*Energy Medicine*, American Academy of Anti-Aging Medicine (A4M) Orlando, Apr 23, 2009  
*Epigenetics and Lifespan*, American College for the Advancement of Medicine, Indianapolis, Apr 29, 2009  
*Reparenting Ourselves to Nurture Our Children*, Association for Pre and Perinatal Psychology and Health (APPPAH), Apr 27, 2009  
*The New Biology of Intention*, International College of Integrative Medicine, Indianapolis, Mar 14, 2009  
*The Genie in Your Genes*, Nat Inst Clinical Application of Behavioral Medicine, SC, Dec 12, 2008  
*How Epigenetics Affects Your Health-Span*, American Academy of Anti-Aging Medicine, Las Vegas, Nevada, Dec 11, 2008  
*Why Energy Therapies Work Fast*, Science and Consciousness Conference, Toronto, Oct 24, 2008  
*Epigenetic Medicine*, Int Conference on Holistic Health and Medicine, Kentucky Children's Hospital, Lexington, Kentucky, Sep 23, 2008  
*Energy, Intent & Healing*, Chair, ISSSEEM conference, Boulder, Colorado, Jun 20, 2008  
*Energy Kinesiology Conference* keynote. Energy Kinesiology Association. Sacramento, CA. Jun 6.  
*Epigenetic Medicine & the New Biology of Consciousness*. American Holistic Nurses Association, Bretton Woods, NH, Jun 5  
*Balancing the Family Energy Field*. Int Pediatric Chiropractic Association, Philadelphia, May 8  
*Consciousness as Medicine*, Int College of Integrative Medicine Conference, Nashville, Mar 14, 2008  
*The Magic of Energy Psychology*, Hopetoun Alpha, New Zealand, Mar 4-11, 2008

*Genes, Guns and Greening*, Smart Life Forum, San Jose, California, Feb 21, 2008  
*Soul Medicine*, Nat Inst Clinical Application of Behavioral Medicine, South Carolina, Dec 6, 2007  
*DNA is Not Destiny*. BBC Late Show, London, England, Nov 26, 2007  
*Keynote Closing Plenary*, Visions of the Future Mind Conference, Toronto, Canada, Oct 28, 2007  
*The Genetic Mechanisms Underlying Energy Psychology*, ACEP Training Teleconference, Sep 6, 2007  
*Energy Medicine and Genetic Expression*, American Natural Med Association, Las Vegas, Jul 28, 2007  
*Science of The Miraculous*, ISSSEEM Energy Medicine Conference, Colorado, Jun 21, 2007  
*Online Promotion Best Practices*, National Writer's Foundation, Jun 9-10, 2007  
*Best Business Book Award Acceptance*, Independent Press Awards, New York City, Jun 1, 2007  
*Energy, The New Medicine*, Quantum Touch conference, Tahoe City, May 18-20, 2007  
*Gene Activation in Energy Psychology*, Assn for Comprehensive Energy Psychology, VA, Apr 22, 2007  
*Energy Psychology Research*, EFT Master's Showcase, Dallas, Texas, Mar 10, 2007  
*Conscious Business*, Conscious Life Expo, Los Angeles, Feb 11, 2007

## Awards:

Best Books Award	2009	Best Health Book ( <i>Genie in Your Genes</i> )
Foreword Book Awards	2008	Best Health Book Hon Mention ( <i>Genie in Your Genes</i> )
Nautilus Book Award	2008	Best Health Book Silver ( <i>Soul Medicine</i> )
Best Books Award	2007	Best Health Book Finalist ( <i>Soul Medicine</i> )
Association for Comprehensive Energy Psychology	2007	Outstanding Contribution to Field
Best Books Award	2007	Best Social Change Book Winner ( <i>Healing the Heart of the World</i> )
Independent Excellence	2007	Best Business Book Winner ( <i>Einstein's Business</i> )
Best Books Award	2006	Best Health Book Finalist ( <i>Soul Medicine</i> )
Independent Publisher	2006	Best Inspirational Book Winner ( <i>Healing the Heart of the World</i> )
Benjamin Franklin Award	1992	Best Health Book ( <i>Soul Return</i> )
Benjamin Franklin Award	1988	Best Cover ( <i>The Heart of the Healer</i> )

## Peer-Reviewed Professional Publications:

Church, D., & Downs, D. (2012). Sports confidence and critical incident intensity after a brief application of Emotional Freedom Techniques: A pilot study. *The Sport Journal*, 15, 2012.

Church, D., & Brooks, A. (2012). CAM and energy psychology techniques remediate PTSD symptoms in veterans and spouses. Paper presented at the Association for Comprehensive Energy Psychology conference, June 5. Submitted for publication.

Church, D., & Brooks, A. (2012). Reductions in pain, depression, and anxiety symptoms after PTSD remediation in veterans. Paper presented at the Association for Comprehensive Energy Psychology conference, June 5. Submitted for publication.

Church, D., Yount, G., & Brooks, A. (2012). The effect of Emotional Freedom Techniques (EFT) on stress biochemistry: A randomized controlled trial. *Journal of Nervous and Mental Disease*, 200(10), 891-896.

Church, D., Piña, O., Reategui, C., & Brooks, A. (2012). Single session reduction of the intensity of traumatic memories in abused adolescents: A randomized controlled trial. *Traumatology*, 18(3), 73-79.

Church, D., & Feinstein, D. (2013). The psychobiology and clinical principles of energy psychology treatments for PTSD: A review. In *Psychology of trauma*, ed. Thijs Van Leeuwen & Marieke Brouwer. Hauppauge, NY: Nova Science Publishers.

Church, D., De Asis, M., & Brooks, A. (2012). Brief group intervention using EFT for depression in college students: A randomized controlled trial. *Depression Research & Treatment*, 2012.

- Church, D., Hawk, C., Brooks, A., Toukolehto, O., Wren, M., Dinter, I., & Stein, P. (2013). Psychological trauma symptom improvement in veterans using EFT (Emotional Freedom Techniques): A randomized controlled trial. *Journal of Nervous and Mental Disease*, 201, 153-160.
- Feinstein, D., & Church, D., (2010). Modulating gene expression through psychotherapy: The contribution of non-invasive somatic interventions. *Review of General Psychology*, 14, 283 - 295.
- Church, D., & Brooks, A. J. (2010). The effect of a brief EFT (Emotional Freedom Techniques) self-intervention on anxiety, depression, pain and cravings in healthcare workers. *Integrative Medicine: A Clinician's Journal*. Oct/Nov, 40-44.
- Church, D. (2010). The treatment of combat trauma in veterans using EFT (Emotional Freedom Techniques): A pilot protocol. *Traumatology*, 16(1), 55-65.
- Church, D. (2010). Your DNA is not your destiny: Behavioral epigenetics and the role of emotions in health. *Anti Aging Medical Therapeutics*, 13, 35-42.
- Church, D., & Brooks, A. J. (2010). A review of the EFT (Emotional Freedom Techniques) method, research, and application. *Integrative Medicine: A Clinician's Journal*. Aug/Sep, 46-48
- Church, D. (2009). The effect of EFT (Emotional Freedom Techniques) on athletic performance: A randomized controlled blind trial. *Open Sports Sciences* 3(1), 94-99.
- Church, D., Geronilla, L., & Dinter, I. (2009). Psychological symptom change in veterans after six sessions of EFT (Emotional Freedom Techniques): an observational study. *International Journal of Healing and Caring*, 9(1).
- Church, D. (2009). Epigenetic medicine and the new biology of intention. *International Journal of Disabilities and Human Development* 2(1).
- Church, D. (2007). Perspectives on the future of attaining clinical standards within subtle energies. *Bridges*, 17(3), 2.
- Church, D., & Brooks, A. (2008, Oct). The effect of EFT (Emotional Freedom Techniques) on psychological symptoms in addiction treatment: A pilot study. Reported at Toronto Energy Psychology Conference, Oct 24, 2008. Submitted for publication.
- Church, D. (2007). Using Biological Markers to Measure Psychological Effects: A Case Study Using Subjective and Objective Evaluations of Emotional Freedom Techniques (EFT) for Depression. Reported at Toronto Energy Psychology Conference, Oct 27, 2007.