

Spiritual Direction Bibliography: Guidelines for the Formation of Spiritual Directors

Spiritual Direction Bibliography indexed according to the Formation Guidelines: Recommendations to Foster, Support, and Recognise the Formation of Spiritual Directors in Australia (Revised June 2008)

The core content components of the two hundred hours of curriculum recommended in the Formation Guidelines: Recommendations to Foster, Support, and Recognise the Formation of Spiritual Directors in Australia are the categories that index the following spiritual direction bibliography. The categories are as follows:1. Scripture and theology, in accord with the program's religious tradition;2. the psycho-spiritual development of the human person;3. the nature of religious experience, the discernment of spirits, and ways of prayer;4. issues related to social justice;5. the different theories and praxis of spiritual direction and psychological counselling;6. the practice of professional referral;7. the ethics of spiritual direction practice;8. supervision. (The bibliographical references in this section are being developed.)