CONSCIOUSNESS

The renowned second president of the Theosophical Society explores the different states in which our consciousness may work while expressing at the physical, psychical and spiritual levels through different “vehicles of consciousness.”
T B463 SPM (Mini)

A study exploring the growth and development of consciousness, from its origins on the spiritual realms to its descent into matter, eventually expressing itself as what we call human consciousness.
T B463 SC

Rejecting that the thinking process simply reports objectively what is “out there,” the author explores how thought actively participates in forming our perceptions, our sense of meaning and our daily actions, and how we frequently are unconsciously controlled by it.
128.2 Boh TS

Lays out a new theory of consciousness as being an irreducible entity (like such physical properties as time, mass and space), departing from the prevailing reductionist trend of science but still compatible with a scientific view of the world.
128.2 Cha CM

Exploring the fields of philosophy, history, psychology, education, methodology, science and ontology, the author offers a map to the exploration of consciousness to find the way among the conflicting ideologies and dogmas.
T C393 EIC

Resulting from a series of meetings between the Dalai Lama and a group of eminent neuroscientists and psychiatrists, this book explores the nature of mind, its relationship to the brain’s physical processes, and the existence of subtler forms of consciousness.

B294 Dal-XIV CC


De Quincey postulates that our individual sense of self arises from our relationships and thus it is part of a shared, collective, consciousness. Understanding this process would be key to unlocking our potential for higher consciousness and spiritual evolution.

126 deQ RK


An introduction and critique to the work of the Swiss philosopher Jean Gebser on the role of consciousness, offering important intellectual contributions to a new self-understanding and profound spiritual reorientation.

126 Feu SC


A comprehensive and critical collection of essays on consciousness and its development, by a celebrated list of contributors including Fritjof Capra, Ravi Ravindra, Nobel Laureate and Harvard Biologist George Wald, among others.

126 EC


A book about creation and consciousness, explaining why creation happened and how it is structured in a web-like fabric, what is consciousness, and how it evolves by first becoming self-conscious and then transpersonally conscious.

T G172 PCWU


Essays from thirteen internationally renowned psychologists, neuroscientists, psychiatrists, and philosophers, presenting an original multidisciplinary inquiry into topics such as mind, brain and consciousness; brain and free will; the structure of consciousness, etc.

128.2 Glo CAB


Based on insights from research into non-ordinary states of consciousness this book portrays existence as an astonishing play of the cosmic creative principle and the individual psyche in its furthest reaches, pointing out their common identity.

126 Gro CG
A collection of essays scrutinizing a common mystical experience, the “pure consciousness event”—the experience of being awake but devoid of intentional content—using as resources historical Hindu, Buddhist, Christian, and Jewish mystical writings.

291.422 For PPC

A summary of theosophical literature about the nature of reality, the universe, and consciousness, that develops a background for a new approach to therapy from the perspective of spiritual self-realization.

126 CIAS RCP (Oversize)

Postulates that the structure of our modern society—which is consistent with the modern scientific worldview—is based on some ontological assumptions which need reexamination, and proposes a new view encompassing both scientific and spiritual motivations.

128.2 Har SEC (Oversize)

Based on the teachings of Orage and Gurdjieff, the thesis of this book is that in addition to the forms of consciousness of sleep and waking known to all human beings, there exists two further forms not yet widely known, here called awakeness and objective consciousness.

126 Kin SHC

A collection of lectures by this well known spiritual teacher dealing with the distinction between conditioned thought and truly creative thinking, asserting that only by being free from conditioning, can a person achieve freedom and fulfillment.

T K897 OMT

One of the best clairvoyants of the last century examines in a series of essays different states of psychic and spiritual consciousness from a theosophical point of view, explaining the nature of these states and how to actualize them.

T L469 M

Six papers presented at the 1974 Annual Meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, examining subjects such as *A Science of Consciousness, Bimodal Consciousness and the Mystic Experience, The Two Modes of Consciousness*, and more.

126 Lee SC
A critical survey of ancient and modern thought about the nature of transcendental consciousness that creates a bridge of understanding between the Western and Oriental minds. The author offers a system that leads to increased awareness on every level.
126 Mer PC

A clear and unbiased presentation of a wide variety of phenomena long relegated to the realm of the “supernatural” and of the new theories now unifying these phenomena with leading physicists’ understandings of the universe.
126 Mis RC

Draws on a full range of world mythology to explain how the individual consciousness passes through the same archetypal stages of development as has human consciousness as a whole, the Hero being a symbol for the evolving ego consciousness.
080 BS v. 42 1995

Academic psychology has emphasized the intellectual side of the mind. This book explores another major mode of human consciousness—the intuitive or holistic mode, through such rich sources of evidence as meditation and mysticism.
126 Orn NHC

Postulating that there are two geometries: the geometry of form in physical space and the geometry of motion in man’s consciousness, Perkins describes the movements of consciousness as a practical means of creative self-discovery.
T P419 GSC

A synthesis of modern psychological theory and classical Raja Yoga and Vedantic philosophy, which offers an explanation of personality and being that ranges from the basic level of energy fields to a clear structural analysis of mind and personality.
126 Ram YP

Charting the still largely unknown fathoms of our mental depths, the author illustrates that thoughts are real, with energy of their own, and that they project outwards taking form in a superphysical field affecting people and the world around us.
133.8 Van MER
A collection of essays attempting to find the common denominators of the experience variously referred to as “cosmic consciousness,” “peak experience,” and “transcendental unconscious,” approached either as mystical experience or in psychological terms.
150 Whi HSC

In this profound and comprehensive study of consciousness Wilber shows in a systematic way that the great psychological systems of the West can be integrated with the noble contemplative traditions of the East.
126 Wil SC 1993

**Sound Recordings**

Bodhananda, Swami, *Vedantic Wisdom and Modern Theories of Consciousness*, AR 5051

Kunz, Dora, *Man's Experience at different Levels of Consciousness*, CDA 0276

Sri Ram, N., *Waking, Dreaming, and Sleep*, CDA 0271

Sri Ram, N., *The Nature of Consciousness*, CDA 0223

Zahara, Helen, *The Expansion of Awareness*, CDA 0167

**Videorecordings**

Alsbury, Gregory, *Consciousness*, DVD 0092

Barty, Braden, *Spirit Space: A Journey into Your Consciousness*, DVD 0166

Chopra, Deepak, *Explorations into Consciousness*, VR 1135

Ryerson, Kevin, *Opening to Intuition*, VR 1072