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Abstract:

This article discusses the relationship between the Western disconnection to nature and to the natural body. In challenge the Western ambivalence to dirt and the dirty body and, by extension, the out of control, erotic and 'v various reasons for the disenchantment with dirt where the notion of dirt as disgusting and the dirty body as de used to inform (mis)conceptions of race and class bias and methods of social control. Finally I show how this d erotic body is directly related to the desire to control nature. Reclaiming the ecoerotic then has become a way c Western disconnection to the natural world. It is one pathway towards reconnecting with nature, not just aesth sensuously, bodily. Hopefully, this re-awakening of the body-nature connection will move more people into the the Earth.

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