Follow-Up to “Mapping Our Roles in Social Change Ecosystems” Workshop (April 2020)
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- Take the mapping exercise once a month or quarterly.
  - Find your roles and those played by your ecosystem (whichever one you choose) on the map. Learn about the definitions of the roles here.
  - Reflect on the story that emerges using the discussion questions in the reflection guide here. Set goals for yourself and your ecosystem.
  - Read about the mapping framework vis-à-vis the current crisis here.

- “Is Your Social Change Organization a Pressure Cooker?” an article that describes the ways in which our environments can be unsustainable and unsupportive.

- “The pandemic is a portal”: article by Arundhati Roy here; her conversation with Imani Perry via Haymarket Books here. We can ask ourselves:
  - What do I want to leave behind? What do I want to carry through the portal?
  - What roles do I long to play and how can my ecosystem (s) support me?
  - Imagine a post-COVID 19 recovery and society that is rooted in a feminist vision, shaped by the experiences of indigenous peoples, centers those in the margins, focuses on healing ourselves and our earth. Envision it, draw it, write it.
  - What does a post-COVID 19 recovery and society require from us?

- On Solidarity Practice: read here.

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