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His books include *Emergent: Ignite Purpose, Transform Culture, Make Change Stick* (Wiley, 2017), which established him as an authority on stakeholder engagement, co-creation and movements inside organisations, and *Ascendant: How To Reshape Reality From The Inside Out*, with a foreword by Peter Cook.

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Emergent: Ignite Purpose, Transform Culture, Make Change Stick (Wiley, 2017), his breakout title on building movements inside organisations, became a bestseller. For three decades he has studied and taught the systems that claim to explain us — the maps of consciousness, the psycho-spiritual frameworks, the diagrams of fate. He holds advanced certifications in shamanic practice, breathwork and somatic therapies.

Ascendant: How To Reshape Reality From The Inside Out was published in August 2026 with a foreword by Peter Cook. He lives in Melbourne.

BOOKS

Emergent: Ignite Purpose, Transform Culture, Make Change Stick (Wiley, 2017) · *Ascendant: How To Reshape Reality From The Inside Out* (2026)

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