

James DeMeo has been studying and building on Reich's work since 1970. In 1977, as part of his graduate research at the University of Kansas, DeMeo successfully replicated Reich's biophysical research on the Cloudbuster concept. The acceptance of DeMeo's work by the KU faculty constituted the first time any aspect of Reich's controversial biophysical research had been validated by peer-review within a mainstream academic institution.

“A number of *Desert Greening* expeditions have also been organized and directed by DeMeo within the arid zones of the Southwestern USA, and into the dry regions of Namibia and Israel, producing a dramatic verification of Reich's earlier findings on the ability of the cloudbuster to bring rains under even extremely dry conditions. With the support of local governments, a five-year desert-greening experiment was also undertaken in the 1990s, in the East African Sahel region adjacent to the hyperarid Sahara Desert. All of these projects have produced significantly positive results with sometimes-dramatic increases in rainfall, ending dry episodes of sometimes decades duration, filling.”ⁱ

Earth energy: John Mitchell noted that prehistoric mounds were constructed from alternating organic and inorganic layers, much like Reich's orgone accumulators.ⁱⁱ

ⁱ <http://www.orgonelab.org>

ⁱⁱ Paul Devereaux Places of Power; also:

<http://www.isleofavalon.co.uk/GlastonburyArchive/ndlstone/05needle.html>

It has been pointed out by several earth mysteries researchers that the design of barrows, alternating layers of organic and inorganic material is very similar to the construction of an orgone accumulator, a device created by Wilhelm Reich to focus the amount of natural orgone or 'life force'. Reich used his accumulators as a healing device.

<http://www.whitedragon.org.uk/articles/undream.htm>