Grounded Space learning catalogue

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Maybe you've heard about design, prototyping, behaviour change, or transformative leadership. Maybe you haven't.

This learning catalogue is for the newbies, the oldies, the curious, the confused, the enthusiastic, and the skeptical.

From June 12-22, we're offering 12 learning experiences - for everyone from organizational leaders to frontline workers to designers to policy folks.

Why? We're launching Grounded Space, Canada's first Research & Development Collective for social organizations. The premise is this: social organizations were set-up to deliver services, not develop alternatives. We want to change that.

But, first, we want to introduce individuals and organizations to alternative change approaches.

That's what this learning catalogue is all about - introductions to change methods! Everyone is welcome. Come learn with us!

MON 12 June

TUE 13 June

WED 14 June

THU 15 June

FRI 16 June

9am-12pm by: Jonas Piet

9:30am – 4:30pm by: Nadia Duguay

SOCIAL TRANSFORMATION THROUGH CREATIVITY: BRINGING PHILOSOPHY, ART & POETRY INTO OUR WORK

An introduction to 'Intellectual Mediation'. a novel approach to creating positive spaces for human beings to be together. This will be a day of learning and doing, feeding the imagination and the mind—not just the body. Run by Montreal-based Execo and sponsored by the Burnaby Association for Community Inclusion and posAbilities. To book, go to: http://bit.ly/2r98glX

Museum of Vancouver 1100 Chestnut Street Joyce Walley Room Vancouver



9-10:30am by: Lisa Joy Trick, Daniela Kraemer, Sarah Schulman

BIG, SMALL & OPEN

Big data, open data, and small data. Take a tour of different types of data and discuss when you'd use, how, and why. For policymakers and senior decision-makers.

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MAKE-A-THON

Got ideas - but find they are stuck in your head or in conversation? Spend a morning learning simple ways to make ideas real, tangible, and testable. Bring along a tool or material you'd like help bringing to life. Interesting for frontline workers and managers.

... Kudoz Studio @ BACI 2702 Norland Avenue Burnaby *near Holdom skytrain



12-2pm by: Jonas Piet

HUMAN INTERACTION DESIGN

What do we mean by design? What can it bring to social services and social policy? Join us for an introductory session and neighborhood walk to explore the idea that everything is designed, but not everything is human-centred.

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5-7pm by: Jonas Piet, Sarah Schulman, Maggie Vilvang, Jennifer Charlesworth, Daniela Kraemer

FIVE PEOPLE WALK INTO A BAR...

A sociologist, designer, anthropologist, business thinker, and organizational change whisperer walk into a bar.... It's the set-up for a bad joke, but a good interdisciplinary team. Meet the InWithForward Team, and learn more about design + social science approaches to change. First round on us.

... The Lido 518 E Broadway Vancouver

by: Maggie Vilvang TIME & SPACE

1:30pm-3:30pm

If you're like us, there's never enough time to think, reflect, and reframe. Get introduced to ways to step away from fighting fires to ask different questions.

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MON 19 June

by: Maggie Vilvang and Jenni-

Special parallel sessions

for the community living

10:30am-12:30pm

fer Charlesworth

SIMILAR OR

DIFFERENT?

9:30am-4pm by: Daniela Kraemer and Sarah Schulman

TUE 20 June

ETHNOGRAPHY 101

You can't get to new ideas without new insights. Spend a day learning how ethnographic methods lead to fresh insights. Find out how to pronounce the word, read & watch ethnographic stories, practice observing & listening, and get a taste of moving from insights to ideas. For frontline, managers, policymakers, foundation staff, and designers. This events costs \$50 per person.

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9am-10:30am by: Sarah Schulman

BEHAVIOR CHANGE BREAKFAST CLUB

WED 21 June

Social change requires behaviour change - at scale. How do we enable people to shift what they think, say, and do? Learn about and apply our favorite theories to real life scenarios. For policymakers, funders and designers.

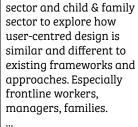
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LUNCH / 12:30-2pm WALK / 2pm-3:30pm by: Jennifer Charlesworth

LIMIT-LESS

If we want to disrupt the status quo, what kind of leadership is called for? What are our scripts, beliefs, and fears? Join us for a brown bag lunch and conversation. Stay or join us for a post-lunch reflective walk, where we'll contemplate when it is time to let go of old practices to make room for new ones. For leaders at all levels.

Location: TBA



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2:30-4:30pm by: Sarah Schulman, Jennifer Charlesworth

BEAUTY & SHAME WALK

What makes a space or an interaction beautiful or shameful? Why does it matter? Come with us for a stroll as we look at and discuss the intersection between form, finctionality, and aesthetics

Location: we'll meet in front of Matchstick Coffee, Chinatown



5-6:30pm by: Maggie Vilvang, Jennifer Charlesworth

RISKY BUSINESS

So much of what we do in social service land is managing risk. Innovation asks us to take risks. How do we marry the two? Come for an honest exploration of compliance and creative cultures. For organizational leaders.

The Lido
518 E Broadway
Vancouver





Details

Who can come?

Events are open to everyone. We really encourage frontline workers, managers, board members, policymakers, designers, and researchers to sign-up.

Do events cost?

Most learning experiences are totally free. Only one of our experiences - ethnography 101 - has a \$50 cost for the full-day session.

How to sign-up?

You can sign-up online! Just head to inwithforward.eventbrite.com

Where are events?

Events are held in Vancouver and Burnaby. Check out each experience for the exact location.

Who can I contact with questions? Or if I need to cancel?

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