RADICAL CONNECTION

TRANSFORMATIVE MOVEMENT BUILDING WEBINAR SERIES

MOVE TO END VIOLENCE
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MOVEMENT STRATEGY CENTER
What is the geographic area of your work?

Who are the people your movement is centered around?
1. What is Transformative Movement Building?
2. Leading with Vision & Purpose
3. Deep Embodiment Through Practice
4. Radical Connection
5. Strategic Navigation
6. Transformation Strategy
LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Introduce an ecosystem perspective & the role of interdependence and interconnectedness in building radical connection.

- Understand how building a “Bigger WE” leads to greater alignment and shared purpose.

- Explore new ways of being that heal past harms and create a culture of accountability.

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AGENDA

• Radical Connection: Nwamaka Agbo
• Movement Story: Marcia Olivo, *Miami Workers Center*
• Q&A
• Movement Building Practice: *Transformative Movement Conversations*
NWAMAKA'S STORY
Connection requires us to move beyond empathy to challenge our worldview and ourselves. To no longer use empathy to avoid the transformative movements.
RADICAL CONNECTION REQUIRES US TO HEAL

WE MUST ACKNOWLEDGE THE PAST HARM WE HAVE CREATED TO GENERATE NEW POSSIBILITIES.
THE BIGGER “WE”
OUR CHANGE EFFORTS ARE OFTEN UNALIGNED
WE MUST ALIGN LEADERSHIP TO BUILD POWER
A BIGGER WE
EXPANDED FOOD MOVEMENT

EDUCATION JUSTICE
ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE
RACIAL JUSTICE
IMMIGRATION JUSTICE
GENDER JUSTICE
REPRODUCTIVE JUSTICE
GLOBAL JUSTICE
CLIMATE JUSTICE
HEALTH JUSTICE

Personal Pleasure & Health

Anti-hunger
Food Security
Food Justice
Food Sovereignty
Small Farm
Sustainable Agriculture

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THIRD WAY

TRANSCENT

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EITHER/O

R THINKING TO

FIND

ALIGNMENT &

SHARED

PURPOSE

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MOVE WITH THOSE WHO ARE READY
“If we fail to bear witness to the trauma we feel and the harm we have done; if we fail to galvanize the resources we need to heal ourselves, then we miss the potential for deep transformation. Developing these capacities is essential if empathy is to strengthen our work for social justice.”

-Kristen Zimmerman, MSC #transformativemovements
MOVEMENT STORY

MARCIA OLIVO
MIAMI WORKER'S CENTER

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QUESTIONS?
REFLECTIONS?

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