

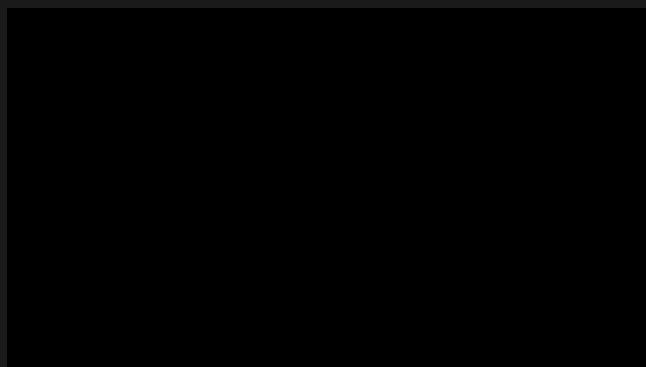
INDIGENOUS TO INDIGENOUS STANDARD

Lisa McMurray & Rowan Foley

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“Any situation in which some men prevent others from engaging in the process of inquiry is one of violence;... to alienate humans from their own decision making is to change them into objects.”

Paulo Freire



EXISTING STANDARDS

We are not 'massaging' a western monitoring & evaluation model into an Aboriginal context....we can't tweak existing standards whose soul is fundamentally different.



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SOUTH TO SOUTH PHILOSOPHY



CELEBRATION



MODEL OF RIGOUR

***“ASKING THE RIGHT
QUESTIONS,
IN THE RIGHT WAY,
TO THE RIGHT PEOPLE”***



IDENTIFICATION OF CORE BENEFITS



BUILDING THE VERIFICATION TREE



DATA SOVEREIGNTY



INDIGENOUS TO INDIGENOUS

“If the building of a bridge does not enrich the awareness of those who work on it, then that bridge ought not to be built”

Frantz Fanon



COLLABORATION

- Community of Practice
- Advisory Body
- Indigenous Carbon Network
- ISEAL Alliance
- World Symposium on Social Responsibility and Sustainability



THANK YOU

