# HOW DO CREATIVE PRACTIVES CONTRIBUTE TO THE SDGS AND WORK TOWARDS TRANSFORMATIVE CHANGE 9 dimensions

# CREATIVE PRACTICES CAN STIMULATE CHANGING MEANINGS

- **Embodying**: Creative practices may focus on other manners to solve complex problems and allow groups to tap into a greater intelligence to work with the complexity of life and to understand different realities.
- **Learning**: Creative practices promote lifelong learning. It challenges the dominant ways of thinking and profound assumptions while offering new ways of thinking, doing and being.
- Imagining: Creative practices can ignite creativity into imagining innovative ways of living; and imagination is a key component in all transformative actions.

## CREATIVE PRACTICES CAN HELP CHANGE CONNEXTIONS

- Caring: New ways of caring for both each other and the planet produces the essential elements of security, assistance, and understanding, crucial for constructing better futures. It also provides the motivation and courage to work towards these goals together.
- **Organising**: Optimising care, creative practices have the potential to inspire new methods of organisation, such as new communities, networks, and support systems, that contribute to transformative change.
- **Inspiring**: Creative practices can play a central role in motivating action that extends far beyond their immediate engagements, by offering emotional energy, ideas, and examples.

## CREATIVE PRACTICES CAN HELP STIMULATE CHANGES IN POWER

- **Co-creating**: By co-creating within creative practices people can imagine new futures, acquire new abilities, empathise with different perspectives, identify challenges and more.
- **Empowering**: Creative practices can be empowering by amplifying voices and perspectives within systems that often exclude them. Through creative practices people can develop their agency and feel empowered.
- Subverting: Since it is insufficient to only create new systems, creative practices can also be used to subvert and challenge the dominant ways of doing things.

## LET'S WORK TOGETHER TOWARDS A BETTER FUTURE!

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