

Shinzen Young ~ My Primary Mission: A Deep, Broad, and Subtle Formulation

00:00:00 What is your primary mission?

00:00:05 Since my primary mission is to create a truly rigorous formulation,

00:00:16 just from my own personal perspective,

00:00:20 I'm duty-bound to present what I think is

00:00:26 the most precise scientific theory of what's actually going on,

00:00:31 which may not be the simplest one to teach to the masses.

00:00:35 But unless we have a really deep, broad, and subtle theoretical understanding,

00:00:46 I think in the end we won't be able to teach effectively.

00:00:50 So that's why I do that on purpose.

00:00:53 That's a choice. I would prefer to teach the deeper, broader formulation,

00:01:00 even though people don't quite get it right away.

00:01:13 Because I want the dialogue to progress through time.

00:01:17 I want our understanding, our scientific understanding, to be able to evolve.

00:01:23 So that's the reason I formulate it that way.