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## Annual Report - 2022

**Thanking you**  
**For the support that makes continuing**  
**our strivings possible!**

Dear Friends,

We have made a lot of progress this year in several directions.

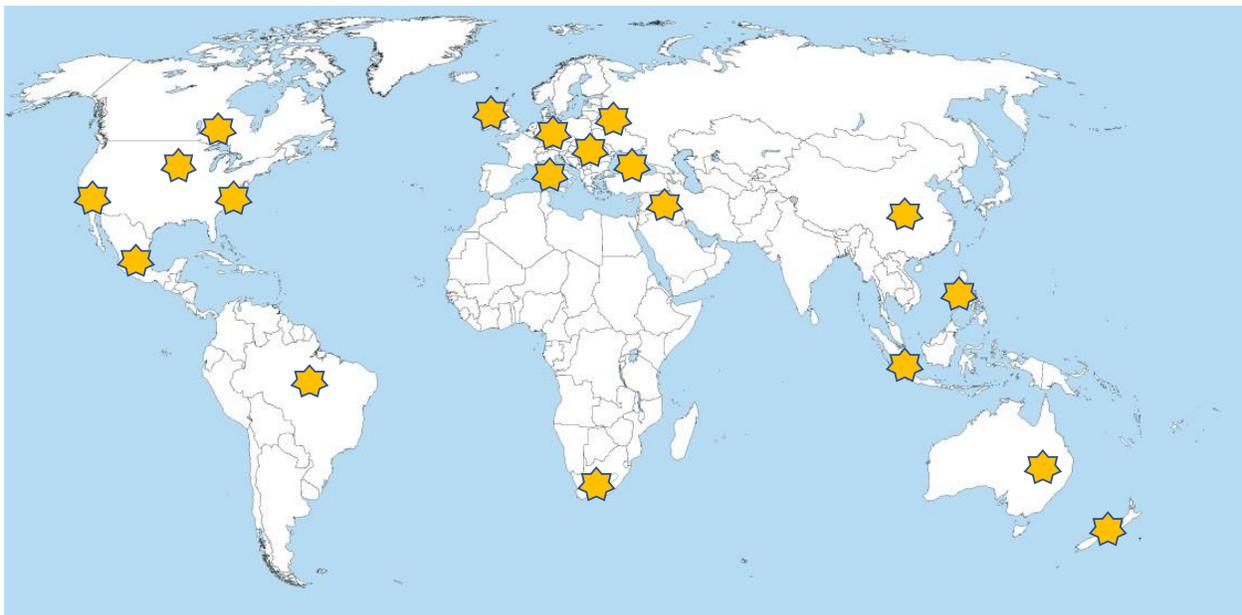
Let's start with our educational activities. Through our:

- Webinars;
- Lectures;
- Mentoring of physicians.

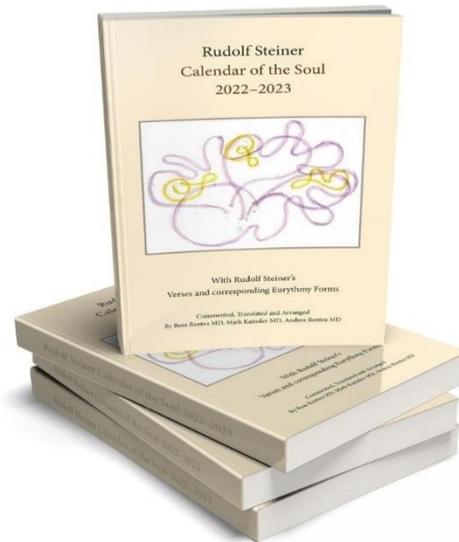
We have been able to form anthroposophical connections with friends across the Globe!

US, Japan, Malaysia, New Zealand, Australia, Mexico, South Africa, Israel, Saudi Arabia, Romania, Germany, Hungary, Switzerland, England, Canada, Taiwan.

So, all continents!



Also, on the educational side we are happy to report that our newly published book on the Calendar of the Soul has been welcomed with considerable gratefulness by the readers.



## News from the Laboratory

Our research into the mysteries of the potentizing of substances continues. (For those who may not have seen our past reports, articles, etc. please visit our Kolisko Institute website-see below.)

We are currently concentrating on new methods of extractions and potentizing of the mistletoe (*viscum album*).

R. Steiner has indicated that remedies made from this plant would be essential in the treatment of cancer. Research and clinical applications with the mistletoe have been conducted for over 100 years in Europe. More recently there has been increasing interest also in the US.

Enormously more to the history, applications, legal status, etc., etc., should and could be noted.

Suffice to say that we may be the only laboratory in the US, at this point in time, which does dedicated research into the basic science needed to further advance the understanding of the mistletoe. Although a lot of progress has been made over the decades into improving the effectiveness of the mistletoe therapy it still is not anywhere near where R. Steiner envisaged it.

Here is a small glimpse into our latest work.

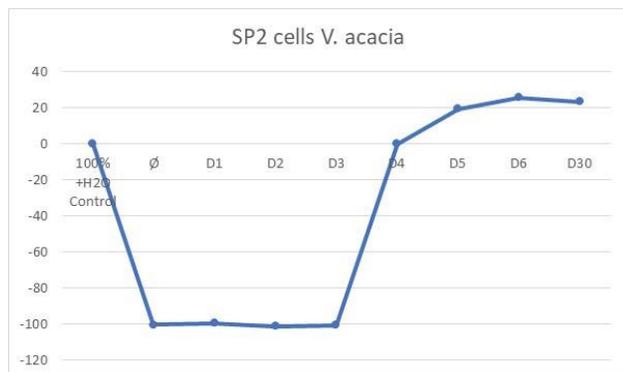
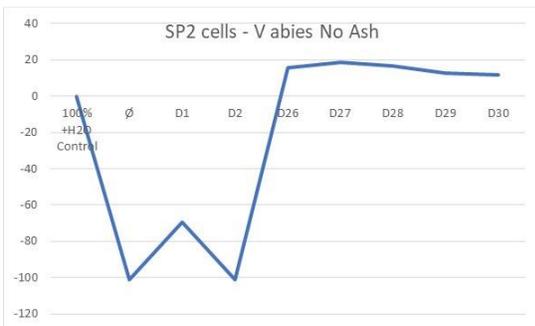
After months of strenuous work with the governmental offices we have obtained the necessary permits to bring into the country European mistletoe. We have formed strong friendly relationships with Romanian anthroposophists who have gathered for us the necessary summer and winter mistletoe.

We have been able to demonstrate that our extractions are indeed inhibiting cancer cells and have a strong activity also at higher potencies.

We hope you enjoy the pictures from the Romania region where the mistletoe comes from.  
(Mistletoe growing on fir trees. Nearby a village where our friends live)



Below some results showing the inhibiting effects at high concentrations of two varieties of mistletoe (v. abies-fir; and v. acacia) and the stimulating effects of the potencies on the cells.



We would like to share with you the R. Steiner quote below. It constitutes a daily reminder for which impulses one should aspire towards in the daily laboratory work.

**Rudolf Steiner**

***“(one should not) stand in an indifferent materialistic manner in front of the laboratory table...but rather one should sense that one is perceiving from Nature its mysteries, the deeds of the Spirit that are actively streaming through Nature: so that***

***the Laboratory table becomes an Altar table.***

***Until a reverence, a religious sensation, does not enter our science, as long as religion stands separate from our science and only serves the human egoism; as long as science itself on the other hand does not learn to revere that which it researches as the ancient Mystery students did-so long we will not reach the upward striving forces of Humanity...”***

**30<sup>th</sup> September 1922**

## **1922-2022**

We have worked intensely this year with the esoteric impulses that R. Steiner gave in September and October of 1922. In particular we have drawn attention to the much too little known so called “Esoteric Youth Circle.” Especially in our turbulent time the importance of this sacramental meditation intended to help Michael’s activity on earth cannot be overemphasized. (Basic information can be found in the volume “Esoteric Lessons 1913-1923” at [Steiner Books \(presswarehouse.com\)](http://Steiner Books (presswarehouse.com))).

(We are happy to share with you this group photo of the participants at our fall conference.)



**Dear Friends,**

**We need your spiritual and financial support!**

***With as little as a \$3 donation,  
you can make a substantial difference in the life of the  
anthroposophical research!***

The laboratory activities are not just promising to bring real therapeutic results but are also important to contribute to establishing the legitimacy to the claim that anthroposophy is indeed a living, thriving spiritual SCIENCE.

But, unfortunately, science is very “resource” intensive.

As you can imagine each experiment, with all its equipment requirements, disposable materials, maintenance procedures, etc., etc., is very cost intense.

The educational programs are also surprisingly costly.

Here is a bird’s eye view of the financial situation:

- A small part of last year’s the expenses were covered by donations      approx.    +    \$50,000
- Additional funds came in from sales, interest on savings, etc.      approx.    +    \$40,000
- Nevertheless, even though none of the principals are getting paid,  
and stringent cost controls are in place, currently the expenses for  
the year to date are      approx.    -    \$240,000

Net income and loss      **- \$150,000**

We are proud to have demonstrated this year that our Kolisko Institute has a truly global, Michaelic reach.

More than a thousand participants have listened to our zoom offered webinars, lectures, etc. One listener, Daniela L. from Europe stayed up to 3 in the morning to hear what we had to say. Other listeners from Asia expressed delight that when we give our presentations in the evening, they can listen to them at their time which is already next day morning!

Please help to continue this uniting of our souls worldwide.

But these efforts this year would not have been possible without the more than generous support of several large, more than generous donations. We are so grateful!!

However, we are also grateful for the many smaller donations that many individuals have given to the extent possible for them. Thank you also!

As we are writing these lines our gratefulness goes to all who have kept us in their hearts.

But why do we hope that as many supporters as possible would help us even if only with a small but highly significant contribution of \$3?

The more individual donations come in the more we can demonstrate that we have the support of our own anthroposophical friends!

Please give \$1 in the name of each of each member of the Trinity! Thank you.

As remarked before our institution is a 501 (C) 3, organization that can accept tax deductible donations

There are so many projects that we would like to start and complete his year:

- Several of our research studies are close to completion and need to be prepared for publication.
- Our mistletoe work needs consolidation.
- We want to renew our efforts to support curative eurythmy.
- The activities to awaken our friends to the esoteric impulses of R. Steiner needs to be intensified, especially in view of the 100 year anniversary of the Christmas Foundation Conference of December 1923.
- We are preparing a book with the religious service given by R. Steiner to the Waldorf School “for all people who will want to do this in the future” (R. Steiner)- especially in view of its 100 year anniversary.
- Complete research on some substances such that they can be given over to production and become valuable therapeutic remedies.
- Renew our import license form the government to be able to continue our mistletoe studies (unfortunately both time and resource consuming).

We hope to have the funds to accomplish all this work.

The needs for a science laboratory are very real. To give you just one example of many, many let us give you the “water problem.” The cell lines are so sensitive that even the most minute impurities can kill them or distort the results. To keep the water quality as needed every year a recalibration of the purifying equipment is need at a cost of \$4,000.00.

(A brief but necessary remark regarding the relationship between the Kolisko Institute and the True Botanica company.

The two institutions are of course separate entities. After research is completed on a substance, and if appropriate, that substance may be formulated now by the TB company into a remedy. Profits are shared with or given in entirety to the research institute. Unfortunately, to date the contributions from TB towards the institute have been minimal (due to the fact that TB is barely able to cover its overhead.)

There are many ways for how you can help- other suggestions welcomed:

- Make a tax -deductible donation- small or large,
- Purchase health products from True Botanica,
- Include us in your will/legacy,
- Spread the word; make us known to your friends.

You're welcomed to make specific notations if you want your contribution to go to a specific activity- webinar, substance research, outreach, etc. Thank you!

As I am closing this brief yearly review, I would be more than remiss if I would not whole heartedly thank our dedicated co-workers at both institutions. All would be moved to see the reliability, creativity, persistence and more than one can imagine repeated sacrifices that they make to keep everything running smoothly. To mention just one of the many accomplishments that we owe to them is the fact that we have passed with flying colors multiple government inspections at both laboratory and company.

So, in the name of all our co-workers,

the Kolisko Institute Board, Mark Kamsler MD and Andrea Rentea MD

thank you to all our supporters whose contribution make our continuing strivings for the future possible,

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