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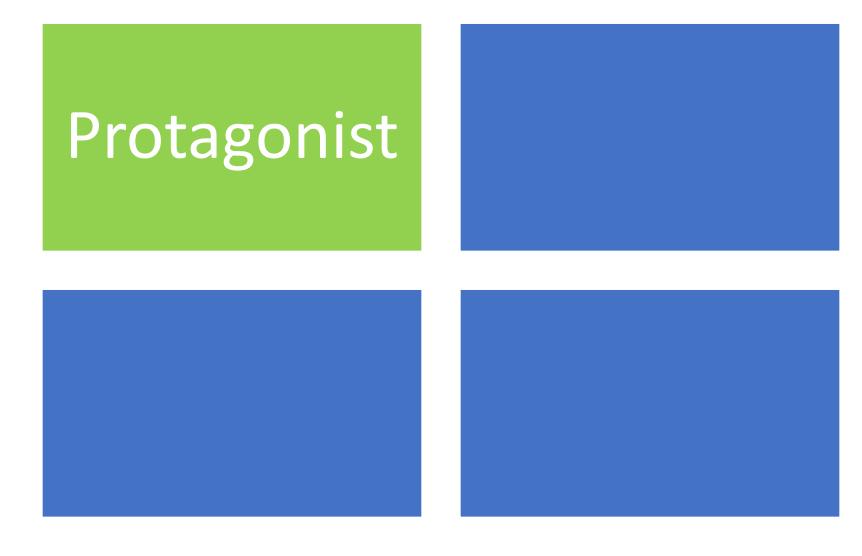
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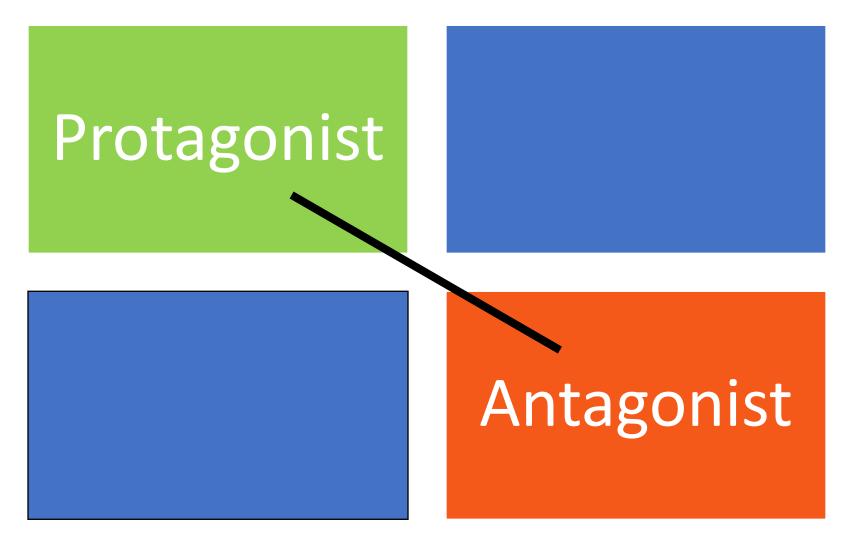
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- go off-script, imagine, improvise, collaborate

Creative Collaboration as a Social Construction

REFLECTION



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FOUR MAIN TYPES OF ACTION

MOVER

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SPECTATOR

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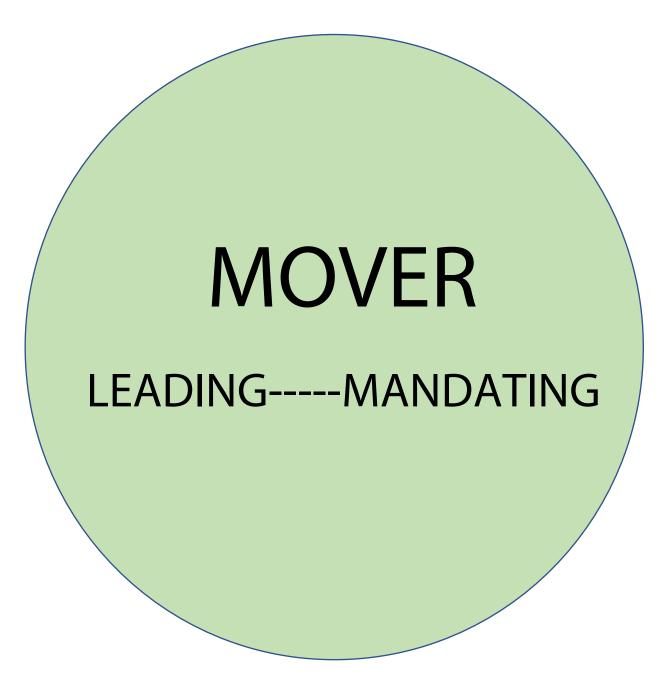
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CHALLENGER

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RELATONSHIPS





QUESTIONING----OBSTRUCTING

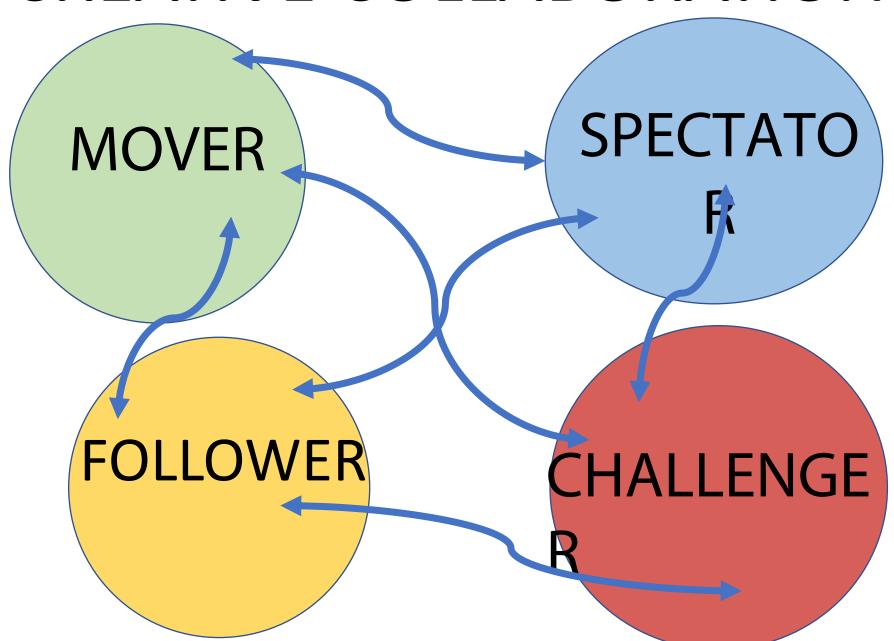


SUPPORTING--BLINDLY FOLLOWING



OBSERVING----ABANDONING

CREATIVE COLLABORATION



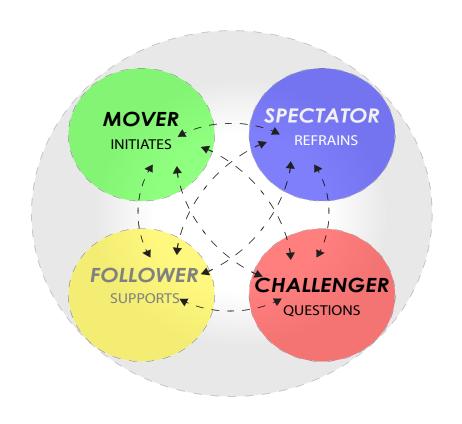
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Q & A

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