

# School Librarians As Facilitators of Learning

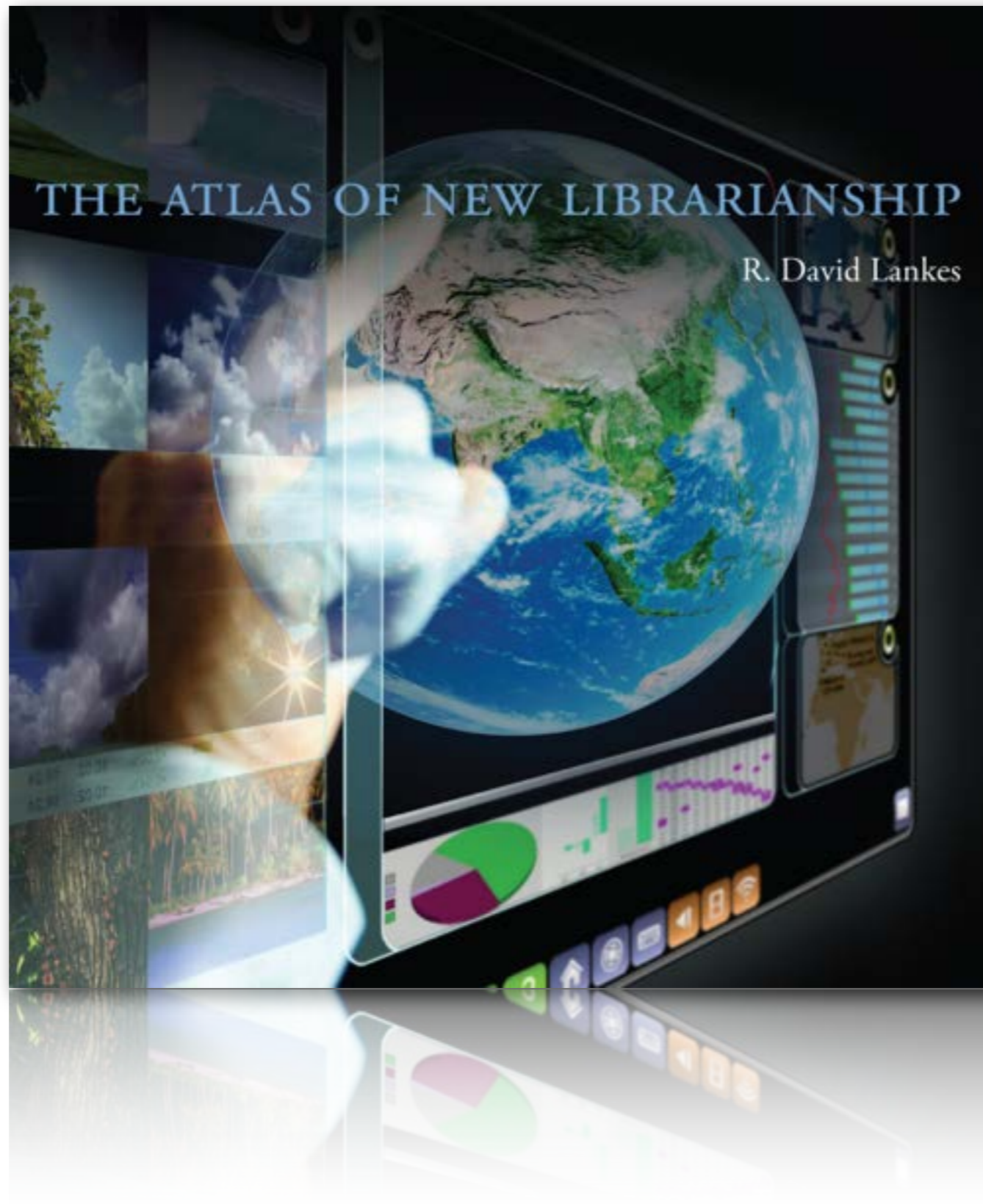
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# THE ATLAS OF NEW LIBRARIANSHIP

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Examples



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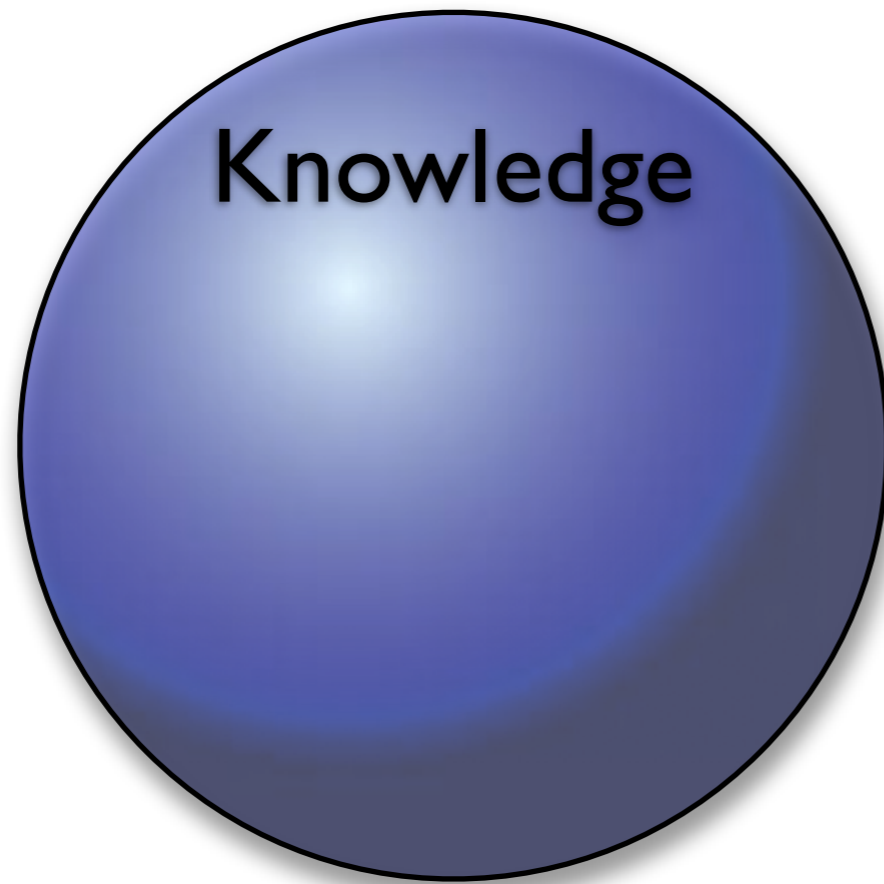
Examples + Why

**“Librarians are educators in that they are in the learning business. They are not, however, teachers.”**

*-Atlas of New Librarianship pg. 176*

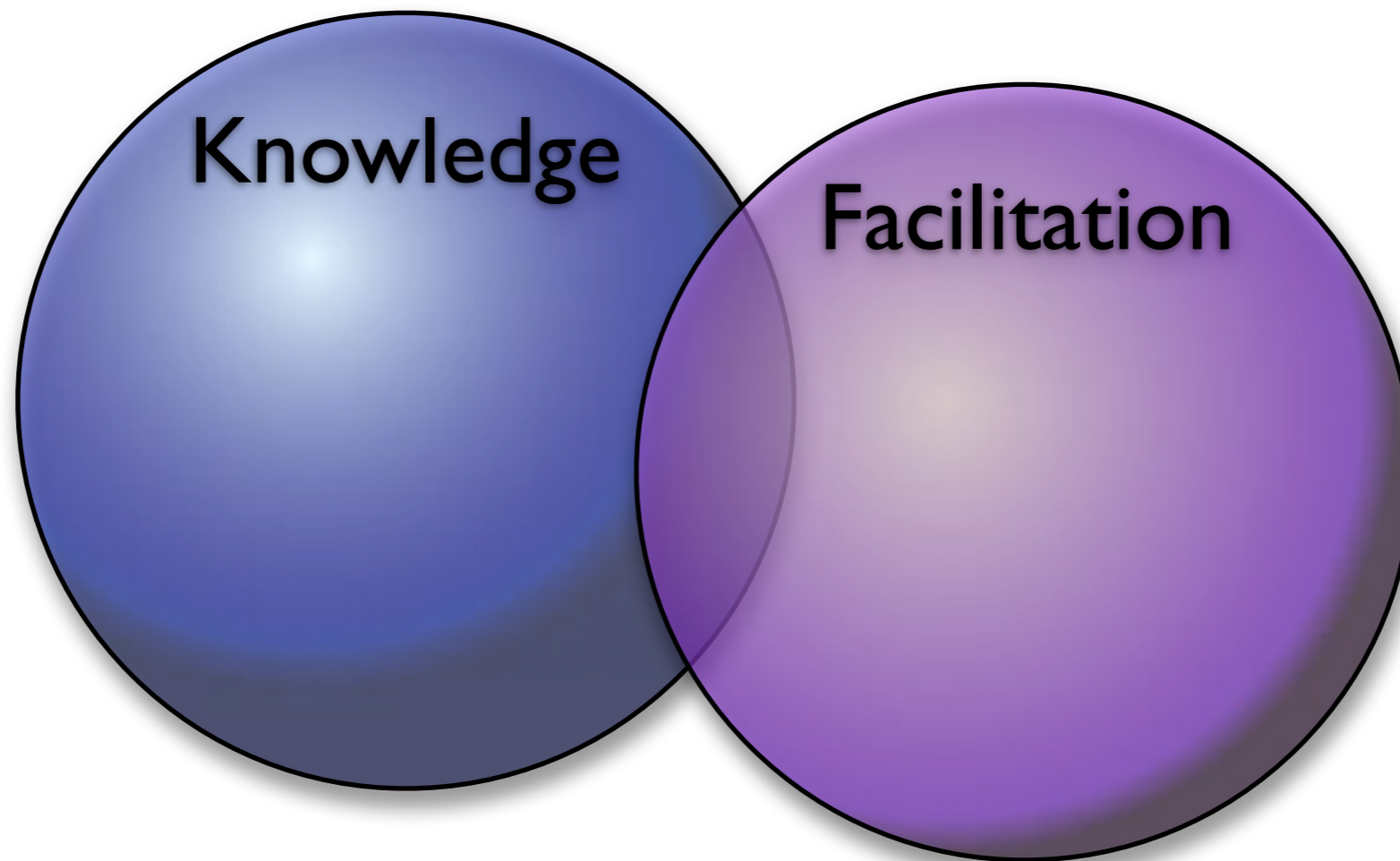
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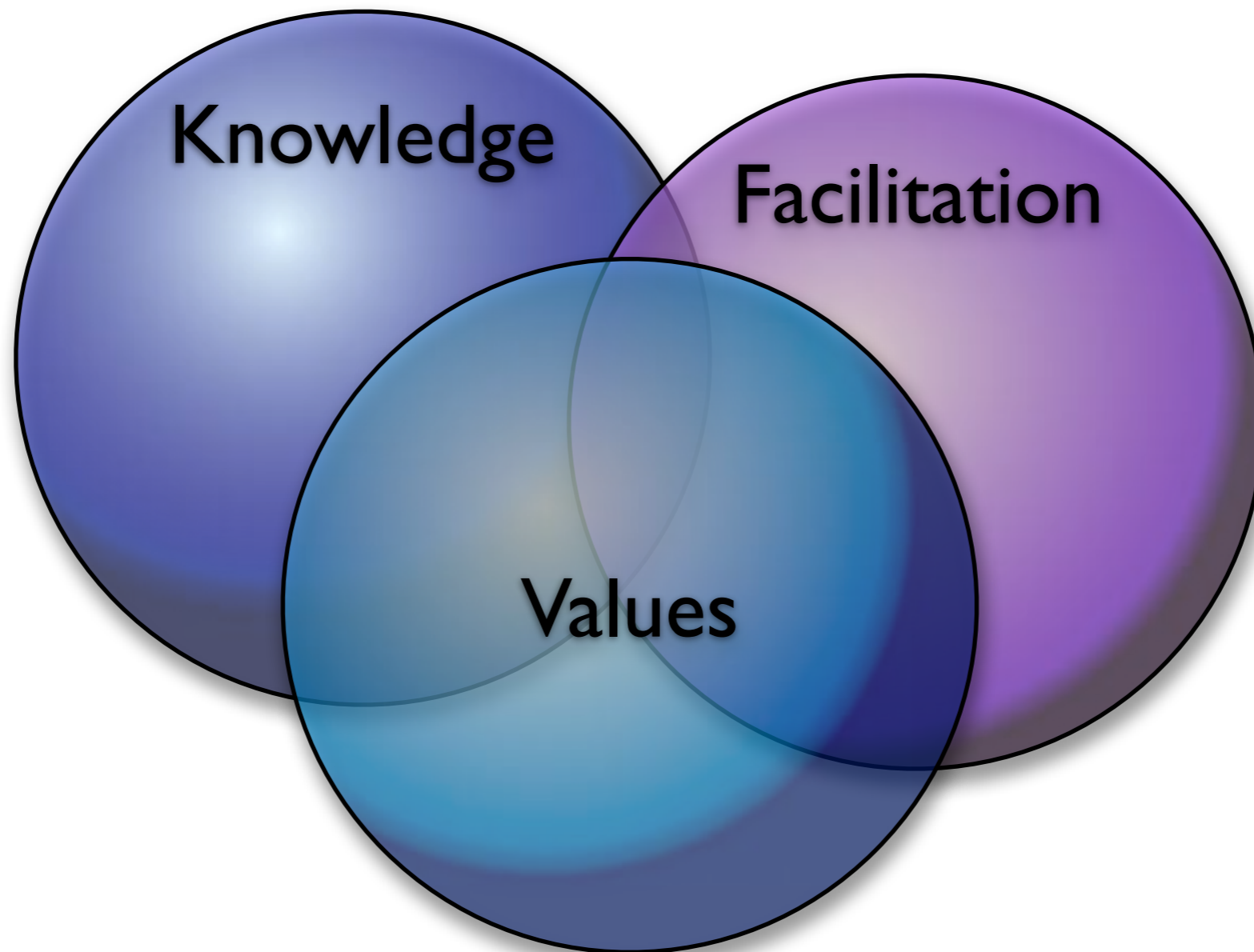


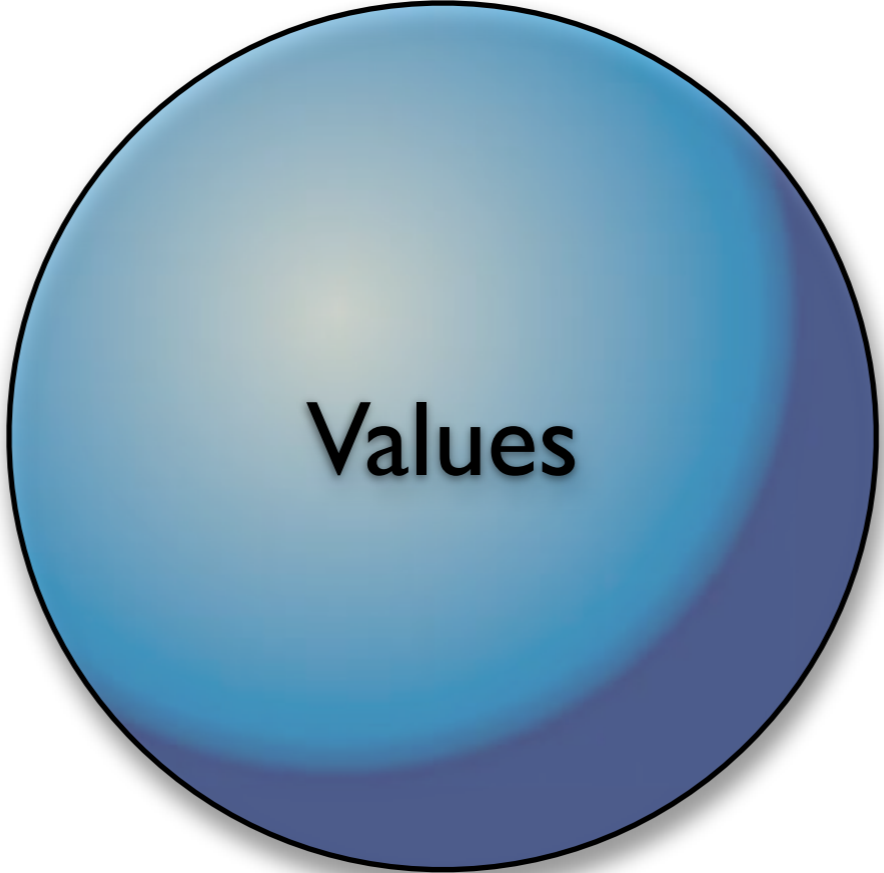


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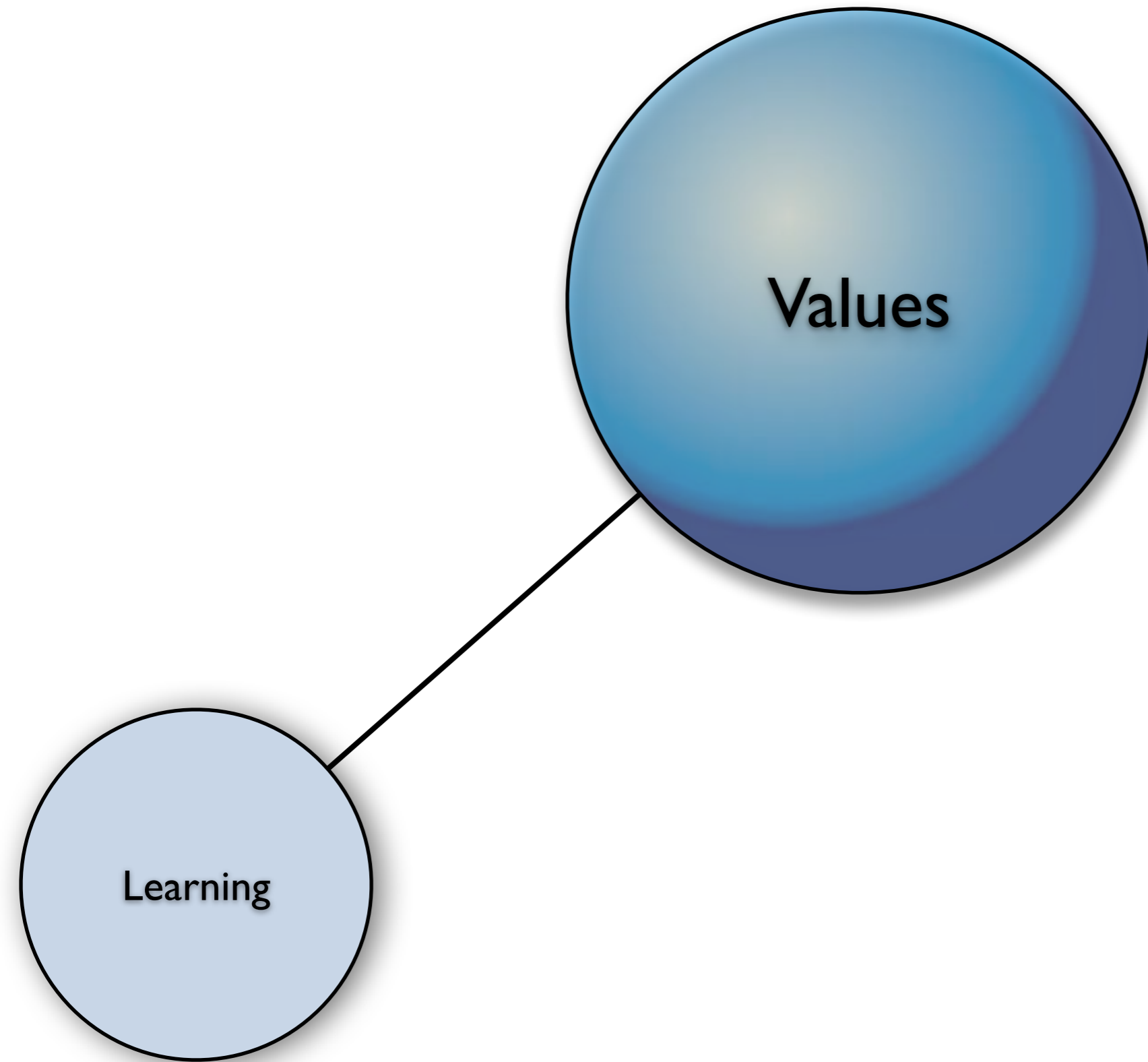


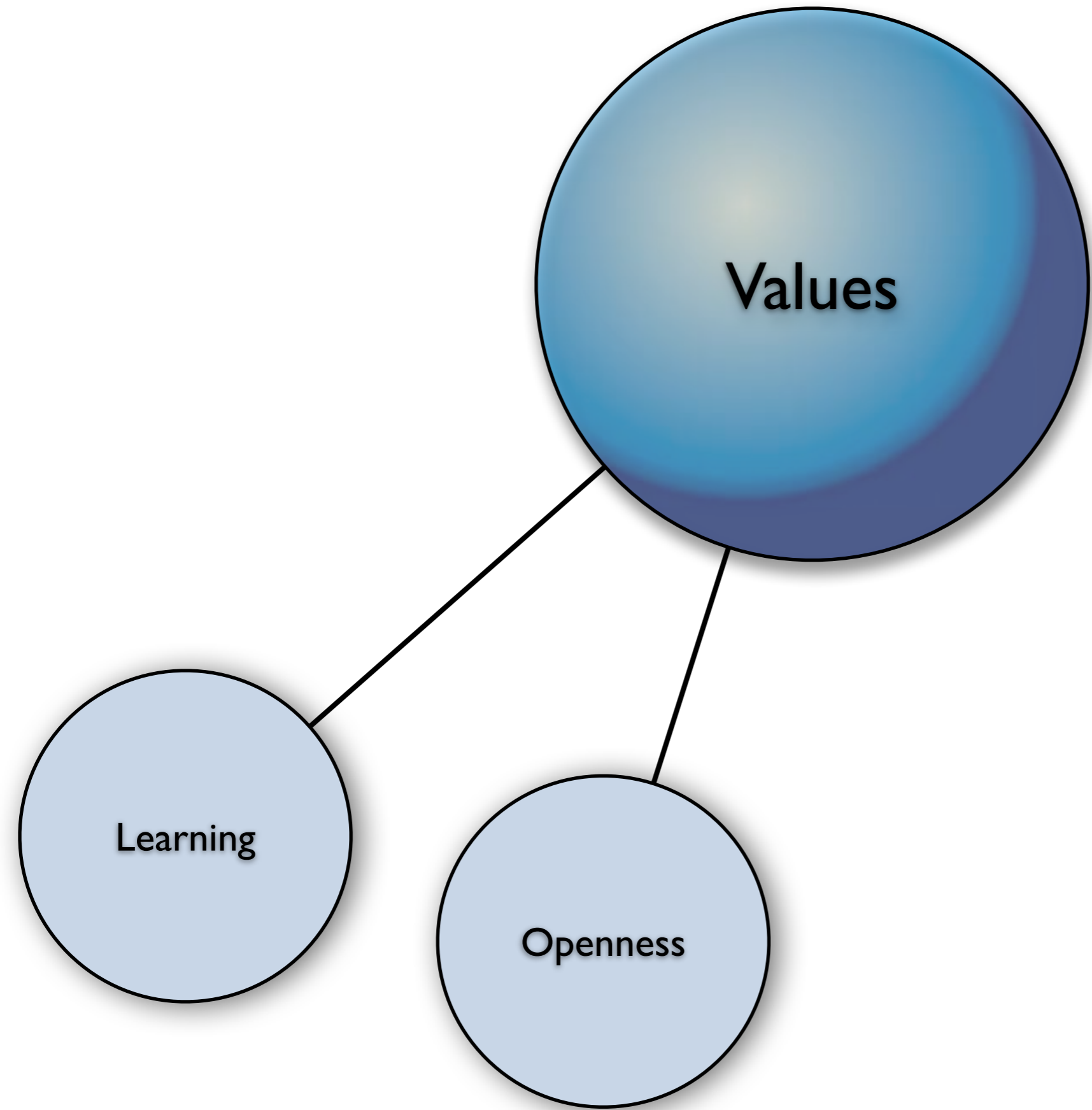
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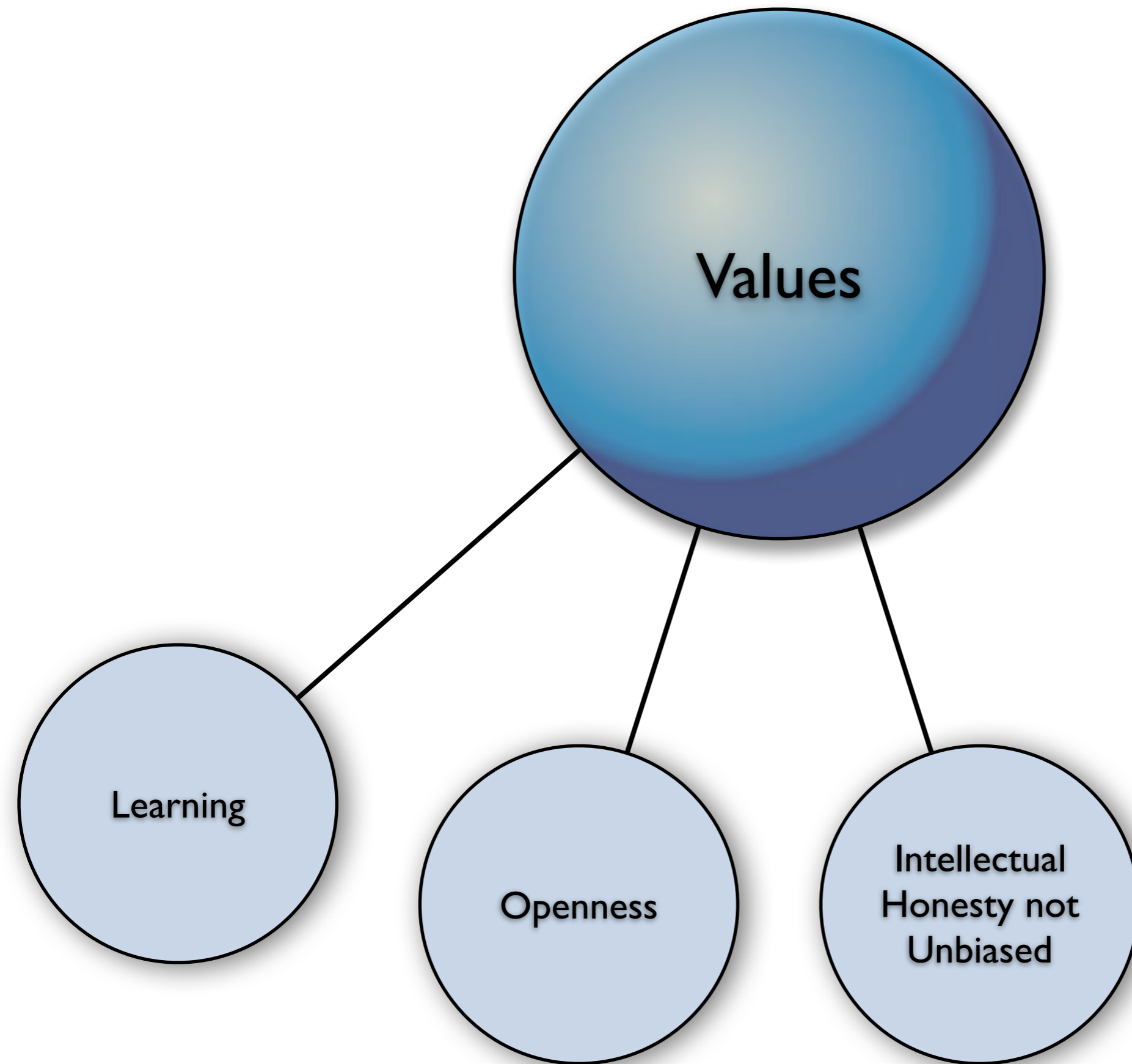




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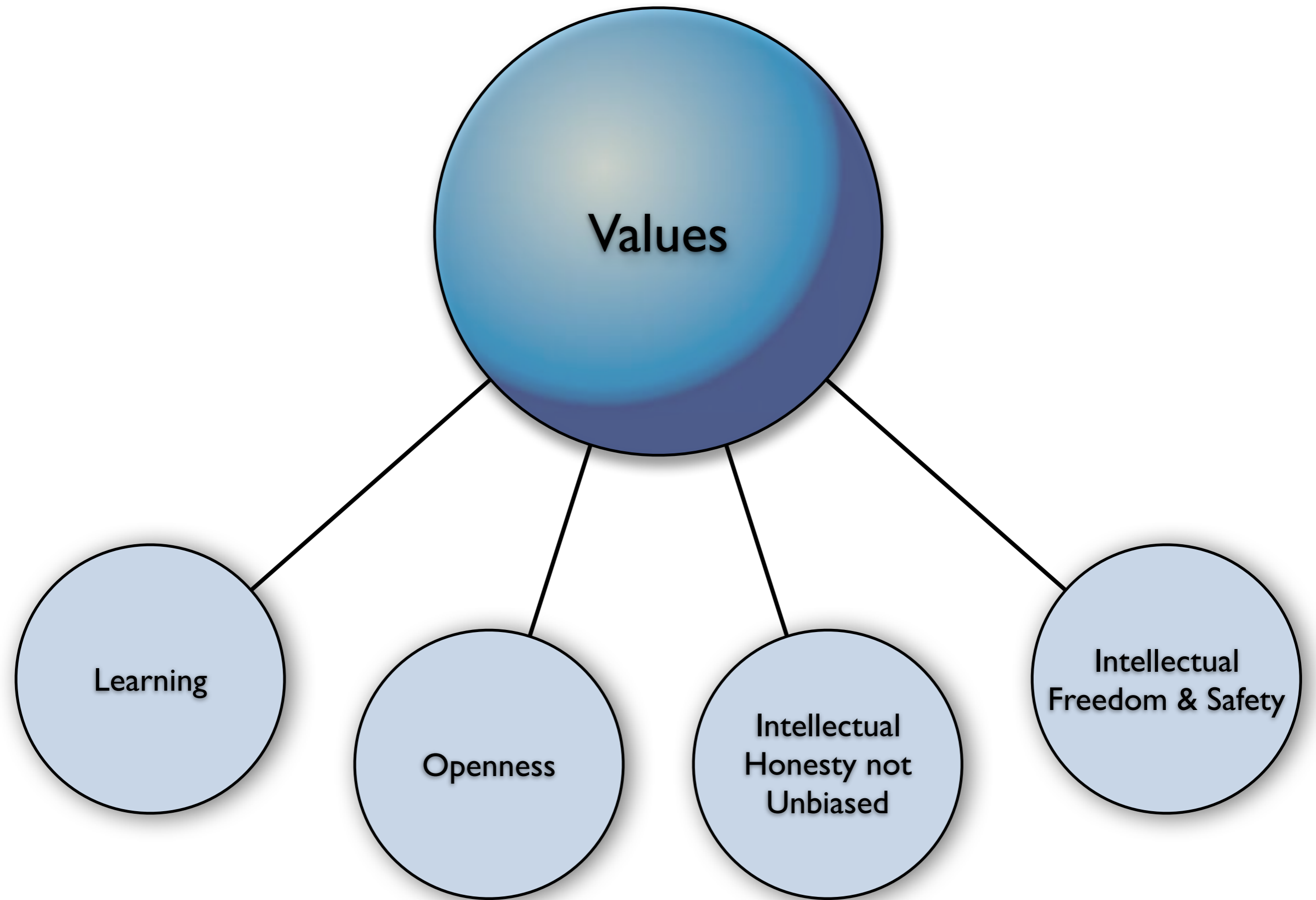


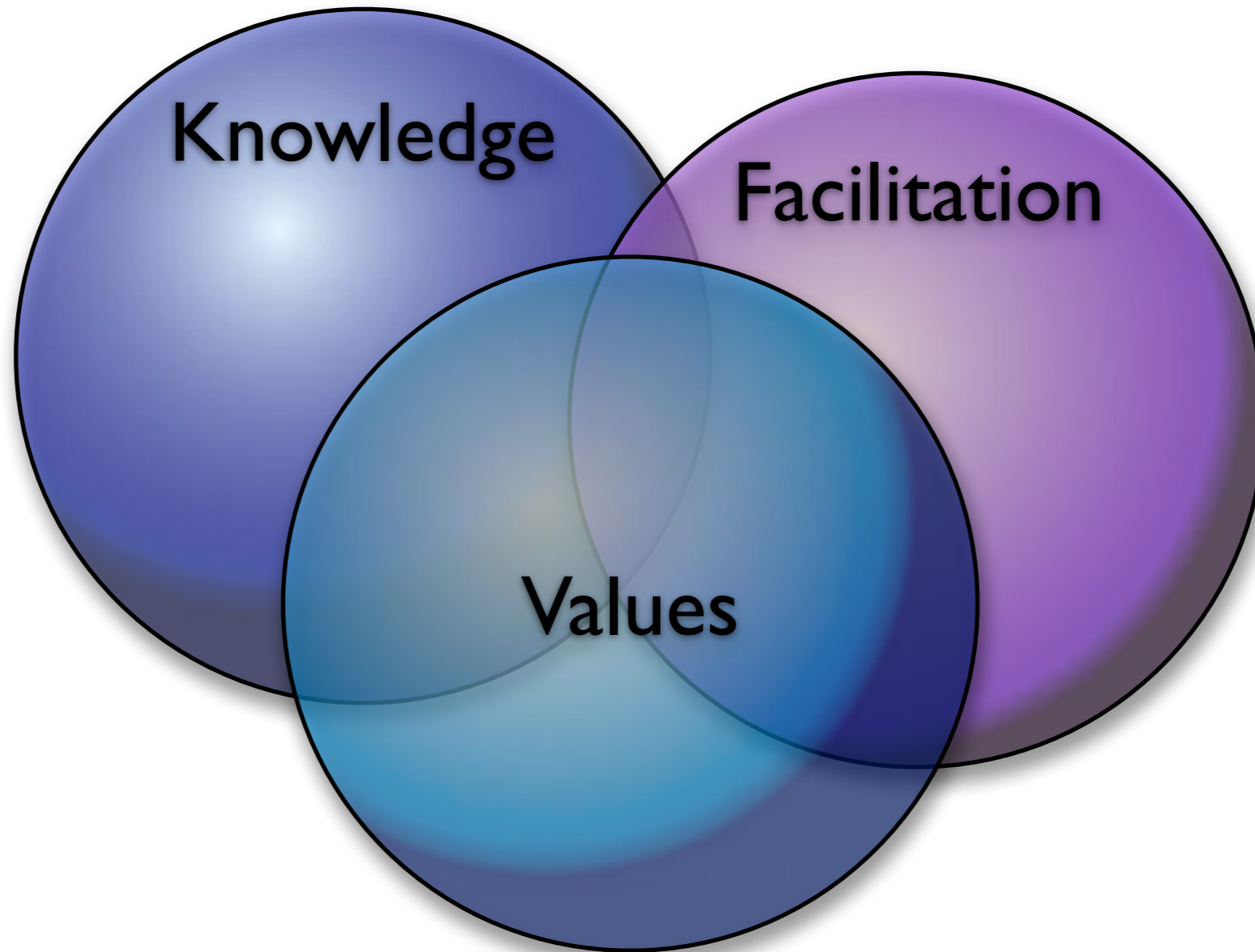
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Learning

Openness

Intellectual  
Honesty not  
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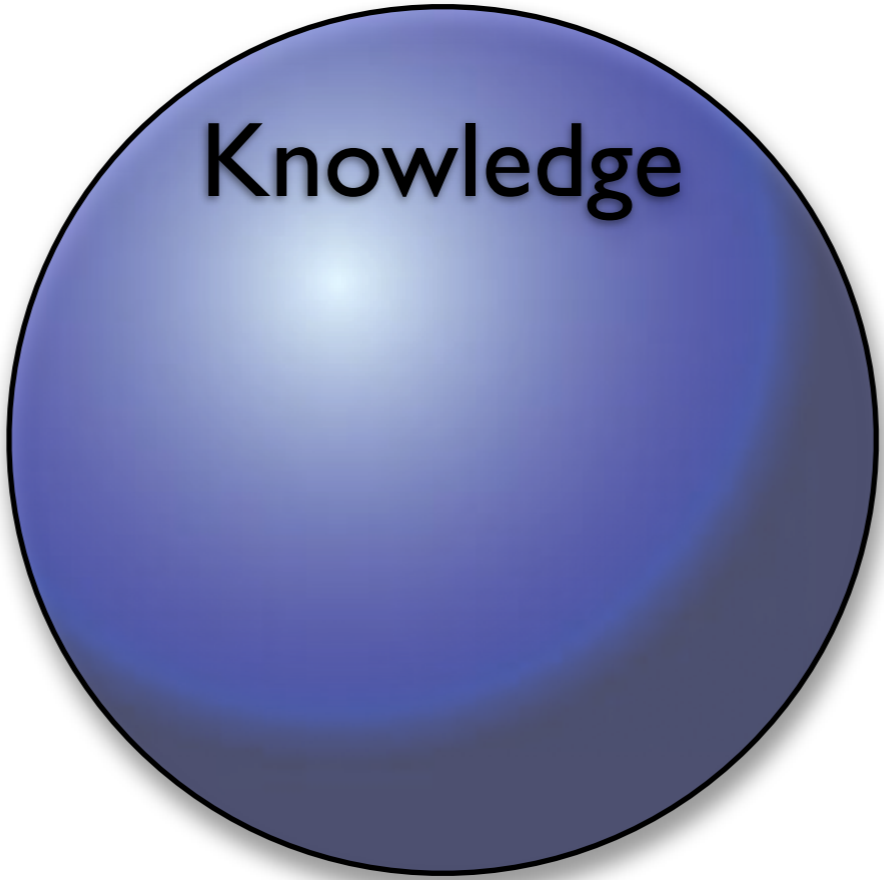






Knowledge

Uniquely Human



Knowledge





# Origin of Printing

# Artifact to be Preserved



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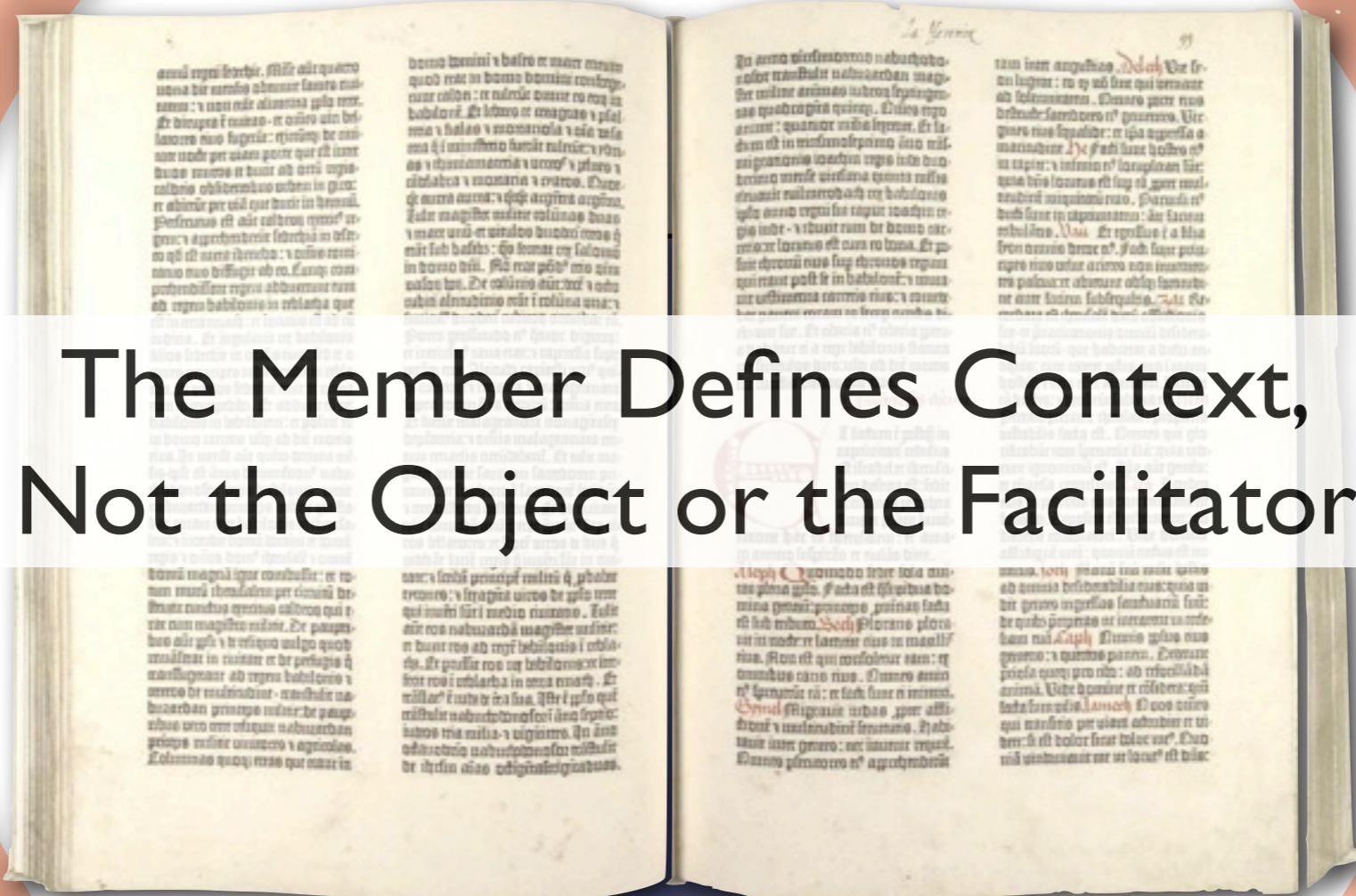
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The Member Defines Context,  
Not the Object or the Facilitator

Religious Truth





**Knowledge**

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**Knowledge**

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From Conversation





**Knowledge**

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From Conversation  
Relational

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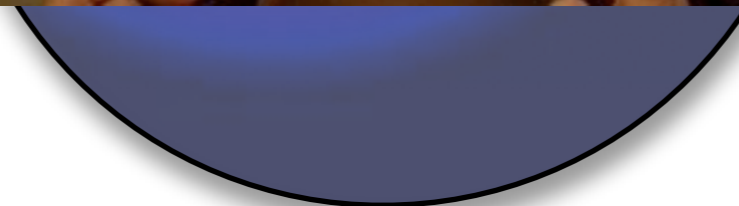
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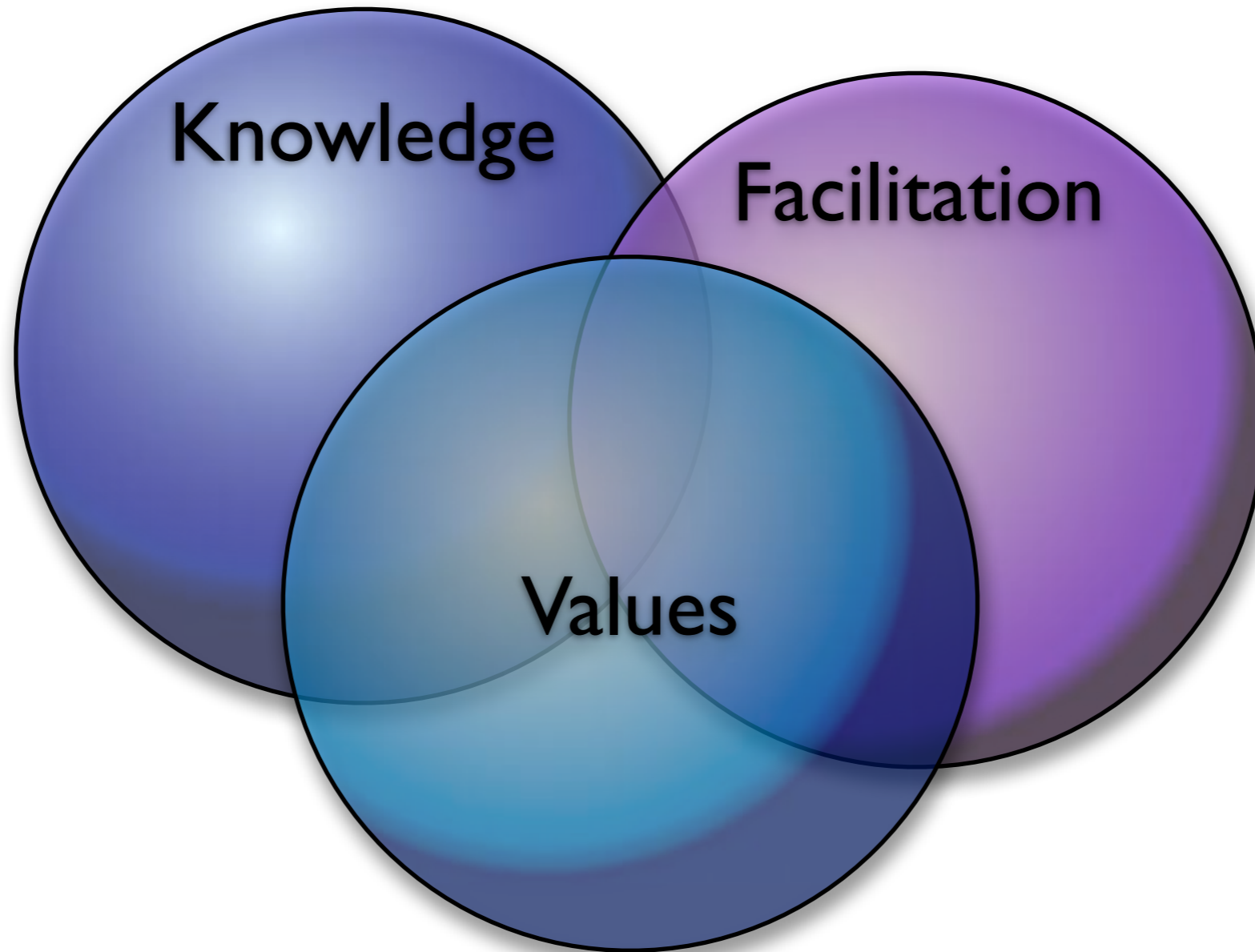
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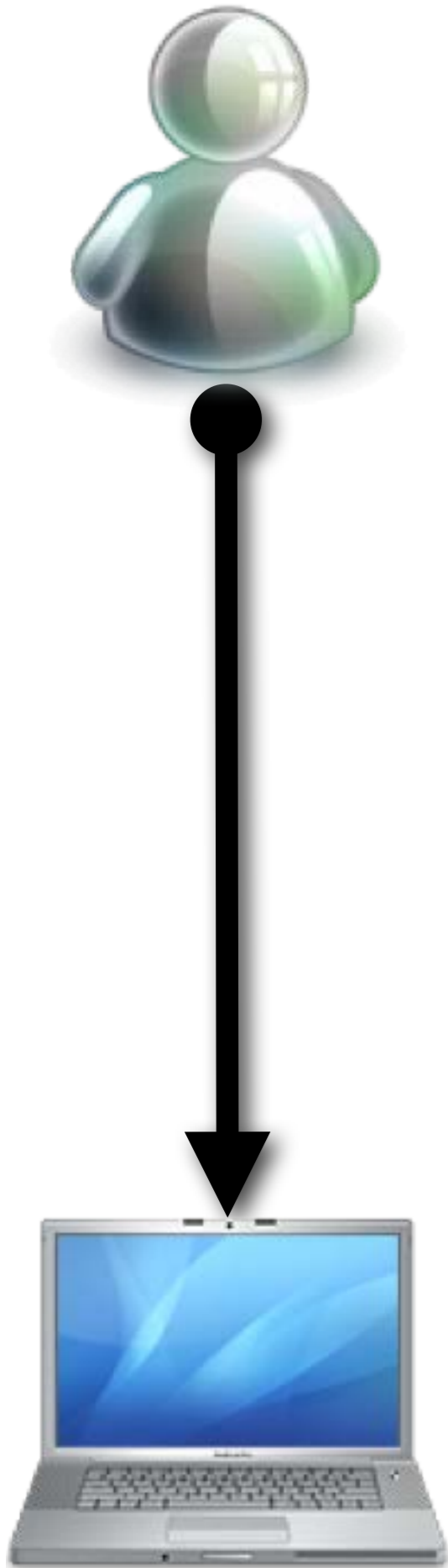


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Facilitation

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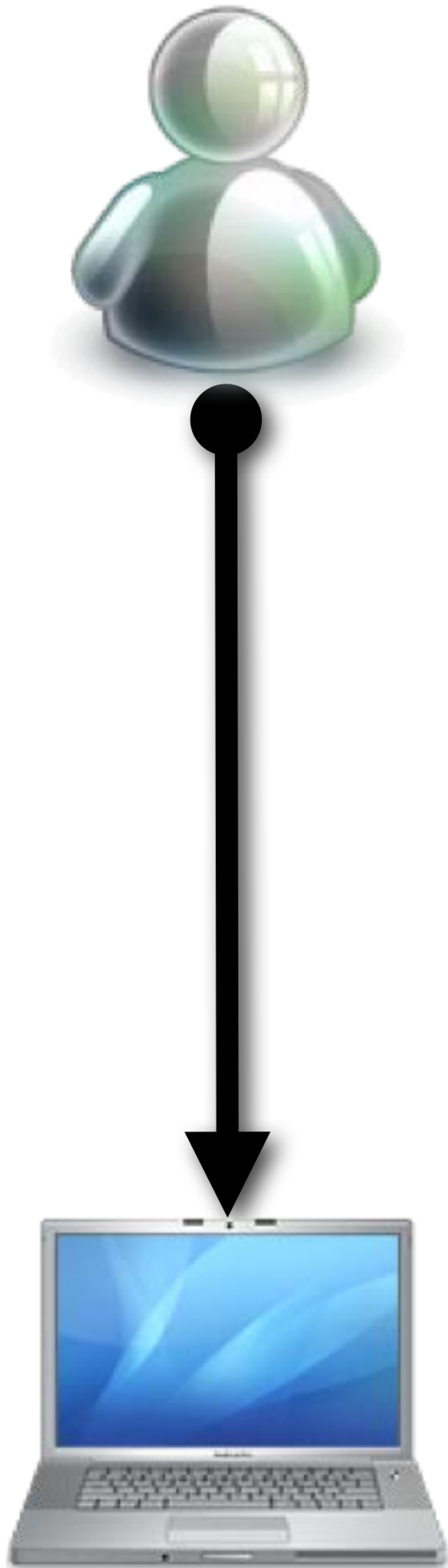
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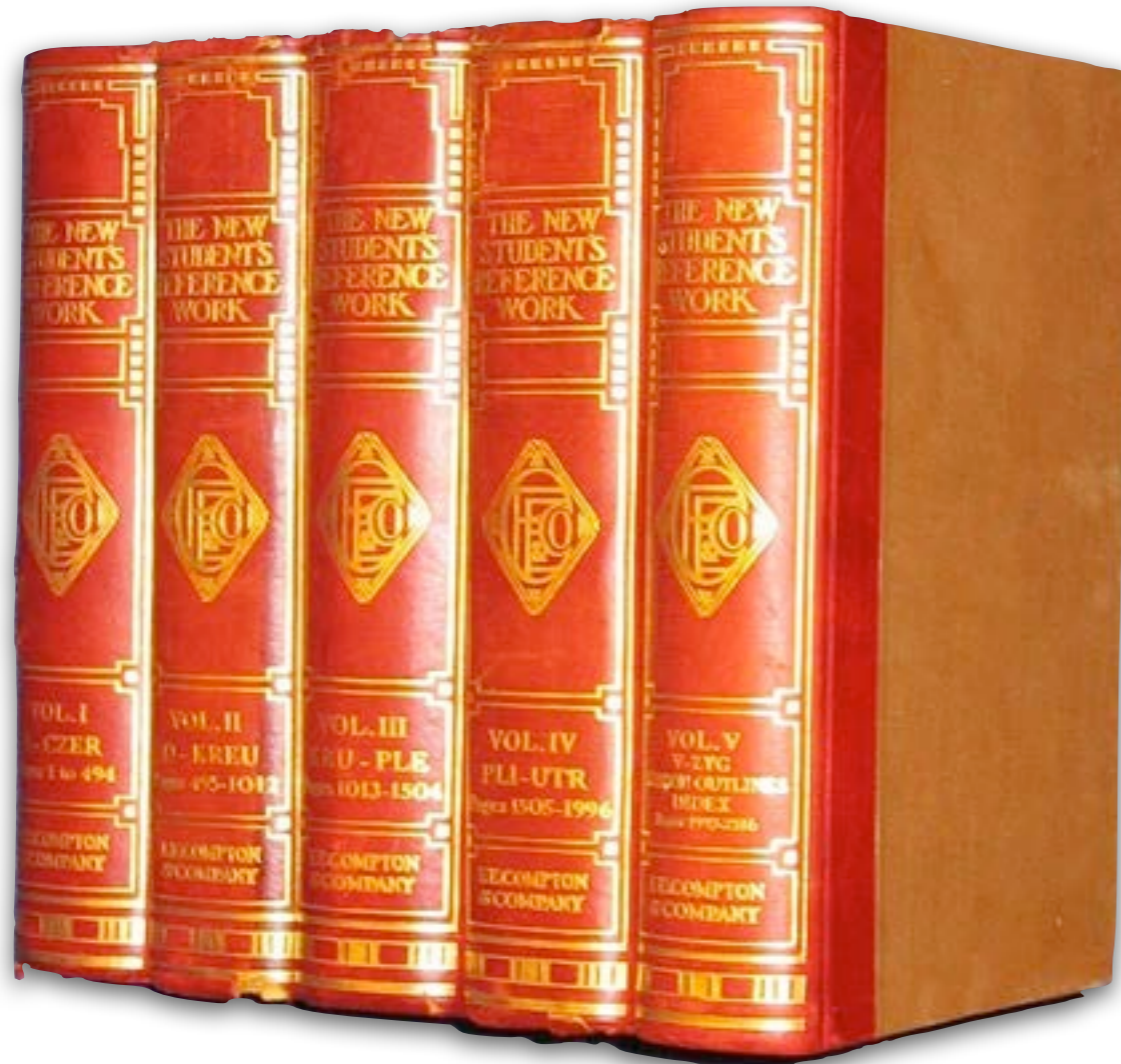
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# ACCESS

# KNOWLEDGE/TRAINING

# ENVIRONMENT

safe•ty | 'sāftē |

noun (pl. **safeties**)

**1** the condition of being protected from or unlikely to cause danger, risk, or injury: *they should leave for their own safety* | *the survivors were airlifted to safety.*

- [ as modifier ] denoting something designed to prevent injury or damage: *a safety barrier* | *a safety helmet.*
- short for **SAFETY LOCK**.
- informal a condom.

**2** Football a defensive back who normally is positioned well behind the line of scrimmage.

- a play in which the offense downs the ball (by action of the defense, or intentionally) in their own end zone, scoring two points for the defense.

PHRASES

**safety first** used to advise caution.

**there's safety in numbers** proverb being in a group of people makes you feel more confident or secure about taking action.

ORIGIN Middle English: from Old French *sauvete*, from medieval Latin *salvitas*, from Latin *salvus* 'safe.'

# MOTIVATION

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# Increasingly Regimented Curriculum

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Inquiry Based

# I Believe...

- Best Days of Librarianship are Ahead of Us
- We are the Right Profession, Uniquely Positioned to Lead in the Knowledge Age
- However, It is Not our Collections, but our Communities that Insure This Future



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