Integral City

For many years, THC has been closely connected to <u>Integral City</u>, an international meshwork organization founded by Marilyn Hamilton.

Anne-Marie Voorhoeve, Diana Claire Douglas and Pieter Wackers are part of the Integral City dore team. Integral City is a global constellation of communities of practice that nurtures cities as human hives. Launched in 2005, and now in Canada, USA, UK, Netherlands, Spain, Russia, Mexico, Australia and South Africa.

Integral City connects the 4 Voices of the city to energize relationships, unify visions and develop eco-regional resilience strategies for hive wellbeing. Through placecaring and placemaking it inspires a Planet of Integral Cities as living, integral, evolutionary human systems, to become Gaia's Reflective Organs.

On several occasions, like for example the Living Cities Forum, Anne-Marie and Pieter have spoken or been on a panel in the context of Living Cities, a group that is closely connected to Integral City and focuses mainly on Russia and the Russian speaking world.

THC contributed two chapters to the graphic book <u>Urban Hub 20: Accelerating City Change in a VUCA World</u>, a volume in Paul van Schaik's Urban Hub series curated by Marilyn Hamilton: <u>Systemic Constellations for OneCity</u> by Diana Claire Douglas and <u>Meshworking for Thriving Cities</u> by Anne-Marie Voorhoeve and Kara Stonehouse, together with Morel Fourman.

For <u>Urban Hub 21: Dare to Dream</u>, Anne-Marie, Shweta, Kara and Diana Claire wrote the chapter Evolution's Dream, Humanity's Mission: Meshworking Cities and Eco-regions.

Pieter is part of Integral City's faculty, and teaches Integral City Beyond Smart, together with Marilyn Hamilton.

Diana Claire was honored as Integral City Meshworker of the year 2018, and Anne-Marie was Meshworker of the year in 2019.