

# Rethinking the Future: *A mindset for renewal*

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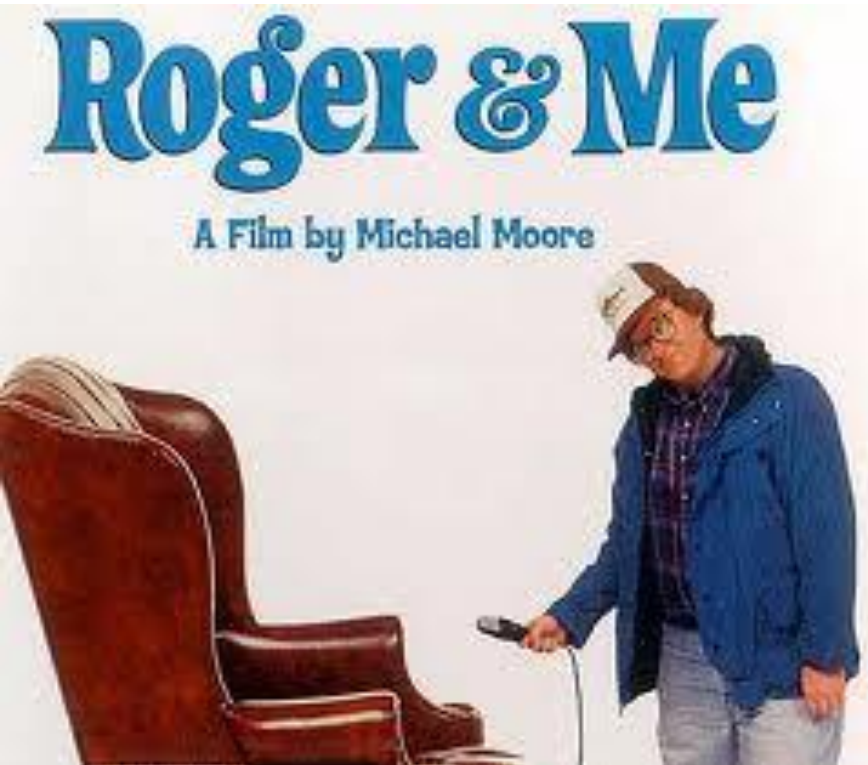
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# Perspective

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❖ Flint, Michigan



# Additional Perspective

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- ❖ Denver, Colorado
- ❖ Omaha, Nebraska



# Power of Mindset

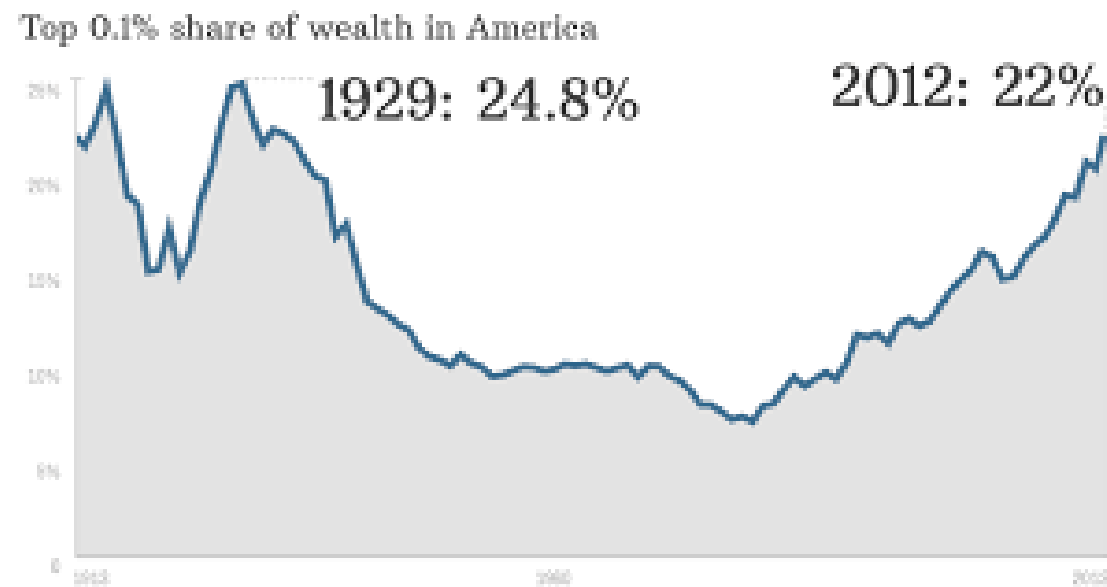
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Scarcity	Abundance
Not enough to go around	More than enough to go around
I need to look good to succeed	If I succeed, you succeed, we all do
Reluctant to share info, resources	Open to sharing what is required
I have all the answers	Willing to learn from others
Promotes only self accomplishments	Promotes others & achievements
Dictates & micromanages	Openness and trust

# Economic Context

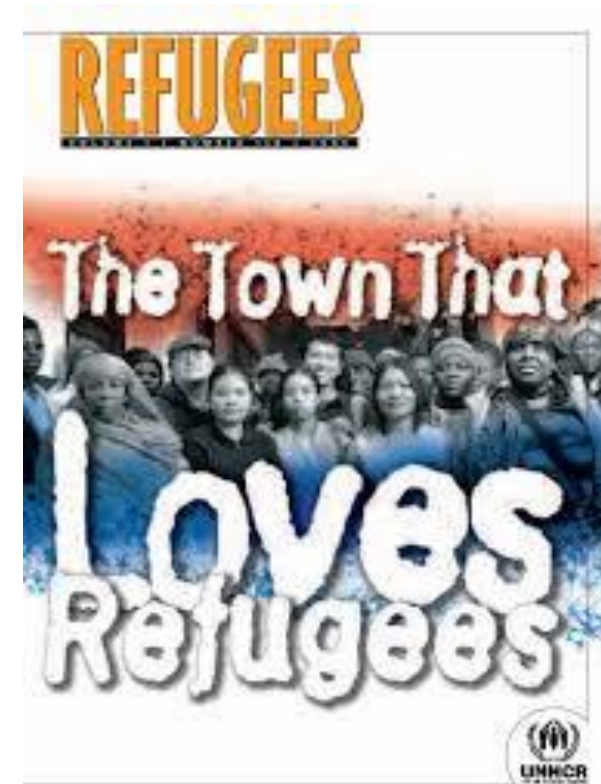
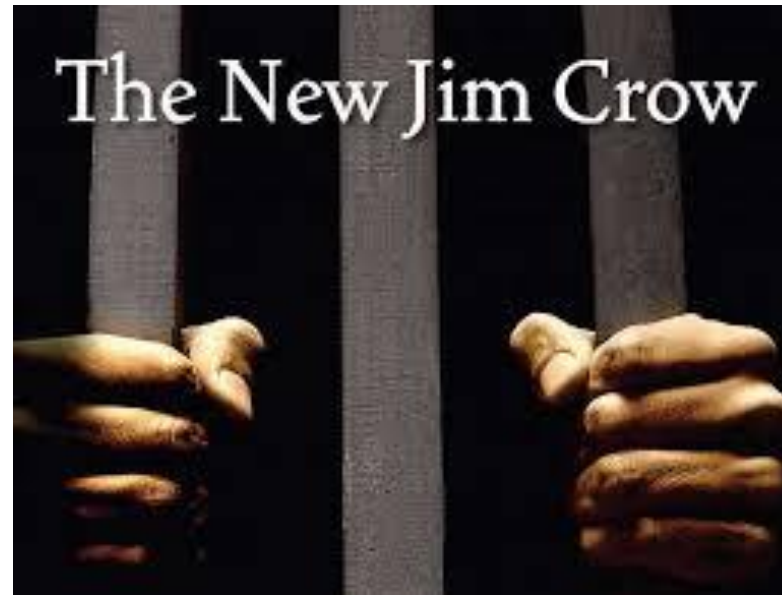
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- ❖ Greatest wealth gap since the Great Depression
- ❖ Frustration and Divisiveness on National Stage
- ❖ Growing vulnerable populations



# Regional Vulnerable Populations

- ❖ Refugees
- ❖ Immigrants
- ❖ Formerly Incarcerated



# New Dawn on the Horizon

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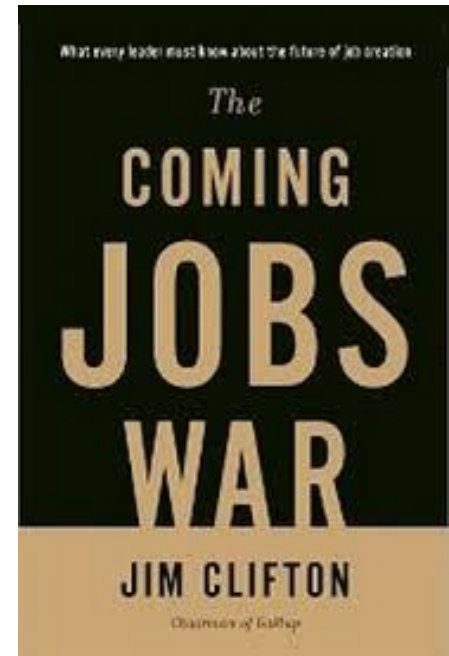
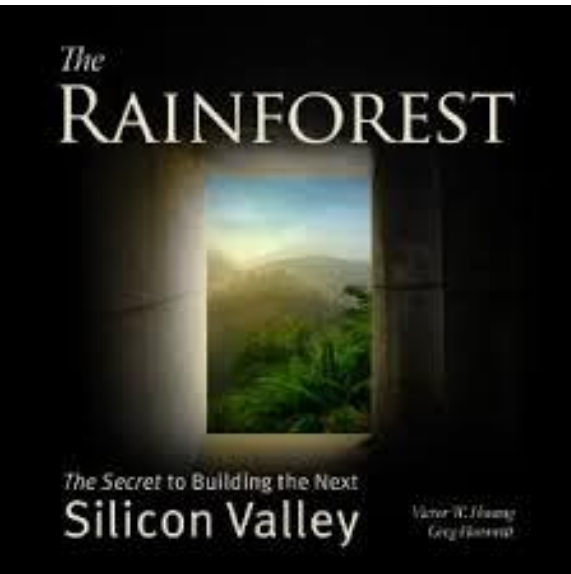
- ❖ Advanced Manufacturing
- ❖ Cybersecurity
- ❖ Nanotechnology
- ❖ Unmanned Aerial Systems



# The Coming Jobs War

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- ❖ Competition and Collaboration
- ❖ The Economic Ecosystem – Rainforest





# MVCC as Community Hub

- ❖ Catalyst 2020
- ❖ Open to partnership – Morrisville, UAS
- ❖ Fablab – MIT Fablab Network
- ❖ Tech Garden model - THINCubator



# MVCC Rome Campus

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- ❖ \$30 million redevelopment
- ❖ 1,200 credit & non-credit student
- ❖ 17 programs (8 unique to Rome)

# Regional Ecosystem

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- ❖ 45 minutes from SE Aurora to NW Boulder
- ❖ 50 minutes from Utica to Syracuse
- ❖ Madison as the link



# Build on the Assets

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- ❖ Natural Resources – land, water, quality of life
- ❖ Broadband access
- ❖ Value-added agriculture
- ❖ Renewable energy



# Thinking Regionally

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- ❖ Madison as the CNY/MV link

