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“Carrying Across”: Creativity as Translation
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The changing world requires applied imagination. As individuals and communities, we possess the capacity for unlocking imagination, engaging creative thinking and transforming society. We can apply creativity – by choice, not by chance – pulled toward the future by a hope that the world can be a better place and that we can effect change. Explore how creativity helps us translate our imagination and purpose into reality – tapping into our inner capacities, deepening our awareness, connecting us with others, and moving us toward manifestation.

BIO
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