

## An Introduction to Alchemy in Jung's Psychology

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Intermediate post-licensure instructional level

*"Only after I had familiarized myself with alchemy did I realize that the unconscious is a process, and that the psyche is transformed or developed by the relationship of the ego to the contents of the unconscious." C. G. Jung*

In 1926, C. G. Jung had a dream that moved him to commit to the study of the ancient alchemical texts. Through tremendous labor he discovered, in the works of the alchemists, a language that symbolized his encounter with the unconscious. Jung also recognized alchemical imagery and processes in the dreams and visions of his patients, which revealed a structure for the development of the human psyche.

As we acquaint ourselves with alchemical symbolism we can begin to develop a model for dream interpretation and tracking psychological development. In his "Anatomy of the Psyche," Jungian analyst and author, Edward Edinger wrote in depth about seven alchemical operations. The first four operations pertain to the four elements: fire, water, earth, and air. The final three are related to dying, separating and finally, uniting. During this seminar we will use Edinger's material to amplify these processes as we find them in images from dreams.



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#### Learning Objectives:

1. Name three alchemical processes and give examples of psychological conditions related to them.
2. Recognize an alchemical process in a dream and relate it to the psychological condition of the dreamer.
3. Discuss Jung's use of the language and imagery of alchemy as a model for the development of the individual in therapy.

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