

INSTITUTE FOR HUMAN-EQUINE RELATIONSHIPS

WIDE PEN

INTEGRATED HORSEMANSHIP PHILOSOPHY FOUNDATION

–ESTABLISHING ‘WIDE OPEN’.

The Globe’s Center of Practice and Study
for Human-Equine Relationships.

Establishing Wide Open, the Globe's Center of Practice and Study for Human-Equine Relationships.

- The horse has left an indelible hoofprint on human-kind. A presence that still lives within the subconscious of our minds. Even for non-equine oriented people, the equine presence is inherited from the past. That's the reason horses can be used for in hippotherapy, leadership training and so many more therapeutic and educational fields. We, people, remain connected with horses within the mental zone that reaches beyond intelligence. A natural intuition in interaction and leadership from which we got estranged in the evolution.

The horse's role will become and becomes less and less economic and operational in our modern life; their future is projected towards the educational and therapeutic level.

A Young Science with Growing Importance to our a Society that Estranged from Innate Intuitive Gifts.

'An open-platform beyond the borders of disciplines, equine cultures, and open to the various ongoing individual initiatives. Adding value by offering a stage of exchange.'

Human-equine relational science is -after more than 5,500 years- still a relatively young science. Why? Because it lived within the intuitive instincts of its practitioners. Only the technical aspects of disciplines, sports, transportation applications etc. were passed through. Just like in inter-human romantic relationships, the equine-human relationship hasn't been defined in a generally accepted way.

The Human Renaissance by Reconnecting with the Equine Partner.

The Wide Open Institute for Human-Equine Relationships is a world-platform based in the United States where practice and study will be housed on an open-platform basis. The initial initiative was taken by Nicole Zoet-Oostermeyer who developed the Integrated Horsemanship Philosophy, the human-equine relational philosophy beyond the borders equine disciplines and subdomains; –open and applicable to all equine cultures and, together with Rik Raats and Sofie Snels who elaborated preliminary study to house a worldwide center to exchange equine experience in the US for the same reasons, the soil where the largest human-equine reconnection in history took place. The team is expanded with Maaïke Oostermeyer (Equine Trainer), Peter De Potter (Human-Equine Coach, EU) and various project partners.

The project scope includes acquiring the land, buildings and infrastructure setting-up an academic program and corporate interaction.

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-Studying the intuitive behavioral field in between the human being and equine in order to apply the many facets of this domain into the social education of people, as for therapeutic purposes.

The fields of Operations Cover;

Scientific Field

Creating a platform for interdisciplinary academic projects, to expand the knowledge basis about the intuitive connection in a scientific way.

The educational Field

Awakening the human intuitive senses, the natural connection, balance, intuitive skills, and natural leadership. The equine connection as the tangible instrument to learn people interact effectively, personal and professional life

The Therapeutic Field

Human-Equine Connectivity applied to treatments in Mental Recovery as in Disorder treatment.

Practice for Human-Equine Relationships (not sponsored unless post-accident or post-incident)

For equine sports athletes, trainers, etc.

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Full case will be elaborated;

- 1. Location and Infrastructure**
- 2. Academic Plan**
- 3. Operational Plan**
- 3. Financial Plan**
- 4. Funding / Financing / ROI**

Project Simulation Image - Entrance



This is an image simulation of the entrance of Wide Open - the Institute for Human-Equine Relationships Integrated Horsemanship Foundation.

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