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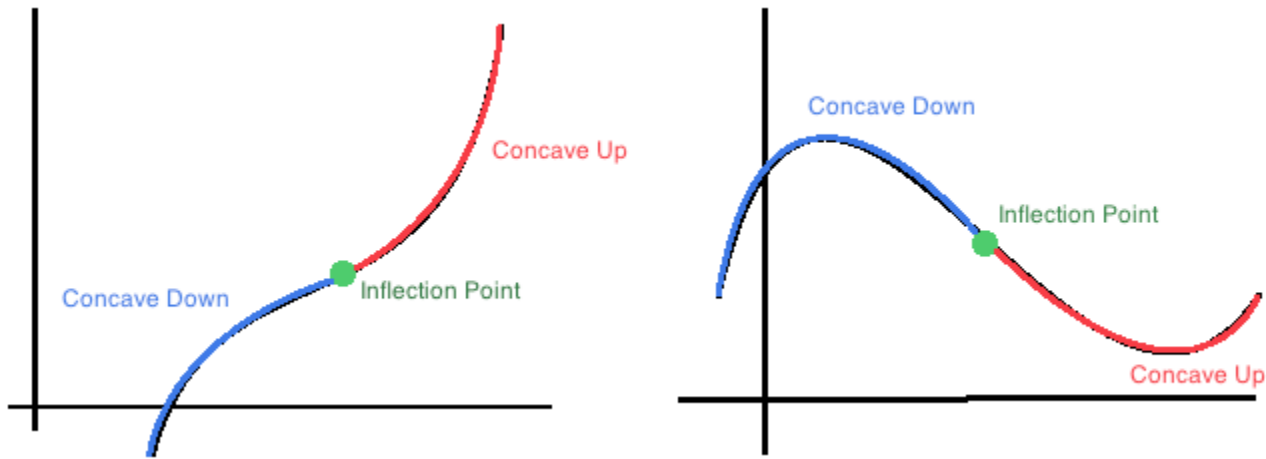
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# “We are living through one of the greatest inflection points in history.”

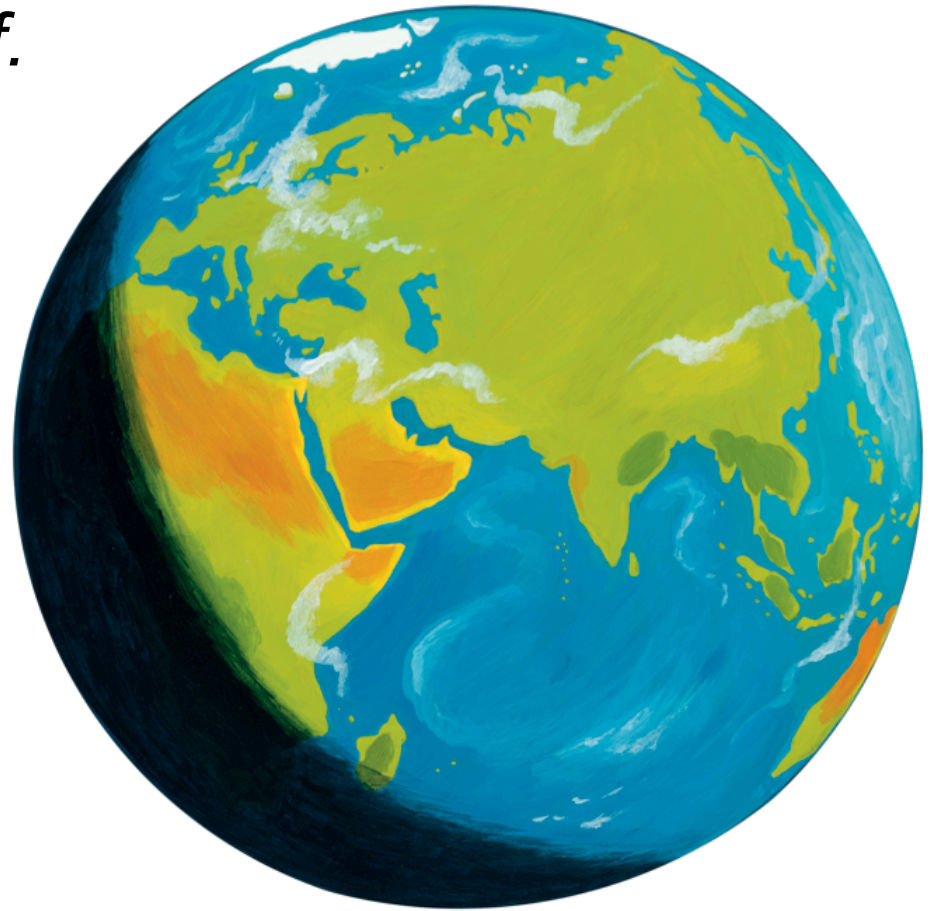
-Thomas Friedman, *Thank You for Being Late*



If you're standing in the middle of an inflection point, you probably don't realize the dramatic change that is about to occur.

*We are preparing students for jobs that do not yet exist, using technologies that haven't been invented, to solve problems we have never heard of.*

It's less about the stuff you know, and more about agile thinking, curiosity, creativity, and developing a “global mindset.”



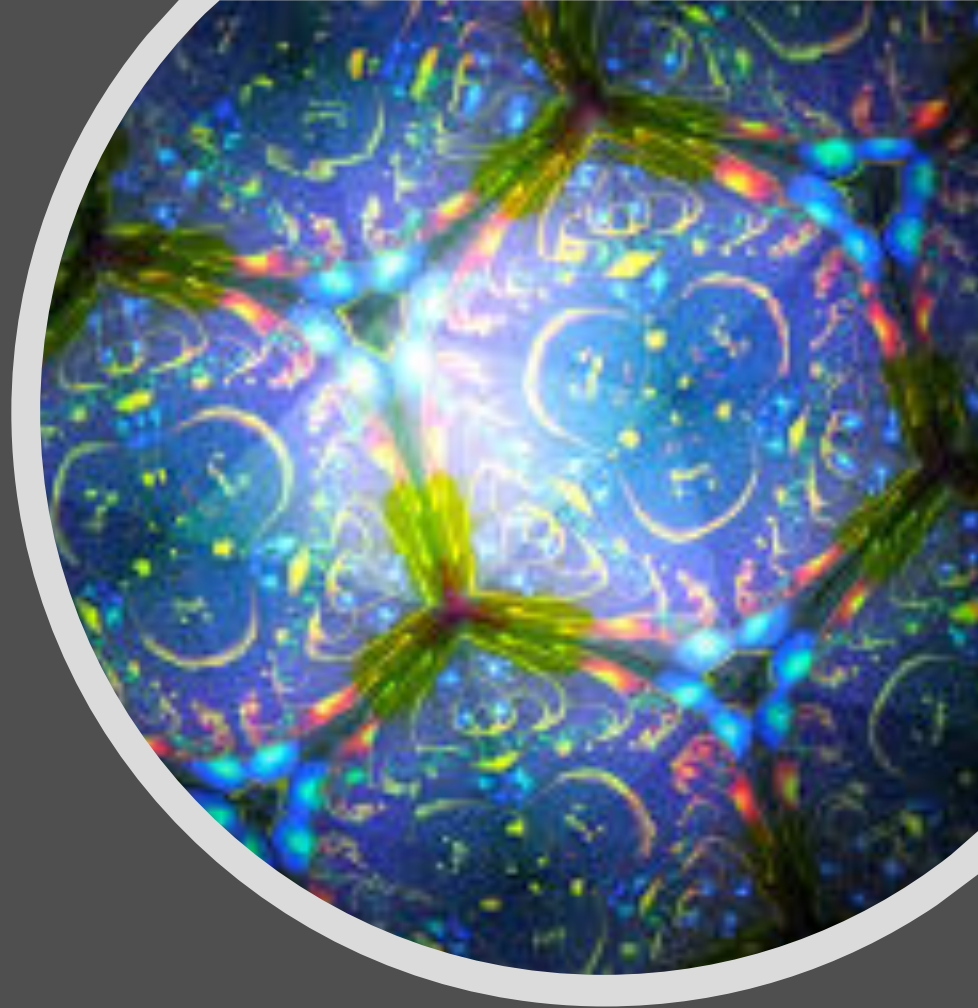


## WHAT DO TODAY'S STUDENTS NEED?

**According to an IBM survey of more than 1,500 Chief Executive Officers from 60 countries and 33 industries worldwide, chief executives believe that -- *more than rigor, management discipline, integrity or even vision -- successfully navigating an increasingly complex world will require creativity.***

**... The CEOs interviewed told IBM that today's business environment is volatile, uncertain and increasingly complex. Eight in ten CEOs expect their environment to grow significantly more complex but only 49 percent believe their organizations are equipped to deal with it successfully – the largest leadership challenge identified in eight years of research.**

*...successfully  
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YOU CAN'T  
USE UP  
CREATIVITY.  
THE MORE  
YOU USE,  
THE MORE  
YOU HAVE.

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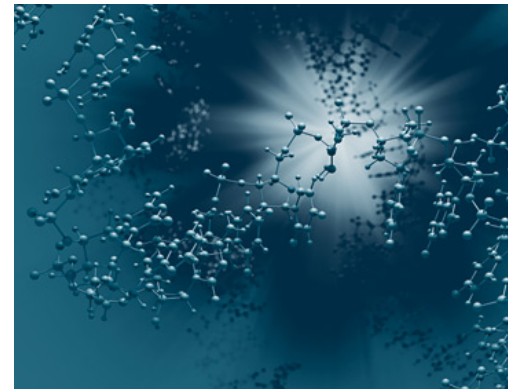
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“The first day or two we all pointed to our countries. The third or fourth day we were pointing to our continents. By the fifth day we were aware only of the Earth.”

- Saudi astronaut on international space mission



“There are as many atoms in each molecule of your DNA as there are stars in the typical galaxy.” —Carl Sagan, COSMOS





What problem do you want to solve?



*“Creating a sustainable board culture where vision, role clarity and governing through policy allows everyone to fly at the proper altitude between school oversight and day-to-day operations.”*



- coherence in vision
- collaboration and autonomy at different levels in a school culture
- inclusion and equity





Psychological Safety →  
#1 factor in cultivating  
innovation.



Nothing...

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Self-care

Idea  
incubating  
(T.S. Eliot)

Deliberate  
Stillness

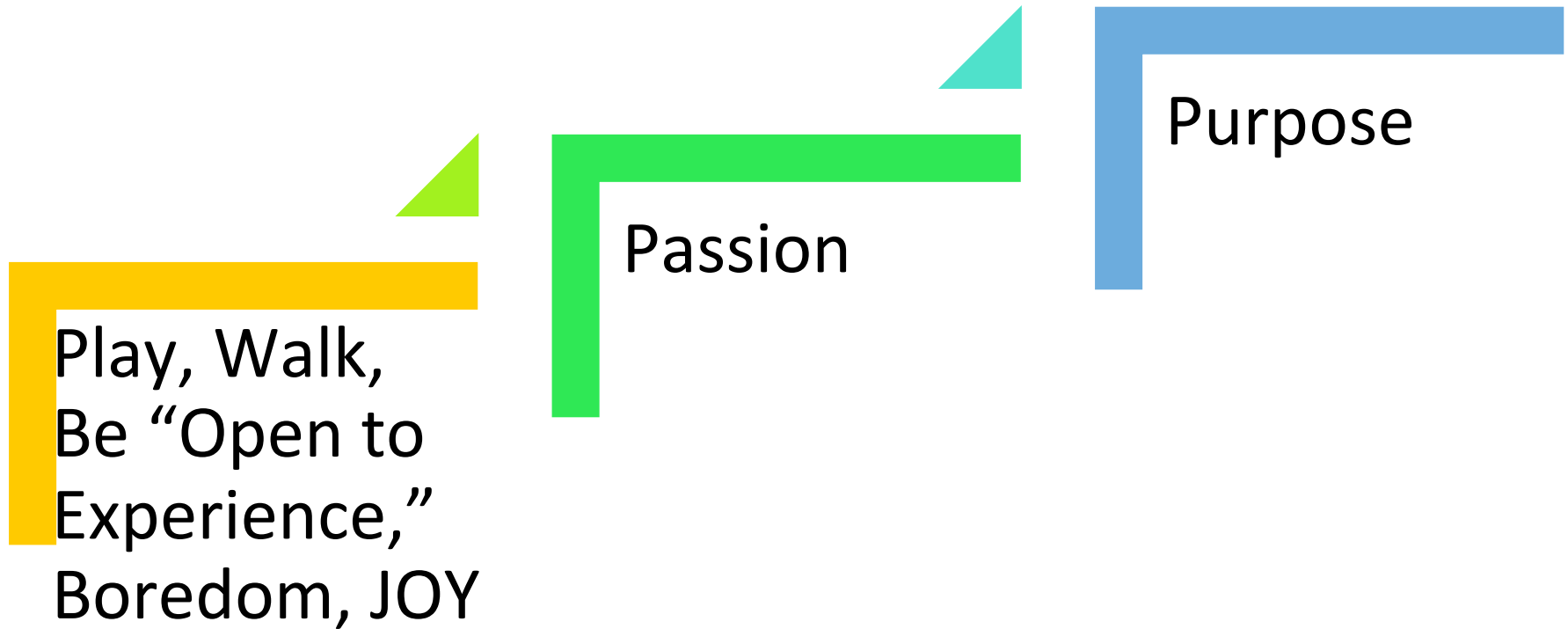
Mind-  
wandering



Positive  
constructive  
day-dreaming

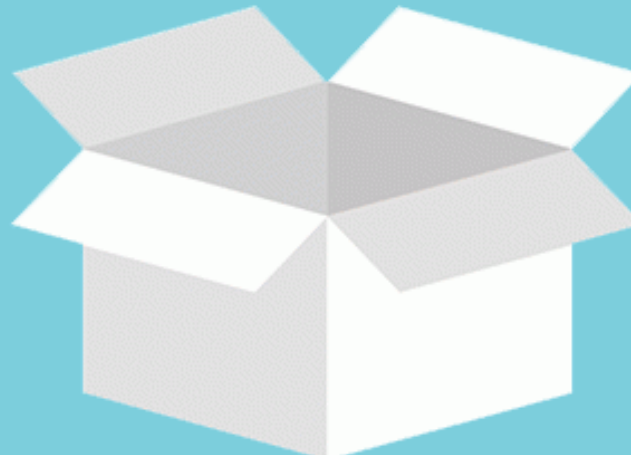
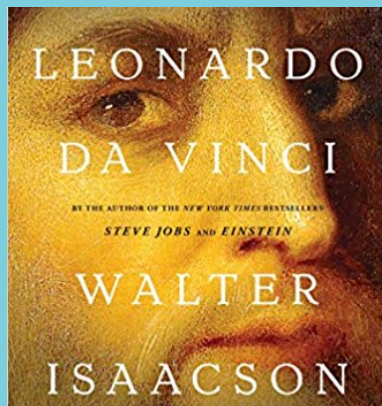
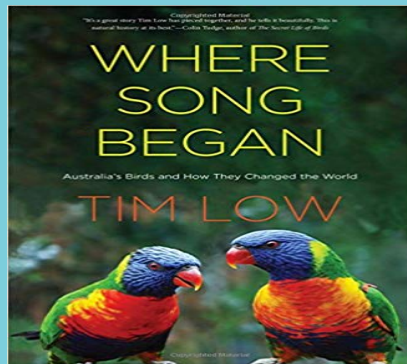
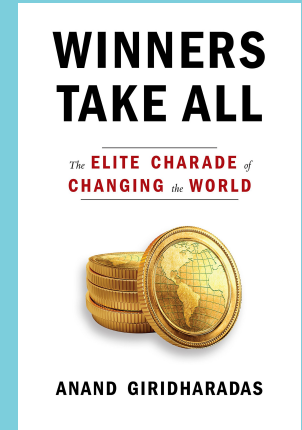
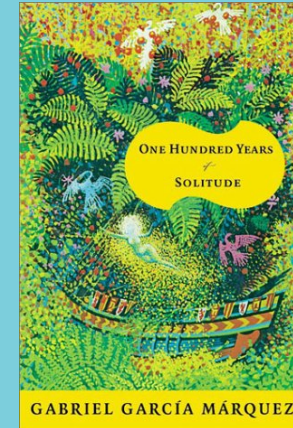
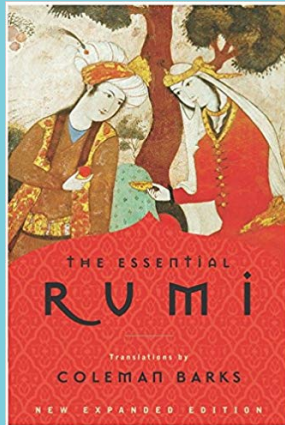
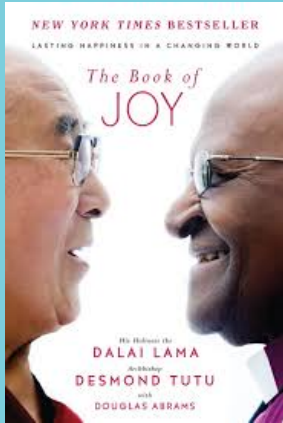
Recharging

Presence



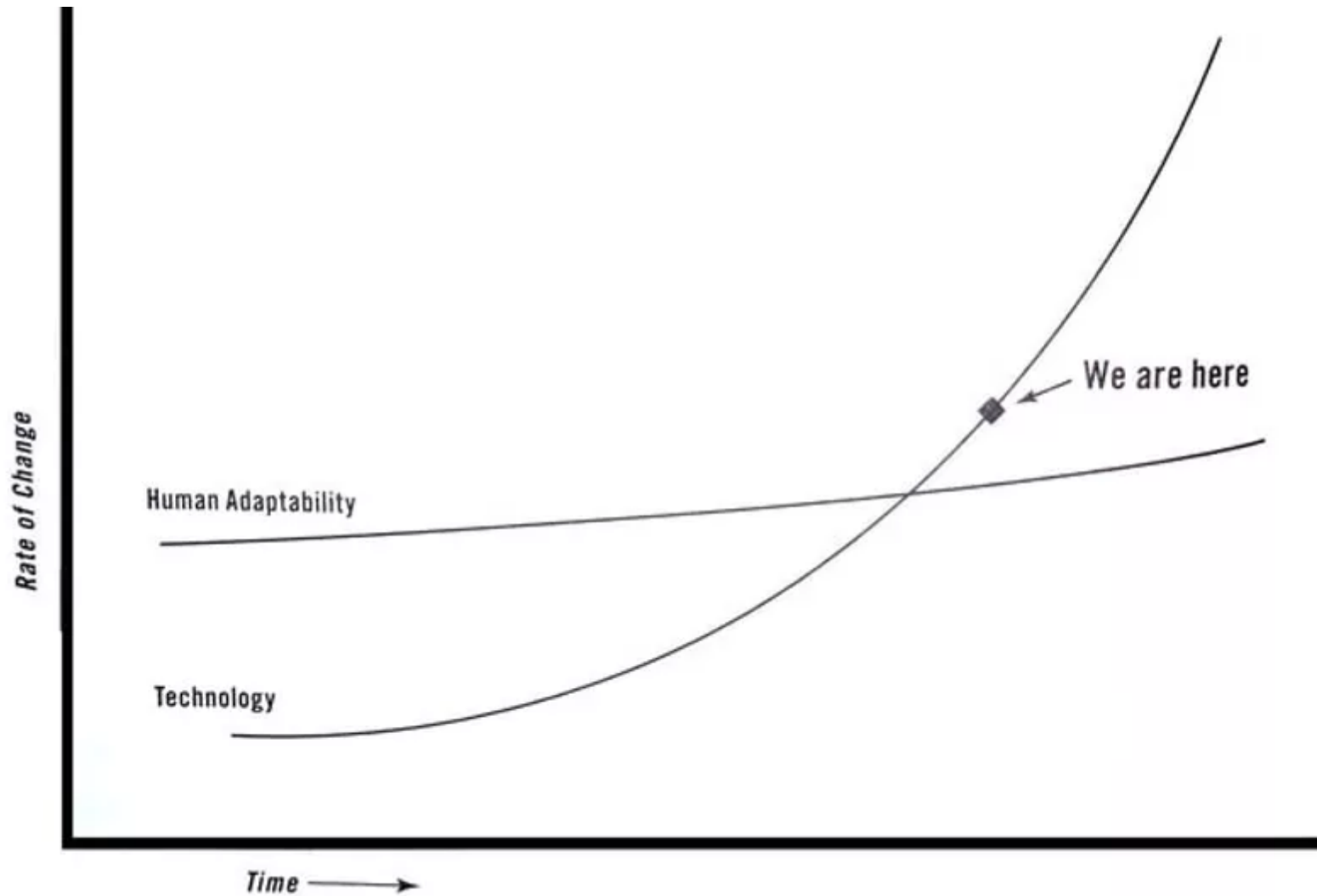
Source: *Wired to Create* (Kaufman) & *Creating Innovators* (Wagner), et. al,





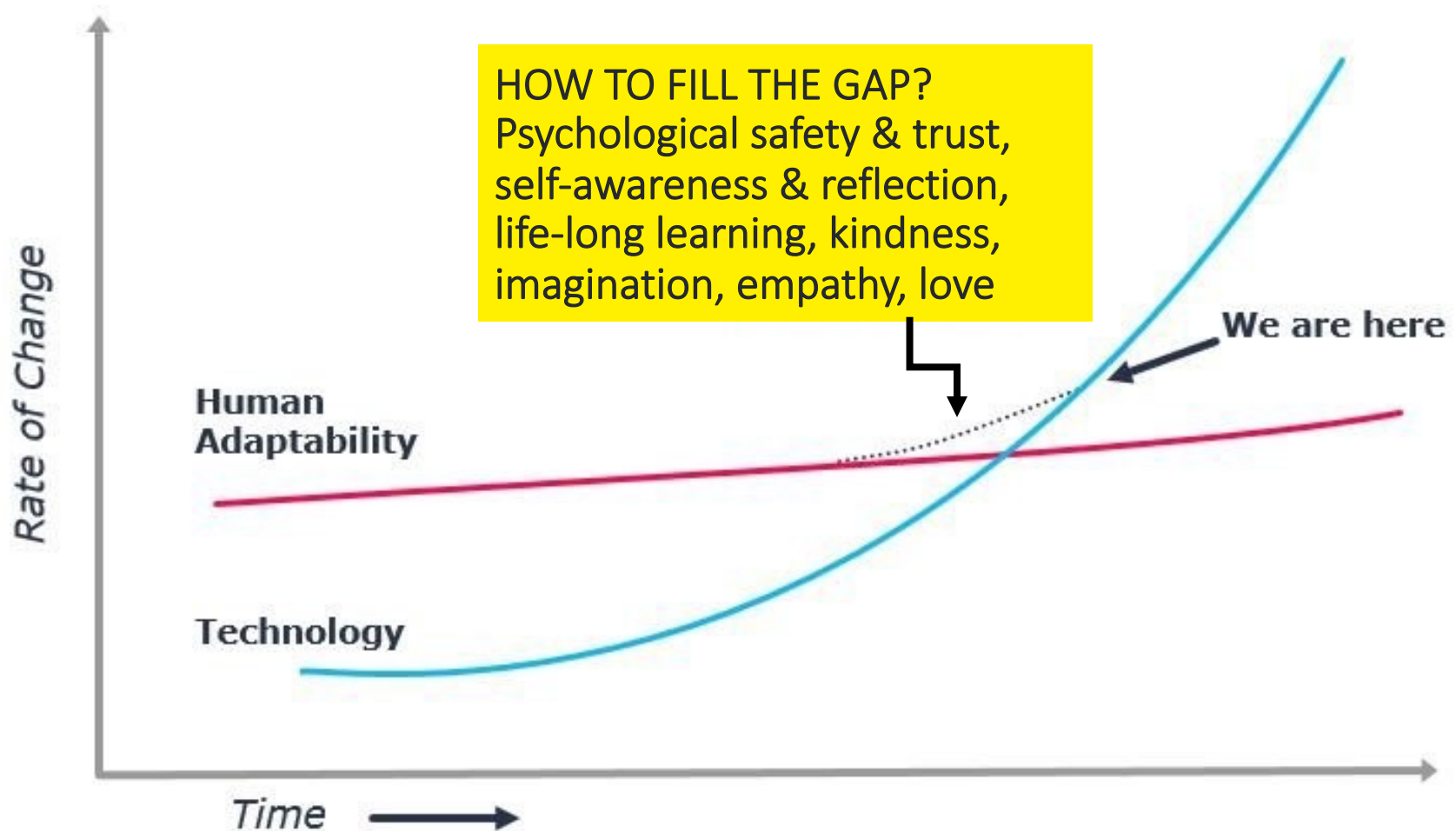


*Diversity encourages varied perspectives, nurturing imagination and creative problem-solving.  
How do you champion diversity?*



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