



From Strangers to Collaborators:

EVALUATING THE PROCESS OF TRANSFORMATIVE PHENOMENOLOGY
AND CONTEMPLATIVE RESEARCH ACROSS CULTURES

Somatics Workshop & Research Symposium
Faculty of Economics and Sociology, University of Łódź, Poland
May 13 to May 17, 2019

The Lodz symposium will bring together an international community with an interest in contemplative social research. Participants will continue to build a community-of-practice as they share insights into experiences of collaborating with strangers across cultures through Transformative Phenomenology.

Experience an intensive somatics workshop and research symposium. Understand the foundations of somatics, phenomenology and communicative leadership in raising consciousness for social and ecological justice.

Join a multi-national and multi-institutional participatory action research study that includes Fielding Graduate University, the University of Łódź, and the University of the Virgin Islands.

The focus of the research is on the phenomenon of being a “stranger” while building collaboration across cultures. The core participants will include doctoral and master’s students, alumni, and professors from all three universities. All other interested people are invited to participate.

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