





**"If you want to know who  
you are and where you come  
from, follow the maíz."  
Roberto "Cintli" Rodriguez**

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# THE 7Rs OF INDIGENOUS KNOWLEDGE

Applied Indigenous Research Methodologies for Partnership Building & Leveraging Funds



## RELATIONSHIP.

"In Indigenous frameworks, relationships matter. Respectful, reciprocal, genuine relationships lie at the heart of community life and community development." (Smith, L., 1999, p. 125)



## RESPECT.

"Indigenous medicine is the relationship to the natural world and original instructions, including our respect for elders." (Aurelio Ramírez Cazarez et al, 2018)



## RESPONSIBILITY.

"What happens when hidden knowledge becomes public? How does this transformation of a Indigenous knowledge system impact the power of an Indigenous community or elders in controlling knowledge and/or its healing?" (Ramírez Cazarez et al, p. 38-39)



## RESISTANCE.

"There are no neutral spaces for the kind of work required to ensure that traditional knowledge flourishes.." (Smith, L., 1999, p. 226)



## RECIPROCITY.

"In any of our lifeways if we do not walk this path with the agreements you determine your own reciprocity." Maestra Sylvia Ledesma, 2019



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## REGENERATION.

"The research we do as Indigenous people is a ceremony that allows us a raised level of consciousness and insight into our world." (Wilson, S. 2008, p. 11)



## RESILIENCE.

"..I would venture to say that the best form of therapy is justice, and the inverse is also true; injustice will always breed extreme resentment, which is not healthy for anyone." (Rodriguez, R. 2019, p. 26)





**Individually:**

**What strategies do you use to  
build partnerships in your  
community?**

## **In Small Groups:**

**What are your best ideas, and how do they align with the 7 Rs?**

**Write your team's top 3 ideas on a large sticky note (one idea per sticky note) and place it on the wall**

- **What about aligning the 7 Rs in partnership building stands out for you?**
- **What excites you about this approach?**
- **How would you summarize what you discussed with someone not here in this session?**
- **What might you do differently when thinking about building partnerships?**



Thank you!

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