The
Onlife
Manifesto

Being Human in a
Hyperconnected Era

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1. What happens to us?

2. Three forms of otherness

3. Concrete consequences

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The **sky** is the limit

The **earth** is the limit

The **self** is the limit

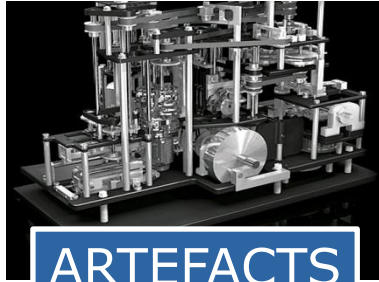Enlightenment

Sustainability

Hyperconnectivity

XVIII century

XX century

XXI century

ARTEFACTS

The other as an object

The self as manipulative

CONTROL

Instrumentality

Attribute (what)

Predictability

"VERTICAL" OTHERNESS

AGENTS

The other as a self

The self as plural

In need of each other to know who we are and experience freedom

ATTENTION
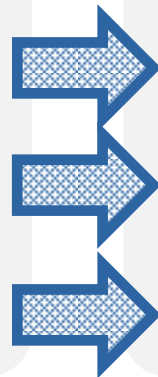
Equality	⇒	Equal
Specificity (who)	⇒	Unique
Reflectivity	⇒	Relational

"HORIZONTAL" OTHERNESS

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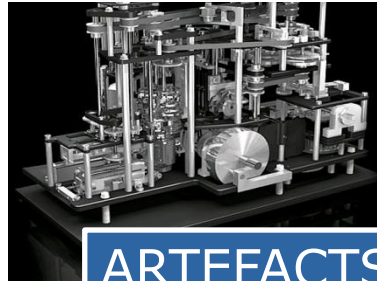
AGENTS   vs   ARTEFACTS   vs   NATURE

HORIZONTAL

VERTICAL

CIRCULAR

The other as a self
The self as plural

The other as an object
The self as manipulative

The other as environment
The self as earth-bound

Attention
Who are you?

Control
What is it?

Exploration/
Orientation
Where am I?

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Axiomatic reset

OO UTOPIA
Control
Obedience

"VERTICAL" OTHERNESS

"HORIZONTAL" OTHERNESS

"CIRCULAR" OTHERNESS

Plurality
Innovation

Natality
Hyperconnected
nature

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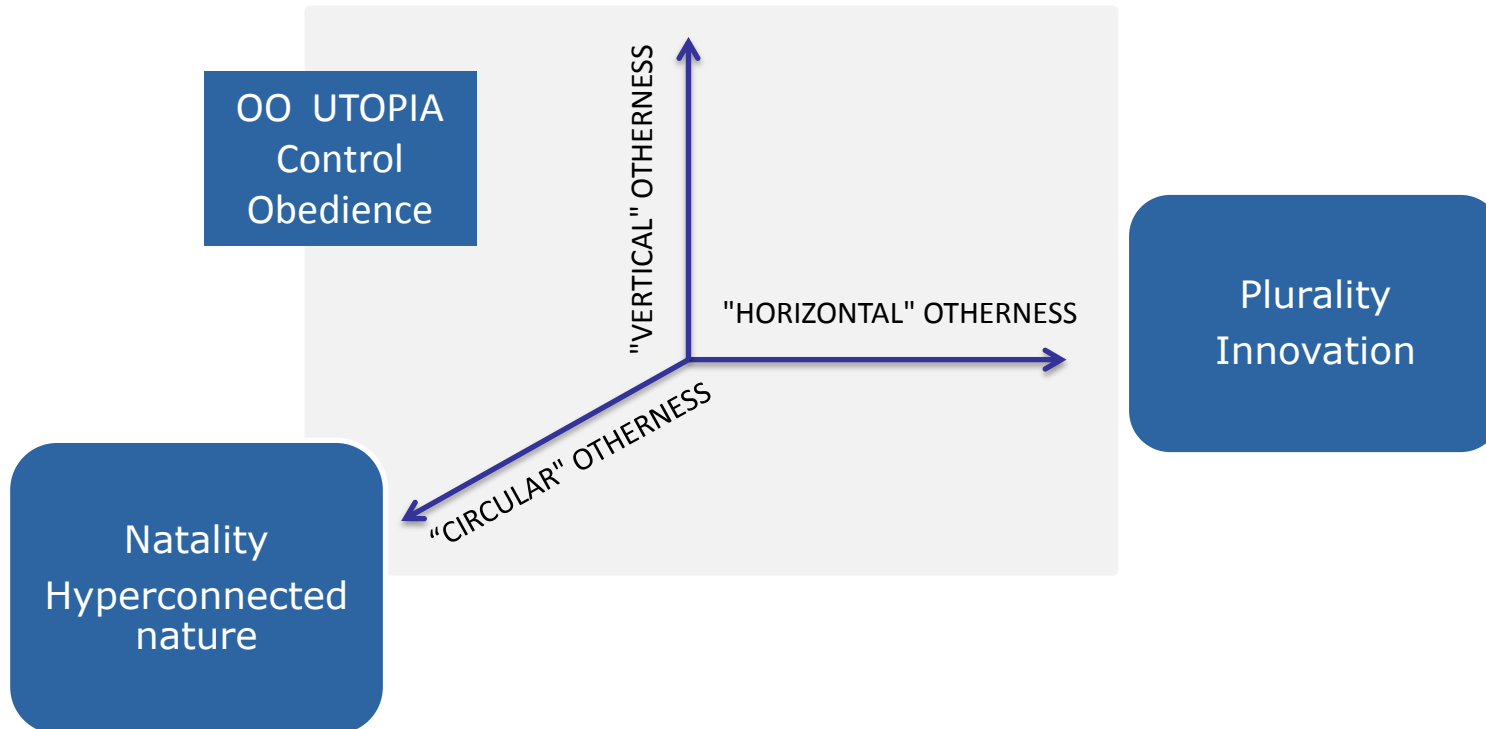
Becoming a digitally literate society

Avoid fooling

Pre-digital: regulated &
socially managed

Digital?   new literacy=
Conditions for contextual integrity?

Notice of profiling/IP tracking ?

Environment "made up for me" or not?
Recognize when recognized.
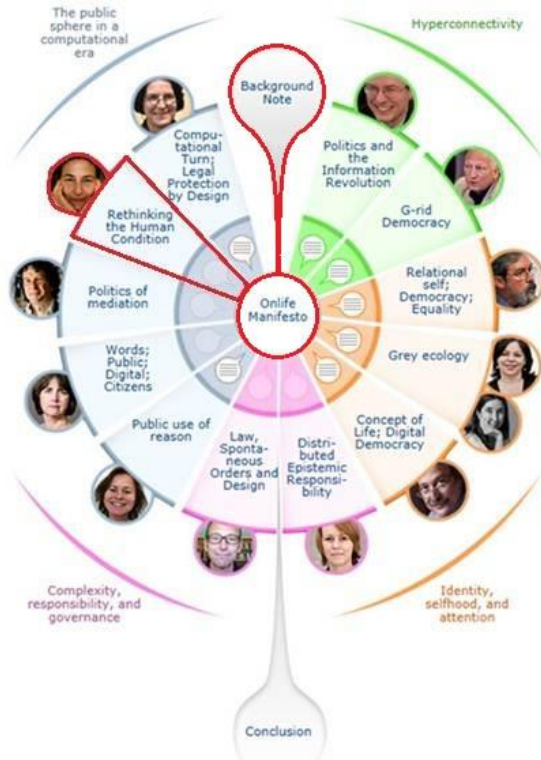
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Nurture and cherish attention

-Joint attention: the fluid enabling plurality

-Protect joint attention so that we can remain agents, ie engage in relationship with each other on a plurality mode, and not on a functionality mode.

Dignity · Freedoms · Equality · Solidarity · Citizens' rights · Justice

THE CHARTER OF FUNDAMENTAL RIGHTS OF THE EUROPEAN UNION

Attention part of integrity (article 3)?

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•http://ec.europa.eu/digital-agenda/en/onlife-initiative
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•https://ec.europa.eu/digital-agenda/futurium/en/content/onlife-manifesto-being-human-hyperconnected-era

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