

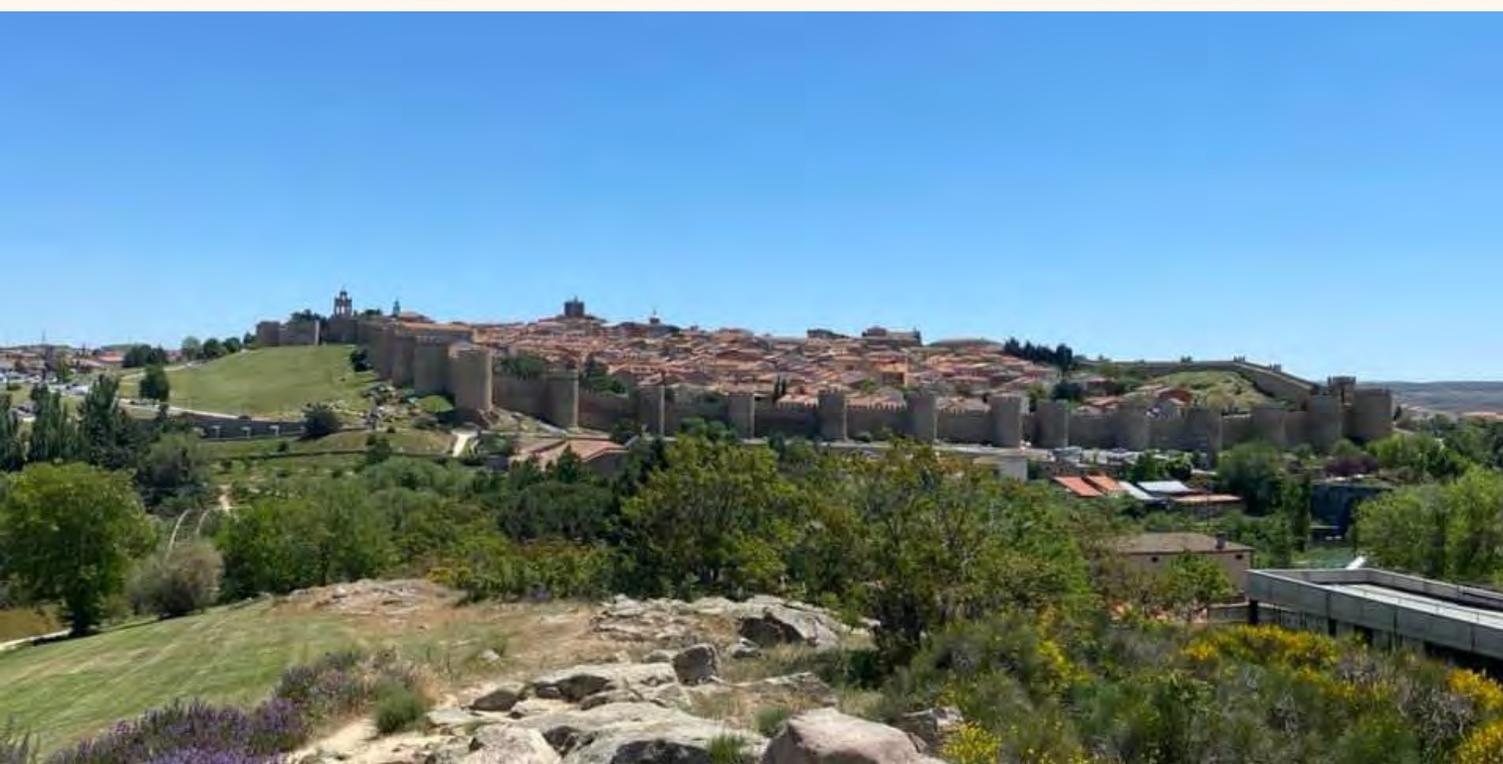
Continuing the Journey

*Toward Reconciliation, the Common
Good, and Learning for Life*



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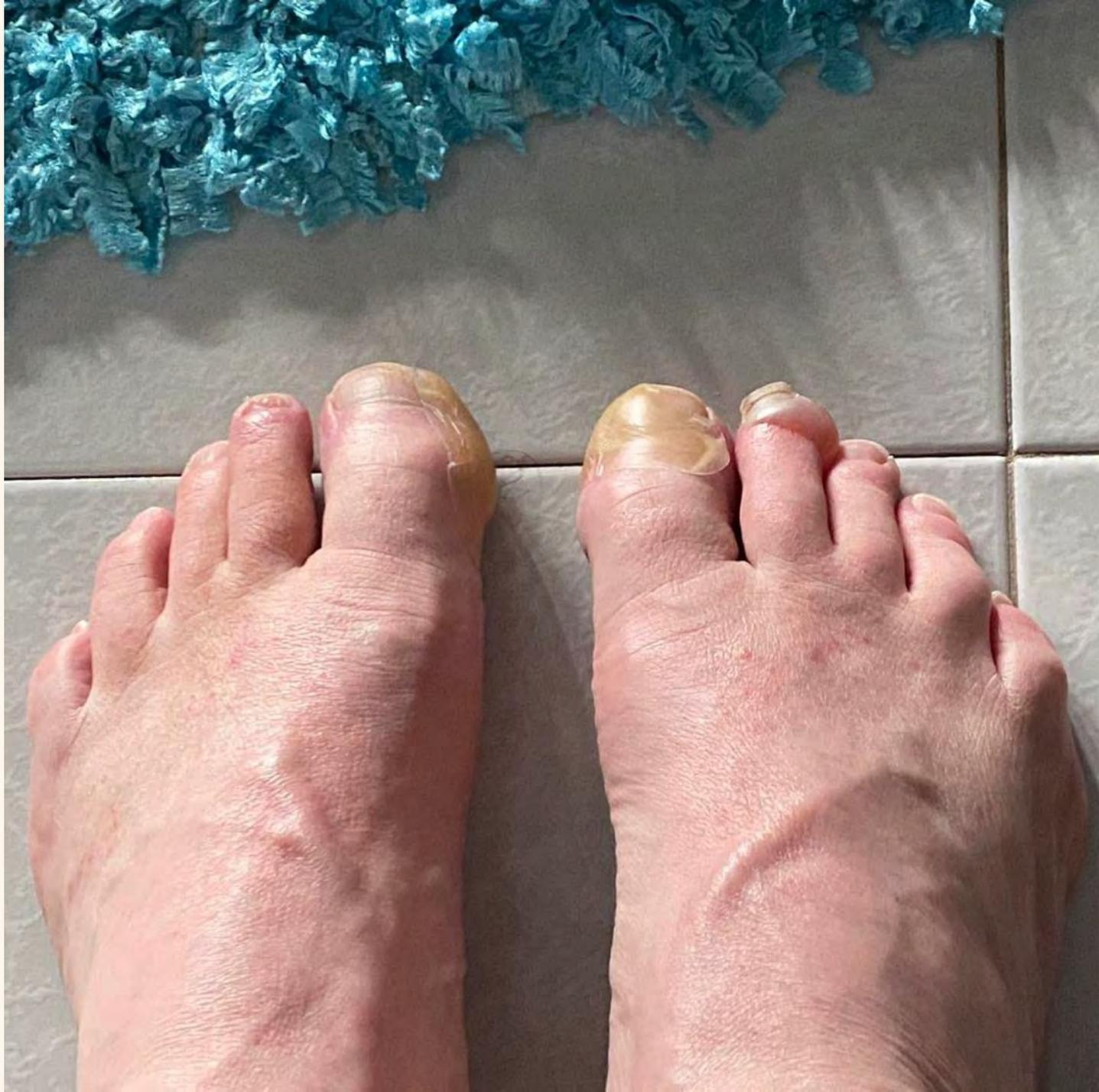
Dr. Kim S. Phipps















“One of the outcomes of this journey was the power of just putting one foot in front of the other. We learned that we could do a lot in our weakness and when we were hurting. Many of us felt like we achieved more than we thought was possible.”

- Joy Meade, Professor





Strategic Vision
Intellectual Depth
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The New York Times

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'No Vaccine for Racism': Asian New Yorkers Still Live in Fear of Attacks

New York Police Department patrols aimed at stopping anti-Asian violence have been cut back even as anxiety lingers.

MEDIA

There are too many mass shootings for the U.S. media to cover

News organizations must make agonizing decisions about which shootings deserve on-the-ground reporting, and for how long



Buffalo mass shooting suspect indicted on federal hate, firearms charges

★ THE TEXAS TRIBUNE

UVALDE SCHOOL SHOOTING

“Nobody’s giving us any answers”: Uvalde families demand details of shooting investigation at City Council meeting

CHRISTIANITY  TODAY

Southern Baptists Refused to Act on Abuse, Despite Secret List of Pastors

Investigation: SBC Executive Committee staff saw advocates' cries for help as a distraction from evangelism and a legal liability, stonewalling their reports and resisting calls for reform.

KATE SHELLNUTT | MAY 22, 2022 03:00 PM

The Atlantic

IDEAS

HOW POLITICS POISONED THE EVANGELICAL CHURCH

The movement spent 40 years at war with secular America. Now it's at war with itself.





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IT'S ALL ABOUT COMMUNITY



**My feet are tired, but my soul is resting.
I'm walking for the glory of the Lord.
Hallelujah.**



**My feet are worn, but my soul is shining.
I'm walking for the glory of the Lord.
Hallelujah.**

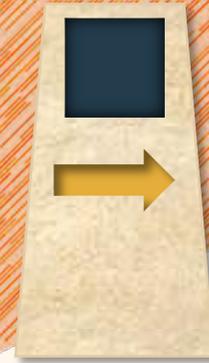
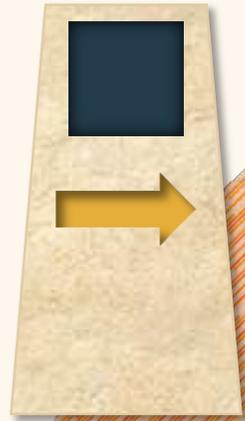


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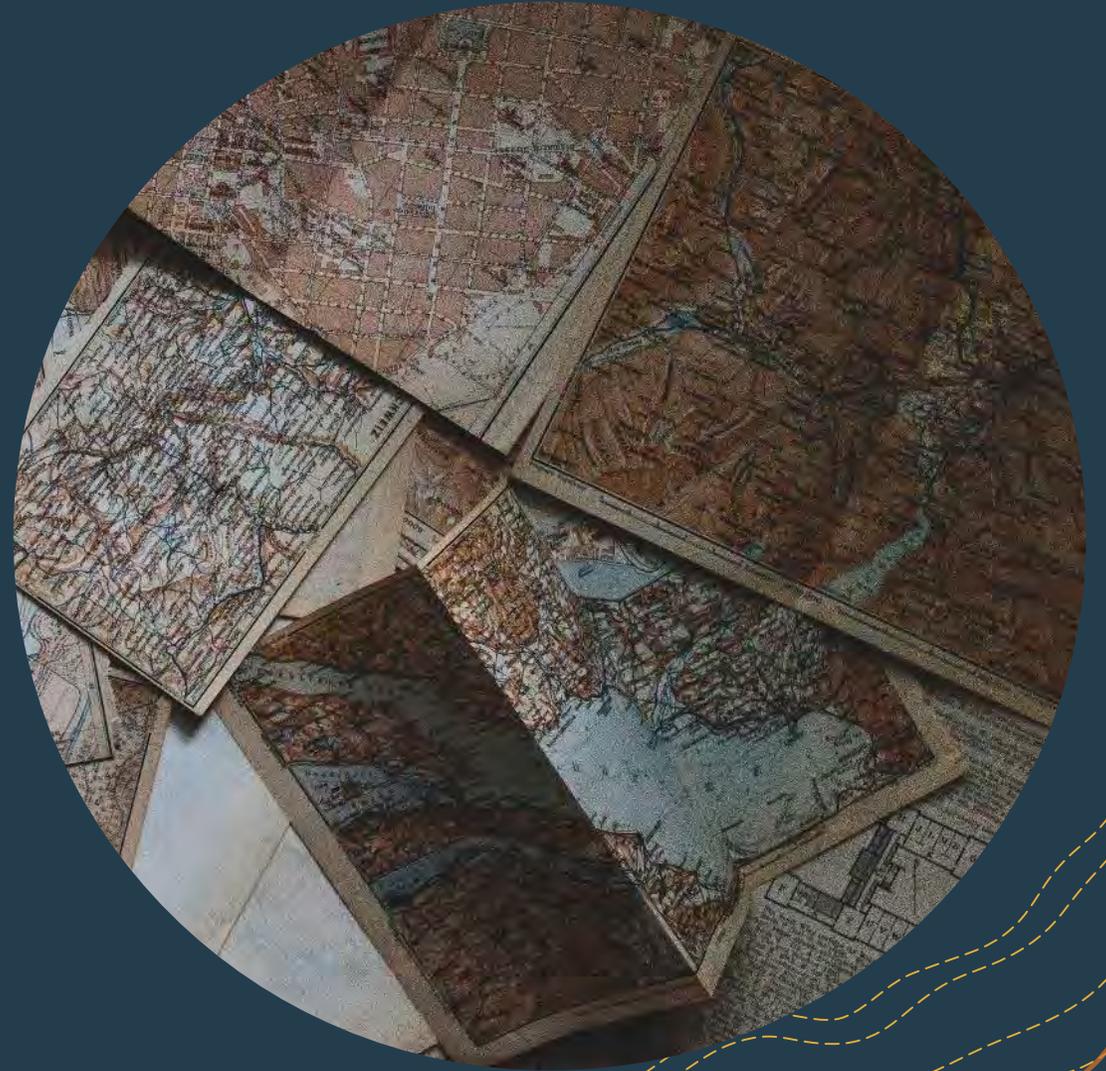
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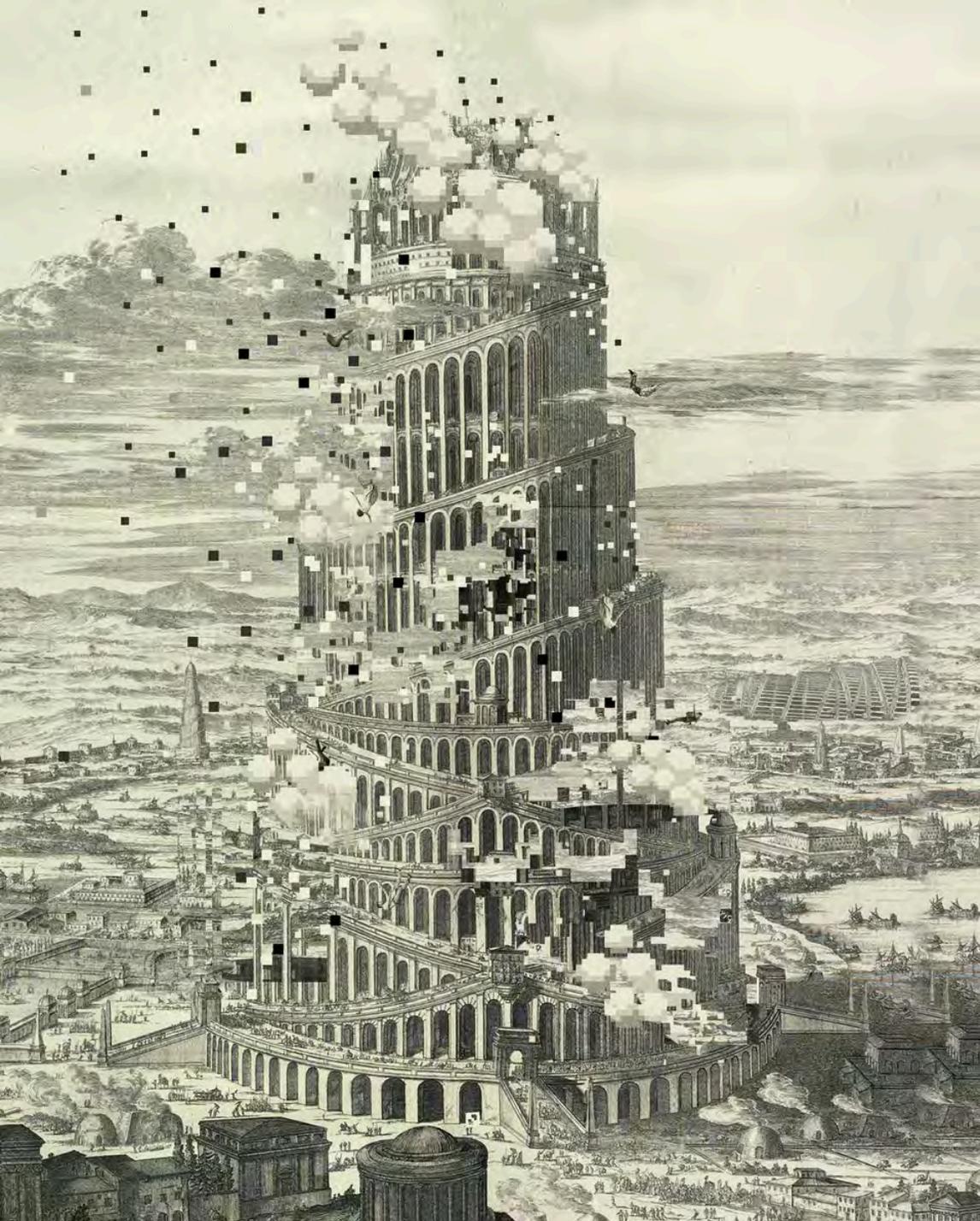
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Understanding the Context







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WHY THE PAST 10 YEARS OF AMERICAN LIFE HAVE BEEN UNIQUELY STUPID

It's not just a phase.

By Jonathan Haidt

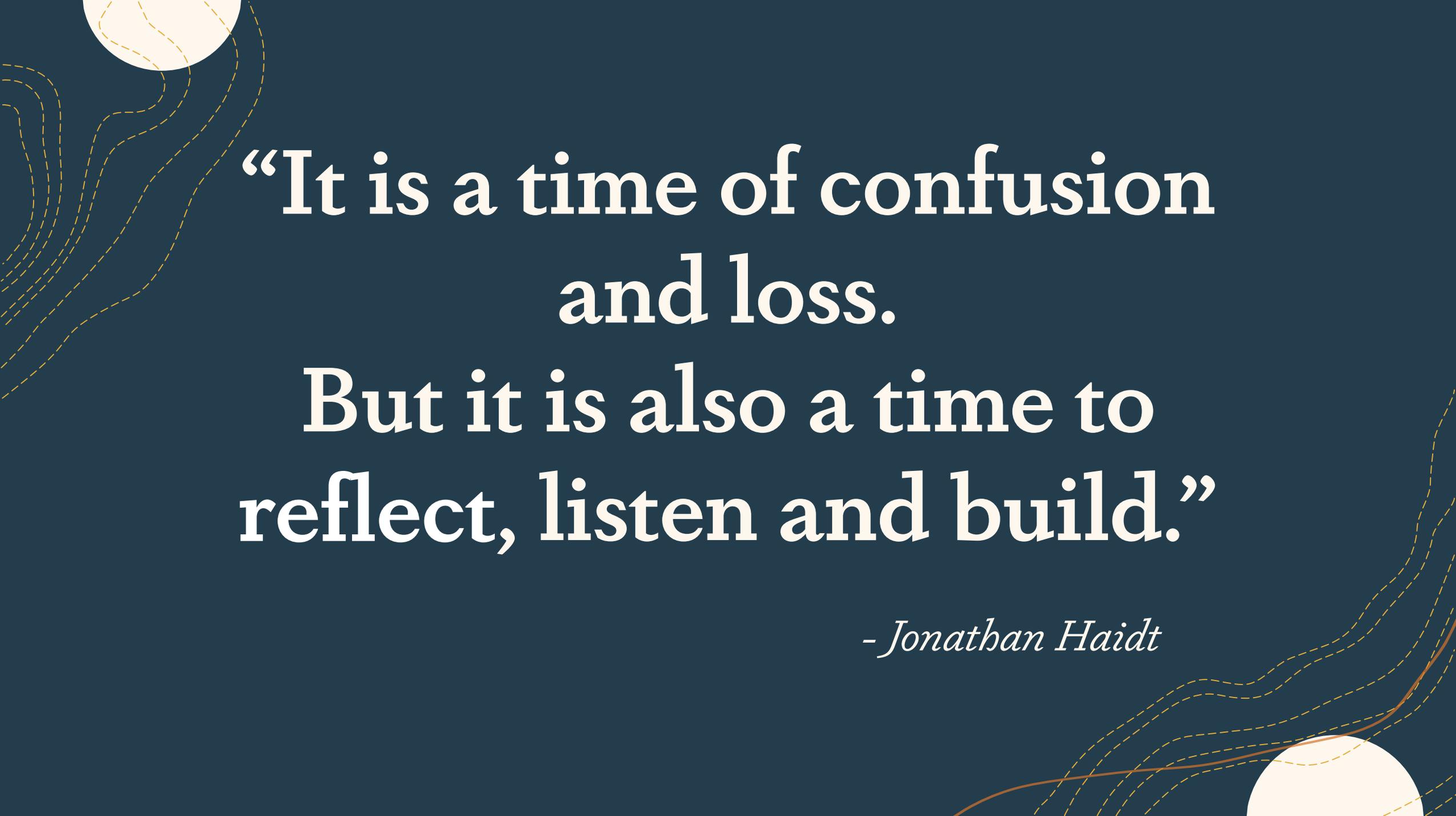
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Like the people at Babel, we are “disoriented, unable to speak the same language or recognize the same truth... cut off from one another and from the past.”

-Jonathan Haidt







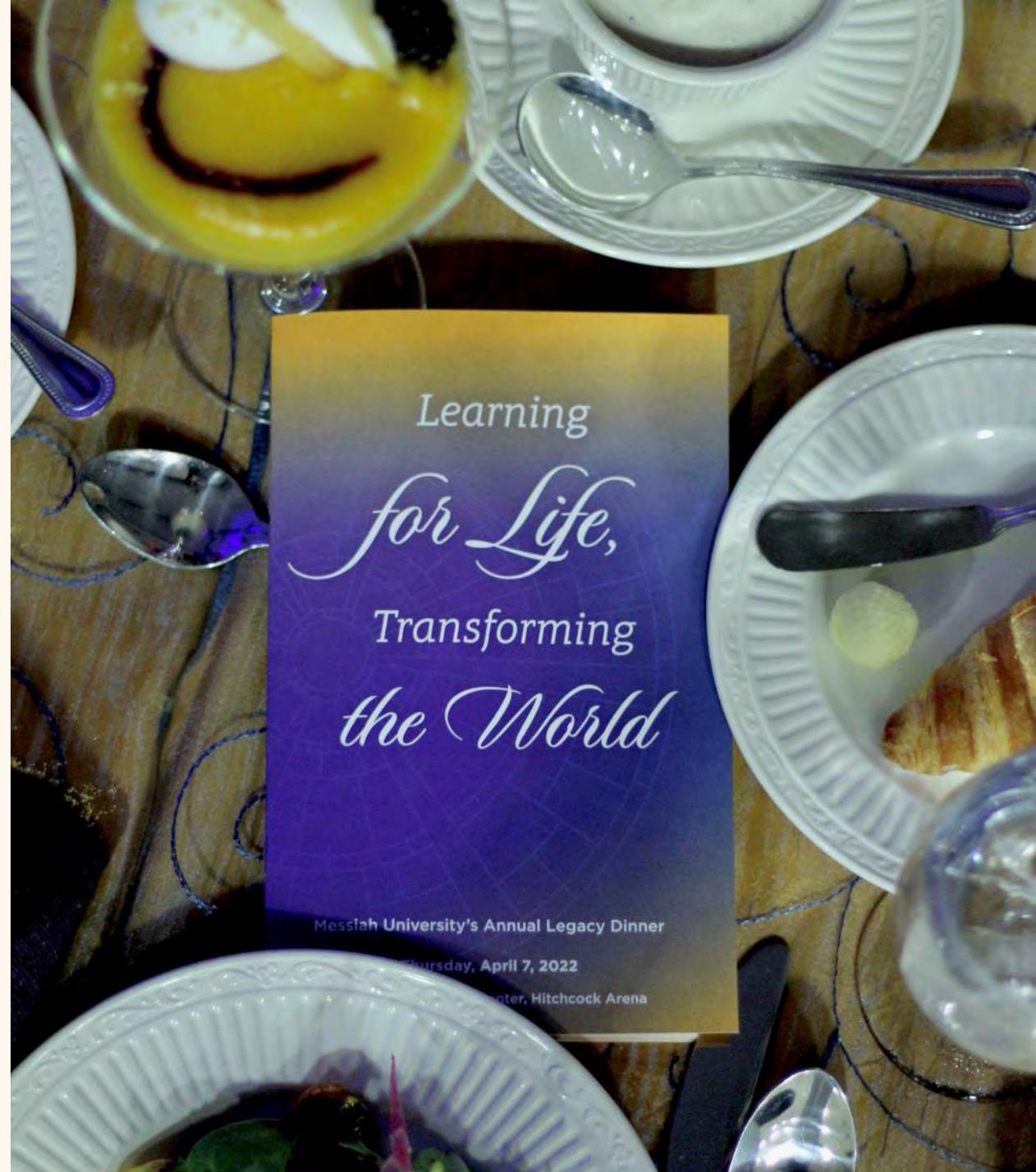
**“It is a time of confusion
and loss.
But it is also a time to
reflect, listen and build.”**

- Jonathan Haidt



Critical Thinking *Honest Dialogue* *True Belonging*





Rachel Jackson

*M.M. Conducting
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Equipping for Our Journey

harmony
difference

expertise
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humility
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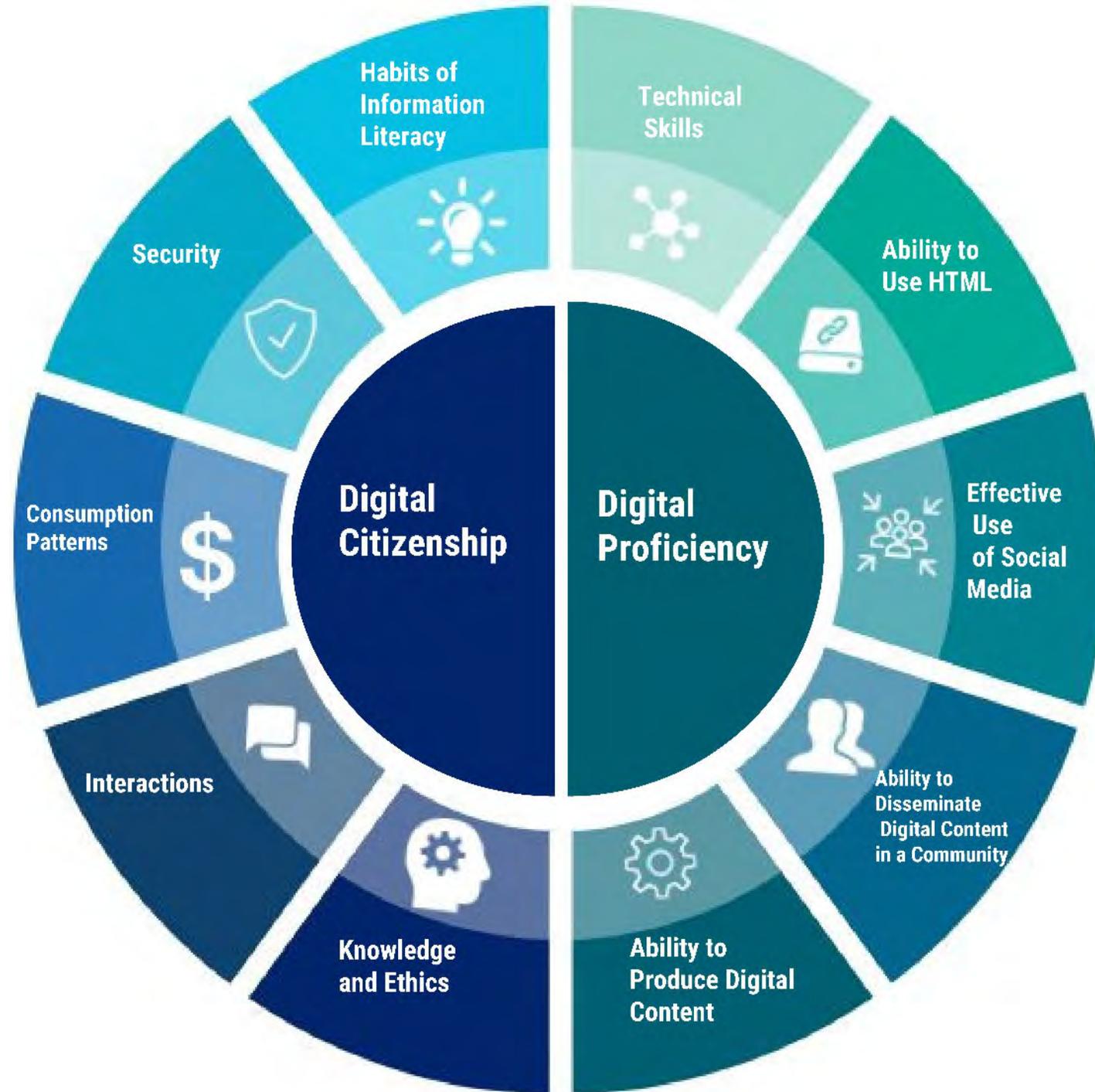
discipline
imagination





“Humility affords space for what Theologian Miroslav Volf labeled ‘double vision’ – or the practice of ‘seeing with the eyes of the others, accepting their perspective and discovering the new significance of one’s own basic commitment.’”





Neil Postman

Author of *The Disappearance of Childhood*



Amusing Ourselves to Death

Public Discourse in the Age of Show Business



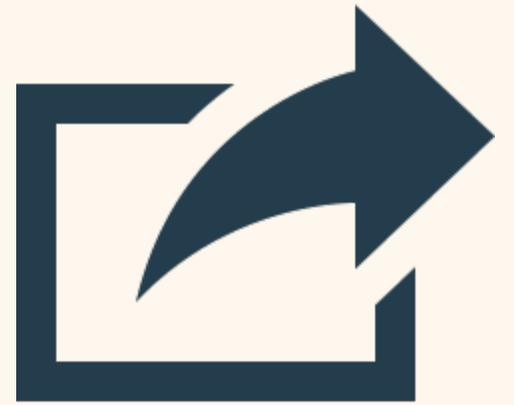
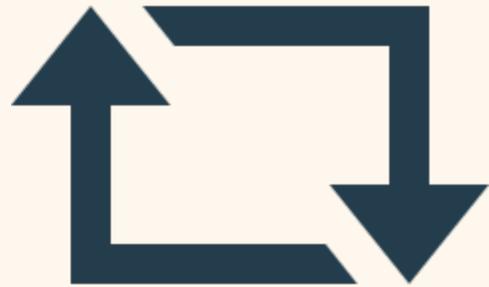
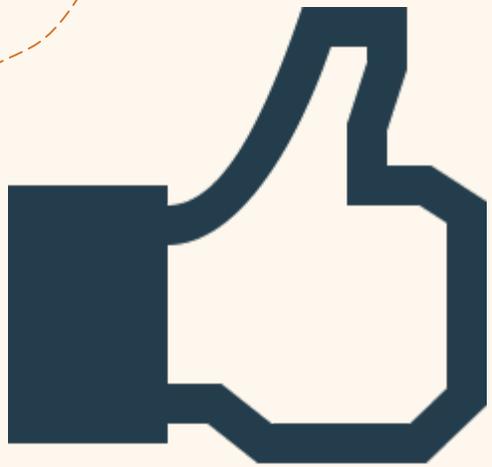
"This comes along at exactly the right moment . . .
We must confront the challenge of his prophetic vision."

—Jonathan Kozol

“It’s not what we
fear that will
destroy us, it’s
what we love.”

- *Neil Postman*









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Advice and tools to help with money matters and changes in your financial situation. Legal education and access to legal and financial info and forms.



Work-Life Resources

Anytime access to skill-building courses, assessments, forms, calculators, quizzes, videos, articles and more to feel your best at work, home and in your community.

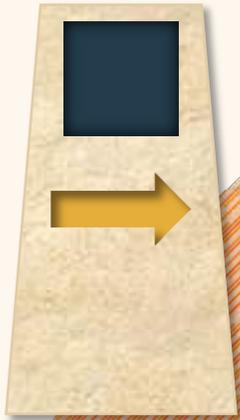
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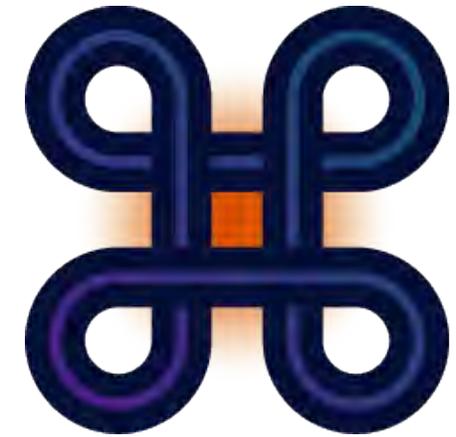
- Refuse to sow discord.
- Refrain from responding in anger or on impulse.
- Reach out privately to people to continue conversations.



The Journey

Reckoning &
Reconciliation





2 Corinthians 5:17-18

RECONCILIATION

GOD'S LANGUAGE TO HEAL A BROKEN WORLD





Love well – God first and
then each other

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Attend to the pain and
injustice experienced by
others

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Listen first
to understand



Lament – individually
and communally

A collage of various university scenes including students, faculty, and campus buildings. The central text is overlaid on a dark blue rectangular background.

Seek truth
and
share truth

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Extend and accept
forgiveness



RED MOORE
10.11.1933

ALFRED LONG
06.06.1886

HOLMES
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SOUTH CAROLINA

AVOYELL
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GEORGIA

ANDREW MCKNIGHT
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DAN JENKINS
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GEORGIA

EDY AHRÉN
09.02.1892

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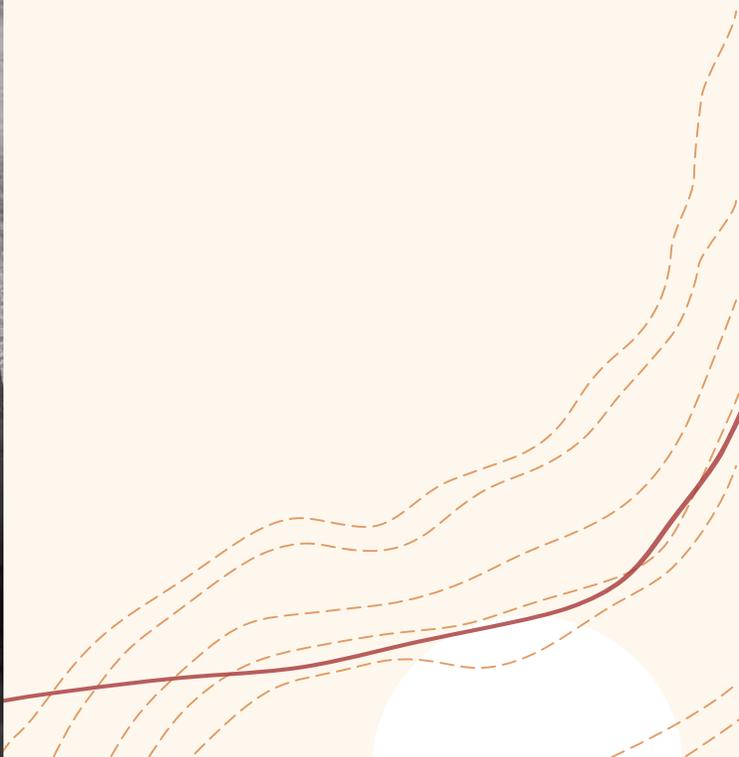
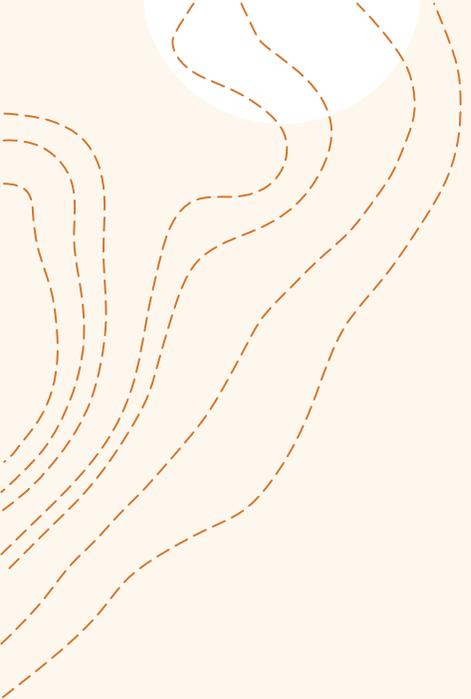


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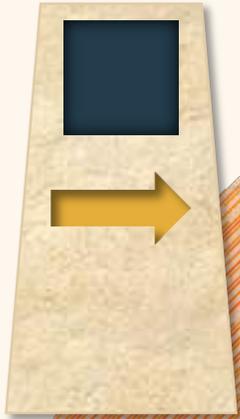
Every student and every employee must experience true belonging and genuine reconciliation as valued members of our community.



- Fulfilling the 2023 Diversity Strategic Plan
- Listening to guest lecturers
- Participating in Martin Luther King Jr. Week
- Supporting community service efforts
- Engaging difficult topics

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Promoting the
Common Good



Promoting the Common Good

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**1970s
&
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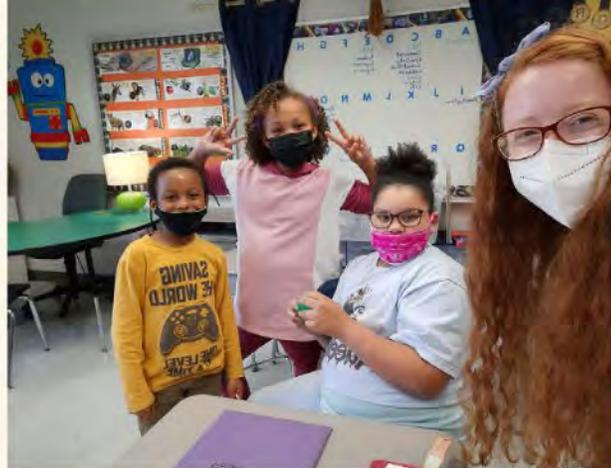
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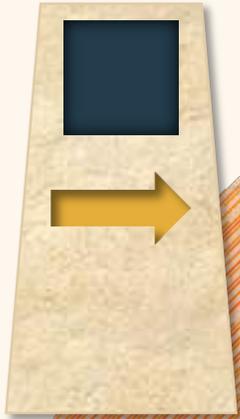


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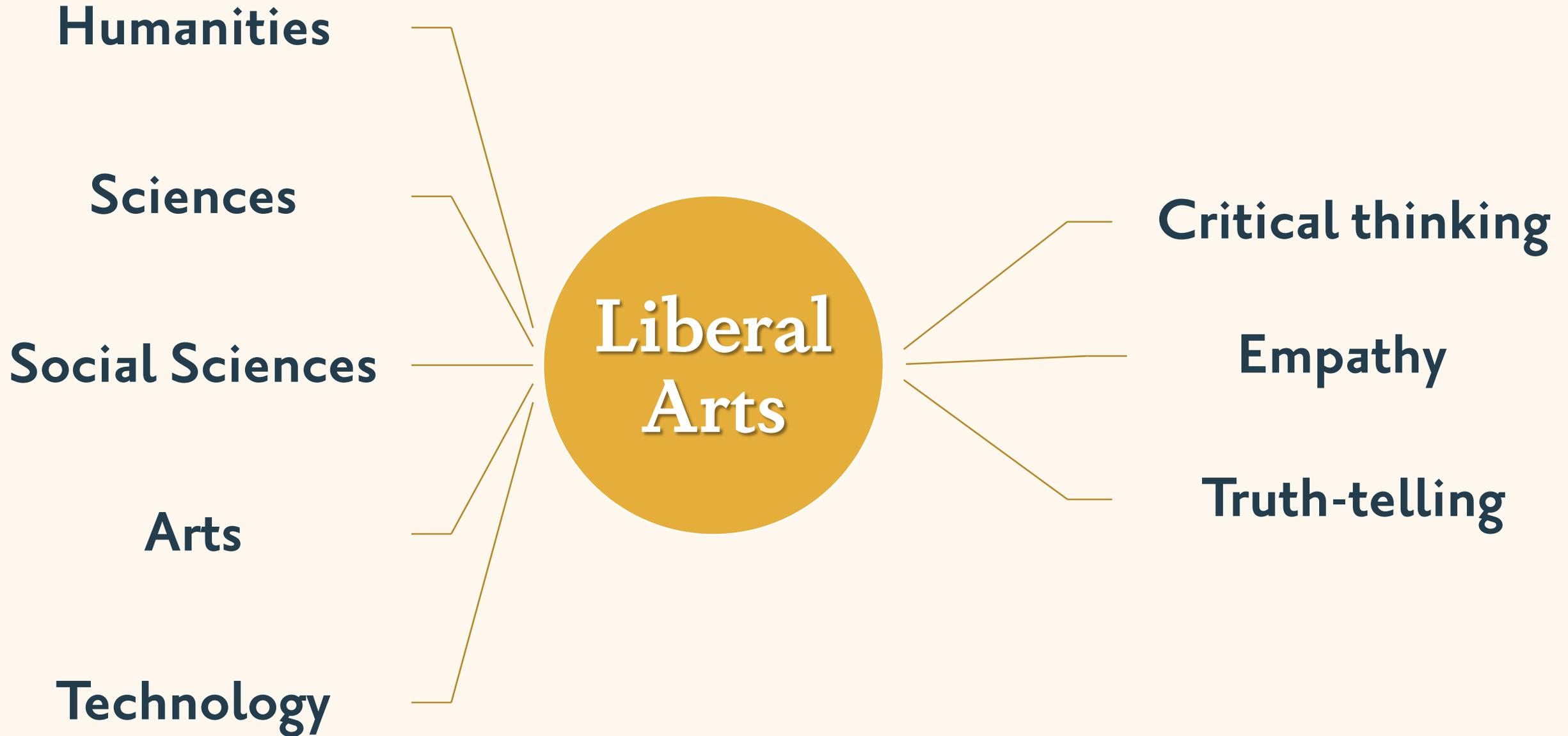
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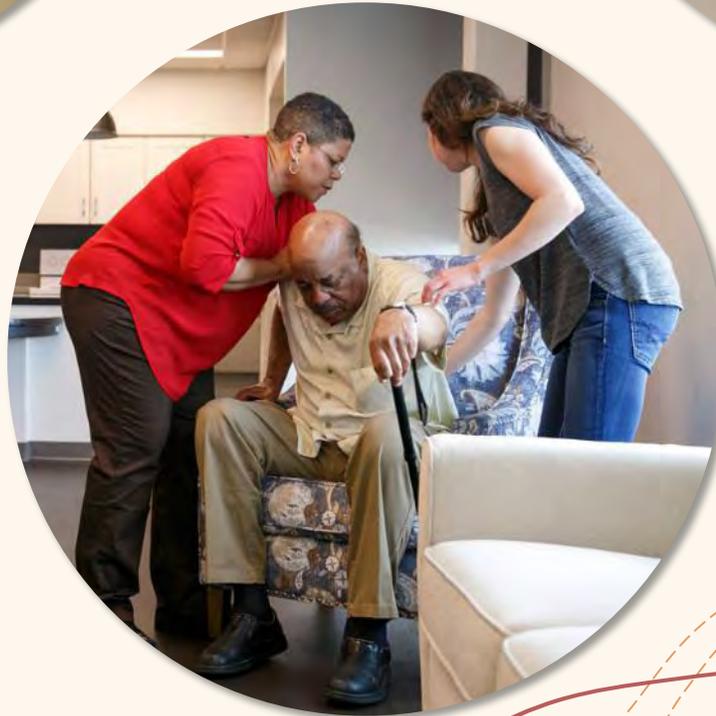
LEARNING
for Life





“If we remember those times and places... where people have behaved magnificently, this gives us the energy to act, and at least the possibility of sending this spinning top of a world in a different direction.”

- Howard Zinn





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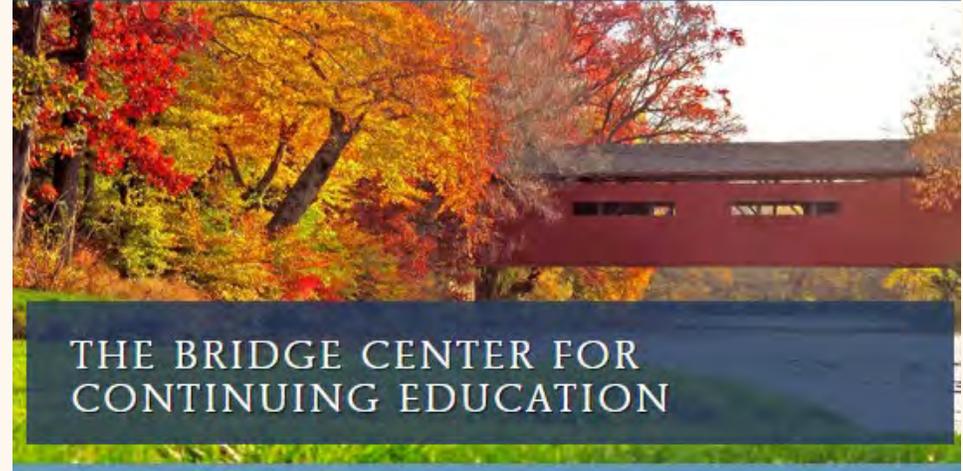
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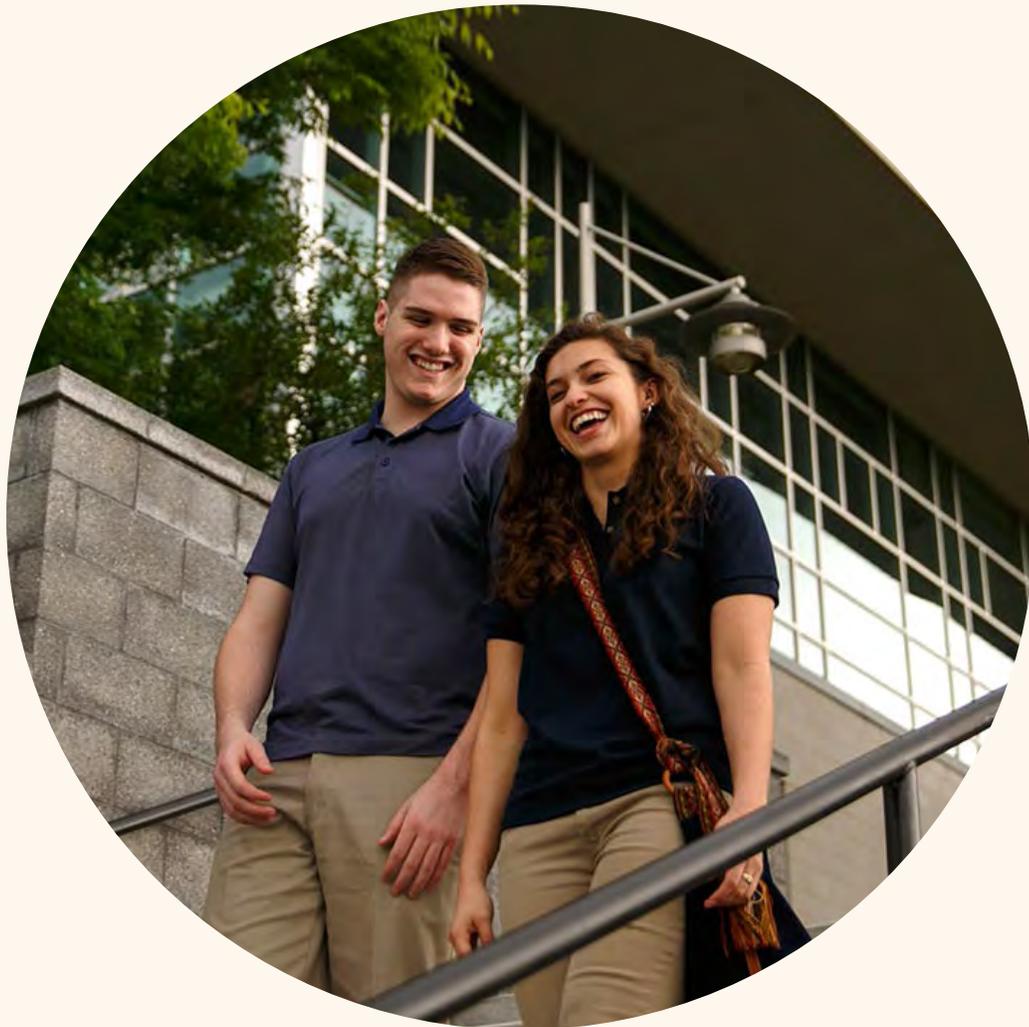
- Continuing education for healthcare professionals
- Orthopedic Clinical Residency Program
- Doctor of Health Science (DsC) degree

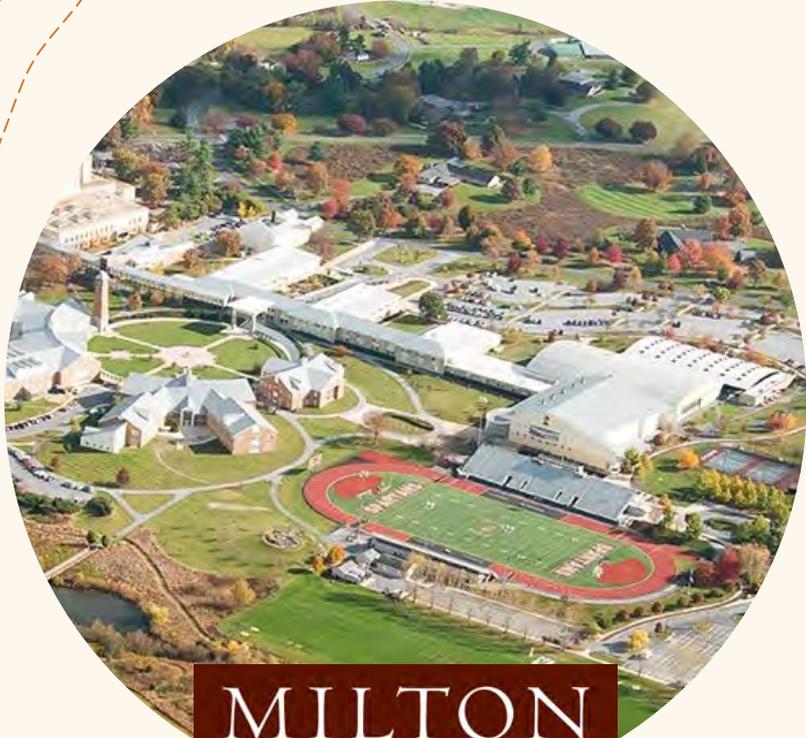


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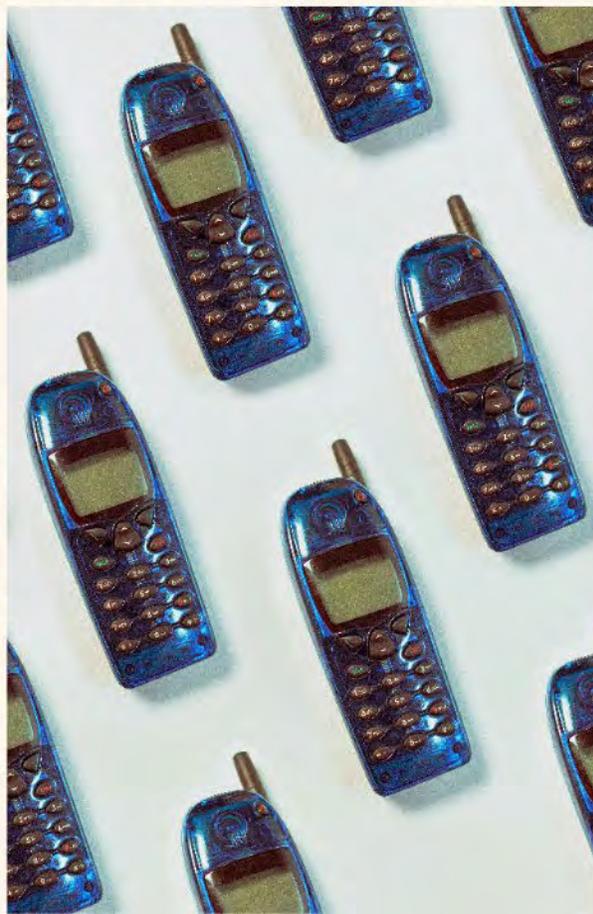
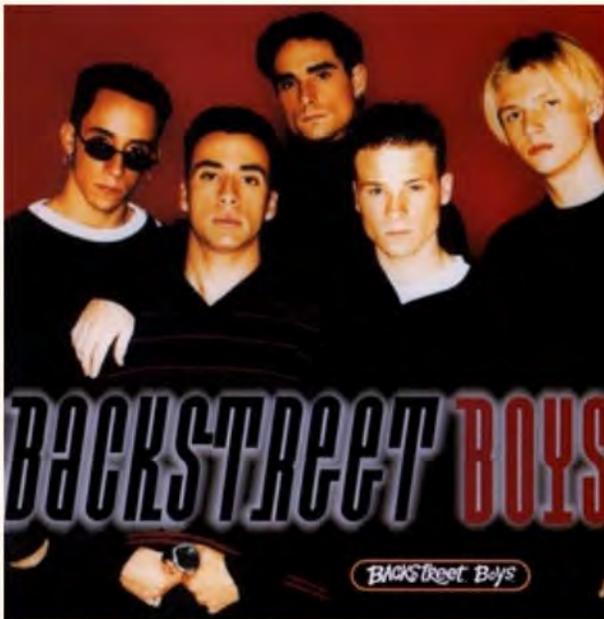
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“You have what the world is hungering for – a spiritual vocabulary, a spiritual focus, an actual way to orient your life to a higher good...”

David Brooks, New York Times



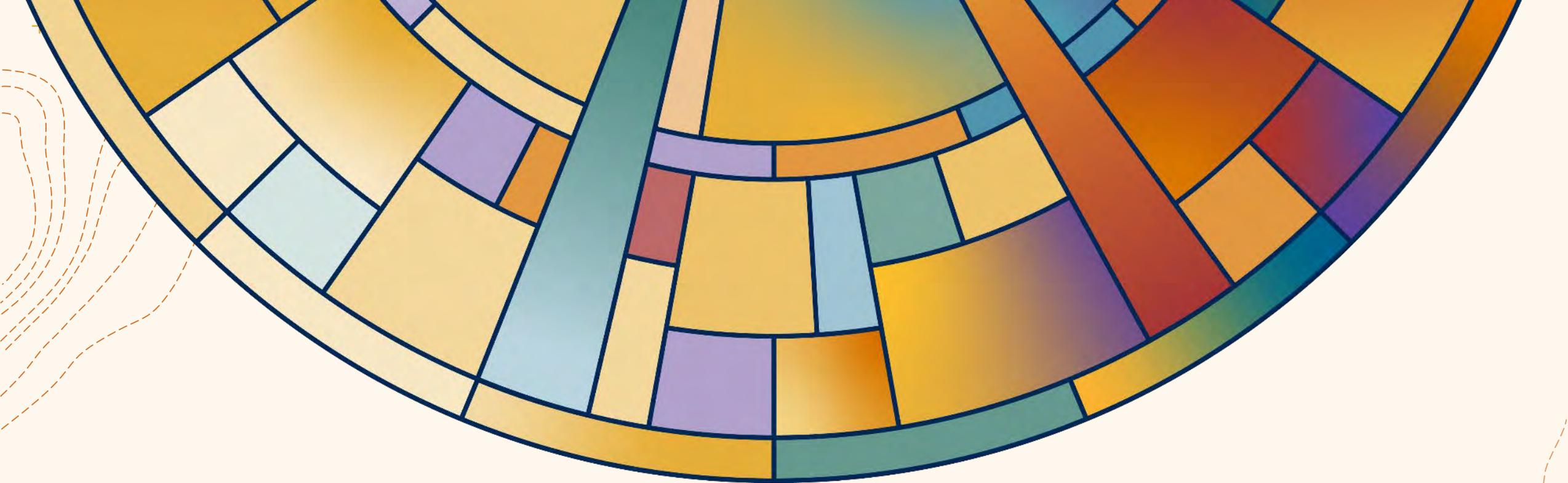


“It is the *arrival* that matters.”



Our Journey Continues





Thank You

➤ Karin Bisbee

➤ John Fea

➤ Beth Lorow

➤ Joy Meade

➤ Peter Powers

➤ Maggie Shive

➤ Brian Smith

