

Yale Forum on Religion and Ecology

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The Yale Forum on Religion and Ecology is an international multireligious project contributing to a new academic field and an engaged moral force of religious environmentalism. With its conferences, publications, monthly newsletter, and website, it explores religious worldviews, texts, and ethics in order to contribute to environmental solutions along with science, policy, law, economics, and appropriate technology. The Forum was founded in 1998 by Mary Evelyn Tucker and John Grim and has been based at Yale University since 2006.

MAJOR ACHIEVEMENTS:

- 1996-1998: [10 Harvard conferences](#) on world religions and ecology
- 1999-2001 [Culminating Conferences](#) at the American Academy of Arts and Science; United Nations; American Museum of Natural History
- Organized many [conferences and symposia](#) at Yale University and around the world
- Helped to launch [joint master's degree program at Yale](#) between Divinity School & School of the Environment and [Yale Divinity School's master's degree in religion and ecology](#)
- Created a [comprehensive website](#) as a resource for those working in the field
- [Monthly](#) email newsletter, which reaches 10K+
- Editors for the Orbis Books [Ecology and Justice series](#)
- 2001 American Academy of Arts & Sciences [Daedalus journal](#) on religion & climate change
- Organized panels on religion and ecology for the [Parliament of the World's Religions](#) 1993-2018
- [Journey of the Universe](#) Multimedia Project: Emmy-award winning film; series of 20 conversations (video & podcast); book from Yale University Press; curriculum
- Two series of [MOOCs](#) (Massive Open Online Courses) created for Yale/Coursera
- [Thomas Berry](#) Legacy: website; archive at Harvard; 5 collections of essays; first biography of Berry

MAJOR PUBLICATIONS:

2020	Living Earth Community , Open Book Publishers
2019	Thomas Berry: A Biography , Columbia University Press
2017	Routledge Handbook of Religion and Ecology , Routledge Books
2016	Living Cosmology , Orbis Books (Winner 2017 Catholic Press Association Book Award)
2014	Ecology and Religion , Island Press
	Thomas Berry: Selected Writings on the Earth Community , Orbis Books
2011	Journey of the Universe , Yale University Press
2003	Worldly Wonder , Open Court Press
1997-2003	Harvard Religions of the World and Ecology Series
1993	Worldviews and Ecology , Bucknell University Press (reissued in 1994 by Orbis Books)