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"Forbes Trailblazer, 20-book author, and Holocaust educator Deborah Levine on the storytelling methodology built to help people navigate difference – and why it starts with listening."

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Editor's Letter



Dear Readers,

Some careers defy summary. Deborah Levine's is one of them. A Harvard Radcliffe education in Folklore and Mythology. A documentary that has screened in sixteen international film festivals. Twenty published books spanning memoir, Holocaust education, children's literature, and leadership methodology. The Matrix Model Management System, invented in the aftermath of September 11th and now being presented at international AI conferences. Nineteen years of editorial leadership at American Diversity Report. A Baroque Dance Company. A father who was a Ritchie Boy. And beneath all of it, a single, sustained conviction: that storytelling is the most powerful technology available to human beings for the work of understanding across difference, and that understanding across difference is the most urgent challenge facing human beings right now.

In the ten journeys that follow, we have tried to honour both the extraordinary breadth and the deep coherence of Deborah Levine's five-decade career the thread of storytelling, cultural intelligence, and cross-cultural empathy that runs through the Baroque Dance Company and the AI conference, the WWII documentary and the children's coloring book, the Harvard folklore major and the hate crime council. This is a feature written for everyone who believes that restoring our humanity is not merely an aspiration but an obligation and who needs, perhaps, the evidence and the language to say so with the weight it deserves.

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The name is chosen with precision. Matrix Algebra is the mathematical foundation of computer programming a system for processing multiple simultaneous relationships without collapsing their complexity. Levine chose it because it reflects the genuine nature of cross-cultural communication: not a linear journey from misunderstanding to understanding, but a multi-dimensional system that must be held whole. The framework is grounded in the cultural anthropology of Claude Lévi-Strauss and in the pioneering neurodiversity work of her mother, who published research in a 1940s Yale academic journal and read Victorian folk tales aloud to a toddler who would begin reading at age two and never stop.

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Deborah Levine — Scholar · Author · Educator · Futurist · Holocaust Witness · Interfaith Builder · Artist

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- *Organisations American Diversity Report (AmericanDiversityReport.com) | Deborah Levine Enterprises LLC*
- *Signature Work Matrix Model Management System — proprietary cross-cultural cognitive framework, invented post-9/11*
- *Documentary Untold, Stories of a World War II Liberator — 16 international film festival screenings*
- *Platform American Diversity Report — 19 years, 1,500+ articles, global writers' colony, podcast, 5,000+ LinkedIn members*
- *AI Work International AI conference speaker on cross-cultural intelligence | Outlier AI consultant | Bunny Bear Adventures in Diversity Land (AI video stories)*
- *Interfaith Founded DuPage Interfaith Resource Network (17+ faith traditions) | Director, Interreligious Affairs, American Jewish Committee | Hate crime councils in Oklahoma and Chattanooga*

The Matrix Model Management System: named for Matrix Algebra the basis of computer programming to reflect the genuine complexity of cross-cultural communication. Grounded in the cultural anthropology of Claude Lévi-Strauss and the pioneering neurodiversity work of Levine's mother (published in a 1940s Yale academic journal). Applied for 35 years across organisations, leadership programmes, interfaith coalitions, educational institutions, and now AI conferences. One framework. Unlimited applications. One purpose: building the human capacity to navigate difference with intelligence, empathy, and genuine connection.

The Matrix Model

A Cognitive Innovation Born from the Ashes of September 11th

When Dialogue Was No Longer Enough

One month before the September 11th attacks, Deborah Levine had founded the Women's Council on Diversity in Chattanooga, Tennessee a city whose diverse cultural communities lived, in her observation, in uncomfortable proximity without meaningful exchange. The Council had been using storytelling to develop speaking and listening skills and bring diverse women together across the fault lines of culture, faith, and background. It was working, in the limited way that dialogue always works when the conditions are still relatively stable. Then the towers fell, and dialogue was no longer enough.

The attacks made urgent what had previously been merely important. The diverse cultures of Chattanooga a small Southern city with more cultural complexity than its size might suggest needed not just conversation but a common language, and not just a common language but a framework for decision-making under pressure. Unity against hostile forces was desperately needed. And Levine understood, with the clarity that genuine crisis sometimes produces, that moving from dialogue mode to creating new leaders was the necessary next step. What she designed in that period of urgency became one of the most enduring intellectual contributions of her five-decade career: the Matrix Model Management System.

The name is chosen with the precision of someone who understood exactly what she was creating. Matrix Algebra is the mathematical foundation of computer programming a system for processing relationships between multiple variables simultaneously, for holding complexity without collapsing it into false simplicity. Levine chose this name deliberately because it reflected the genuine complexity of cross-cultural communication: not a linear process moving from misunderstanding to understanding, but a multi-dimensional system of simultaneous relationships, each of which affects all the others, each of which must be held in attention at once if the communication is to function.

The Intellectual Architecture

The Matrix Model is grounded in two intellectual traditions that Levine brings together in a way that is not obvious but that turns out to be profoundly generative. The first is the cultural anthropology of Claude Lévi-Strauss the discipline's founder, who understood culture not as a collection of surface customs and habits but

as a deep structure of meaning, a system of categories and relationships through which human beings organize their experience of the world. Lévi-Strauss's structural approach to culture gave Levine the theoretical foundation for understanding why cross-cultural communication so often fails: not because people are unwilling or unskilled, but because they are operating from different deep structures of meaning that make the same words, gestures, and actions signify different things.

The second intellectual tradition is more personal and more surprising: the pioneering work of her mother in special education, developed in the 1940s. Her mother understood neurodiversity before the term existed, and she applied the insights of that understanding not just to children with documented learning differences but to all children to every child's individual way of processing information and making meaning. She published her research in a Yale University academic journal when Levine was a toddler. And she applied it directly to her own daughter, reading aloud Victorian folk tales Tom The Water Baby and others that taught ethical behaviour through narrative rather than prescription.

Levine began reading at age two and was writing shortly after. That early formation the understanding that stories are the primary technology through which human beings transmit values, build shared reality, and develop the cognitive flexibility to see from perspectives other than their own became the cornerstone of the Matrix Model. The system uses storytelling not as illustration or engagement technique but as cognitive architecture: the mechanism through which individuals from different cultural backgrounds can begin to build shared neural pathways, common reference points, and the emotional intelligence that makes genuine cross-cultural decision-making possible.



"After 9/11, dialogue was no longer enough. We needed a common language – and a framework for making decisions under real pressure, across real difference, with real stakes. That's what the Matrix Model was built to provide."

THE ARTS

- Founding Executive Artistic Director
- Harlequinade Baroque Dance Co.
- Dance historian · Violinist
- Began ballet age 5, in Bermuda

AT A GLANCE

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MATRIX MODEL

35 Yrs

The Matrix Model Management System – invented post-9/11, now applied across organisations, interfaith coalitions, and AI conferences globally

DOCUMENTARY

16

International film festival screenings – Untold, Stories of a World War II Liberator (her father's Ritchie Boy wartime letters)

PUBLISHED WORKS

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Books across memoir, Holocaust education, interfaith, children's literature, and leadership methodology · Dancer

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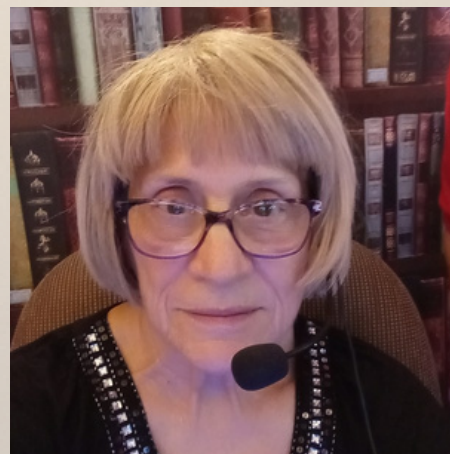
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STORYTELLING

ON STORYTELLING

"Storytelling does something that research, policy, and training cannot. It bypasses the defences – it creates a real, temporary experience of being someone else."



What the Matrix Model Does That Other Frameworks Cannot

Most cross-cultural communication training addresses the surface of cultural difference: customs, greetings, dietary rules, calendar sensitivities, communication style preferences. This information is valuable and genuinely useful, and Levine has spent a career providing it her Religious Diversity cards, originally created for law enforcement, and her Religious Diversity in our Schools and Religious Diversity at Work books are among the most practical expressions of this surface-level work. But she understands clearly that surface-level training, however thorough, does not produce the cognitive flexibility that genuine cross-cultural leadership requires.

The Matrix Model works at a deeper level: it develops the capacity to hold multiple cultural frameworks simultaneously, to understand the structural logic of each without collapsing it into the other, and to make decisions that are genuinely informed by that structural understanding rather than merely adapted at the surface. This is a qualitatively different capability from cultural sensitivity training, and it produces qualitatively different outcomes: leaders who can function effectively in genuinely complex cross-cultural environments, not just leaders who know enough not to make obvious mistakes.

Thirty-five years of application across organisations, leadership programmes, interfaith coalitions, educational institutions, and now AI conferences has refined the system and demonstrated its versatility. From the Women's Council on Diversity in Chattanooga to international corporations with globally distributed teams, the Matrix Model has shown that the cognitive skills it develops transfer across contexts in ways that more narrowly designed training does not. This transferability is not accidental it is the consequence of addressing the deep structure of cross-cultural cognition rather than its surface expressions.

The Trailblazer's Twenty Books

What Storytelling Does That Research and Policy Can Never Accomplish

The Thread That Runs Through Everything

Forbes named Deborah Levine a Trailblazer. Twenty published books. A documentary that has screened in sixteen international film festivals. Children's literature. Holocaust education. Leadership methodology. Interfaith dialogue resources. Memoir. Academic contributions to cultural anthropology and dance history.

The breadth of this output is, on the surface, almost incomprehensible it seems to belong to multiple different careers lived in sequence rather than to a single career lived in depth. The surface reading misses the thread that connects all of it.

The thread is storytelling, understood not as a genre or a craft but as a cognitive technology the mechanism through which human beings have always built shared understanding, transmitted cultural values, and developed the capacity to see from perspectives not their own. Levine's earliest formation was in this understanding: her mother's research on the impact of stories on children, her own reading at age two, her publication of a first story as a teenager, her undergraduate major in Folklore and Mythology at Radcliffe-Harvard when the discipline was first formally offered. This was not a nostalgic or literary fascination. It was a scientific interest in how narrative functions as a tool for cognitive and cultural development. Understanding the science of storytelling has enabled Levine to write in many genres throughout the following decades precisely because the genre is secondary to the mechanism. Whether she is writing a children's book that teaches cultural competence, a memoir that carries her father's wartime witness into the present, a leadership text that uses narrative to develop cross-cultural decision-making skills, or an interfaith resource that uses stories to build bridges across theological difference she is always doing the same fundamental thing: deploying narrative as a technology for expanding the human capacity to understand experiences other than their own.

Hyperthymesia and the Writing That Became a Lifeline

Levine lives with hyperthymesia a rare neurological condition that enables her to put herself into memories as if they are the present, and to write about them from the perspective of diverse decades with a vividness and specificity that most writers must work hard to simulate. For Levine, the past is not a reconstruction but a re-entry: she can inhabit the specific sensory and emotional reality of a remembered experience with a completeness that makes her writing uniquely powerful and uniquely alive.

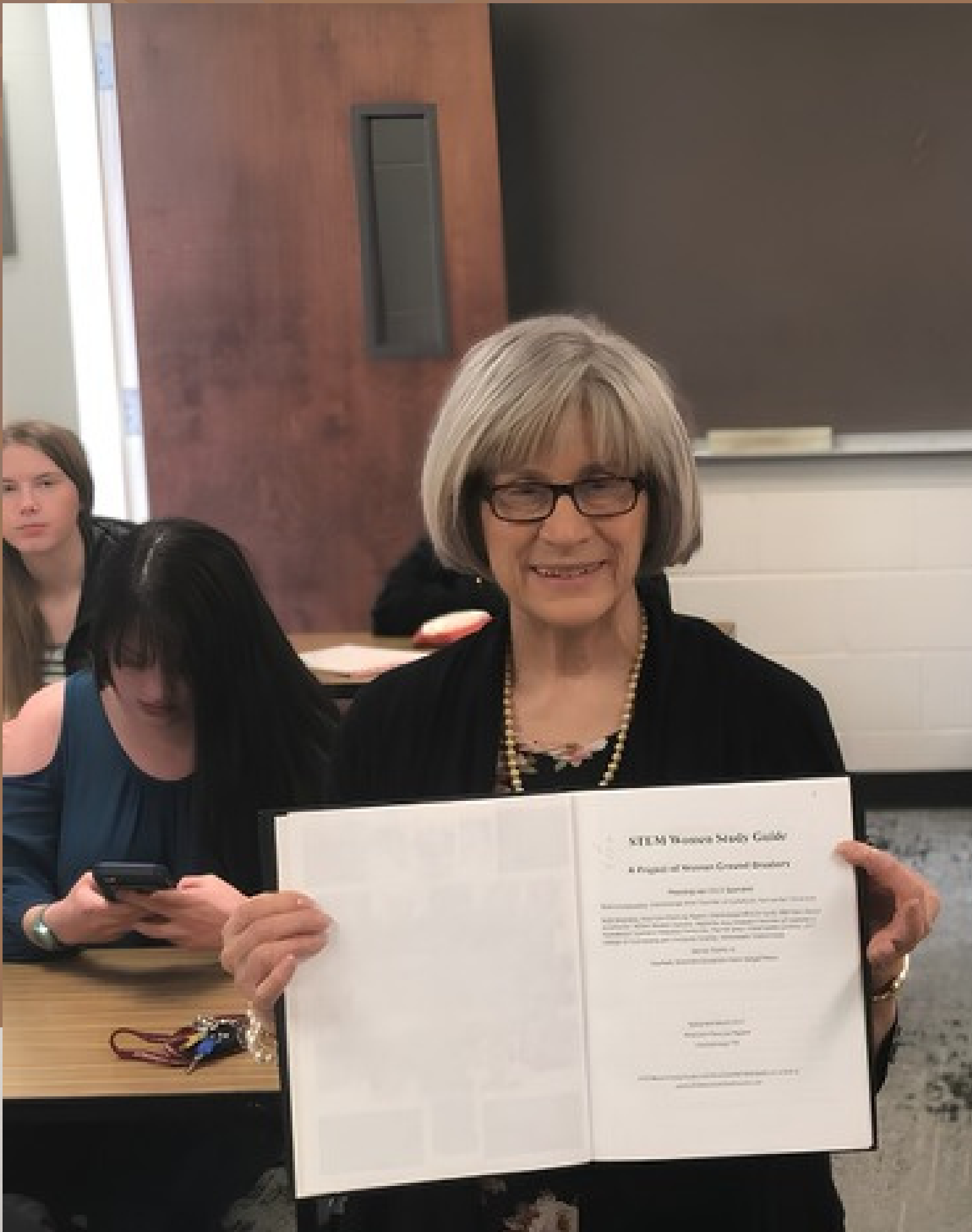
When health issues required her to withdraw from her executive roles creating a forced hiatus from the institutional work that had structured her professional life writing became not just a creative outlet but a survival mechanism.

The process of writing, she describes, is transformational. It gave her purpose when she was close to death. The stories she produced during those periods of enforced stillness carry a quality that only writing from genuine existential necessity can produce: a seriousness of witness, a refusal of the comfortable distance that much professional writing maintains from the full weight of experience.

What Stories Do That Other Methods Cannot

The question of why storytelling is, above all other methods, the most powerful instrument of cultural change is one that Levine can answer from fifty years of direct observation. Stories bypass the cognitive defences that more direct forms of communication inevitably trigger. When someone is told that their cultural assumptions are incorrect or incomplete, the predictable response is defensiveness a reinforcement of the very position being challenged. When someone is placed inside a narrative that requires them, imaginatively and emotionally, to inhabit a perspective very different from their own, the defensiveness has no clear target. The shift happens below the threshold of resistance. Stories also build what Levine describes as neural nets that can absorb new information new cultural understanding, new emotional contexts, new frameworks for interpreting behaviour that previously seemed incomprehensible or threatening. The neural pathway that a story creates is different in kind from the pathway created by a fact, a statistic, or a conceptual framework. It is woven into memory through emotion, through sensory detail, through the specific texture of experienced reality. And it remains accessible in a way that more abstract information does not available to be called upon in real cross-cultural encounters when the cognitive flexibility it supports is actually needed.

Twenty books is a remarkable output by any measure. In Levine's case, the quantity is inseparable from the consistency of purpose: each book is an application of the same fundamental insight, in a different domain and for a different audience. The children's literature brings the insight to the earliest possible age. The Holocaust education work brings it to the most urgent historical context. The leadership methodology applies it to organisations and institutions. The interfaith resources apply it to faith communities. Together, they constitute not a catalogue of different projects but a single, sustained argument about what human beings most need to develop their cross-cultural intelligence and how narrative is the technology best suited to that development.





The Liberator's Daughter

What It Means to Carry a Father's Witness Into the Present

The Letters She Could Not Read For Years

Deborah Levine first learned about her father's wartime letters when she was working as the Media and Community Coordinator for Tulsa's Jewish Federation shortly after the Oklahoma City bombing, in a professional context that was already requiring her to navigate the intersection of hate, trauma, and community response. She was dealing with neo-Nazis and Holocaust deniers in her professional capacity, which makes the discovery of her father's letters all the more charged: the private inheritance of a witness arrived precisely in the moment when she was confronting, in her professional life, the institutional forces that would have denied that witness its significance.

Her father was a Ritchie Boy a US military intelligence officer assigned to interrogate Nazi POWs in World War II. The Ritchie Boys were a remarkable and little-known group: mostly European Jewish refugees who had fled Nazi persecution and were recruited by the US Army for their language skills and cultural knowledge, trained at Camp Ritchie in Maryland, and then deployed precisely because they could interrogate German prisoners in German with a fluency and cultural understanding that no conventionally trained officer could match. They were uniquely positioned witnesses people who understood the culture of their captors from the inside and who bore the full weight of personal history alongside their professional assignment.

The letters took years to read. They were so emotional that Levine approached them gradually, over many years, before she was able to include them in her memoir, *The Liberator's Daughter*. The process of reading them of allowing herself to fully receive what her father had witnessed and recorded, in his own words, from inside one of history's most morally extreme situations was itself a form of testimony: a commitment to not looking away from what had been too hard to look at directly for too long.



"My father's spirit is with me in this work. He is gone, but the letters are here. And the letters mean that the witnesses still speak, even now, even in 2026 — if someone is willing to carry them forward. That is my responsibility."

The Documentary and Its Purpose

The publication of *The Liberator's Daughter* led to several requests to speak about her father and his letters including an invitation from a Hollywood producer who was a leader at a local church and who would eventually teach her to write a script about her life and then create a radio show: *Untold, Stories of a WW II Liberator*. The radio show became a documentary, which has screened in sixteen international film festivals and been distributed worldwide with the help of a television professional.

The documentary's reach international film festival recognition, global distribution, classroom and museum applications is the direct consequence of a decision to take a profoundly personal inheritance and transform it into a public educational resource. This transformation is not straightforward or emotionally uncomplicated. To take your father's most intimate correspondence, his witness of events of historical horror, and make it available to audiences who may or may not be equipped to receive it with appropriate gravity requires both courage and craft. The documentary achieves what the memoir alone could not: it brings the witness alive through technology in a way that engages younger generations who have not developed the reading habits that sustained older forms of historical engagement.

Why 2026 Makes This More Urgent Than Ever

The urgency of Holocaust education in 2026 is, for Deborah Levine, not a rhetorical claim but an observable reality. Antisemitism is rising across multiple cultural and political contexts simultaneously. Holocaust denial is being amplified by digital technologies that allow it to reach audiences that previous generations of deniers could not access. The generation of direct witnesses the people who were there, who survived, who could speak from lived experience of what actually happened is passing. Within years, there will be no living memory of the Shoah. What will remain is documentation, testimony, and the work of educators and artists who have committed themselves to ensuring that the documentation and testimony continue to speak.

Levine's use of technology to extend her father's witness AI-assisted video stories, classroom and museum tools, radio and documentary formats is a deliberate response to this urgency. The stories must be accessible in the forms that younger generations actually

engage with, because the work of Holocaust education is not served by maintaining the dignity of a traditional format if that format fails to reach the people who most need the witness. The spirit of her father, she says without irony or sentimentality, accompanies her in this work. His legacy lives on precisely because she has refused to allow the most historically comfortable forms of memory to replace the harder work of ensuring the witness actually reaches the present.

Bridges Across Belief

Thirty Years of Interfaith Work and the Hard-Won Truth About Trust

The Only Jewish Girl on the Island

Deborah Levine's interfaith work did not begin with a professional appointment or a formal programme. It began in childhood, on the island of Bermuda, where she was the only Jewish little girl attending an Anglican school. That formative experience of navigating religious difference from the position of the solitary representative of a minority faith, in an institution built around the assumptions and practices of a different tradition was the first and most fundamental of her cross-cultural educations.

It is not coincidental that the American Jewish Committee hired her as their Director of Interreligious Affairs. She brought to that role something that no amount of training could have provided: the deep, embodied knowledge of what it feels like to be a religious minority inside an institution built for others, and the specific skills that such an experience, if it does not destroy you, tends to develop. The capacity to read the unspoken assumptions of a cultural or religious environment. The sensitivity to the small gestures and omissions that signal whether a minority is being genuinely included or merely tolerated. The knowledge of what genuine religious literacy feels like from the receiving end, and what its absence costs in lost trust.

The DuPage Interfaith Resource Network

When health issues required her to leave the American Jewish Committee, Levine did not withdraw from interfaith work. She founded the DuPage Interfaith Resource Network in the Chicago suburb of DuPage County — a community that was undergoing rapid diversification as international technology companies relocated there, bringing employees from cultures across the globe. The network brought together representatives of seventeen or more faith

traditions in genuine, sustained dialogue that went beyond the usual polite acknowledgment of differences to the harder work of building real relationships and developing practical resources for communities navigating unprecedented cultural complexity.

The resources she developed during this period the Religious Diversity Cards, originally created for law enforcement, and her subsequent books *Religious Diversity in our Schools* and *Religious Diversity at Work* reflect a hard-won understanding of where interfaith work most consistently fails. It fails not at the level of high theological principle but at the level of practical detail: the dietary rule that was not accommodated at the organisation's annual dinner, the religious holiday that was scheduled over without acknowledgment, the assumption that everyone shares a framework for what a professional meeting looks like or how disagreement should be expressed.

What Makes Interfaith Work Transformative

The distinction between interfaith engagement that is merely polite and interfaith engagement that is genuinely transformative is one that Levine can articulate from direct experience across multiple contexts and multiple decades. Polite interfaith engagement maintains the distance that allows everyone to feel comfortable without anyone being significantly changed. Genuine interfaith engagement creates real encounters across real difference encounters that are sometimes uncomfortable, that expose the assumptions embedded in one's own tradition as assumptions rather than universal truths, and that therefore create the possibility of genuine growth.

The prerequisite for this kind of genuine engagement is religious literacy not agreement, not the suppression of doctrinal difference, but the basic knowledge of what different traditions actually believe and practice that makes it possible to engage with them as they actually are rather than as the engaged party imagines them to be. Levine's insistence on religious literacy as a foundational element of interfaith work reflects her experience of how dramatically misunderstanding and misinformation damage the trust that genuine dialogue requires. When a faith community discovers that its partner in dialogue does not know basic facts about their practice, tradition, or calendar, the implicit message is that the partner has not made a sufficient investment of attention and care to merit trust. The subsequent work of rebuilding that trust is far more expensive than the initial investment in religious literacy would have been.

Thirty years of interfaith work have also taught Levine that the faith communities most committed to genuine dialogue are often those who have the most at stake in its failure communities that have experienced violence, exclusion, or historical persecution and who understand from inside the experience what the cost of broken relationships across cultural and religious lines actually is. Her father's experience as a Ritchie Boy, and her own experience as a Jewish girl in a Christian institution, gave her access to this understanding early and personally. It has informed every aspect of her interfaith practice in ways that no purely professional formation could replicate.

Teaching the Machine to Listen

AI, the Matrix Model, and the Future of Cross-Cultural Intelligence

The AI Conference That Was Not Expecting Her

When Deborah Levine was first asked to present the Matrix Model Management System at an international AI conference, the organisers knew they were doing something unusual. AI conferences are not typically occasions for presentations on cross-cultural emotional intelligence, storytelling methodology, and the cognitive architecture of human understanding across difference. The intersection was unexpected. It was also, in Levine's understanding, entirely necessary and the audiences she has encountered at these conferences have confirmed this. The response has been significant enough to generate multiple subsequent invitations.

The need for cross-cultural intelligence in AI development is not a tangential concern but a foundational one, and Levine can articulate exactly why. AI systems learn from data. The data that trains them reflects the cultures, languages, and implicit assumptions of those who produce and curate it. An AI system trained predominantly on data from English-speaking, Western, and specifically North American contexts will produce outputs that reflect those contexts not because of deliberate bias but because of the structural reality that any system reflects the nature of its inputs. When that AI is then deployed in genuinely diverse global contexts, the outputs will be systematically wrong in ways that are difficult to detect precisely because the wrongness is cultural rather than factual.

Training the Trainers

Levine's work with AI companies including her consulting for Outlier AI addresses this problem at two levels simultaneously.

At the level of the AI system itself, she works to ensure that the training data, the language used, and the cultural assumptions embedded in the system's outputs reflect the genuine diversity of the global populations that will interact with them. This is not a simple technical problem. It requires precisely the kind of cross-cultural depth that the Matrix Model provides: the understanding of how different cultural frameworks structure meaning, how the same information can be understood very differently by people from different cultural contexts, and what the practical consequences of those different understandings are.

At the level of the human professionals developing AI systems, she is asked by corporations to train engineers and computer scientists people whose professional formation has emphasised technical skill and whose careers may have been conducted largely within a single cultural framework in the cross-cultural communication skills and emotional intelligence that their work increasingly demands. When she was the Research Consultant to a College of Engineering and Computer Science, she was frequently asked by corporations to remind engineering students that they were not going to spend their careers in small isolated booths: they were going to work with diverse global teams, present to diverse global clients, and develop systems that diverse global users would interact with. Cross-cultural communication is not a soft supplement to technical skill in this context. It is a professional requirement.

Bunny Bear and the Technology of Inclusion

The most unexpected and most illuminating of Levine's AI applications is the children's content she has created using artificial intelligence: *Bunny Bear Adventures in Diversity Land*, a series of AI-generated video stories featuring AI characters set to her voice as narrator. From these stories, she used AI to transform the characters into a colouring book providing educational tools for cultural competence and emotional intelligence that have been, in her description, tremendously successful and well used by teachers and parents. The significance of this project extends beyond its specific content. It demonstrates that AI, guided by someone with the depth of cross-cultural understanding and the storytelling methodology that Levine brings, can be used to create educational resources that reach younger generations in the formats they actually engage with and that the content and the cultural intelligence embedded in it can be of genuinely

high quality when the human wisdom guiding the AI is itself genuinely deep. The tools are backed by human hands and heart, she notes with precision, a backing that will not go away. The AI is a technology of production and distribution. The cross-cultural wisdom that determines what is produced and how it reaches its audience is irreducibly human.

What AI cannot replace, in Levine's analysis, is the capacity for genuine understanding across difference the quality of presence and attention and emotional intelligence that makes cross-cultural communication not merely competent but genuinely connective. AI can process information about cultural difference. It can be trained to use culturally appropriate language and imagery. It can be made to avoid the most egregious cultural errors. What it cannot do is develop the capacity for genuine empathy the ability to be actually affected by the experience of someone very different from yourself in a way that changes how you think, feel, and act. That capacity is what the Matrix Model develops in human beings. It is not something that AI can either replace or simulate. It is the human foundation on which all the AI tools must rest if they are to serve human understanding rather than simply automate human pattern.

Nineteen Years of Witness

American Diversity Report and the Platform That Would Not Be Silenced

The Newsletter That Thought Too Small

American Diversity Report began as a PDF newsletter a practical tool for the Women's Council on Diversity that Levine had founded and that needed a way to share information, resources, and conversation across its membership. A colleague with the local newspaper changed the trajectory of this modest project with a direct observation: Levine was not thinking big enough. What she had created had the potential to reach a worldwide readership, and the technical capacity to make that reach possible was available if she was willing to use it. He helped her create the internet version and remained as editor until the platform was attacked crashed by antisemitic actors from the Middle East, an act of digital violence that destroyed the work of multiple editors and publications simultaneously. The attack was not merely a technical disruption. It was a direct confrontation with the forces whose power to harm the American Diversity Report's existence was, from the very beginning, one of its reasons for existing. Levine rebuilt. She continued alone, as her colleague told her she was smart enough to do, and built something considerably more substantial than what had been destroyed.



“The platform was attacked by antisemitic actors who wanted it silenced. We rebuilt. And the attack confirmed exactly why the work matters — the voices that are most urgently needed are the ones that hostile forces most want to suppress.”

What Levine built was not simply a reconstructed version of what had been destroyed. She built a writers' colony a global community of expert contributors whose combined perspective and expertise addressed the full range of concerns that genuine cross-cultural leadership requires. The original focus on diversity expanded as the world changed: climate change, healthcare, education, artificial intelligence, social issues, international commerce, and the arts all found their place within the expanding scope of the platform as the interconnection of these issues with questions of diversity, belonging, and cross-cultural intelligence became increasingly undeniable.

The scope expansion is not scope creep. It is a recognition that diversity is not an isolated policy concern but a fundamental dimension of how every significant challenge facing contemporary societies must be understood and addressed. Climate change cannot be adequately understood without understanding how differently communities across the world experience and respond to environmental change based on their cultural frameworks, economic circumstances, and historical relationships with the land and with industrial development. Healthcare cannot be adequately addressed without understanding how differently diverse communities experience and relate to health systems based on their cultural values, their historical encounters with medical institutions, and their specific health profiles. Levine's intellectual formation which brings cultural anthropology, folklore, urban planning, religious studies, and futurist thinking to bear on every question she engages equips her to understand these connections and to curate a platform that reflects them.

The recent formal devaluation of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion programmes in institutional settings the political and policy reversal that has seen DEI defunded, dismantled, and in some cases legally challenged across American organisations might have been expected to threaten the American Diversity Report's relevance. The opposite has happened. The platform has grown. New writers and readers have been drawn to it precisely because the institutional structures that previously provided a home for diversity discourse have been weakened. The American Diversity Report, which was always a platform rather than a programme, is not subject to the same institutional vulnerabilities. Its LinkedIn Group, Global Leaders of the 21st Century, now has more than five thousand members.

The growth in the aftermath of DEI's institutional setback reflects something important about where the genuine appetite for cross-cultural intelligence actually resides. It does not reside primarily in corporate DEI departments or HR compliance frameworks. It resides in the communities, educators, leaders, and individuals who understand from lived experience that the ability to navigate difference effectively is not a political or ideological position but a practical competence as necessary for the functioning of diverse teams, communities, and societies as any technical skill, and considerably harder to develop without the right resources. The American Diversity Report provides those resources in a form that does not depend on institutional validation to sustain its relevance. In nineteen years, it has outlasted multiple political cycles and an antisemitic cyberattack. The forces that would silence it have repeatedly underestimated its durability.

*How a Harvard Futurist Reads a World
That Most Leaders Cannot Yet See*

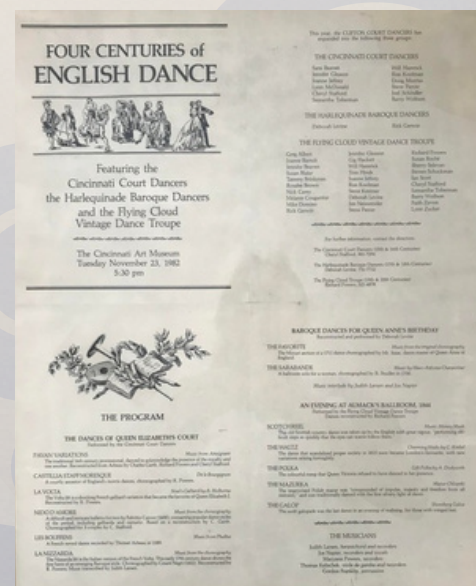
The intellectual formation that produces a genuine Futurist someone capable of seeing not just what is happening now but the structural forces shaping what will happen next is not typically available in a single academic department or a single institutional tradition. Deborah Levine's formation is, almost uniquely, genuinely synthetic: Harvard Radcliffe, where she majored in Folklore and Mythology when the discipline was first formally offered, with access through Harvard's structure to classes at Harvard Divinity School that would otherwise have been unavailable; NYU, where she explored related academic fields without the constraint of a defined major; the University of Illinois at Chicago, where she developed a sub-category of Arts and Economic Development that had not previously existed within the urban planning department; and the Spertus Institute, where her final thesis became a book co-created with the Chicago Catholic Archdiocese a book that was eventually taken to the Vatican as a gift for the Pope.

Each of these academic experiences gave Levine something that the others could not have provided on its own. Harvard gave her the foundational disciplines: folklore, mythology, cultural anthropology, and the edge of religious studies. NYU gave her the freedom to explore without constraint. UIC gave her the applied dimension the understanding of how cultural forces interact with urban development, economic life, and the practical organisation of communities. Spertus gave her the

deepest interfaith engagement: the experience of co-creating educational material with a religious institution very different from her own, across real theological difference, for use in the educational contexts where such engagement is most consequential.

The futurist view that Levine brings to her consulting, speaking, and writing is grounded in a conviction about where genuine creative possibility actually resides: at the edge of chaos. This is not a comfortable position, and she acknowledges that directly. We are in chaotic times, she observes, and many people are confused, depressed, and feeling helpless. The instinct of most leaders in this condition is to manage to find the stability they have lost, to restore the familiar frameworks, to bring the chaos under control. This instinct is understandable and often appropriate in specific contexts. As a general orientation toward the current moment, it misses the most important truth about where we are.

The edge of chaos the state of dynamic instability that precedes the emergence of new order is historically the most generative environment for the development of genuinely new capabilities, institutions, and frameworks. The organisations and leaders who survive chaotic transitions are rarely those who managed most effectively within the old order. They are those who understood early enough that the old order was ending, and who were willing to experiment, to make mistakes and document them, to create something new rather than perfect something familiar. This is the futurist's fundamental insight: the capacity to work productively in the chaotic present is inseparable from the capacity to see the structural forces that are shaping the not-yet-visible future.



What Most Leaders Are Not Yet Prepared For

The most significant thing that Levine believes most leaders are not yet prepared for is the scale and speed of cultural change not in the demographic sense of who is present in organisations and communities, but in the deeper sense of what cultural frameworks, values, and assumptions will be operative in the environments that those leaders are navigating. The demographic changes that have been underway for decades are well-documented and widely discussed. The deeper cultural shifts that accompany demographic change the changes in what concepts like authority, belonging, trust, and communication actually mean in practice, for people whose cultural frameworks differ significantly from those that shaped the institutions they are now entering are much less well understood.

Cultural anthropology, which Levine learned at Harvard from within its founding disciplinary tradition, gives her a framework for understanding these deeper shifts that most leadership training does not provide. It is the discipline specifically concerned with how meaning is structured and transmitted within and across human communities. A leader who can think like a cultural anthropologist who can identify the deep structure of meaning operating in a given cultural context rather than just its surface customs is equipped to navigate the deeper level of cultural change rather than just adapting their surface behaviors. This capability, Levine has been arguing for thirty-five years, is what genuine cross-cultural leadership actually requires. The current moment of cultural chaos is making that argument more urgent and more relevant than it has ever been.

Brooklyn, Bermuda, America

What a Life Lived Across Cultures Knows That No Textbook Ever Captured

The Skills Acquired Before They Could Be Named

Deborah Levine was born in Brooklyn to an Eastern European immigrant family the specific texture of New York Jewish immigrant life, with its particular mixture of old-world traditions and new-world ambitions, its multiple languages and its intense investment in education as the primary vehicle for cultural transmission and economic mobility. She was then raised in Bermuda, where her father's work took the family a British colony where she was, uniquely and conspicuously, the only Jewish little girl on the island, attending an Anglican school that was built for and around a tradition entirely different from her own.



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Looking back on that childhood, Levine recognises that she was acquiring cross-cultural skills before she had any language for what she was doing or why it mattered. She adapted British English to American English when her family moved to Long Island, New York, when she was seven but the adaptation was never merely linguistic. It encompassed food, manners, holidays, dress, humour, the unspoken rules of social interaction, the ways in which children communicate acceptance and rejection. She was bullied and abused in the process of adjustment, and strongly motivated to adapt precisely because the cost of failing to do so was immediate and personal. The ability to adapt has been part of my entire life, she says and it is the foundation on which everything else has been built.



"I thought my childhood was normal – crossing cultures, adapting, learning to belong in places where belonging wasn't given. When I looked back, I realised I had acquired skills that most people never develop. That is the curriculum that no university offers."

What It Means to Not Fit In Anywhere

There is a particular insight that only comes from living across multiple cultural communities without fully belonging to any of

them, and Levine has spent decades developing it into one of the most distinctive elements of her intellectual perspective. Diversity is not an abstract term for her. It is a constant factor in everything she has done which also means, with equal consistency, that she does not fit in anywhere. When she recognised that this would be a permanent feature of her being, she made a decision that she describes as transformational: she stopped trying to fit in. The relief was immediate and significant. Acceptance changed the meaning of at home so that it now includes a cosmic element alongside a specific home.

The big-picture nature that this perpetual outsider position develops is, she argues with conviction, something that cannot be captured in a textbook.

The Gift of Perpetual Adjustment

The skills that a childhood of perpetual adjustment develops are precisely the skills that the Matrix Model Management System is designed to cultivate in adults who did not have that childhood: cognitive flexibility, the capacity to read cultural codes quickly and accurately, the emotional resilience to maintain effective functioning while navigating unfamiliar frameworks, and the particular kind of empathy that comes from having personally experienced the vulnerability and disorientation of being a cultural outsider.



This is why Levine's cross-cultural work has a quality of direct knowing that distinguishes it from the work of practitioners whose expertise is primarily academic or professional. She is not explaining cultural difference from outside the experience of it. She is sharing what she knows from inside a lifetime of living it from the bully-filled playgrounds of Long Island, to the interfaith coalitions of Chicago, to the diversity consultancies of Chattanooga, to the AI conferences of the international speaking circuit. The knowledge she brings to every context is genuinely experiential in the deepest sense: it was formed in the specific encounters and specific consequences of a life that has been, from its very beginning, a sustained exercise in navigating human difference.

The Body Remembers

Dance, the Arts, and the Intelligence That Lives in Movement

Ballet at Five, in French, in Bermuda

Deborah Levine began studying ballet at the age of five in Bermuda, where she was already navigating the extraordinary complexity of being a Jewish child in a British colonial Anglican educational environment. The ballet instruction came with its own linguistic dimension: the vocabulary of classical ballet is French, rooted in the form's origins at the French royal court. Before she had crossed from Bermuda to New York and undergone the cultural adjustment that would define her next decade, she was already learning that the body has its own languages, that movement is itself a form of cultural transmission, and that to learn to dance is to learn to inhabit, however temporarily, the cultural logic from which a particular form of movement emerged.

She also joined community folk and square dances learning various forms of group dances by age seven. The connection between mind and body was formed early, and it was formed in a multicultural context: French in the ballet studio, British colonial in the Anglican school, Jewish at home, and the communal, democratic, boundary-crossing practice of folk dance that brings different kinds of people into coordinated movement together. By the time she arrived in New York, she had learned multiple movement languages before she had fully mastered English, and the forms of cultural intelligence embedded in those movement languages would serve her throughout everything that followed.

From Ballet to Baroque: The Dance Historian

The trajectory from childhood ballet in Bermuda to the founding of Harlequinade, a Baroque Dance Company, is one of the more surprising threads in a career full of unexpected connections. After continuing ballet studies in New York, Levine broke her leg and switched to violin an enforced transition that introduced her to the music of the Baroque period through her father's passion for composers like Bach. When her leg healed, she returned to dancing alongside the violin. She performed both in high school, became the director of the school's dance company, and eventually joined a Renaissance dance company.

Given her ballet background, she created a Baroque Dance Company Harlequinade reflecting the style's origins in the French royal court. The historical research required to bring this form to life revealed connections that delighted and instructed her in equal measure: one of the French royal court's dance masters was a Jewish man who traveled to England and created what became Country Dance the form that Americans know as square dancing. The same form she had danced in community folk dance circles as a seven-year-old in Bermuda had deep Jewish roots that nobody in those community circles would have suspected. History, dance, religion, and international cultural exchange were woven together in ways that her first published academic article in a dance history journal began to articulate.

What Movement Teaches That Language Cannot

The performing arts dance, music, movement open doors to other cultures in ways that are qualitatively different from verbal or textual engagement. When you engage with the artistic expressions of a culture that is not your own, you are not being given information about that culture. You are being invited into it offered a temporary, embodied experience of how that culture structures beauty, meaning, and collective life. The experience bypasses the cognitive defences that verbal and textual information tends to trigger. You do not encounter it as a claim to be evaluated but as an experience to be had. Levine's continuing engagement with dance and musical performance from diverse cultures watching videos, allowing her body to sway with the experience, attending performances whenever the opportunity presents is not personal indulgence. It is the ongoing cultivation of a

form of cultural intelligence that she believes is foundational to the cross-cultural work she does. The brain is happy, she says. The body sways. This is a positive way to communicate across cultural boundaries. The movement is itself a form of understanding an understanding that the argument cannot produce and that the training cannot substitute for.

For Levine, the performing arts and the cross-cultural intelligence work are not parallel tracks of her life. They are expressions of the same fundamental insight: that human beings communicate and understand in multiple registers simultaneously, and that a cross-cultural intelligence that is exclusively verbal, intellectual, and textual is a diminished version of what genuine cross-cultural understanding can be. The body carries knowledge that language cannot fully articulate. Culture is transmitted through movement, through ritual, through the specific textures of embodied collective life, as much as through doctrine, policy, or explicit teaching. The dance historian and the diversity consultant are not two different people. They are the same person, understanding culture from the inside.



"The Arts open doors to other cultures in ways that invite you in rather than demanding entry. You don't argue your way into another culture. You dance your way in – or you listen your way in, or you story your way in. The body knows things the argument doesn't."

Restore Our Humanity

The Urgency of the Moment and the Truth That Every Leader Must Carry

The Stakes That Cannot Be Overstated

When Deborah Levine speaks about what is at stake if we fail to build the cross-cultural bridges that our moment demands, she does not reach for the language of policy outcomes or organisational effectiveness. She reaches for a word with more moral weight: humanity. Without cultural intelligence and communication skills, she says with a directness that has been sharpened by five decades of witness, we will continue to lose our humanity into an increasingly divisive and hate-promoting world. None of us will benefit from such an environment, and many will be devalued and belittled, with violence not far behind. This is not rhetorical escalation. It is the conclusion of someone who has spent her

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professional life at the intersections where cultural failure becomes human cost: the interfaith coalitions of Chicago and Oklahoma and Chattanooga, the hate crime councils, the Holocaust education work that traces the specific mechanisms by which the devaluation of human beings leads, through stages that are individually deniable and collectively inexorable, to organized violence. The connection between the failure of cross-cultural intelligence at the individual and institutional level and the catastrophic consequences that historical record shows us that failure can produce is, for Deborah Levine, not an abstraction. It is her father's letters. It is the documentary. It is the antisemitic attack on the American Diversity Report. It is the neo-Nazis she encountered in her professional work in Oklahoma. The stakes are human. The urgency is real.

What Restoration Actually Requires

Restoring humanity in the specific sense that Levine means: rebuilding the capacity for genuine cross-cultural recognition, understanding, and relationship that the forces of division and hatred are systematically working to destroy requires more than good intentions and more than policy.

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The Message That Every Leader Must Carry

The single most important truth that Deborah Levine wants the world's leaders, educators, and policymakers to hold can be expressed in two words that she has made the animating purpose of the American Diversity Report: Instruct and Inspire. These are not equivalent or interchangeable they are complementary and mutually necessary. Instruction without inspiration produces people who know what they are supposed to do without genuinely wanting to do it a fragile basis for the sustained commitment that genuine cross-cultural work requires. Inspiration without instruction produces people who are genuinely motivated to build bridges without the specific knowledge and skills to build them effectively. The combination of the two which is what the Matrix Model, the American Diversity Report, the documentary, the books, the interfaith coalitions, and five decades of sustained work are all designed to provide — produces people who are both equipped and motivated to do the genuinely difficult work of crossing cultural boundaries, building genuine trust across deep difference, and maintaining that trust under the pressures that every real cross-cultural relationship will eventually face. This is the goal that has sustained Levine through health crises, antisemitic attacks, the deaths of people whose witness she carries, and the political cycles that have repeatedly threatened to make the work she does seem either unnecessary or impossible.

When Levine presents the Matrix Model at international AI conferences, the audiences are not expecting what they receive. AI conferences are not typically venues for presentations on cross-cultural emotional intelligence and storytelling methodology. They should be. An AI system trained predominantly on English-speaking, Western data will produce outputs that reflect those contexts — not through deliberate bias but through the structural reality that every system reflects its inputs. Scaling that cultural imperialism at machine speed is a risk the technology community is only beginning to reckon with.

Her consulting for Outlier AI, and her AI-generated children's video series Bunny Bear Adventures in Diversity Land characters set to her voice, transformed into a coloring book used by teachers and parents worldwide demonstrate what is possible when human cross-cultural wisdom guides the technology rather than being replaced by it. The tools are backed by human hands and heart, she notes. That backing will not go away. The AI is a technology of production. The wisdom that determines what is produced is irreducibly human.

A CAREER IN MILESTONES

ORIGINS	BUILDING	9/11 + ADR	DOCUMENTARY	2026
Born Brooklyn · raised Bermuda · ballet age 5 · Harvard Folklore & Mythology · dance historian	AJC Director of Interreligious Affairs · DuPage Interfaith Network (17+ faiths) · 20 books begin	Matrix Model invented · Women's Council on Diversity · American Diversity Report founded	Father's letters · The Liberator's Daughter · Untold 16 international film festival screenings	AI conferences · Outlier AI · Forbes Trailblazer · Pulse Magazine Cover · ADR 19 years strong

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THE MATRIX MODEL Named for Matrix Algebra. Grounded in Lévi-Strauss and her mother's 1940s neurodiversity research. Applied for 35 years. A cognitive framework for navigating cultural complexity without collapsing it.	STORYTELLING AS TECHNOLOGY Stories bypass cognitive defences. They build neural nets that can absorb new information. They create temporary but real experiences of being someone else. That shift changes what is possible.	CARRYING THE WITNESS Her father's Ritchie Boy letters. Sixteen film festival screenings. Classroom tools and museum programmes. The witness must survive. That is her inheritance and her obligation.
RELIGIOUS LITERACY AS PREREQUISITE Mistakes in small things — dietary rules, holidays, unexamined assumptions — cause a loss of trust that is very difficult to regain. Literacy before dialogue. Always.	THE EDGE OF CHAOS The most creative place on the planet is at the edge of chaos. Welcome it. Experiment. Document. The futurist's advantage is reading what is coming before it arrives.	RESTORE OUR HUMANITY This is not a soft goal. It is the most urgent practical challenge facing organisations, communities, and societies right now. Everything else depends on getting this right.

"We need to restore our humanity. The American Diversity Report exists to provide the skills, information, and thought leadership for diverse leaders, educators, and policymakers — to instruct and inspire, to cross cultural boundaries, build bridges, and especially, restore our humanity."

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The Power of Leadership in Organizations

INSPIRING PEOPLE, SHAPING CULTURE, AND DRIVING
SUCCESS TOWARD A SHARED VISION.

Leadership is the driving force that shapes an organization's direction, culture, and success. It is not just about holding a position of authority; it is about influencing, guiding, and inspiring people to achieve common goals. Effective leadership ensures that an organization moves forward with clarity, unity, and purpose.

1. Setting Vision and Direction

Leadership begins with defining a clear vision. A leader identifies where the organization needs to go and creates a roadmap to get there. This vision serves as a guiding star, helping employees understand the bigger picture and how their work contributes to overall success.

A strong leader:

- Sets clear goals and objectives
- Communicates the mission effectively
- Aligns team efforts with organizational priorities

Without direction, teams may work hard but lack coordination or purpose.

2. Influencing and Motivating People

Leadership works through influence rather than control. While managers may rely on authority, leaders inspire commitment. They build trust and motivate employees by recognizing their strengths, encouraging growth, and showing appreciation for their contributions.

Effective leaders:

- Encourage open communication
- Provide constructive feedback
- Recognize achievements
- Foster a positive work environment

Motivated employees are more productive, engaged, and committed to organizational success.

3. Decision-Making and Problem-Solving

Organizations constantly face challenges, from market competition to internal conflicts. Leaders play a critical role in making informed decisions and solving problems effectively.

Good leadership involves:

- Gathering and analyzing relevant information
- Consulting team members when necessary
- Evaluating risks and outcomes
- Taking responsibility for decisions

Strong decision-making builds confidence among employees and ensures stability within the organization.

4. Building Organizational Culture

Leadership heavily influences organizational culture the shared values, beliefs, and behaviors within a company. Leaders set the tone by modeling the behaviors they expect from others.

For example:

- A leader who values transparency encourages honesty.
- A leader who promotes teamwork fosters collaboration.
- A leader who embraces innovation supports creativity and experimentation.

A healthy culture improves employee satisfaction, retention, and overall performance.

5. Developing Talent and Teams

Leadership is not only about achieving short-term goals but also about building long-term capability. Effective leaders invest in employee development through training, mentorship, and opportunities for growth.

They:

- Identify potential in employees
- Provide learning opportunities
- Delegate responsibilities to build skills
- Support career advancement

By developing talent, leaders strengthen the organization's future and ensure sustainable success.

6. Managing Change

In today's fast-changing business environment, organizations must adapt quickly. Leaders guide teams through change by communicating clearly, addressing concerns, and maintaining focus on the organization's vision.

Successful change leadership includes:

- Explaining the reason for change
- Involving employees in the process
- Managing resistance with empathy
- Monitoring progress and adjusting strategies

When leadership handles change effectively, employees feel supported rather than threatened.

Providing Vision and Strategic Direction

One of the primary functions of leadership is setting a clear vision. Leaders define where the organization is heading and outline the strategies needed to get there. This vision acts as a roadmap that guides decision-making and daily operations.

Effective leaders:

- Establish realistic and measurable goals
- Communicate objectives clearly
- Align team efforts with strategic priorities

Without strong direction, teams may lose focus or work toward conflicting goals.

Conclusion

Leadership works in an organization by providing direction, motivating people, making decisions, shaping culture, developing talent, and guiding change. It is both a responsibility and a skill that requires vision, communication, integrity, and emotional intelligence.

An organization with strong leadership is more likely to achieve its goals, adapt to challenges, and create a positive and productive work environment. Ultimately, leadership is the foundation upon which organizational success is built.

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