

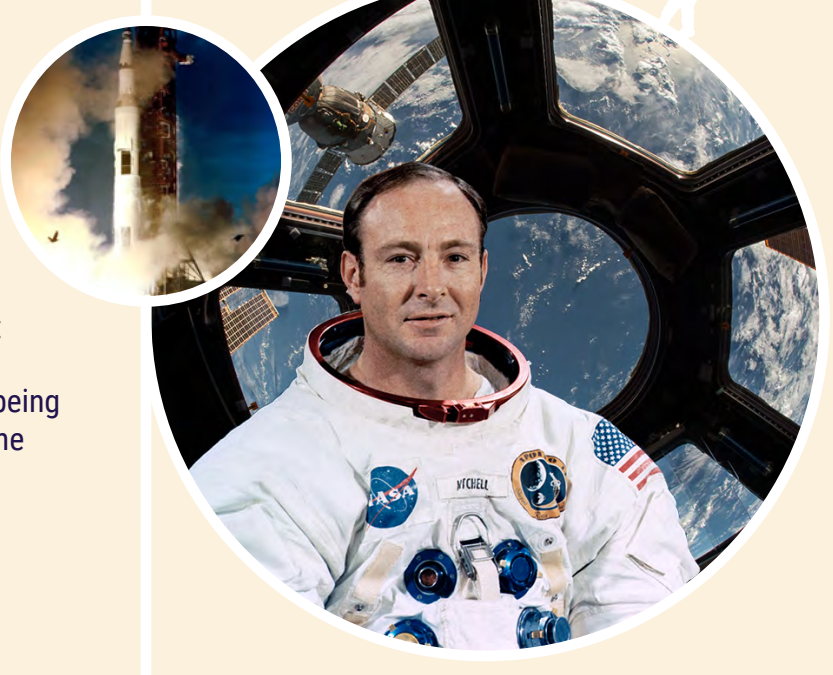
# IONS 50

INSTITUTE OF NOETIC SCIENCES

The Institute of Noetic Sciences (IONS) is a nonprofit scientific research center and direct experience lab specializing in the intersection of science and profound human experience. IONS is dedicated to exploring the frontiers of consciousness and extended human capacities to promote a more holistic view of human potential and the nature of reality.

## 1973 Born in Space

IONS is founded by Apollo 14 astronaut and 6th man to walk on the moon **Dr. Edgar Mitchell** to advance the well-being of humankind through an evolution of the science of consciousness.



## 1990s Global Consciousness Project

The Global Consciousness Project is launched with Princeton University to see if "movements" of collective mind can be observed in matter. In 2022, the strong findings of the first decades of the project evolved into a 2.0 version, leveraging cutting-edge scientific tools and techniques.



## 2010s Mainstream Media Attention

IONS is featured in the worldwide bestseller *The Lost Symbol* by Dan Brown and on the Discovery Channel, NBC, PBS, and in theater documentaries including *What the Bleep Do We Know!?*



## Our Growing Impact Continues

**65+ COUNTRIES**  
Online global presence reaching over 65 countries worldwide

**32x PROGRAM INCREASE**  
A 32 times increase in program enrollments in recent years

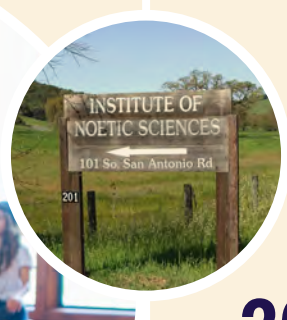
**25+ PROJECTS**  
25+ projects in progress ranging from psychic abilities, channeling, and energy healing

**370+ PUBLICATIONS**  
370+ peer-reviewed publications (the gold standard in research) by the current science team



## 1980s Global Mind Change

Publication of *Global Mind Change*, arguing the dominant materialist scientific paradigm is incomplete, leads to the Causality Project, co-produced by the Fetzer Institute.



## 2000s EarthRise

IONS establishes EarthRise, a 194-acre "Global Wisdom Center" founded to cultivate the belief in interconnectedness, limitless potential, and the ongoing evolution of individuals and communities.



## 2020s Noetic Sciences Research Prize

IONS launches the \$100,000 *Linda G. O'Bryant Noetic Sciences Research Prize*, recognizing leading-edge research in the exploration of consciousness