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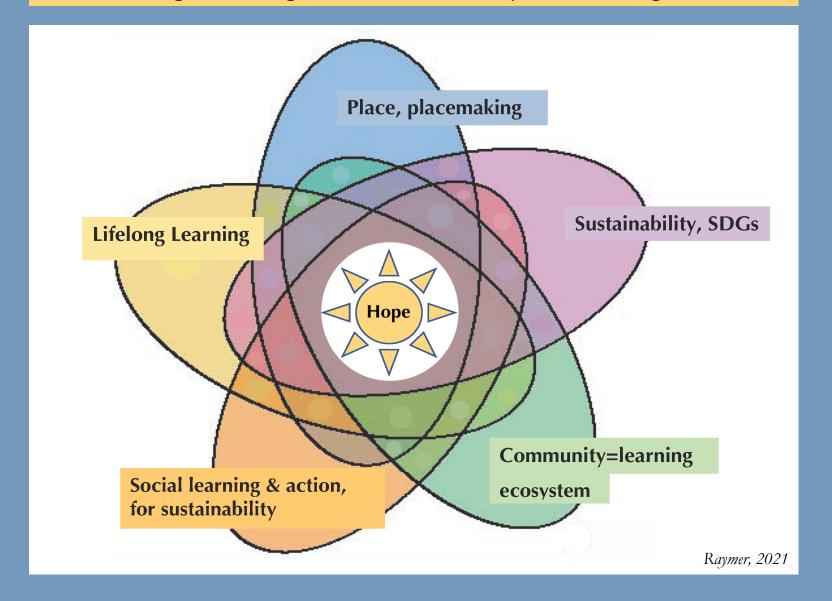


Ithaca Festival Artist, 2015

In these
tumultuous
times, how do
Learning Cities
practice and
promote values
of kindness,
compassion and
respect?

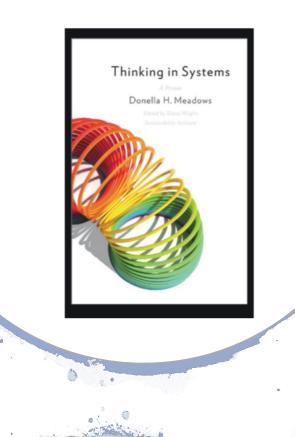
How can ecosystems of lifelong learning contribute to "building back better?"

Lifelong Learning, Just Sustainability & Learning Cities



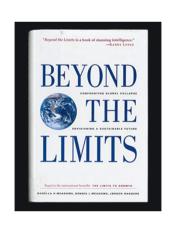


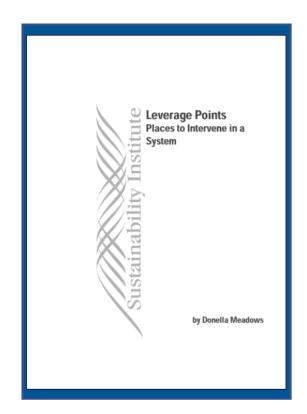
Donella (Dana) Meadows Systems scholar
MacArthur Fellow "Genius" award recipient
Pew Scholar in Conservation and Environment
Nominated for a Pulitzer Prize



THE LIMITS TO

Author/coauthor of influential works.





Limits to Growth: The 30-Year Update Chapter 8 Tools for the Transition to Sustainability

- Visioning
- Networking
- Truth-Telling
- Learning
- Loving

... these five tools are not optional; they are essential characteristics for any society that hopes to survive over the long term

Creating Loving Cities Rather Than "Separate and Unequal"

Author Dr. John H. Jackson



Loving Cities are created by having a system of local and state policies and practices that provide all children and families with:

- 1. CARE through access
 to mental and physical
 health services from
 birth, nutritional food
 and healthy community
 spaces
- COMMITMENT through economically and civically empowered communities that democratize access to healthy living and learning environments



- STABILITY through consistent expectations and practices that reinforce a culture of inclusion and healing among students and adults
- 4. CAPACITY through
 well-resourced learning
 climates that meet the
 physical, emotional
 and academic needs of
 students



https://lovingcities.schottfoundation.org/





Intention: Consider various neighborly ways Learning Cities are responding to community challenges

Sequence

- Welcome, Linda Morris
- Overview, Annalisa L. Raymer
- Case 1: Cork Learning City, Ireland, Séamus Ó Tuama & Denis Barrett
- Case 2: Lowell City of Learning, Madeline Snow
- Case 3: Drucker Institute's Bendable, South Bend, Lex Denis
- Case 4: Walls-Ortiz Gallery & Center, Harlem, Maria Liu Wong
- Comments and Questions, Annalisa
- Announcements, Christy Rhodes
- Closing Remarks, Linda
 - OPTIONAL: Hang out and chat for all who care to stay on a bit longer