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I am very pleased to announce that IBE is the grateful recipient of a generous grant from Bridging Peace Foundation. Watch future issues of this newsletter to learn the dynamic uses to which IBE's board will be putting those funds to work. We'll be broadening and deepening our outreach to the public, building a global village of understanding of and activism on behalf of the vital, complex relationship between the natural and built environments and planetary health. And creating an ever-more supportive forum for our alumni, students, and the public at large.

Already half-full! Our Building Physics/Building Biology seminar, which is scheduled for 05 through 09 February 2018, is filling way faster than usual. Learn the science behind the principles of Building Biology, and how these principles can be applied to homes, schools, and commercial buildings in order to create environments that deeply nurture human health while stewarding the environment.

Just two weeks left to enroll in IBE 214 and/or IBE 215, two of the three learning pillars in our new BBNC Professional Certification Track, (Building Biology New-build Consultant). 214 and 215 will be presented back-to-back (with a one-day break in-between), each of them focused on creating a fresh new generation of health-supporting buildings and remodels that do not incorporate elements that create health hazards nor the "safe harbors" in which they can fester. Both seminars, when combined with IBE 213, our Building Physics/Building Biology Seminar, and with an approved Final Project, result in [BBNC \(Building Biology New-build Consultant\)](#) professional certification. *Voila!*

Are you curious but unsure about enrolling in IBE curriculum? That's where our Student Advisory Committee Members can lend you a hand. Each of them are current IBE students or recently certified IBE alumni, and ready to share with you their IBE experiences as students and grads and answer all questions you may have. They will assist you in making informed choices, as well as invite you to share any grievances or suggestion you may have without your identities being passed on to IBE. Shoot them an e-mail, and say hello, they'd love to meet and serve you: sac@buildingbiology.net.

Michael Conn, IBE Executive Director



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Beyond Green

IBE 214/215 Debuts in December

New students, fresh material (or the other way around)



Instructors *Stephen Collette* and *Paula Baker-Laporte* debut our newest seminars, **IBE 214 IEQ & EMR for Builders** and **IBE 215 Design for Health** beginning December 2 in Santa Fe. Part of our newest certification, **Building Biology New-Build Consultant**, these seminars contain all new material, and focus on prevention rather than assessment and mitigation. There are still seats available, so if you'd like to add to your Building Biology arsenal and consult *before* a home is built, [click here](#).

Calendar of Coming Events

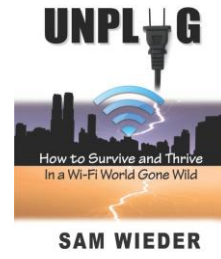
IBE Events: 2017/18

[IBE 214](#) and [IBE 215](#) – For the first time ever!: 02 through 10 December 2017, IHM Retreat & Conference Center, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

[IBE 213 Building Physics & Building Biology](#) – 05 through 09 February, 2018, at IHM Retreat & Conference Center, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Unplug: How to Survive and Thrive in a Wi-Fi World Gone Wild by Sam Wieder

Author Sam Wieder shares the personal journey that led him to recognize how the electromagnetic radiation in his everyday life was steadily draining his energy and assaulting his health. Discover



the steps he finally took to reclaim his health and live in harmony with today's technology. Personal yet technologically informative, the narrative defines not just the elephant in the room, but also the dragon- electromagnetic pollution and poisoning. Wieder's personal story will both awaken you to the dangers of this invisible health hazard and show you how to minimize its impact in your life. This book is a critical addition to every Healthcare Providers library and a fantastic reference for anyone who wants to maintain vibrant health in this age of high technology.

The book can be ordered at [Amazon](#).

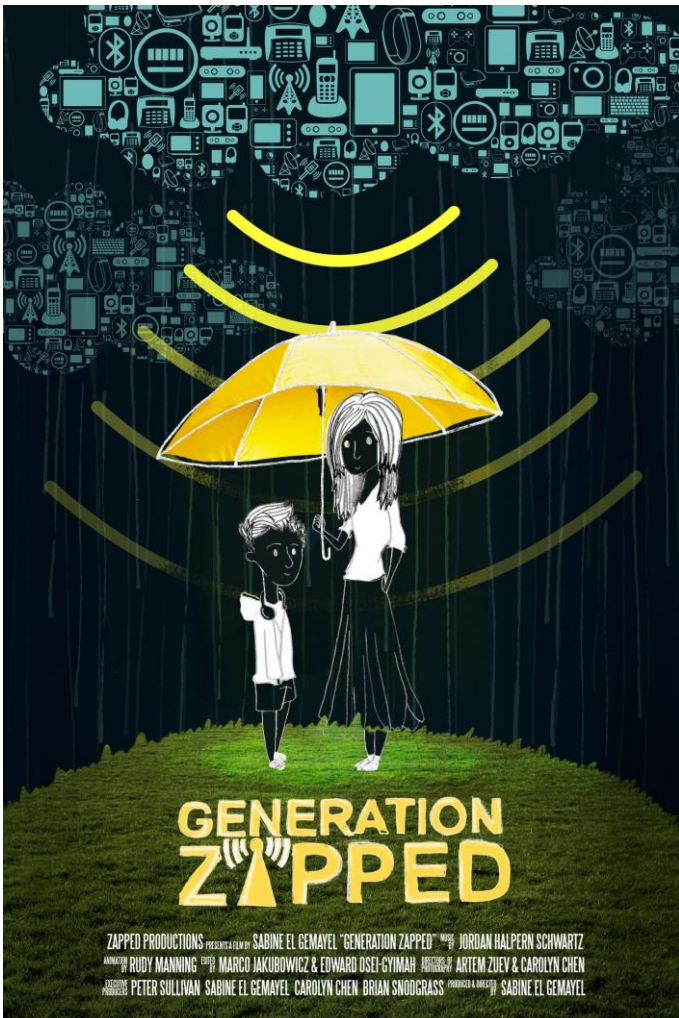
The logo for eco dwell™ features the words "eco dwell" in a lowercase, sans-serif font. The "eco" is in white, and "dwell" is in black. A small "TM" trademark symbol is positioned to the upper right of "dwell".

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Generation Zapped

New Documentary tackles the EMR crisis



Generation Zapped is now available for screening. This film is a professional, Hollywood quality compendium of the top names in the EMF safety community, including our own Larry Gust, talking about the dangers of wireless communication devices and other sources of RF. The film deftly weaves together comments from activists, researchers and electrically sensitive individuals to give a human face to how these technologies affect people. It is a powerful statement and will be a game changer.

The film's creators are running a campaign this autumn to have individuals host screenings of the film around the world. Interested folks are invited to contact the filmmakers at <http://generationzapped.com/host-a-screening-2/> and sign up to host a screening. It can be as simple as showing it in your living room, or you can book a library or theater and show it there. Amy Slotnick, head of the screening team, will help you with whatever arrangements you need. To see where screenings have happened and upcoming locations and dates, [click here](#).

The documentary will be available for purchase sometime in the first half of next year, 2018. Go to <http://generationzapped.com/host-a-screening-2/> to arrange a screening in your area and please spread to the word to your clients and contacts. You can view the trailer here: <https://generationzapped.com/trailer/>



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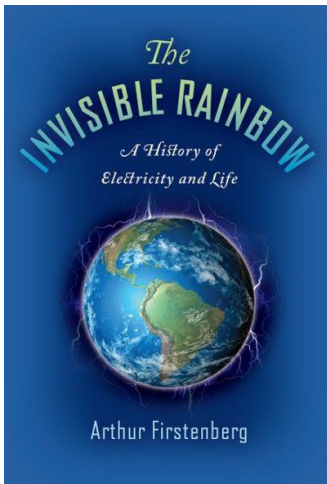
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The Invisible Rainbow

A REVIEW AND APPRECIATION

By Miriam Lindbeck, EMRS



Arthur Firstenberg, scientist, researcher, journalist, mathematician, and health practitioner, obtained his mathematical degree from Cornell University where he graduated Phi Beta Kappa, and in 1982 had his medical career at UC Irvine cut short from an X-Ray overdose. For the past 34 years, he has been a researcher, consultant and

lecturer on the health and environmental effects of EMFs. Today, he leads the fight against the roll out of 5G in Santa Fe, NM, and spearheads the *Cell Phone Task Force*, committed to increasing public awareness to the dangers of cell phones and man-made radiations.

The Invisible Rainbow, is the first and only book of its kind in this field. That's a daring statement, I understand, given the immense body of work that currently exists in this field. May I present the following for your consideration?

1. If you have read actual scientific papers, or reports on the findings from research, the reading is, by necessity, slower and painstakingly technical. In contrast, *The Invisible Rainbow*, though a deadly serious,

scholarly work, reads like a thriller. Bearing medical and scientific detail not published in readily accessible works, it's unlike any book I have ever read. It is an adventurous, hair-raising, fog dispelling, centuries-long sweep of electrical history and life, starting in the 1700's and ending in the moment we finish reading the book.

2. The information Firstenberg puts forth has never before been compiled, revealed or associated as he has done. It takes into account the existing research and data and adds more information and connections not before revealed. The fact that it takes us to the moment when electricity was discovered and leaves us off right now, that in and of itself, has not been done before. The result will surprise and even startle you. It is a vastly comprehensive work, presenting new details, data and history of such a shocking yet factual nature, it is clear he needed twenty years to produce this opus.
3. History alone as we know it, is often special interests' carefully crafted reports, deliberate obfuscation, denial and secrecy. Firstenberg takes the last near-three centuries and brings into clear view the scattering of information, the loss of vital records, the plans of industry and every resulting outcome on health and life. He then accurately and stunningly rewrites that history depositing readers into a new reality.
4. He digs below the false floor and ferrets out the complete truth. In a brilliant, stunning exposure, Firstenberg couples electrical history with the exhaustive scientific and medical data and connects them in staggering cause and effect, as no other scientist or



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historian ever has. The gestalt will stun even the most educated in the field. His treatment and holistic view of this extensive and shocking impact on all life forms, including the Cosmos, it's truly jaw-dropping. It is rare to find lettered work spellbinding, furiously fast, and motivating. In a single tome, the author compresses two hundred and seventy one years of complexity, complication, death and distraction into the leviathan it is. I could not put this book down, even when my eyes were burning and I needed sleep.

5. Yet it is not just this, nor the immense expanse of time and history Firstenberg covers that distinguishes his work from all other works before him. Those reasons indeed, are substantial enough. Firstenberg is a Seer in the same way as Rachel Carson. If we continue down the path of life exponentially increasing the roll out of man-made radiation as industry demands and people want, Firstenberg predicts in a stunningly short period of time, we will destroy this earth, our atmosphere and ionosphere, and life as we know it, will end. We can't let that happen.

Review

Thrusting us back to 1746, the author propels us down a hidden historical and revelatory road starting us off with the life-changing discovery of static electricity:

“The experiment of Leyden was a craze that was immense, universal: everywhere you went people would ask you if you had experienced its effects. The year was 1746. The place, any city in England, France, Germany, Holland, Italy. A few years later,

America. Like a child prodigy making his debut, electricity had arrived, and the whole Western world turned out to hear his performance.

“His midwives—Kleist, Cunaeus, Allamand, and Musschenbrock—warned that they had helped give birth to an enfant terrible, whose shocks could take away your breath, boil your blood, paralyze you. The public should have listened, been more cautious. But of course the colorful reports of those scientists only encouraged the crowds.”

Graphically, eyes wide open missing nothing, Firstenberg hikes us, year by year, decade by decade, through elaborate scientific and medical discoveries, the biases and positions of doctors and physicists, the wholesale roll out of electricity and radio waves, the undeniable biological correlations, and the complete, staggering, parallel health repercussions it had and continues to have on all life forms, both visible and invisible. He opens the vaults of buried history, casting the flood light on what was long concealed, the impact of which determines our lives today. He marches us towards the future which is here now, with what is to become far worse, literally in months. We now consciously hold in our hands the dangerous and complicated situation we have been creating since the day the *enfant terrible* was discovered and placed into the then, and still, unwitting hands of humanity.

There is no more time to be unwitting. Firstenberg makes it clear; time has collapsed. Covering the history of military radio waves and its ramifications for life, he updates us on what is imminent before 2020. The facts and data in this book, from beginning to end, are undeniably, some of the most timely and critical particulars we can obtain.



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The **Table of Contents** exposes us immediately to unexpected information, unforeseen turns of events and their interconnection :

Part 1—From the beginning...:

Captured in a Bottle; The Deaf to Hear, and the Lame to Walk; Electrical Sensitivity; The Road Not Taken; Chronic Electrical Illness; The Behavior of Plants; Acute Electrical Illness; Mystery on the Isle of Wight; Earth's Electric Envelope; Porphyrins and the Basis of Life.

Part 11—...To the Present:

The Irritable Heart; The Transformation of Diabetes; Cancer and the Starvation of Life; Sus-pended Animation; You mean you can hear electricity?; Bees, Birds, Trees, and Humans; In the Land of the Blind.

A suspenseful and seriously requisite work, what unfolds in Firstenberg's book beginning with page one unravels what we thought we knew. Even the most educated in this field will have their eyes opened. Not just another EMF book, it is an intimately interconnected and prophetic work. Firstenberg's investigations and reporting is a clarion call to action. He has lifted the injured up into the sun pleading their case, and accurately rewritten the history of nearly the last three centuries, so we can finally see. He puts it upon himself and us to turn this horrific situation around. Now, we can only rewrite the future with the pen of action. We have run out of time.

To all potential readers, I strongly encourage you to buy and read Arthur's book. It's not a doomsday

book. It is an empowering read, an education beyond anything one can imagine. It is a call to wake up and rise to our feet. We need and deserve that. Beyond everything else this book imparts, *The Invisible Rainbow* also bestows a unique and powerful grace upon the reader—the personal motivation to make your own, unique contribution now, to your people, to yourself, to the earth, helping it to heal, to be a safer place to live, to return to it its magnificence we took away, and to keep its glory for always and all time—before it's too late.

In Gratitude

Arthur Firstenberg, you are a true virtuoso, catalyst, and Brave. You are a Causal Force in our world. Your unequivocal commitment to serve the earth and lead humanity to safety is extraordinary. Your message could not have arrived at a more auspicious time. We are fortunate to have you in our midst. Our most substantial thanks will be best expressed by our active contribution to save our lives and the life of this magnificent earth.

Namaste,

Miriam

Purchase Information

The Invisible Rainbow is not yet available on Amazon. A placeholder is there. Go to <http://www.cellphonetaskforce.org> and your book will be shipped promptly.