Mind and Its World II

An exploration of the dynamics of samsara and the path to liberation as presented primarily in Foundational Buddhism. Karma, the twelve links of dependent origination, rebirth, Buddhist cosmology, how we generate afflicted mental states and how to reverse them through the three trainings and the stages of the path, the nature of nirvana, and so forth are examined. The historical spread of these teachings is also examined. Prerequisite: REL614. Required for both the History of Religions and Tibetan Tradition emphasis.

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