



# California Institute of Integral Studies

## Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Transformative Studies

### Program Learning Outcomes – TID TSD PHD

- 1.0 Make an original contribution in their chosen area of inquiry.***
- 2.0 Demonstrate the ability to write publishable articles and participate in the scholarly discourses of the student's chosen area of inquiry.***
- 3.0 Approach scholarship and research as a creative process and an opportunity to create themselves as scholars.***
- 4.0 Understand and apply complex thinking to inquiry.***
- 5.0 Understand the motivation and strategies for transdisciplinary research, and how it is applied in a generative way.***
- 6.0 Apply, evaluate and synthesize multiple theoretical approaches and understand the ways in which different approaches construct knowledge.***
- 7.0 Know how to find and apply pertinent knowledge, make effective use of knowledge from multiple disciplines, critically engage with their literatures and approaches to knowledge, as well as underlying assumptions and theories.***
- 8.0 Have sufficient command of research strategies and methodology to be able to apply an appropriate method to a research question and to evaluate the appropriateness of various methods in the explorations of different kinds of questions.***
- 9.0 Demonstrate the ability to be self-motivated and self-directed as well as being able to work collaboratively.***