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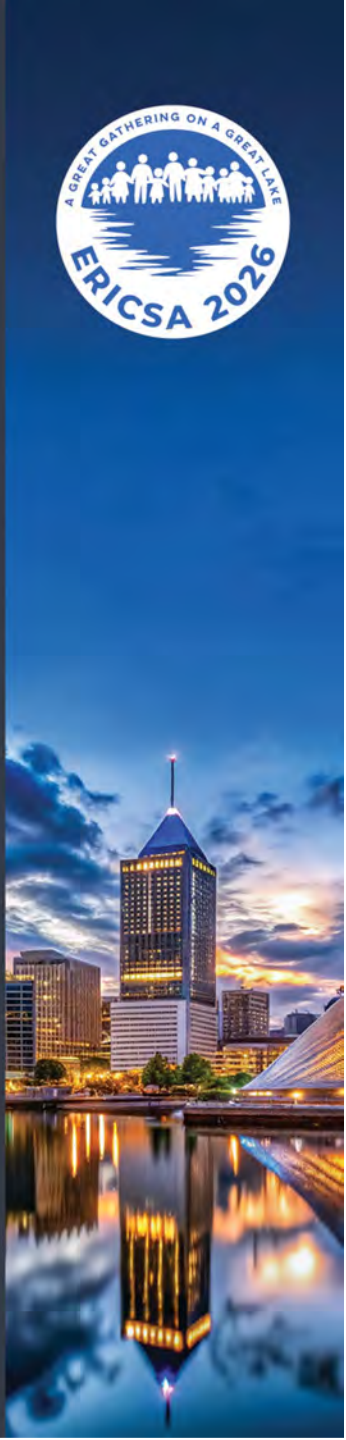
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RECONNECTING TO LAND AND STORY

Finding Peace and Healing

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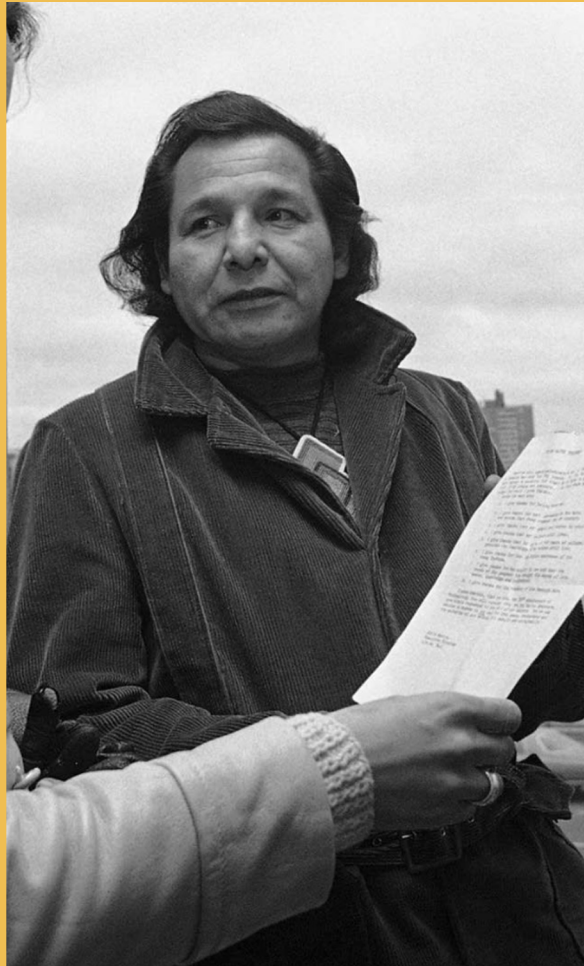
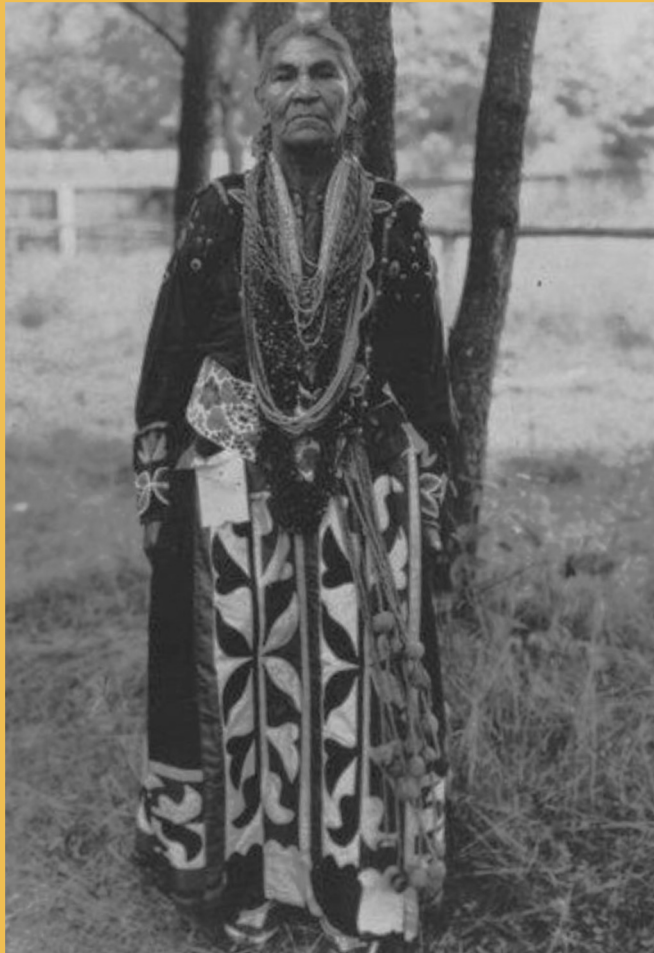


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Story is the foundation of our culture and identity, connecting us to our ancestors and to each other.



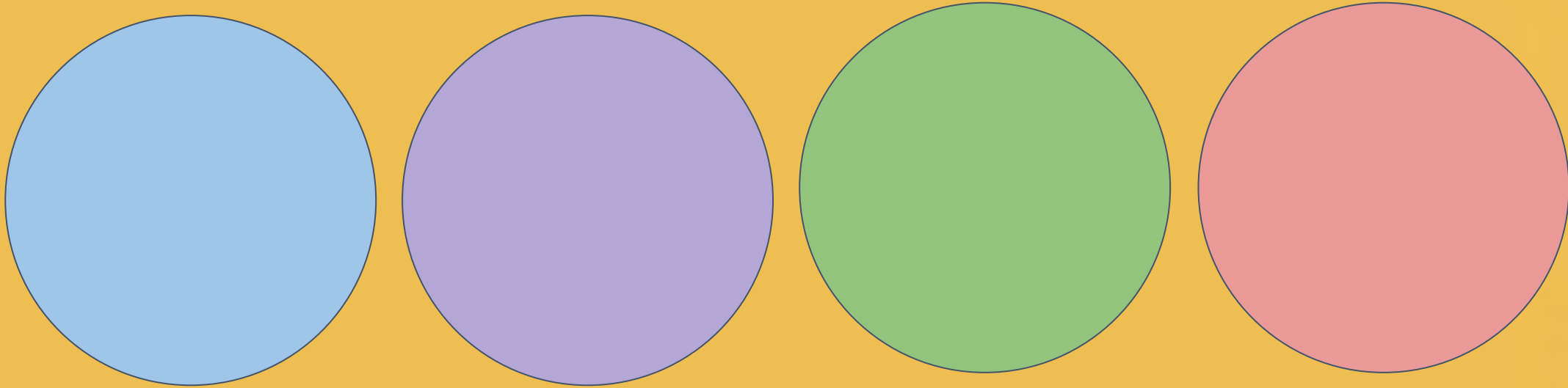
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UNDERSTANDING CULTURAL DIFFERENCES



Model for Cultural Differences by Dr. Arthur C. Jones



THE GOLDEN RULE

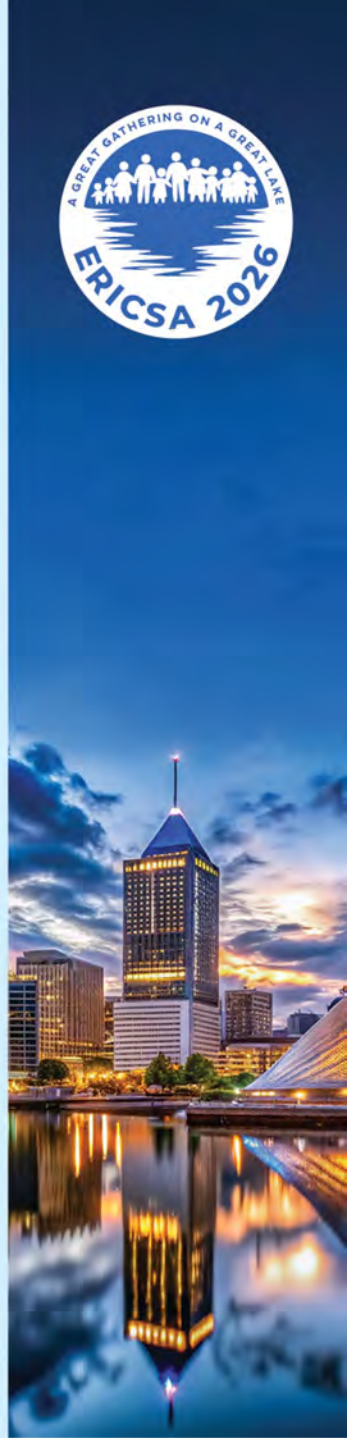


Matthew 7:12; the most famous statement in the Bible.



TRADITIONAL ECOLOGICAL KNOWLEDGE

The Natural World



PLACE-BASED EDUCATION

Respecting our place in the world.



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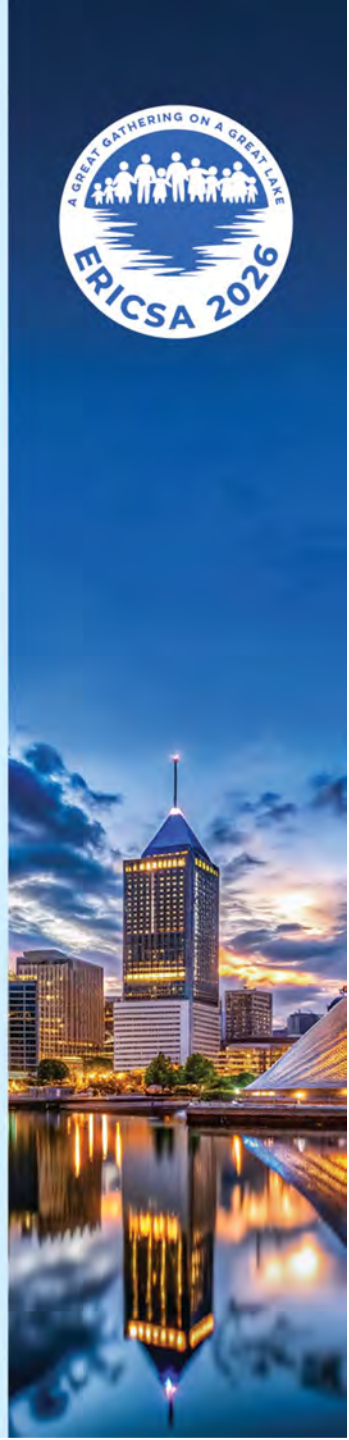
The words that come before all others.



SEVEN GIFTS OF THE GRANDFATHERS

How to be a good human being.

- Wisdom: To cherish knowledge is to know Wisdom.
- Love: To know Love is to know peace.
- Respect: To honour all of Creation is to have Respect.
- Bravery: Bravery is to face the foe with integrity.
- Honesty: Honesty in facing a situation is to be brave.
- Humility: Humility is to know yourself as a sacred part of Creation.
- Truth: Truth is to know all of these things



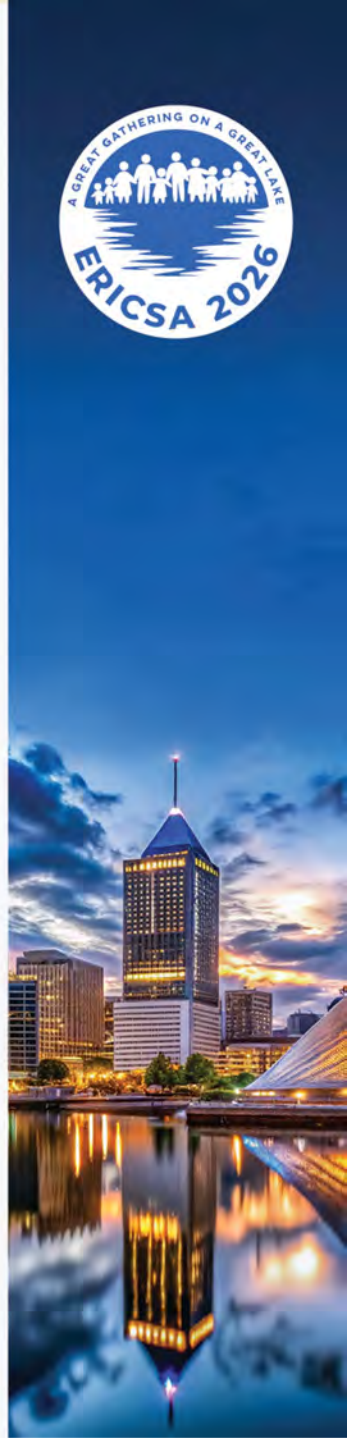
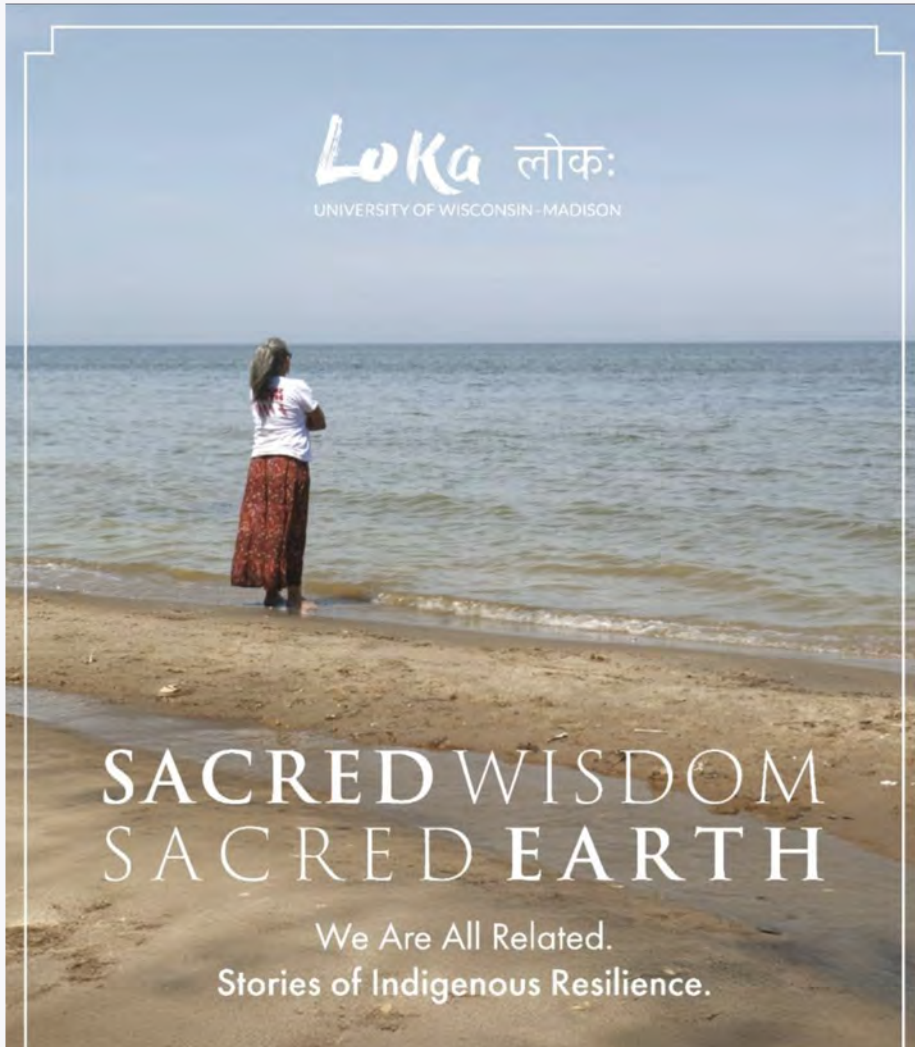
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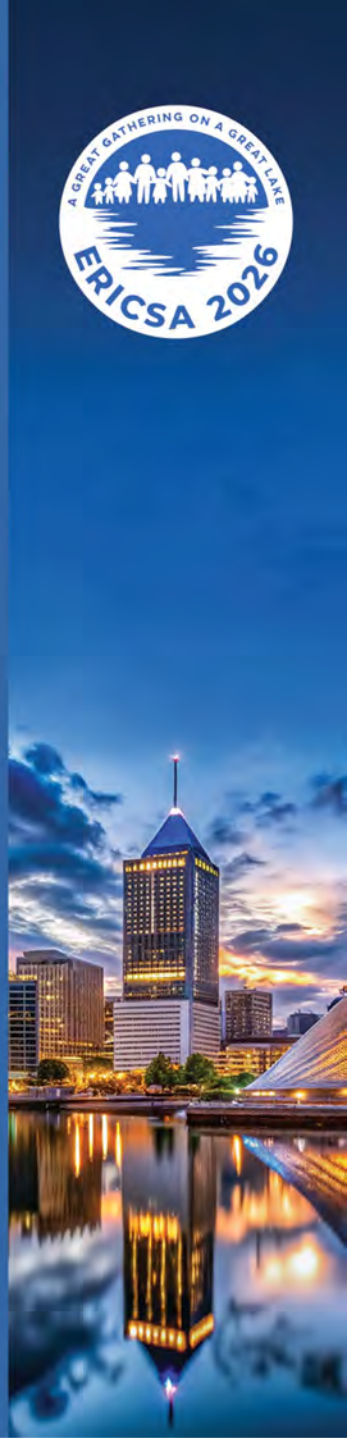


YOUR PERSPECTIVE MATTERS

What questions do you have?



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Bear Spirit by Norval Morrisseau

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