

Leveraging the Re. Generation of Earth

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Strategic Plan at a glance 2017–2020

Our Purpose

To recuperate, create and cultivate local knowledge and wisdom in order to leverage our organisations, institutions and communities to become effective catalysts of change for a more resilient future.

Our Ethics & Principles

Our three principles are grounded in the ethics of Resilience & Nonviolence:

EQUILIBRIUM

To strike a dynamic eco-social balance that is responsive to our changing social and ecological contexts. This principle is a key part of the resiliency process and is anchored in the sense of belonging.

EQUITY

To advocate for equity, which is the pillar of social justice. This principle is based on, but not limited to, equity in gender, race, ethnicity, socio-economic status, sexual identity, physical abilities, and age.

EMPATHY

To learn with and walk alongside people of diverse social, cultural and economic backgrounds, with humility and solidarity.

Our Community Services

Our community services put into practice our three transversal principles and our grounding ethics of resilience and nonviolence. Regenerative eco-social design is embedded within all three areas of community service:

DESIGN, PLANNING & EVALUATION

We offer tailored consulting services to civil society organisations, public institutions and socially and ecologically responsible enterprises. As members of the European Society of Evaluators, we follow European standards in order to

TRAINING & ENGAGEMENT

We design and deliver trainings that respond to the specific needs of the participants and contracting organisations, institutions and enterprises. We are committed to using participatory and experiential methods, because we know that

RESEARCH & INNOVATION

We are dedicated to participatory action research. As an expression of this commitment, we ensure that all our research is open source. You will therefore find a large number of research documents, analytical methods and training

provide rigorous analyses and constructive recommendations to the contracting organisations, institutions and enterprises. Specifically, we provide the following consulting services:

- Regenerative eco-social design
- Community participation strategies
- Participatory strategic and operational planning
- Participatory monitoring and evaluation

they are highly effective in fostering dialogue, promoting learning and garnering wisdom. Some of the transformative education techniques we use include popular education, social theatre, mindmapping, Indigenous storytelling, systems analysis and systemic and visual facilitation.

Specifically, we deliver trainings in the areas of:

- organisational capacity development
- community participation and resiliency
- regenerative eco-social design
- human rights and nonviolence

tools available on the Resources page of this website. Specifically, we carry our research in the following areas:

- organisational capacity development
- community participation and resiliency
- regenerative ecosocial systems and design

Our Strategic Goals

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Objectives

Leveraging social & ecological change

Leverage social and ecological change, towards a system that includes and emerges from our existing paradigm.

DESIGN:

ECO-SOCIAL REGENERATIVE

Create and facilitate the participatory design of communities and other human ecosystems in order to increase their complexity and adaptability.

PARTICIPATORY PLANNING & **EVALUATION:**

Facilitate participatory processes of organisational evaluation and strategic and operational planning.

ECO-SOCIAL PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION:

Implement social and ecological projects that enhance community resilience and ecological regeneration.

Fostering community participation & stewardship

Foster community participation in decision making and community stewardship of the land.

FACILITATION & CONFLICT RESOLUTION:

Facilitate team building, decision making, conflict resolution and other creative processes for organisations, institutions and communities.

COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION & ENGAGEMENT:

Empower grassroots engagement and participation in municipal and regional decision-making.

TRAINING & CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT:

Train members of civil society, organisations, institutions and enterprises in organisational processes and in becoming more effective catalysts and agents of

Harnessing knowledge & wisdom

Research, innovate and share knowledge and wisdom about our impact and responsibility on Earth.

PARTICIPATORY RESEARCH:

Carry out participatory research about scientific innovation and Indigenous wisdom related to resiliency and nonviolence.

TOOL & MODEL INNOVATION:

Innovate tools and methods that promote our understanding and application of resiliency and nonviolence.

COMMUNICATION FOR ECO-SOCIAL CHANGE:

Raise awareness about current and potential alternatives that promote resiliency and nonviolence.