

Founding SCDI Executive Director: Rev. Dr. Richard S. Kirby (1949-2009)

Rev. Dr. Richard S. Kirby, Executive Director, former adjunct faculty of the University of Washington's School of Business Administration; former Director of Administration, International Mensa; Chief Executive Officer of the World Network of Religious Futurists; and co-author: *The Temples of Tomorrow: World Religions and the Future* (Grey Seal Publishers, 1993).

Richard Spady and Richard Kirby met at a conference and found that they shared interests and goals. Spady and Kirby discussed the Stuart C. Dodd Institute for Social Innovation and it was agreed that Kirby would become the Executive Director. He served with distinction in that capacity until his untimely death in 2010.