

ow is a solidarity culture formed?

Do we learn to be or are we already born solidary?

Is there a difference between "being solidary" and "engaging" as a volunteer?

In 1997, we put the theme Volunteering and Solidarity at the center of the discussion. The times were different. Was it a Utopia?

Today, 20 years later, both Organized Volunteering and recognition of the Third Sector are already clear - having, even, its own Regulatory Framework.

The development of an achievable plan remained after utopia hypothesis was discarded. When we launched the Pilot Project "Summer Laboratory", there were 100 people. The lines of volunteer candidates showed us that including in our life project the life projects of others was a latent idea in our society. Today, we are more than 400,000.

After the organization of Volunteers came the action "Tribes on the Tracks of Citizenship", which is the expression of Youth Volunteering, as well as the Strengthening of a Social Web, with the management training for civil society organizations. And the companies, with CSR - Corporate Social Responsibility, also came to integrate this force. In reviewing this trajectory, the emotions experienced in that distant January 1997 still flourish in our hearts, with the same conviction remaining: "Change is possible. We just need to take the first step."

Our deep gratitude to the support received from communities, social organizations, schools, universities, companies, government and all public agencies that provided us with knowledge, materials, human and financial resources in those 20 years.

Let's follow the steps of this trajectory together?

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INDIVIDUAL SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

"Working internal values allows the person to awaken one's true value, which makes one more active and prone to transforming the world around them."

It implies assuming a position of constructor, collaborator and transformer. It is an ethical decision-making. *As said by Capra*, "(...) there is no individual organism able to live in isolation. Life is a property of the planets and not of individual organisms".

A new understanding is urgently needed where the domain relations issue gives way to the idea of network: the need to associate, establish links, cooperate with each other. One discovers oneself, not only as a being in communion with oneself, but with others, emphasizing the meaning of otherness.



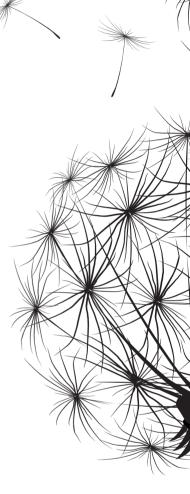
In the last decades of the twentieth century, companies, due to globalization, became aware of their strong role as transformers and were then called "citizen companies", including in their strategic planning issues such as the environment, social activities, ethics, citizenship. And what is their gain? CSR, a competitive market value and also an added value to its Brand.

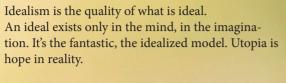
CSR grants a leadership character to a company, since it generates value to it and the society, capitalizing on the so-called intangible assets, which represent 75%, compared to 25% of tangible assets. More than a donor and/or sponsor, it is the transfer of the greatest capitals that companies have and which make a difference: their human resources, their knowledge and the Brands.

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Utopia is to plan.

Utopia is walking towards the horizon, with eyes open to see what we aim at. (Philosopher Terezinha Rios)

Parceiros Voluntários (Volunteer Partners) was idealized with this foundation, to which we added professionalism.

This is what has provided support to its work for two decades.





For over 20 years we have been present in more than 100 municipalities in Rio Grande do Sul, which represent 60% of the population of the state, as well as in other states of Brazil, raising awareness, through our concepts, actions and publications, reaching more than 7 million people.

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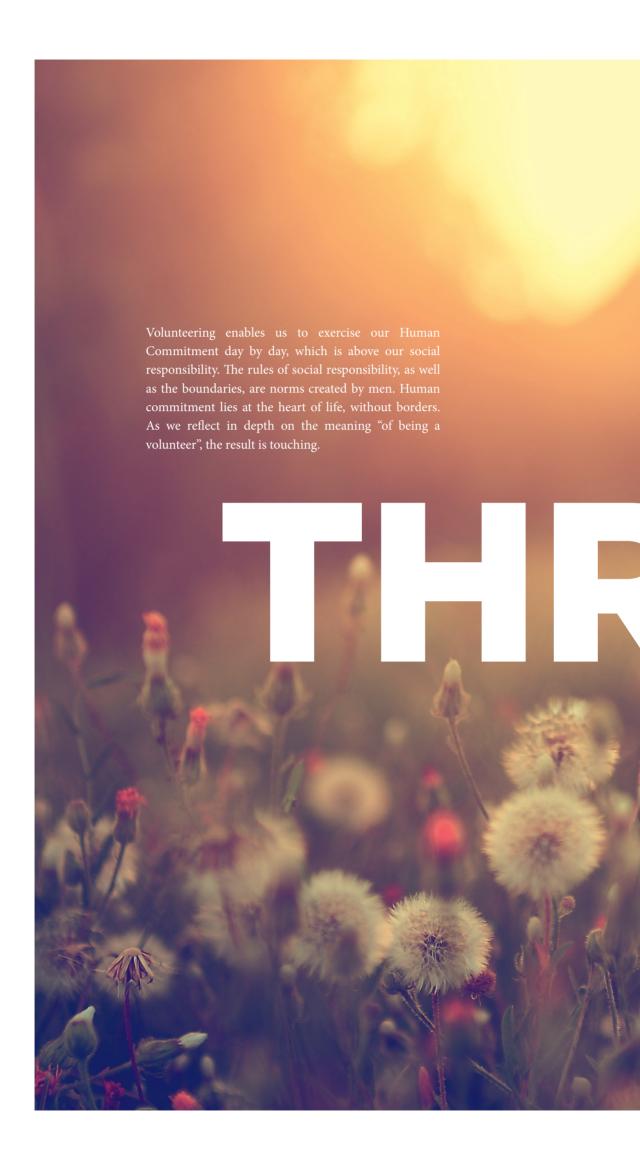
THE GREAT COLLABORATIVE NETWORK IS FORMED BY MORE THAN 400,000 VOLUNTEERS, 2,310 SCOS, WITH MORE THAN 19,000 COMMUNITY LEADERS TRAINED IN MANAGEMENT.

2.152 TEACHING INSTITUTIONS MOBILIZED, WITH OVER 3,000 QUALIFIED EDUCATORS AND 4,500 YOUTH TRAINED, WITH THE PARTICIPATION OF MORE THAN 130,000 STUDENTS IN THE SOCIAL TECHNOLOGY "TRIBES ON THE TRAILS OF CITIZENSHIP" (TRIBOS NAS TRILHAS DA CIDADANIA).

2,632 COMPANIES PARTICIPATE WITH THEIR VOLUNTEER HUMAN RESOURCES, IN ADDITION TO FUNDING AND THE STRENGTH OF THEIR BRANDS.

COMMUNICATION COMPANIES GIVE STRENGTH TO THAT GREAT VOLUNTEER MOVEMENT.







The results demystify the idea that NGOs are supported only by idealism. International institutions evaluate social projects by the bias of the four Capitals: Natural, Financial, Human and Social.

It is on our social capital that we focus, which expresses the capacity of a society to establish ties of interpersonal trust and cooperation networks for the production of collective goods.





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Every social order is created by us. Acting or not acting contributes to forming or consolidating the order in which we live

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