

CO-CREATIVE POWER DEFINITIONS

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Word	Definitions
Co-Creative Power (Ability, Force, Energy, Strength)	The ability to act and perform collectively to address common issues, needs and goals, i.e., collective energy, strength, force.
Co-Creation (Process)	(verb - to co-create) Co-creative power is generated through the process of 'co-creation' - tapping collective intelligence, knowledge, creativity, and wisdom. Co-creation involves collective learning and collaborative creativity by the interconnected members in a system or community.
Co-Creation (Result)	(noun –a 'co-creation) Collective creativity expressed as intelligence or innovation / change. The result of co-creation is the generation of new knowledge and understanding, which can lead to innovation (i.e. novel forms and creative solutions by individual members, alliances and partnerships, or the system as a whole).
Co-Creativity (Capacity)	Co-creative capacity, or co-creativity, is the ability of members of different groups, organizations or networks to harness co-creative power in order to act together on common issues, needs and goals.
Co-Creative Engagement	Co-creative engagement refers to multi-stakeholder engagement around complex, cross boundary issues, problems and opportunities where stakeholders come together as valid and essential members of a larger system or network, to learn together, in order that individual members, and the system as a whole evolve optimally and sustainably over time. The process involves network formation, collective learning, and innovation.
Collective Intelligence	The capacity of human communities to evolve towards higher order complexity and integration through collaboration and innovation. (Source: Collective Intelligence blog- http://www.community-intelligence.com/blogs/public/)
Complexity Intelligence	A term used to describe the integration of reasoning ability, emotional maturity and social capacities needed to meet our current societal and organizational challenges. <i>Complexity intelligence</i> is a natural human capacity that will emerge, given the appropriate balance of challenge and support. (http://www.integrativelearninginstitute.com/fieldsoflearning.htm#Complexity%20Intelligence)
Community	An interconnected group of people with a shared interest in an issue or place.
Collaboration	Collaboration involves working with others for mutual benefit, i.e., 'win-win' outcomes.