How does your mind work? How does the world work?

Join Dr. Robert Gilman, long-time sustainability thought-leader, futurist and former astrophysicist, for two presentations full of fresh insights, experiences and tools for 21st century change agents.

On January 21st, with Human Operating-System Literacy, we'll journey into the psychological depths underlying human thought and emotion. We'll go from the mysteries of conscious awareness to the surprising consequences of mind-as-pattern-processor to exploring our optimal consciousness zone (and how we can spend more time there).

Then on January 28th, with Systems Literacy, we'll build on these psychological insights to see systems thinking in a whole new light. We'll discover it as a language of relationships and a 21st century way to blend the best of our innate visual, linguistic and kinesthetic capabilities. We'll get familiar with tipping-points, time-lags, shifting constraints, strategic leverage points, maps vs. stories and other helpful tools as we explore how these concepts can be applied in easy but potent ways in everyday life.

Together, these presentations provide essential tools to help us and our world move more gracefully into the Planetary Era. With them, life opens up in a whole new way.

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Each evening will go until about 9 pm with an intermission. Teas and light refreshments will be provided.

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