



## What does students' life look like?



**What does students' life look like?**

**What does students' life after student well-being class look like?**





## Přínos well-beingu studentů

Zatímco v minulosti bylo zorganizované značné množství výzkumů zkoumajících bio-psycho-sociální pohodu studentů, důraz byl z velké části tradičně zaměřen na negativní stavy, kterými jsou **úzkost, deprese, stres, předčasné ukončení studia, studijní neúspěchy a podprůměrný akademický prospěch**. Zmírnit utrpení však není totéž jako vzkvétání.

Vysokoškolští studenti chtějí **prosperovat**, nejen přežívat.

Na základě empirických studií víme, že studenti s vyšší úrovní fyzické a duševní pohody (ve srovnání s lidmi s nízkou úrovní pohody):

**mají (jsou) méně:**

nemocní,

**mají méně problémů se spánkem,**  
**prokazují nižší míru syndromu vyhoření.**

**mají lepší:**

celkové fyzické zdraví a lepší kondici,

mají vyšší účast na výuce,

ve škole se jim daří lépe,

mají lepší studijní výsledky,

jsou více prosociální a více spolupracují se spolužáky,

mají uspokojivější vztahy ve škole i v osobním životě,

mají větší sebekontrolu,

**mají lepší seberegulační schopnosti a lépe ovládají copingové strategie.**



## Benefits of student well-being

Traditionally, while there has been a considerable amount of research examining students' bio-psycho-social well-being, the focus has largely been on **negative states, such as anxiety, depression, stress, school dropout, academic failure and underachievement**. Relieving suffering, however, is not the same as flourishing. University students want to **thrive**, not just survive.

As a result of empirical studies we know that students with higher levels of physical and mental well-being (compared to people with low well-being):

- have better overall physical health and higher levels of wellness,**
- are less ill and have higher attendance at school,**
- have fewer sleep problems,**
- perform better at school,**
- have higher academic achievement,**
- are more prosocial and cooperative with classmates,**
- have more satisfying relationships at school and in personal life,**
- have lower levels of burnout,**
- have greater self-control,**
- and have better self-regulation and coping abilities.**

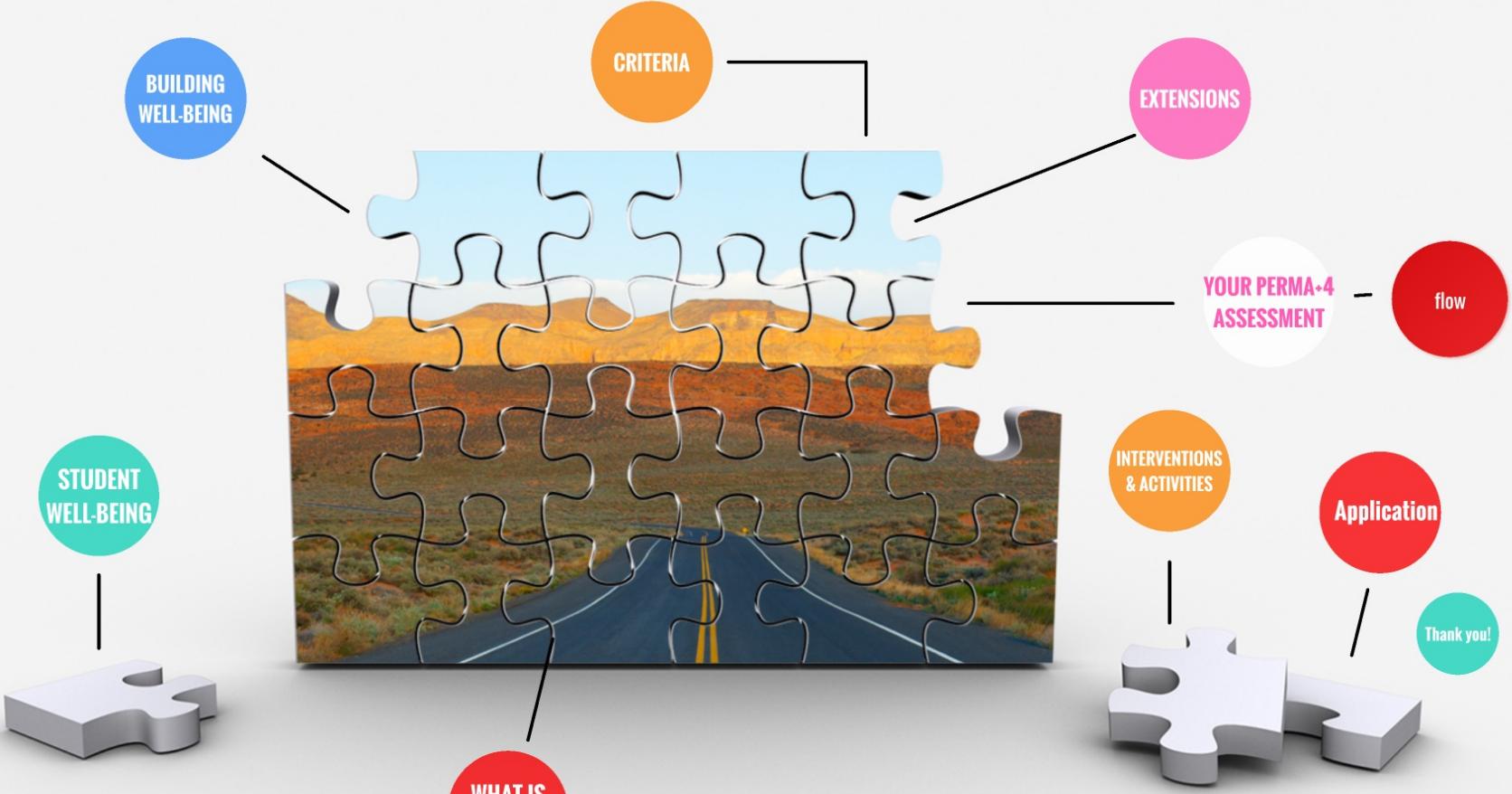
**well students,  
successful students**



# **Positive Education**

Skills of  
Achievement

Skills of  
Well-being



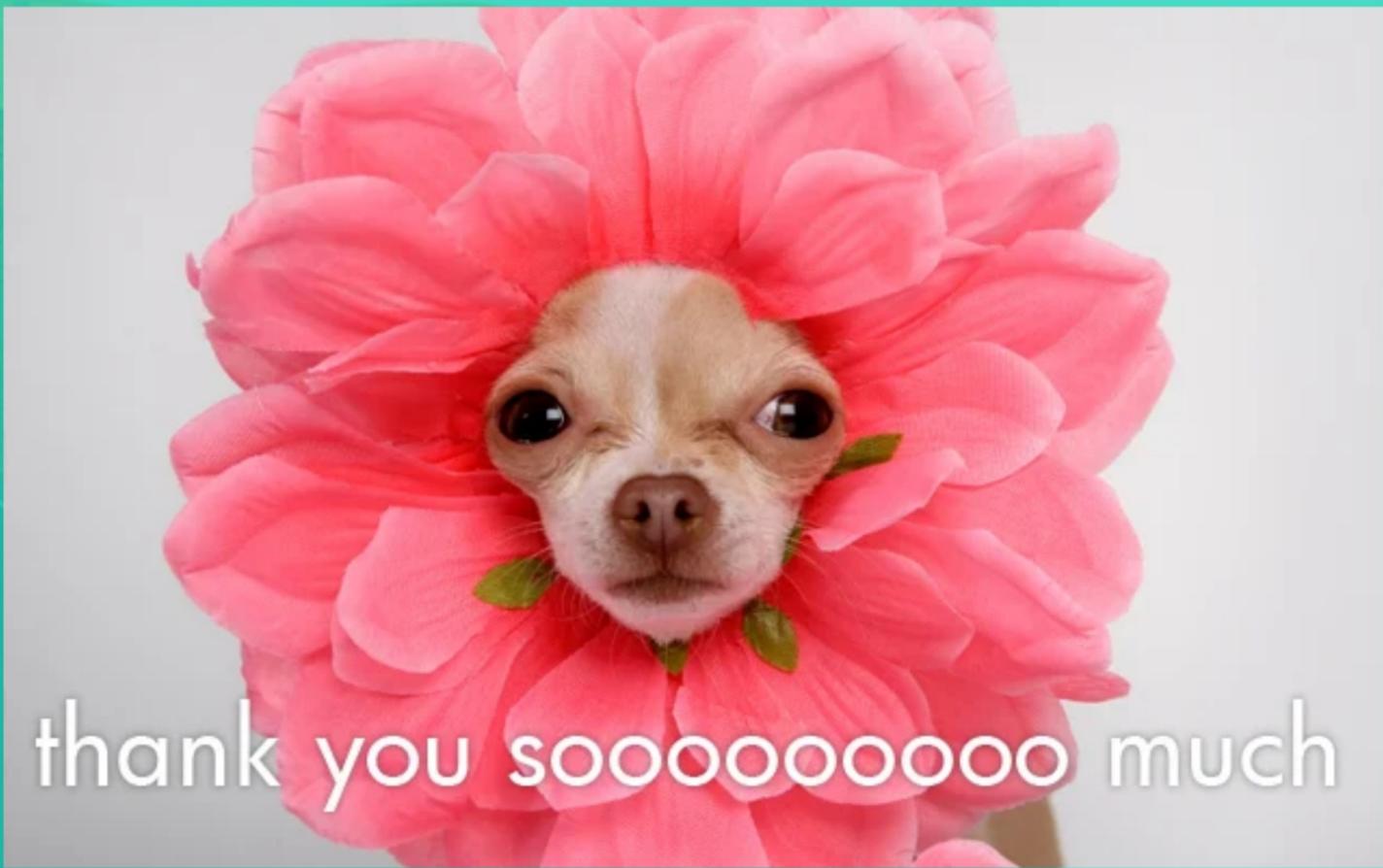


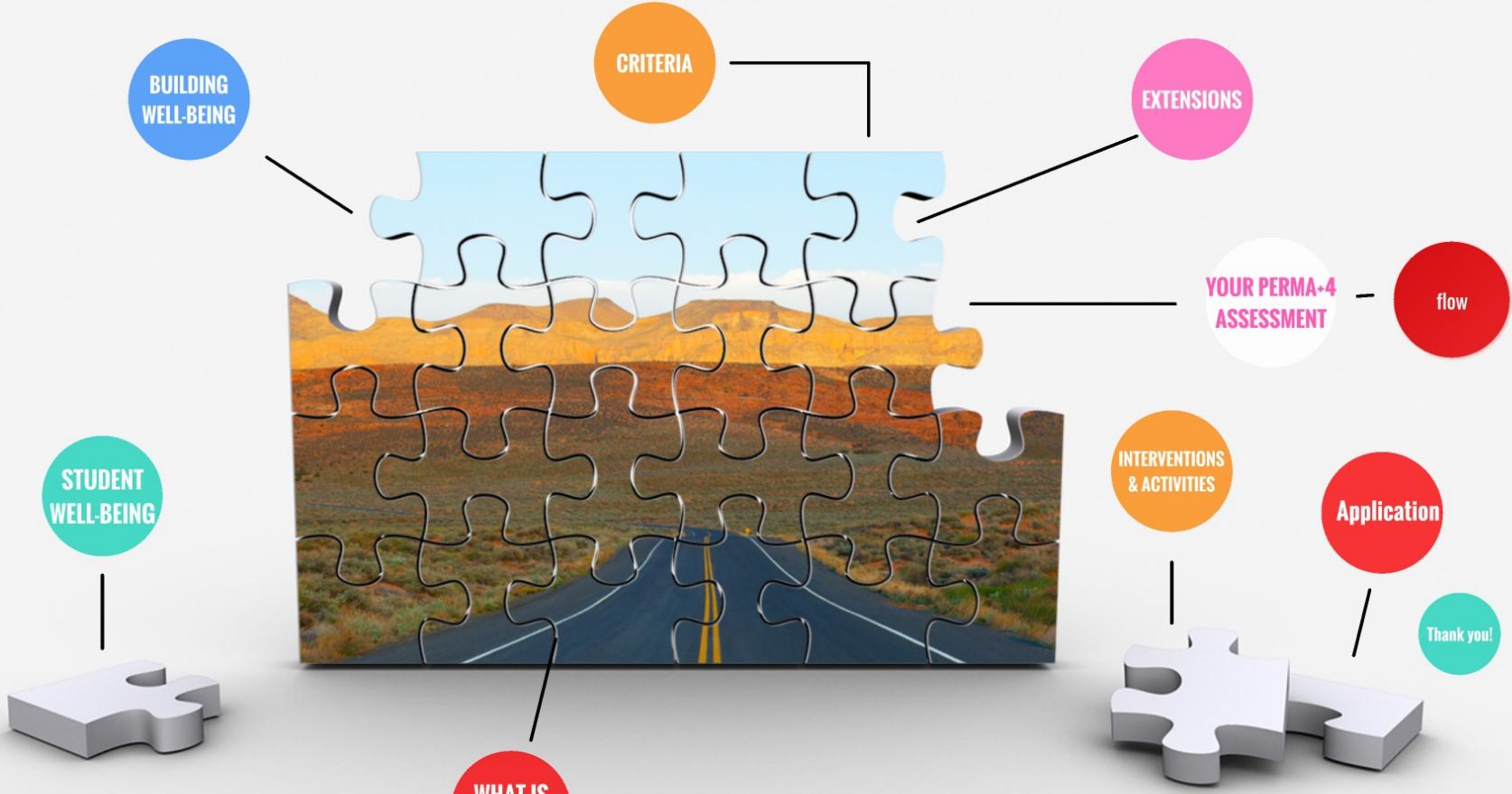
Till the next week:  
Be mindful of your building blocks.



*Take Home  
Messages?*

**AGREEMENT**





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**well-being**  
**being well**





**well-being**  
**being well**

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safe

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thankful

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friendly & loving

being

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## Jak je well-being definován?

Centra pro kontrolu a prevenci nemocí (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention) upozorňují na neexistenci jednotné definice well-beingu, ovšem mluví o všeobecné shodě na tom, že well-being (do češtiny překládáno jako blahobyt či pohoda) zahrnuje minimálně **přítomnost pozitivních emocí a nálad** (např. spokojenost, štěstí), **nepřítomnost negativních emocí** (např. úzkosti), **spokojenost se životem, životní naplnění a pozitivní fungování**.

Zjednodušeně lze pohodu popsat jako **pozitivní posuzování vlastního života a dobrý pocit**. Pro účely veřejného zdraví je fyzická pohoda (např. cítit se fyzicky velmi zdravě, energicky) považována za zásadní pro celkový zdravotní well-being.



## How is well-being defined?

CDC (2018): There is no consensus around a single definition of well-being, but there is general agreement that at minimum, **well-being includes the presence of positive emotions and moods** (e.g., contentment, happiness), **the absence of negative emotions** (e.g., depression, anxiety), **satisfaction with life, fulfillment and positive functioning**.

In simple terms, well-being can be described as **judging life positively and feeling good**. For public health purposes, physical well-being (e.g., feeling very healthy and full of energy) is also viewed as critical to overall well-being.



# (CDC, 2018 & HARVARD 2019)

Výzkumníci z různých oborů zkoumali různé aspekty duševního blahobytu (dále well-beingu) a shodují se na těchto zásadních:

Fyzický well-being.

Ekonomický well-being.

Sociální well-being.

Vývoj a aktivita.

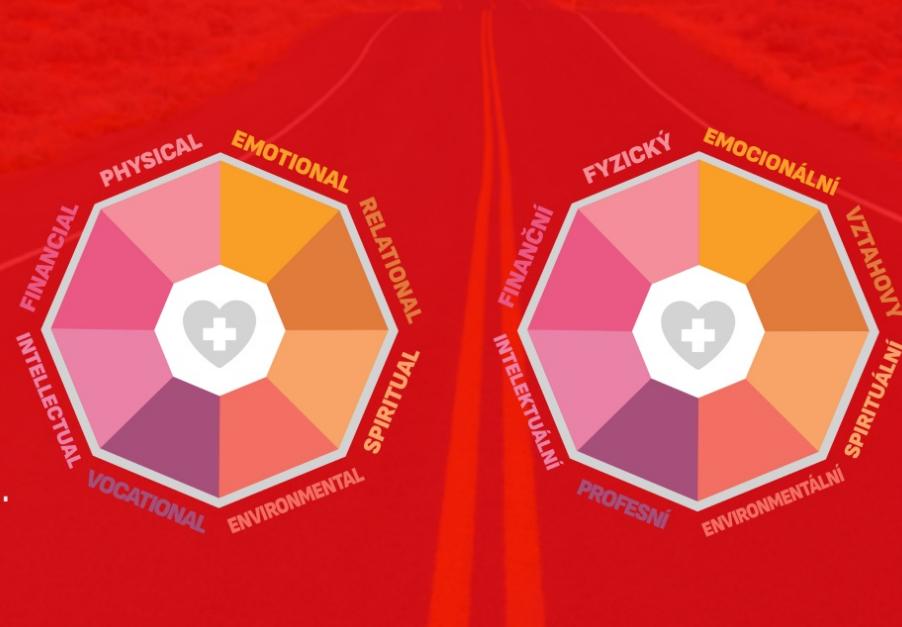
Emocionální well-being.

Psychický well-being.

Životní spokojenost.

Spokojenost v různých doménách.

Zajímavé aktivity a práce.

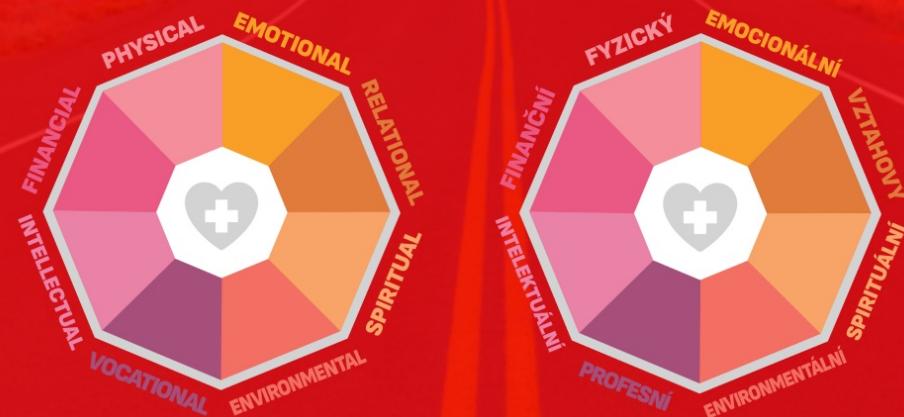




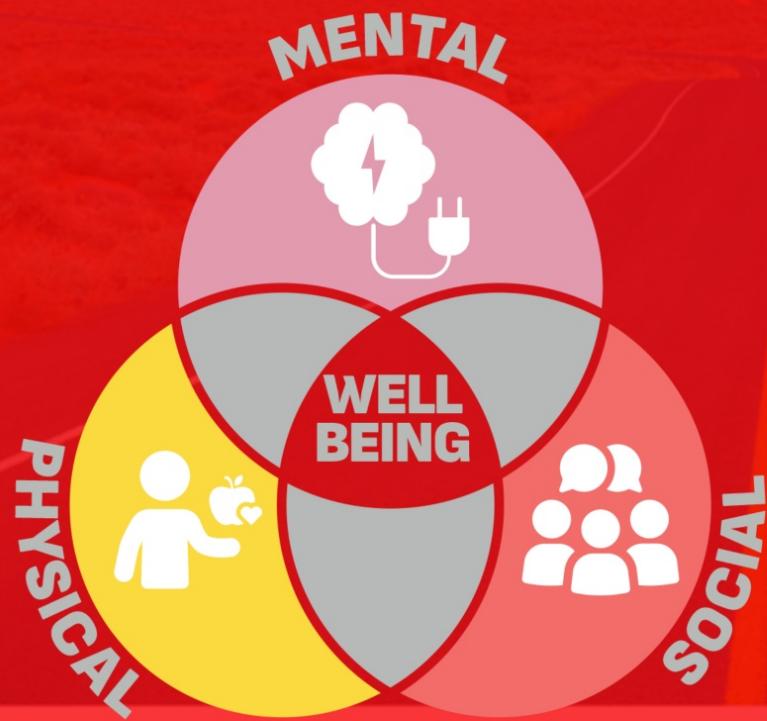
# (CDC, 2018 & HARVARD 2019)

For public health purposes, physical well-being (e.g., feeling very healthy and full of energy) is also viewed as critical to overall well-being. Researchers from different disciplines have examined different **aspects of well-being** that include the following:

- Physical well-being.
- Economic well-being.
- Social well-being.
- Development and activity.
- Emotional well-being.
- Psychological well-being.
- Life satisfaction.
- Domain specific satisfaction.
- Engaging activities and work.



# The World Health Organization (1948):





# Světová zdravotnická organizace (World mental health report, 2022)

Definuje duševní zdraví jako "integrální část našeho celkového zdraví a well-beingu a jako základní lidské právo".



# World mental health report (2022)

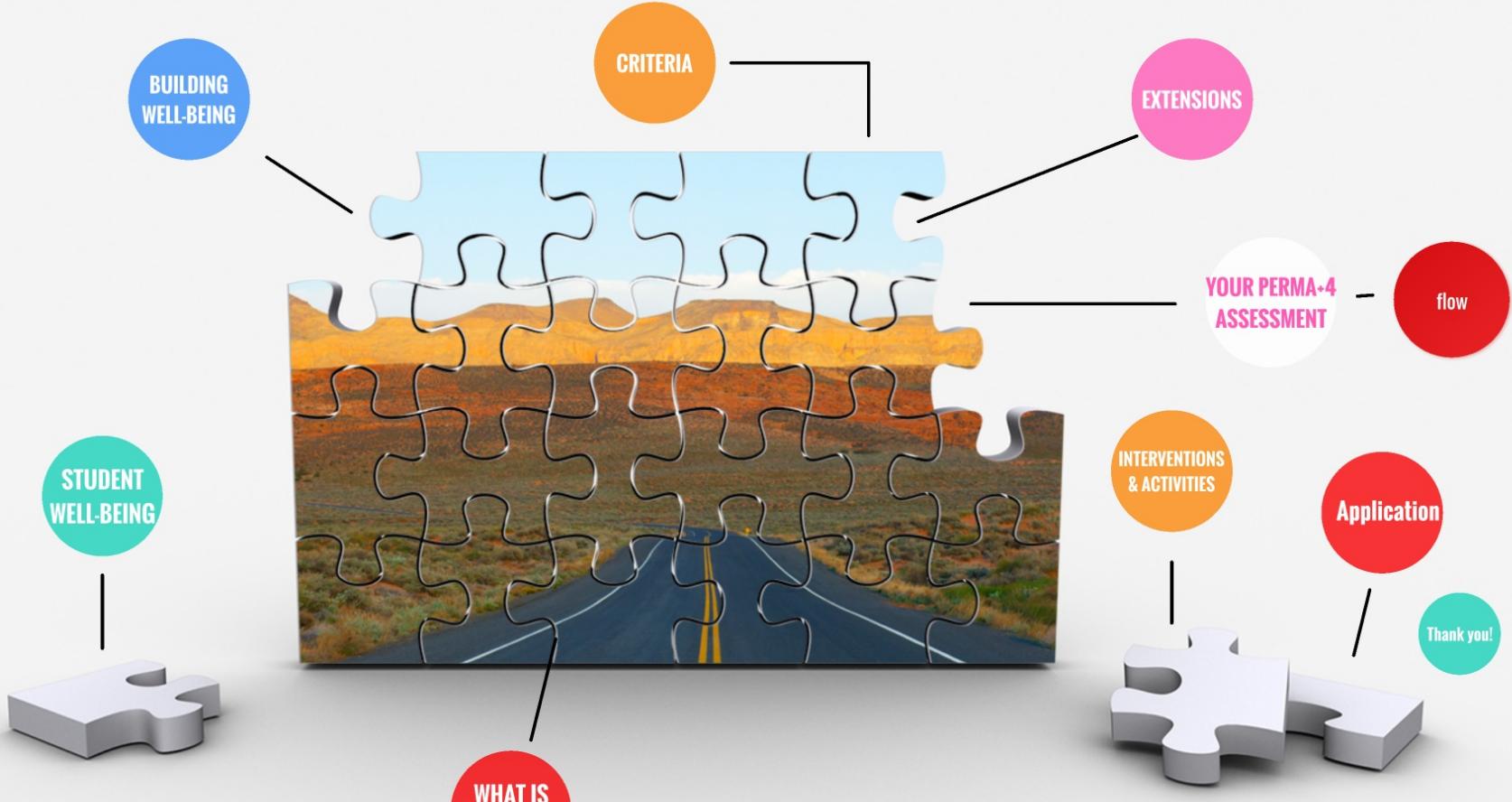
Defines mental health as an integral part of our general health and well-being and as a basic human right.



Psychology should be just as concerned with building strength as with repairing damage

— *Martin Seligman* —

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## Do škol má nově přijít i „wellbeing“. Není jasné, jak to učit

7. 9. 2022, 13:33  
Filip Šára

Velkou revizi rámcových vzdělávacích programů (RVP) se má do školní výuky dostat též důraz na tzv. wellbeing (počít tělesné a duševní pohody). V českém prostředí nicméně pro výuku wellbeingu zatím chybí metodická opora, upozorňují zástupci České odborné společnosti pro inkluzivní vzdělávání (ČOSIV). Přicházejí proto s novou metodikou.



Samotný projekt je financován z evropských fondů.

**Anketa**

Měly by se školy zabývat tzv. wellbeingem a obecně péčí o duševní zdraví?

Ano, pro život je to čím dál důležitější, může to fungovat i jako prevence stresu nebo šikaně.

31,1 %

Lze se tím okrajově zabývat v rámci některého předmětu, ale „nepřehánět(a)“ bych to.

9 %

Ne, je to zbytečná ztráta času na úkor klasického školního vzdělávání.

59,9 %

Celkem hlasovalo 12110 čtenářů.

**Pedagogický institut začne upravovat učivo ZŠ**

Programy zaměřené na rozvoj sociálních a emočních dovedností pomáhají podle slov předsedkyně ČOSIV Lenky Felcmanové ve škole vytváret bezpečné prostředí, předcházet šikaně nebo užívání návykových látek. Žáci pak mají lepší podmínky pro učení a dosahují i lepších vzdělávacích výsledků.



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V roce 2030 bude podle WHO  
duševní onemocnění (DO) světově  
onemocnění č. 1

Zanedbání duševního  
zdraví se projevuje  
neprospíváním,  
náročným chováním,  
šikanou,  
sebepoškozováním,  
narušenými vztahy a  
sebevraždou.

35 mladých  
lidí ročně  
umírá v  
důsledku  
sebevraždy

Do 14 let věku se  
rozvíjí 50% DO a do  
25 let 75%

1 z 5ti mladých lidí trpí DO



**WHO**

2022

- 1 Sebevražda ve vyspělých zemích je druhou nejčastější příčinou úmrtí lidí ve věku 10 - 19 let**
- 2 26 % žen a 10 % mužů ve věku 16- 24 uvádí, že se se někdy ve svém životě poškozovali**
- 3 Úzkost a deprese je mezi 5ti nejčastějšími příčinami zdravotních překážek ve věkové skupině 10 až 19 let**
- 4 V důsledku pandemie stoupla prevalence deprese v populaci 3x a úzkosti 2x**

# PISA

30 % českých žáků se setkává s šikanou (šetrení SCIO Mapa školy - 40 % žáků se často setkává (až denně) se slovní šikanou.

7 % českých žáků se stále cítí smutně

18 % žáků není spokojeno se svým životem

ČR patří v OECD mezi 5 zemí s nejnižším podílem žáků, kteří vnímají jasný smysl svého života.

S výrokem "cítím velkou úzkost před testem, přestože jsem se na něj dobře připravil/a" souhlasilo 40 % žáků (dívek 64 %).

Nízká očekávání učitele a jeho presvědčení o neschopnosti konkrétního žáka zvyšují pravděpodobnost celkové úzkosti ze školy o 60 %.

Žáci s nejvyšší mírou uzkosti ze školy uvádějí nižší spokojenost s vlastním životem.

Záci, kteři pocitují úzkost spojenou se zkoušením a známkováním, dosahují horších výsledků

# TIMSS

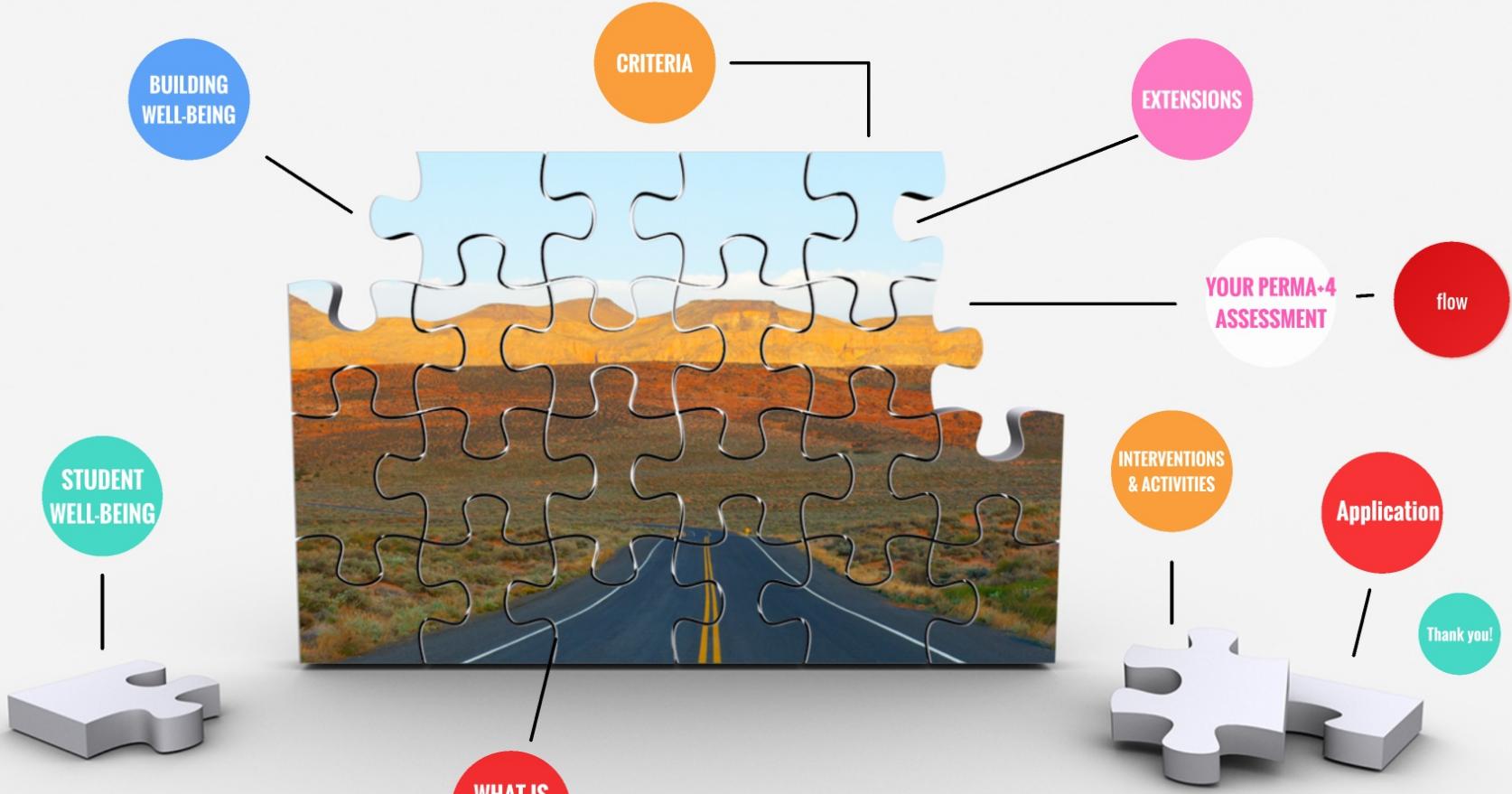
Čestí čtvrtáci navštěvují školu nejméně rádi ze všech zemí OECD a opakovaně prokazují nejnižší míru sounáležitosti se školou.

Důvera ve vlastní schopnosti učení ovlivňuje vzdělávací výsledky silněji než sociální e ekonomické faktory rodinného prostředí žáků.

Kvalitní a respektující komunikace učitele s rodiči, jejichž socioekonomický status je nízký, může dlouhodobě pomoci žákům z těchto rodin zlepšit jejich studijní výsledky.

Prostředí školy a postoje učitelů ovlivňují vzdělávací výsledky žáků - ve školách, kde je řediteli deklarována úspěšnost v realizaci vzdělávacího programu ze strany učitelů, větší zapojení a zájem rodičů a snaha samotných žáků prospívat a respektovat úspěšné spolužáky, žáci dosahují lepších výsledků (v matematice).

Žáci, kteří vnímají, že jejich učitel vyučuje srozumitelně a aktivně se věnuje jejich individuálním výkovým potřebám, dosahují lepších vzdělávacích výsledků v matematice.



# What criteria can evaluate a theory of the elements of well-being?

(Seligman, 2018)

The elements contribute to well-being

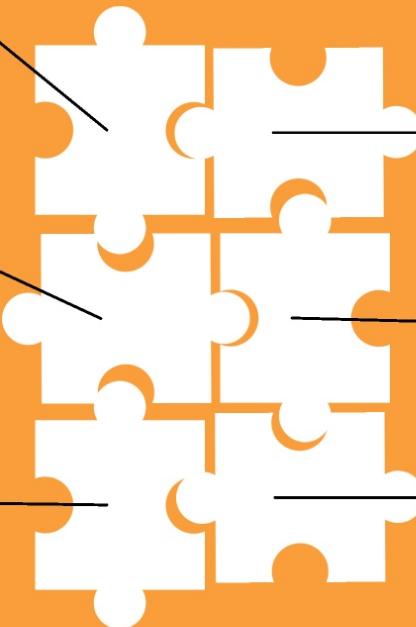
Many people pursue each element for its own sake and not just to serve another element

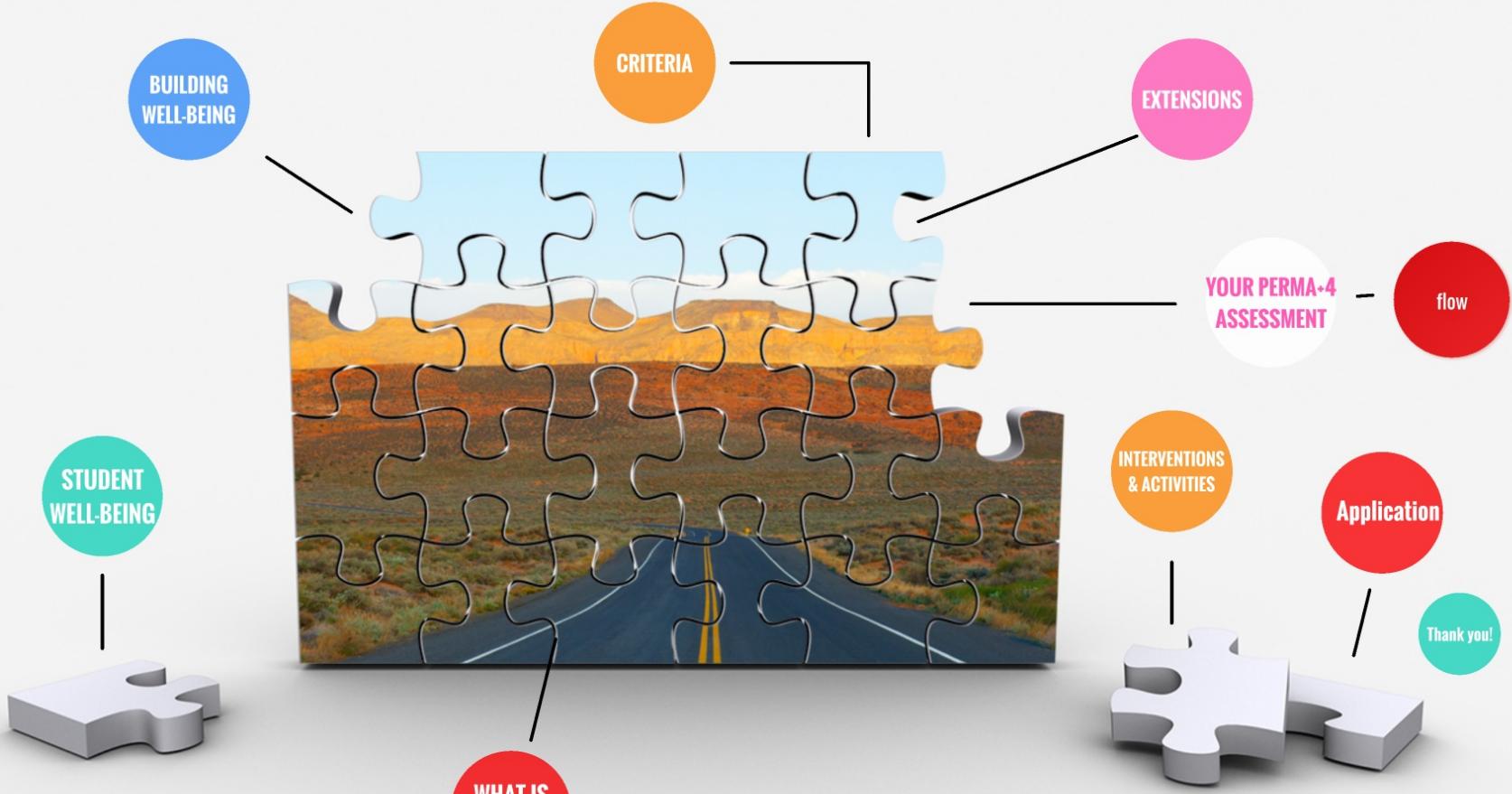
The list of element is exclusive and exhaustive  
(PERMA may be exclusive, but it is certainly not exhaustive., e.g. health, vitality, and responsibility are additional candidates elements)

The elements lead to specific interventions to build each element and SWB

The list is parsimonious (five does rather better than 196).

Each element can be defined and measured independently of the other elements.





# FLOURISHING: HOW?

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PERMA H



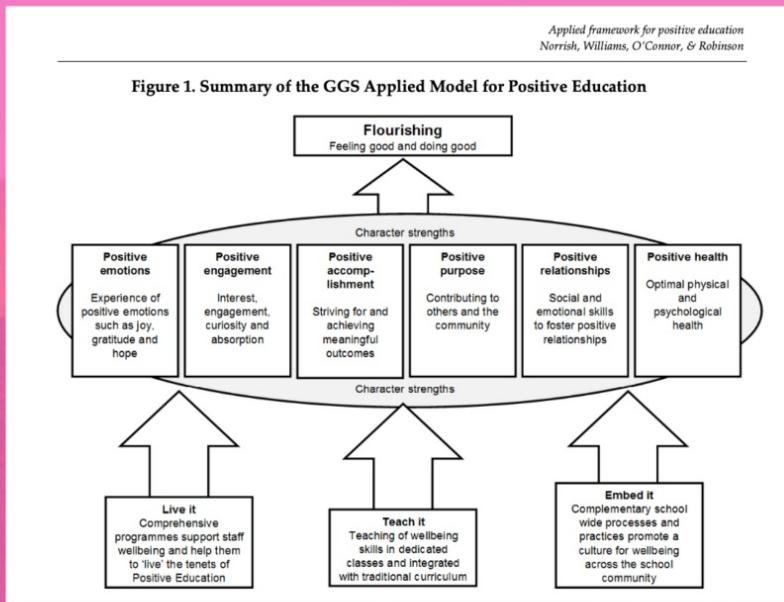
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# PERMA H

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## An applied framework for Positive Education

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**Abstract:** The increasing momentum of the Positive Psychology movement has seen burgeoning research in positive mental health and adaptive functioning: a critical question is how this knowledge can now be applied in real-world settings. Positive Education seeks to combine principles of Positive Psychology with best-practice teaching and with educational paradigms to promote optimal development and flourishing in the school setting. Interest in Positive Education continues to grow in line with increasing recognition of the important role played by schools in fostering wellbeing, and the link between wellbeing and academic success. To date, however, a framework to guide the implementation of Positive Education in schools has been lacking. This paper provides an overview of the Geelong Grammar School (GGS) Model for Positive Education, an applied framework developed over five years of implementing Positive Education as a whole-school approach in one Australian school. Explicit and implicit teaching in combination with school-wide practices target six wellbeing domains, including positive emotions, positive engagement, positive accomplishment, positive purpose, positive relationships, and positive health, underpinned by a focus on character strengths. The Model provides a structured pathway for implementing Positive Education in schools, a framework to guide evaluation and research, and a foundation for further theoretical discussion and development.

**Keywords:** positive psychology, Positive Education, wellbeing, flourishing

### 1. An applied framework for Positive Education

There is increasing recognition that good mental and physical health consists of the presence of wellbeing in addition to the absence of pathology and illness (Keyes, 2006), and the emergence of the Positive Psychology movement has seen a significant redirection of scientific inquiry towards the exploration of optimal human functioning (Rusk & Waters, 2013). A wealth of new knowledge has been generated as a result, but a remaining question is how this knowledge can be applied in real-world settings to promote wellbeing across the general population. This question is particularly salient in regards to young people, given levels of mental health difficulties observed during adolescence and the transition to adulthood that are cause for concern (Sawyer, Miller-Lewis, & Clark, 2007).

Schools are one of the most important developmental contexts in young peoples' lives, and can be a key source of the skills and competencies that support their capacity for successful adaptation (Hamilton & Hamilton, 2009). Furthermore, schools provide accessible and relatively stable sites within which to locate interventions to promote wellbeing (Bond et al., 2007), and represent a common setting for children and adolescents, thus facilitating universal promotion-based interventions (Short & Talley, 1997). Hence, schools are uniquely placed to

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# PERMA V

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The program meets live, twice weekly for 36 weeks, and is divided into six modules that follow the PERMA-V Model of Well-being. Click on the topics below to learn the contents of each module.

- Module 1: Positivity**
- Module 2: Engagement**
- Module 3: Relationships**
- Module 4: Meaning**
- Module 5: Achievement**
- Module 6: Vitality**

**Module 6: Vitality**

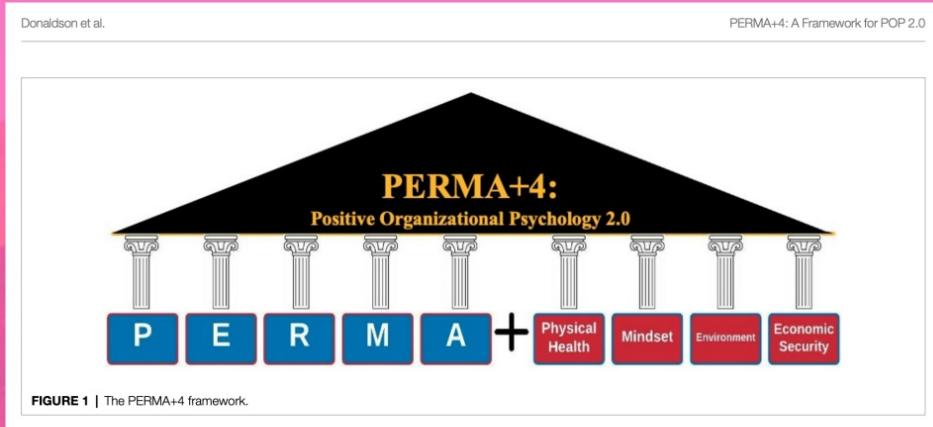
In this module we teach you about the mind-body connection, how essential a thriving body is for a thriving mind, and the five additional elements of well-being (PERMA).

What you will learn:

- The psycho-somatic and somato-psychic principle
- Balancing polarities in the body
- Navigating stress
- Inducing calm
- Improving sleep
- Fueling the body
- Nutrition and absorption
- Ergonomics and body alignment
- Physical activity
- Positive sexuality
- Aging well
- Biohacking
- Intermittent fasting
- And more...

# PERMA+4

**Empirical evidence:**  
**Donaldson (2019),**  
**Donaldson et al. (2020),**  
**and Donaldson and Donaldson (2021a,b).**



## PERMA+4: A Framework for Work-Related Wellbeing, Performance and Positive Organizational Psychology 2.0

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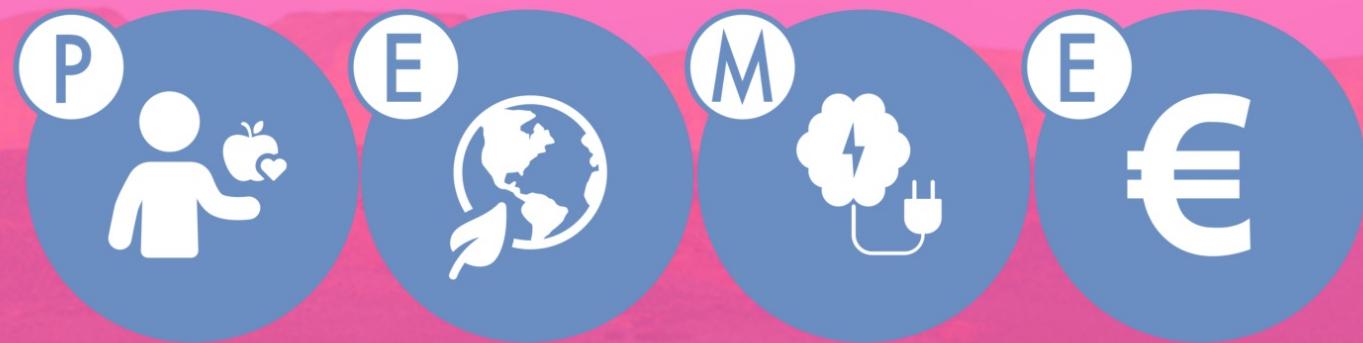
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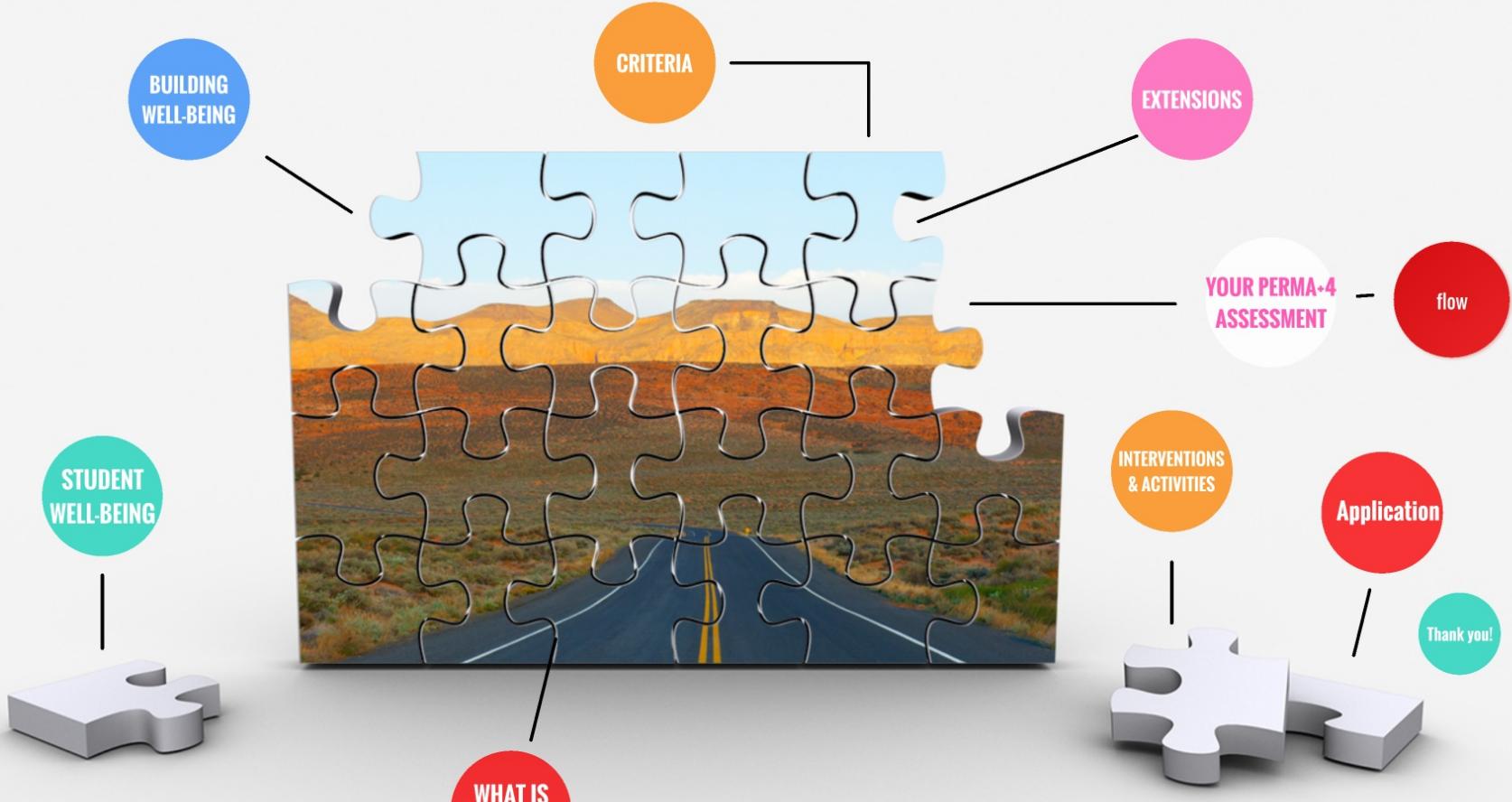
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# Positive Interventions & E-B Activities Building Well-being

Seligman (2018): "If I understand that PERMA is a theory of the building blocks of well-being, we can work together on gratitude visits, or three blessings, or active-constructive responding or any of the other validated positive interventions that build these elements (e.g. Bolier et al., 2013)."

(Donaldson et al., 2021)

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# Following the Science to Generate Well-Being: Using the Highest-Quality Experimental Evidence to Design Interventions

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The second wave of devastating consequences of the COVID-19 pandemic has been linked to dramatic declines in well-being. While much of the well-being research is based on cross-sectional designs, there is now a growing body of causal evidence from high-quality randomized controlled trials (RCTs) that test the effects of positive psychology interventions (PPIs). This systematic review analyzed the findings from 25 meta-analyses, 42 review papers, and the high-quality RCTs of PPIs designed to generate well-being that were included within those studies. Findings reveal PPIs have the potential to generate well-being across a wide range of outcomes, including well-being in non-Western countries. Four emerging themes that have been tested with a high-quality RCT, have positive effects on well-being, and could be implemented during a global pandemic—*are presented and discussed. Future efforts to generate well-being can build on this causal evidence and emulate the most efficacious PPIs to be as effective as possible at generating well-being.* The findings also highlight the need for more rigorous research on PPIs with diverse populations and in non-WORLD contexts to ensure equitable access to effective interventions that generate well-being for all.

**Keywords:** positive psychology intervention, well-being, randomized controlled trial, systematic review, exemplar method

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## INTRODUCTION

In response to psychology's strong emphasis on pathology and ignoring human benefits, Segal and Calhoun (2004) provided a vision for the next generation of psychological science to spend at least some of their careers understanding the factors that make life worth living and preventing pathologies that arise when life is not meaningful. The call was answered and a number of journals have emerged that publish positive psychology research. In addition, there is a theme of these articles include applying concepts of positive psychology theories, practices, and interventions (Donaldson et al., 2015; Kim et al., 2018). Furthermore, this new science is now being conducted across many disciplines and professions, five continents, and more than 60 countries

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**TABLE 4** | The most promising PPI training topics and exercises

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<b>1. Introduction</b>		<b>"Self-acceptance"</b>	
<b>2. Gratitude</b>	<b>2. What makes you happy?</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- What makes you happy in the past from being grateful?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Day of pleasant emotions: What happened, who was there, what did you feel, what did you think?</li> </ul>
• Content: How happy people habitually notice and appreciate the positive in life	<b>3. Write a gratitude diary</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Write a gratitude diary: Note three things that made you happy today!</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Three good things: The about three things that went well for you today.</li> </ul>
• Exercises: Three good things	<b>4. Express gratitude</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Express gratitude: Expressing gratitude in a way that is comfortable for you</li> </ul>	<b>"Thankfulness"</b>
• Content: How do people need to have a good day?	<b>5. Identify your best friends and meet them this weekend</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Identify your best friends and meet them this weekend</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Overview of your strengths: Which give the energy and pleasure to your life?</li> </ul>
• Exercises: Make a list of pleasant activities; Plan pleasant activities for the next day	<b>6. Write a thank-you letter</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Write a thank-you letter:</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Imagine your strengths: What happens if you strengthen your strengths?</li> </ul>
• Homework: Carry out a pleasant activity	<b>7. Set three people your wishes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Write to three people your wishes</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Ask 3 people about their strengths: Ask 3 people about their strengths.</li> </ul>
<b>3. Content</b>	<b>8. Be reasonable</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Reasonability: Doing away with an unhelped perspective</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
• Content: About character strengths and their practical applications	<b>9. Let family talk about it</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Let family talk about it: Do something new and let your family appreciate it as a chance?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
• Exercises: Identify personal character strengths	<b>10. Express gratitude</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Express gratitude: Expressing gratitude for new experiences</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
• Homework: Find new ways of using character strengths	<b>11. Create a gratitude journal</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Create a gratitude journal: Keeping a record of new experiences</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
<b>4. Art of Kindness</b>	<b>12. Eat a meal mindfully</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Eat a meal mindfully: Mindfully eat a meal</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
• Content: Art of kindness and how they influence well-being	<b>13. Capture happy moments with your family</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Mindfully and capture happy moments with your family</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
• Exercises: Plan three kinds of activities	<b>14. Challenge yourself with exercises/sports</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Challenge yourself with exercises/sports</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
• Homework: Carry out lots of kindnesses	<b>15. Enjoy life</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Enjoy life:</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
<b>5. Gratitude</b>	<b>16. Identify your strengths</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Identify your strengths:</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
• Content: The practice increases positive emotions about past, present and future	<b>17. Live in a new way</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Live in a new way:</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
• Exercises: Three good things	<b>18. Give thanks</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Give thanks: Present to make somebody happy</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
• Homework: Write a gratitude letter	<b>19. Be present</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Be present: Make the time to be fully present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
<b>6. Mindset and Rebirth</b>	<b>20. Practice self-compassion</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Practice self-compassion: Make the time to be fully present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
• Content: How to increase self-esteem and self-efficacy	<b>21. Practice self-compassion</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Practice self-compassion: Make the time to be fully present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
• Exercises: Instructions for writing affirmations	<b>22. Increase self-compassion</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Increase self-compassion: Make the time to be fully present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
• Homework: Write a negative self-statement every day for three weeks	<b>23. Practice self-compassion</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Practice self-compassion: Make the time to be fully present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
<b>7. Mindfulness</b>	<b>24. Practice self-compassion</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Practice self-compassion: Make the time to be fully present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
• Content: Optimum in everyday life and its effects on mental and physical well-being	<b>25. Practice self-compassion</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Practice self-compassion: Make the time to be fully present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
• Exercises: Best Possible Life	<b>26. Practice self-compassion</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Practice self-compassion: Make the time to be fully present</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Set three people your wishes:</li> </ul>
<b>TABLE 4   Continued</b>			
Dressler et al., 2014, p. 300	Felicité et al., 2015, p. 2	Iftaneh et al., 2016, p. 1400	Schutte-Sitton et al., 2017*
<b>8. Flow</b>	<b>7. Final</b>		
• Content: How to use flow to create engagement and intense motivation	<b>8. Detect your happiness exercises</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Detect your happiness exercises:</li> </ul>	<b>6. Resistance</b>
• Exercises: Identify personal life activities; Plan a flow activity	<b>9. Be a happiness researcher and tell your family about it</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Be a happiness researcher and tell your family about it</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coping style: Take the test to identify your prominent coping style.</li> </ul>
• Homework: Carry out a flow activity	<b>10. Reward yourself for your progress during the last week and give yourself a treat!</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Reward yourself for your progress during the last week and give yourself a treat!</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coping style: Write 10 times on at least 10 cards about your positive experiences, emotions, thoughts, and feelings around a negative or positive event.</li> </ul>
<b>10. Gratitude</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Meditation: Meditating for a few minutes on your most positive possible experience</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coping style: Know your specific needs at this moment; Should know your needs?</li> </ul>
• Content: How to enjoy small everyday moments of pleasure		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Daily practice: Acting according to best possible choice: Choosing meaningful activities</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coping style: Know your specific needs at this moment; Should know your needs?</li> </ul>
• Exercises: Instructions on how to savor and relish personal achievements and to be proud of your achievements		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Meditation: Meditating for a few minutes on your most positive possible experience</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coping style: Know your specific needs at this moment; Should know your needs?</li> </ul>
<b>11. Adaptation and Attribution</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Daily practice: Choosing to be best possible choice: Choosing meaningful activities</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coping style: Know your specific needs at this moment; Should know your needs?</li> </ul>
• Content: How to identify and change attributional styles (e.g., utility winners) quickly adapt to their situation		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Meditation: Loving Kindness Meditation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coping style: Know your specific needs at this moment; Should know your needs?</li> </ul>
• Exercises: Instructions for attributing success to stable, global, personal characteristics, and failure to temporary, specific, and external characteristics		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Daily practice: Bringing feelings of loving kindness into themselves</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coping style: Know your specific needs at this moment; Should know your needs?</li> </ul>
<b>12. Stress and Mindfulness</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Meditation: Loving Kindness Meditation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coping style: Know your specific needs at this moment; Should know your needs?</li> </ul>
• Content: How prolonged stress can affect mental and physical health		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Daily practice: Loving Kindness Meditation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coping style: Know your specific needs at this moment; Should know your needs?</li> </ul>
• Exercises: Practice mindfulness by focusing on one's breathing		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Daily practice: Using loving to engage with experiences</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coping style: Know your specific needs at this moment; Should know your needs?</li> </ul>
<b>13. Summary</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Daily practice: Using loving to engage with experiences</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coping style: Know your specific needs at this moment; Should know your needs?</li> </ul>
• Content: How happiness test and blueprint for increasing well-being		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Discussion: Summary of the program</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coping style: Know your specific needs at this moment; Should know your needs?</li> </ul>
• Exercises: Summary of important tasks and exercises		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Discussion: Summary of personal growth and invitation to keep meditating</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Coping style: Know your specific needs at this moment; Should know your needs?</li> </ul>

\*Description from Schutte-Sitton et al. (2017) pp. 6-7.

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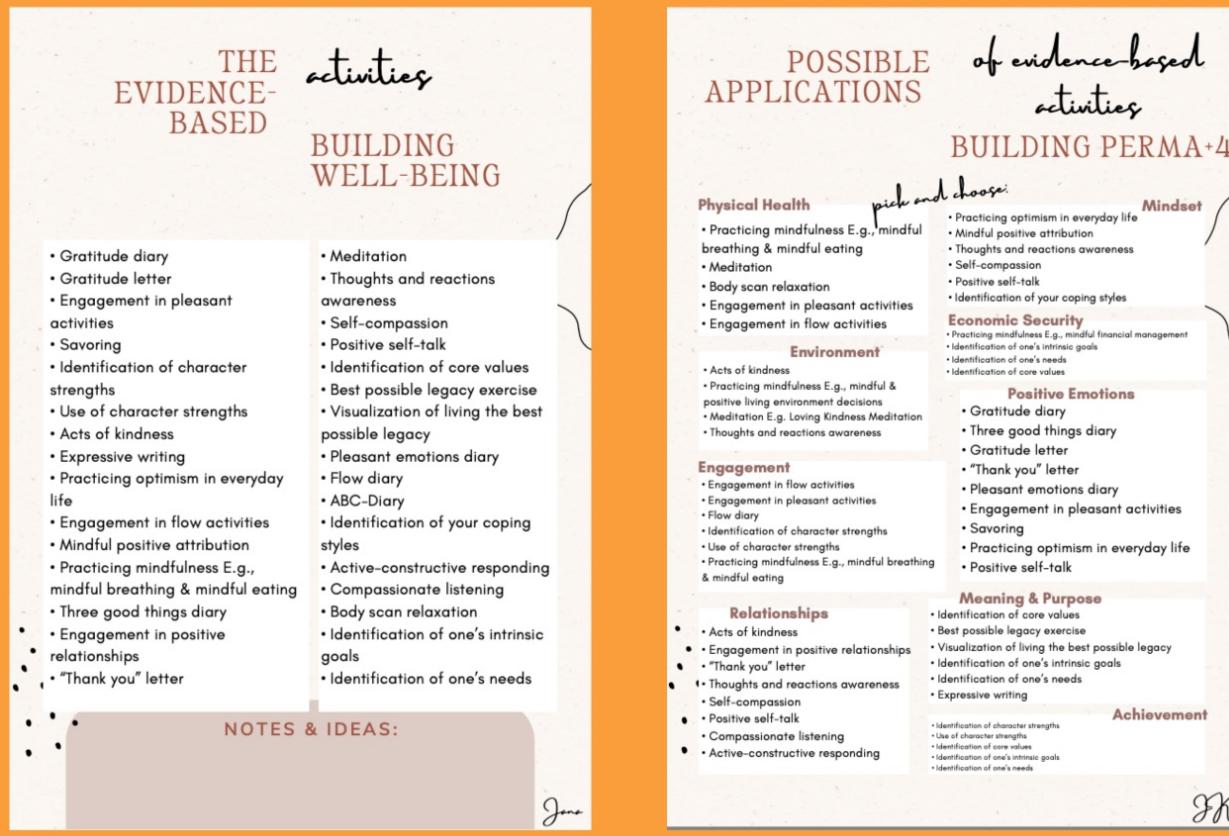


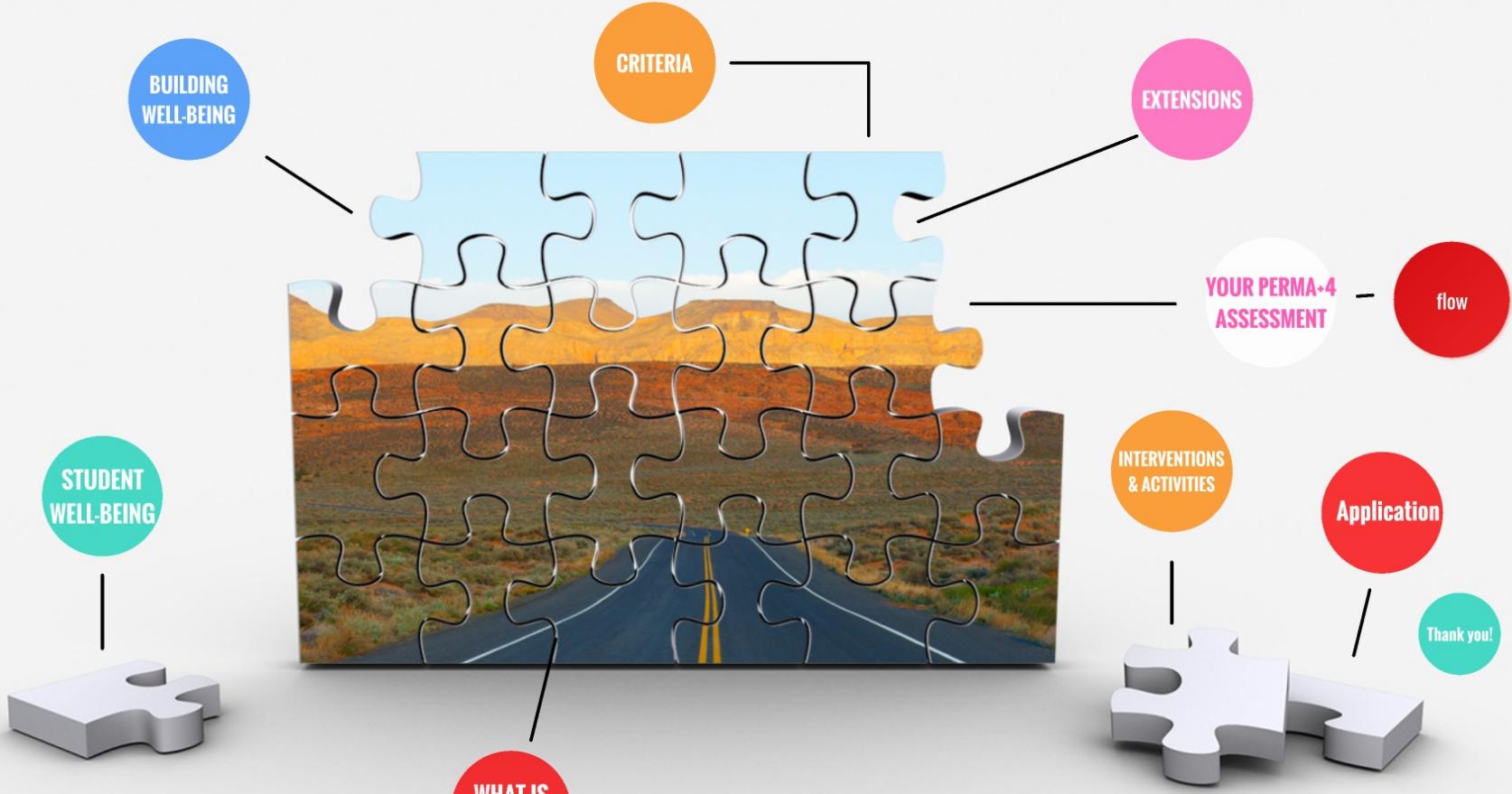
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Evidence based activities and interventions generating well-being





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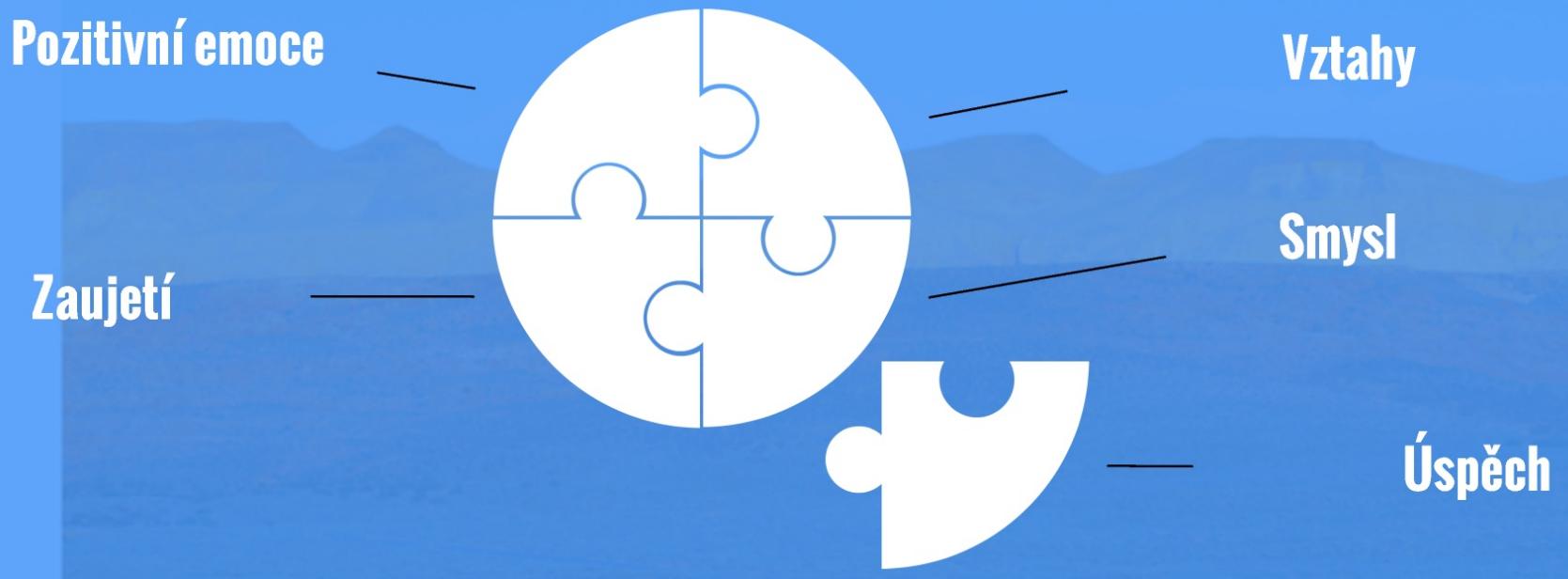
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## Budování well-beingu

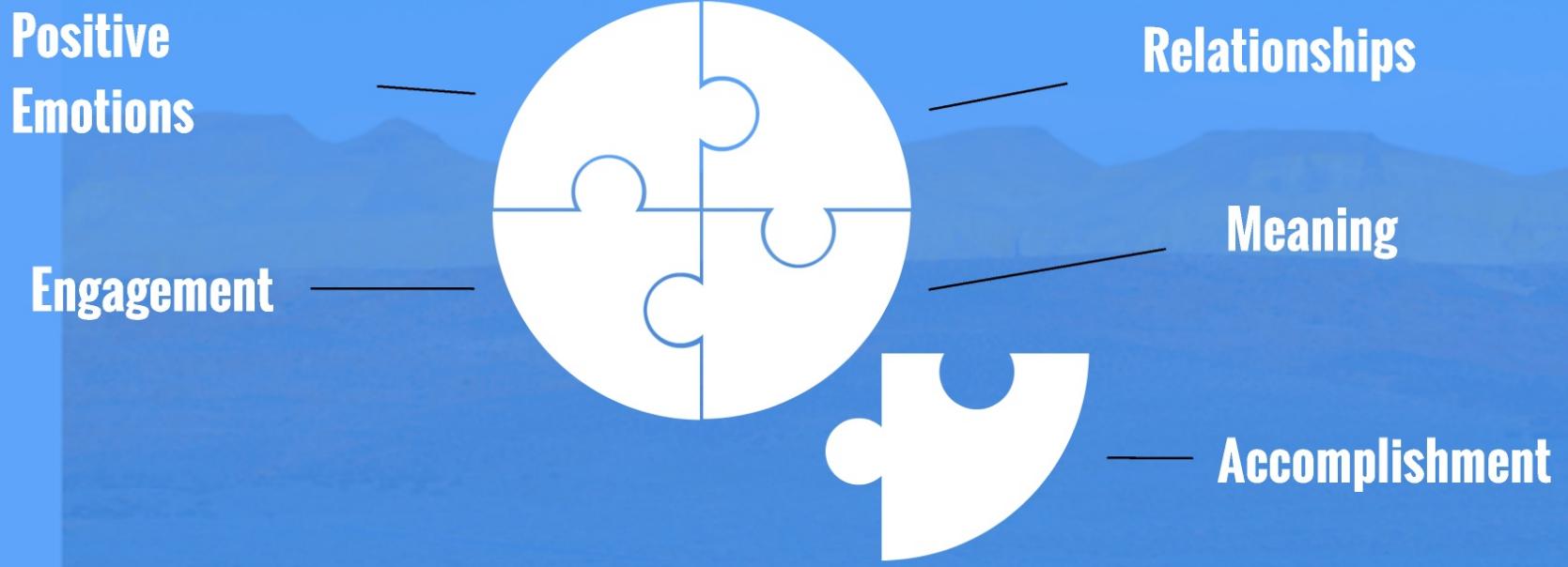
V roce 2011, nejnovější věda představila model budování well-beingu PERMA (Positive Emotion, Engagement, Relationships, Meaning and Accomplishment) jako model pěti měřitelných elementů generujících well-being (Seligman, 2011, pp 16–25).

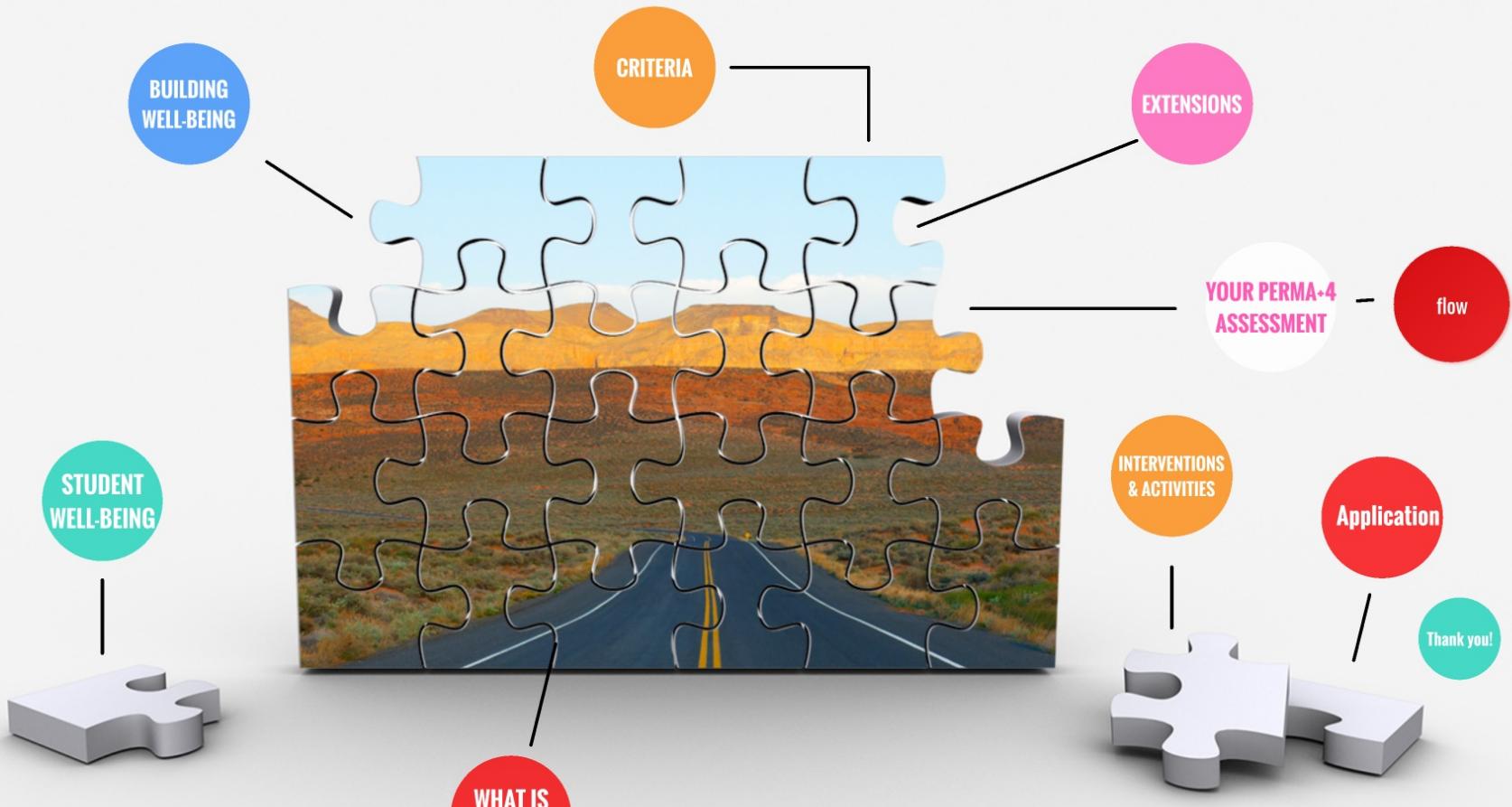




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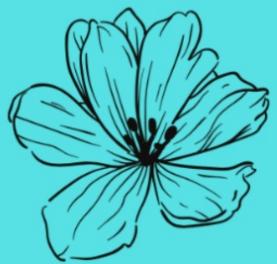


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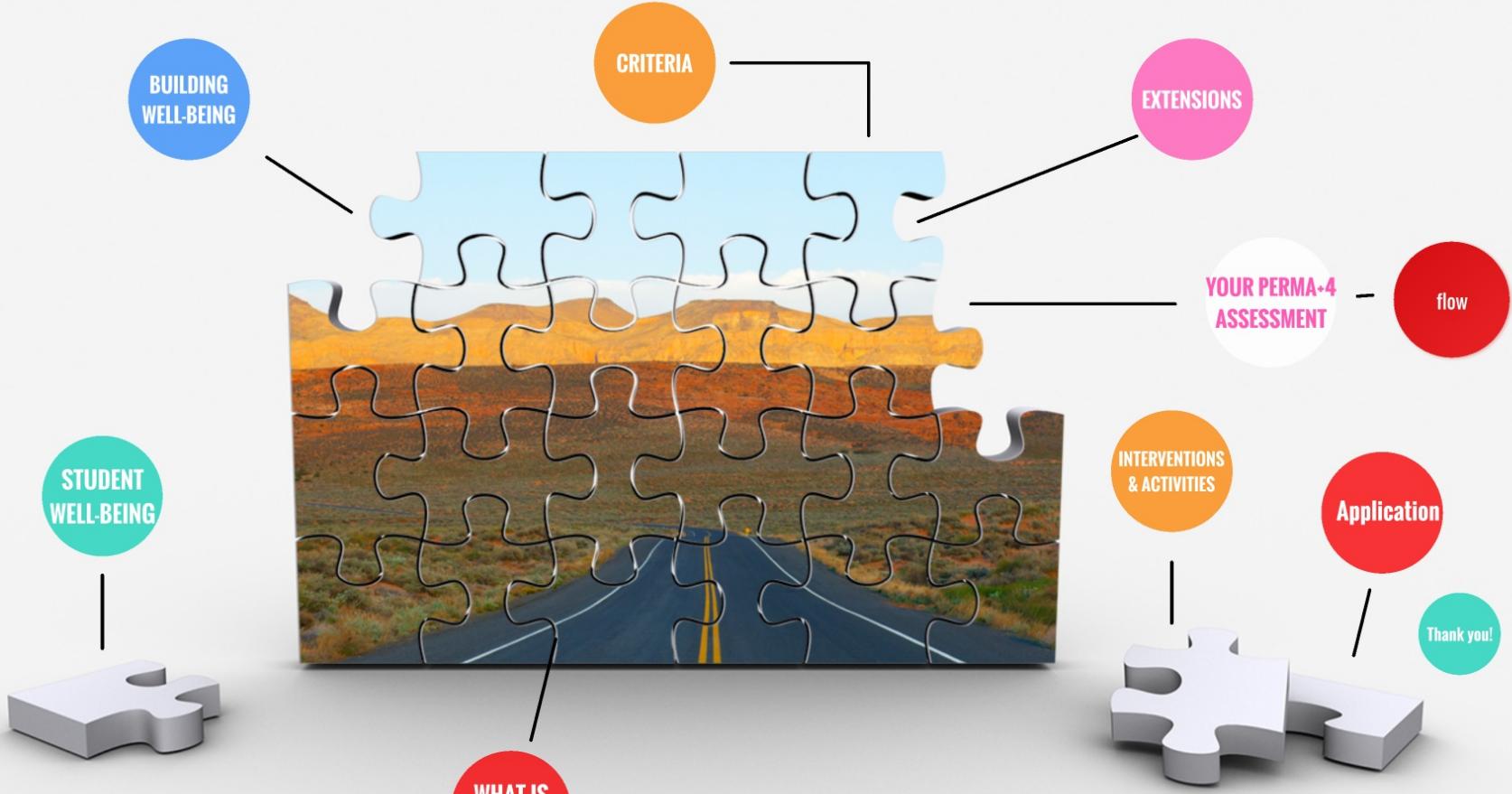


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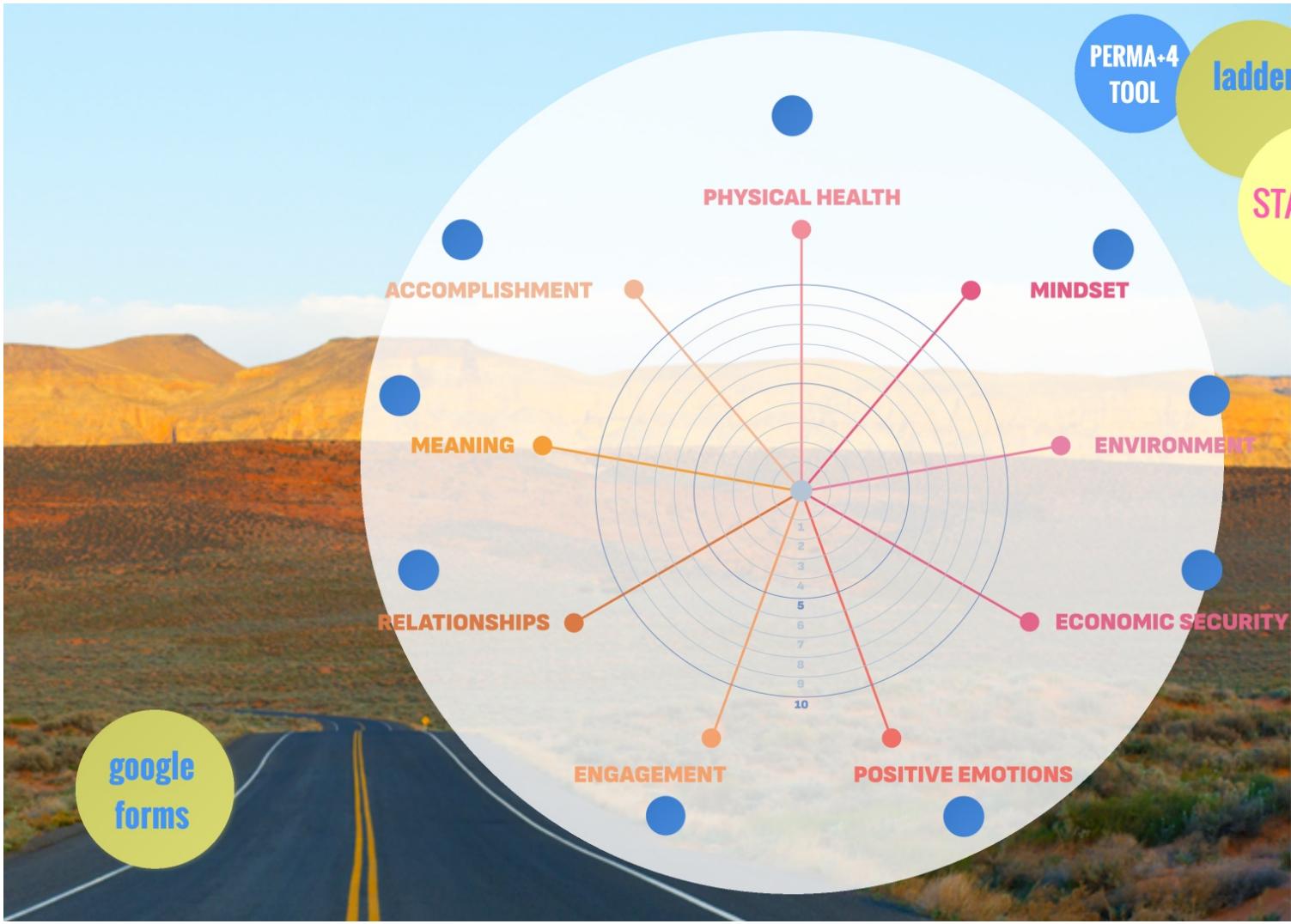


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**Operationalized as a combination of high levels of biological, functional, and psychological health assets.**

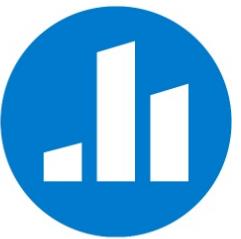
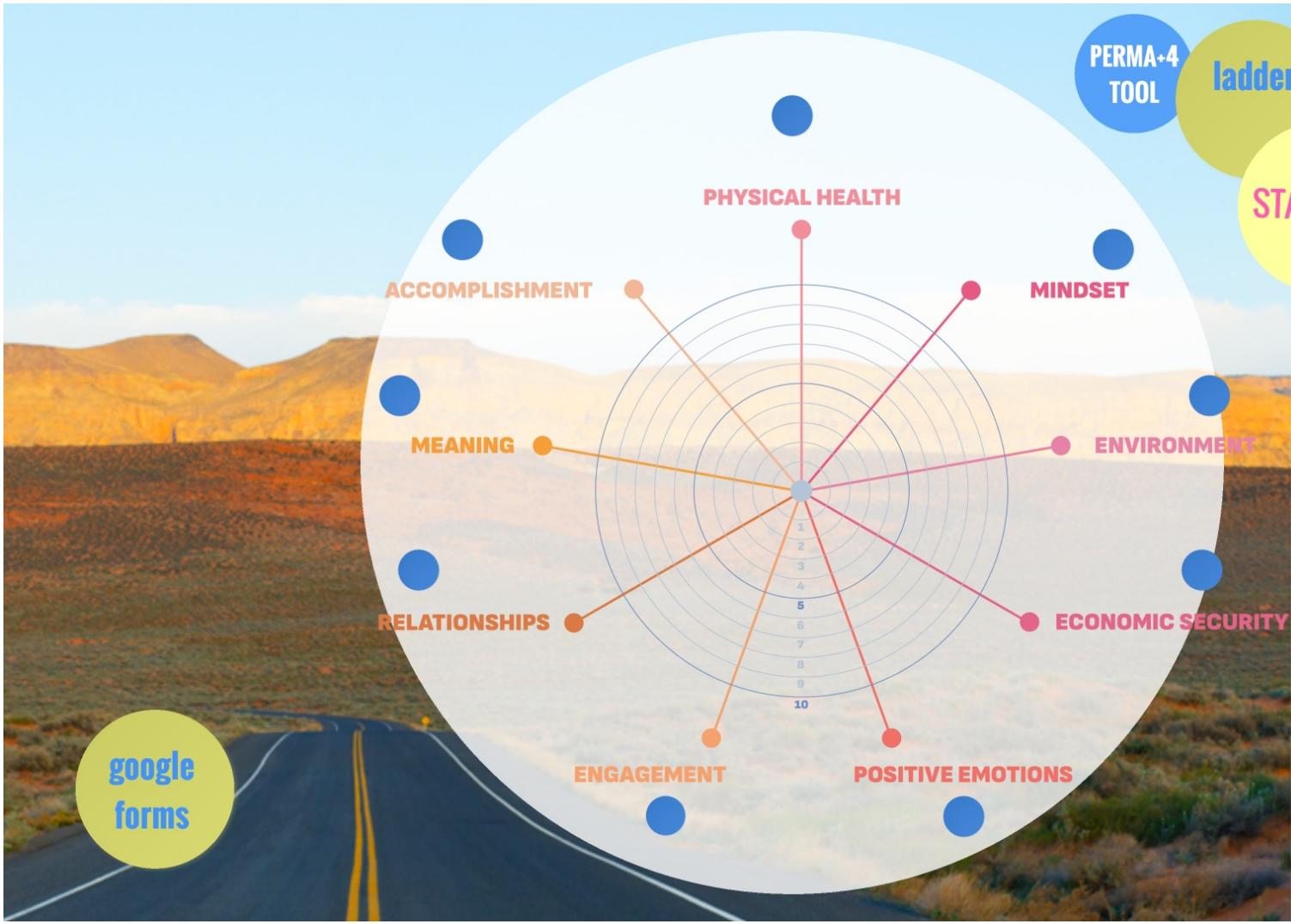
**I generally feel physically healthy considering my body movement, body posture, nutrition and sleep while being able to relax, breathe properly and successfully avoid risky behavior.**

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**Adopting a growth mindset characterized by an optimistic, future-oriented view of life, where challenges or setbacks are seen as opportunities to grow. This may also be a function of positive psychological capital, perseverance, and/or grit.**

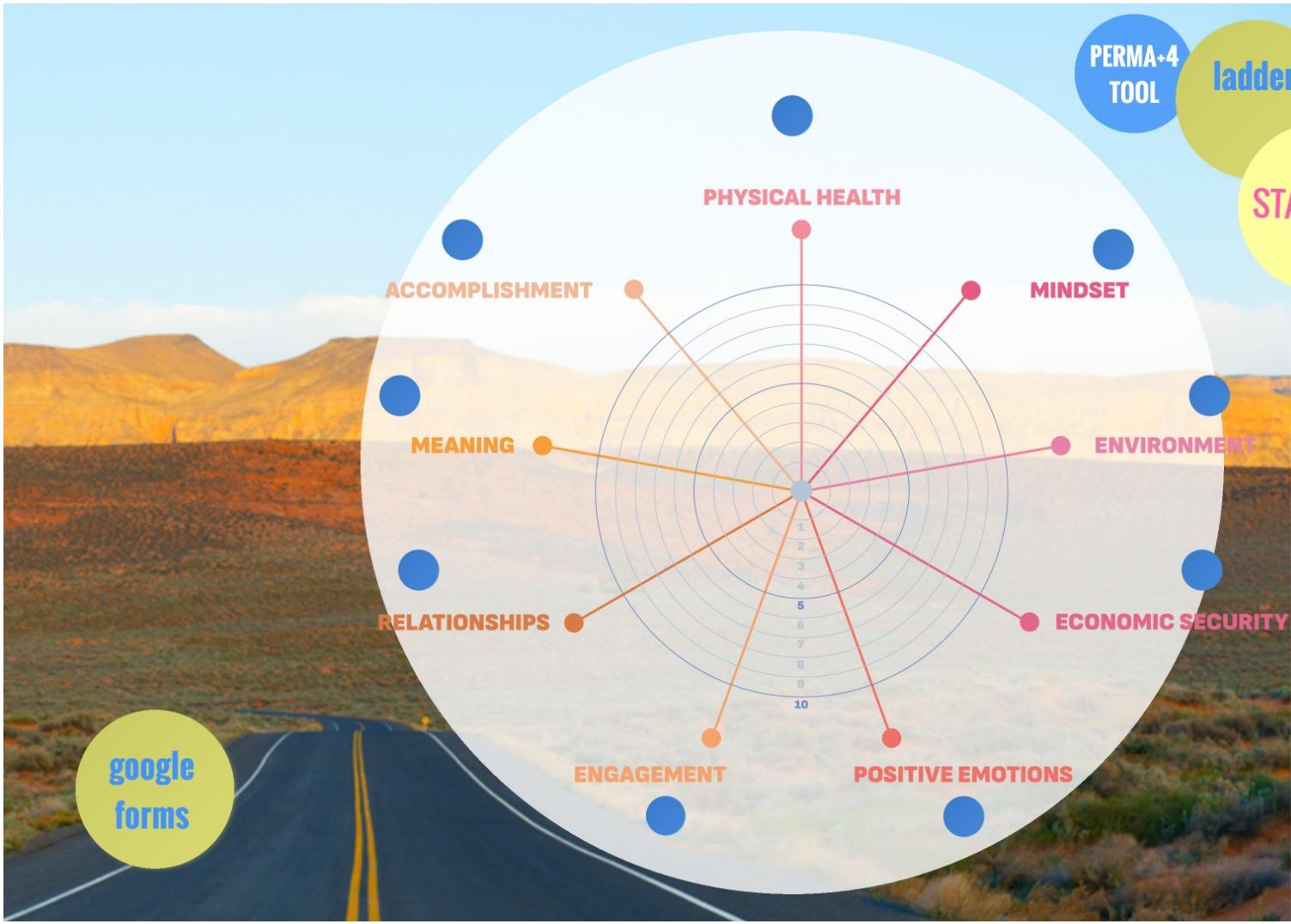
**I generally feel resilient, confident in myself, responsible, hopeful, optimistic, future oriented, having a growth mindset, and persistent and passionate about my long term goals.**



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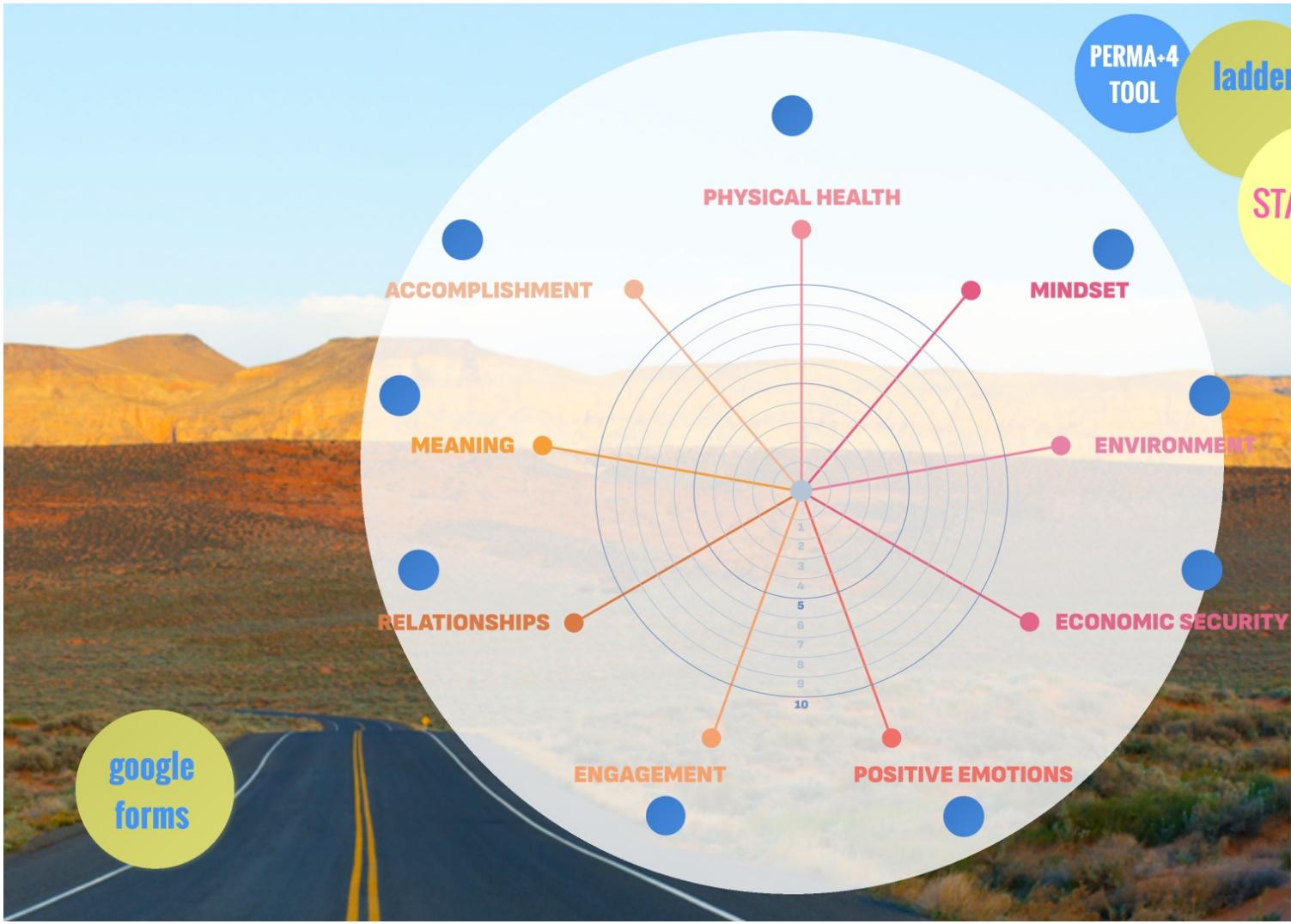
The quality of one's physical environment (which includes spatiotemporal elements, such as access to natural light, fresh air, physical safety, and a positive psychological climate) aligned to the preferences of the individual.

I generally experience a positive, healthy, and supportive environment at home, in my family, at work or at school, in my community, and online and I spend a satisfying amount of the time outdoors in nature.



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**Perceptions of financial security and stability required  
to satisfy individual needs.**

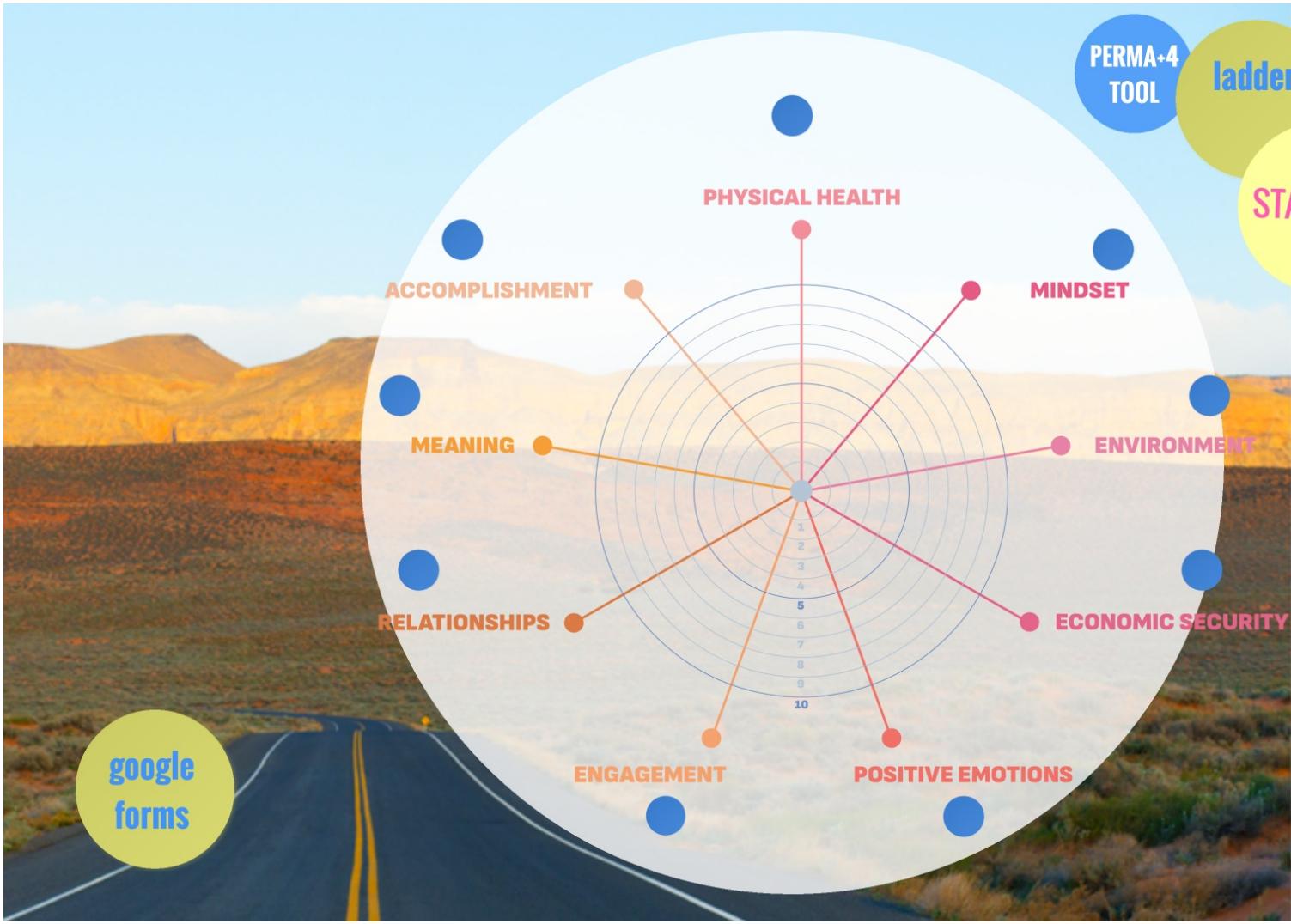
I generally feel financially secure considering my income, savings, investments, access to quality health care and I am managing my financial expenses well.

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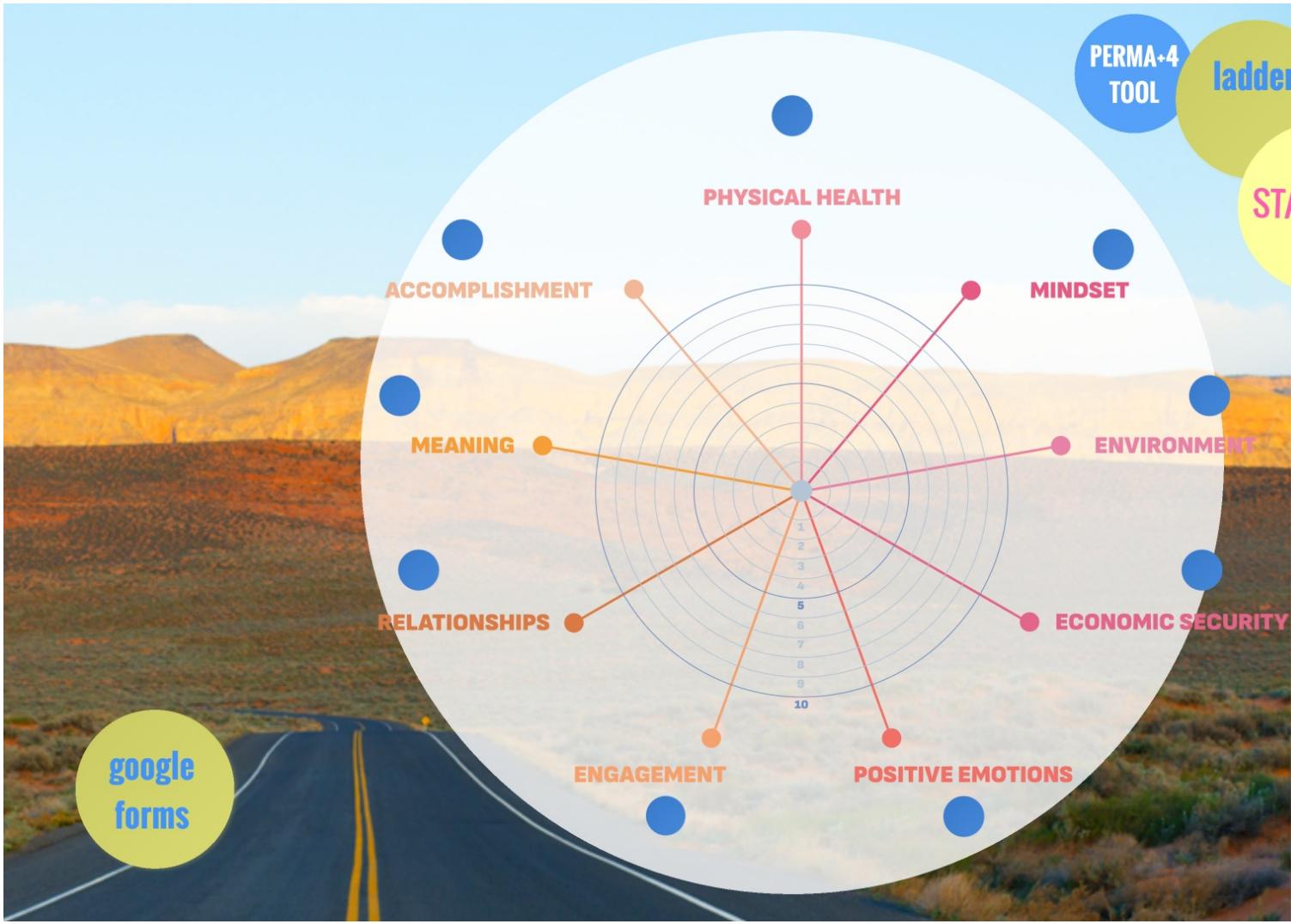
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**Being highly absorbed or experiencing flow while engaged in activities of one's life.**

I generally experience flow and engagement in my everyday life activities, in work and at school often. I feel engaged while doing my hobbies, while spending time with other people or even while

*being alone*

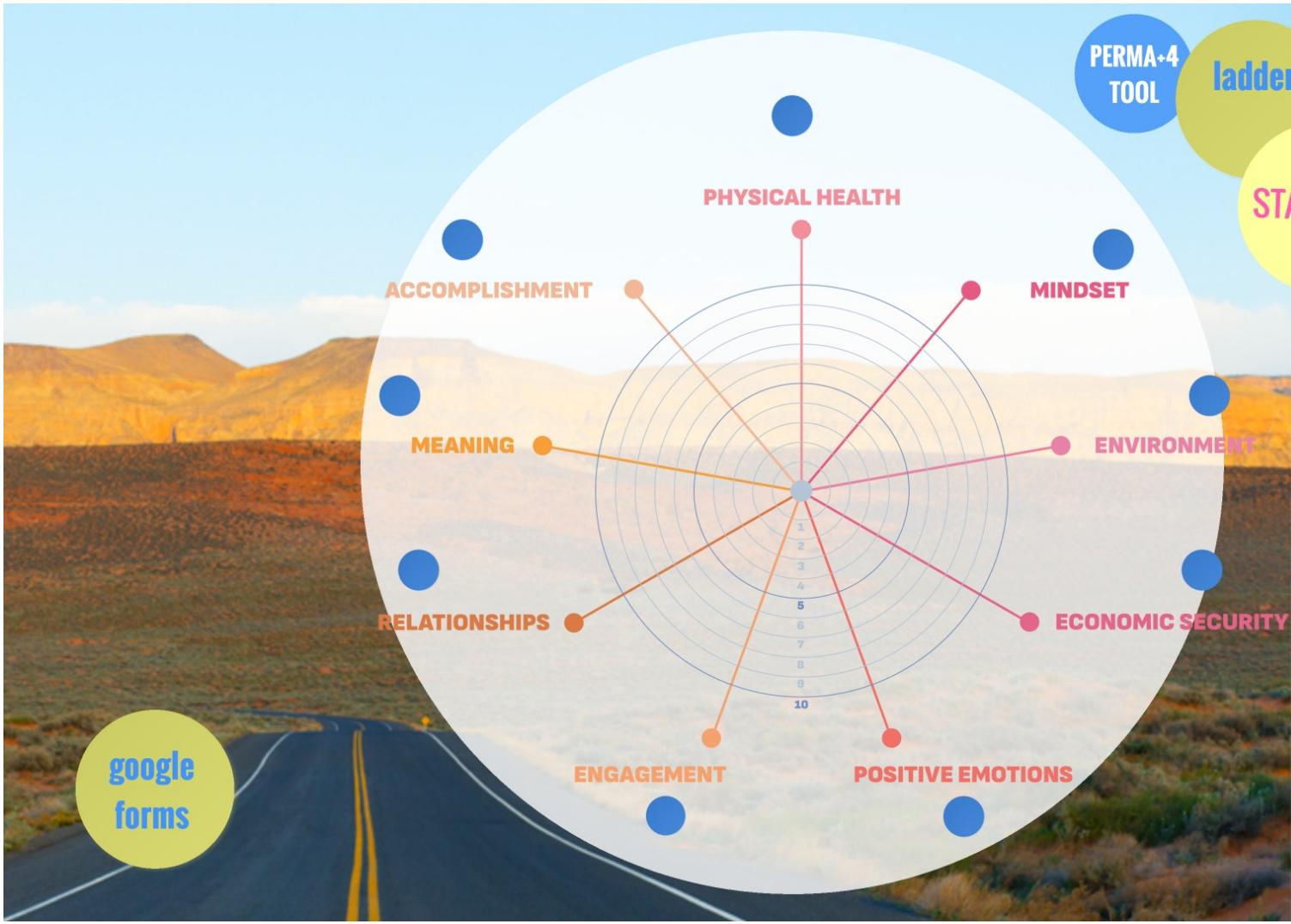
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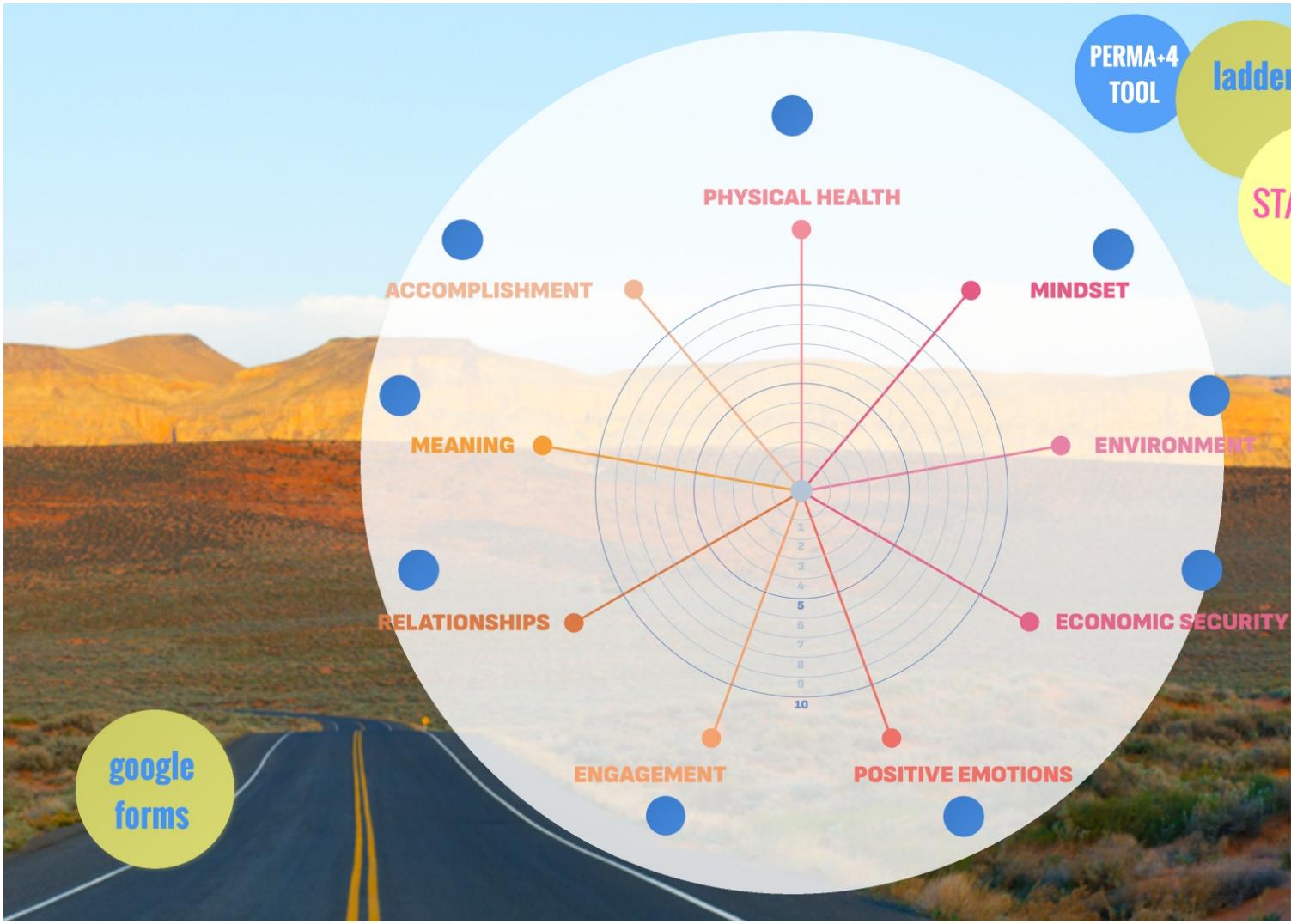
**Having the ability to establish and maintain positive, mutually beneficial relationships with others, characterized by experiences of love and appreciation.**

**I generally experience high quality relationships with my boss or supervisor, classmates, co-workers, friends, family members, significant other(s), and I have a great relationship with myself.**

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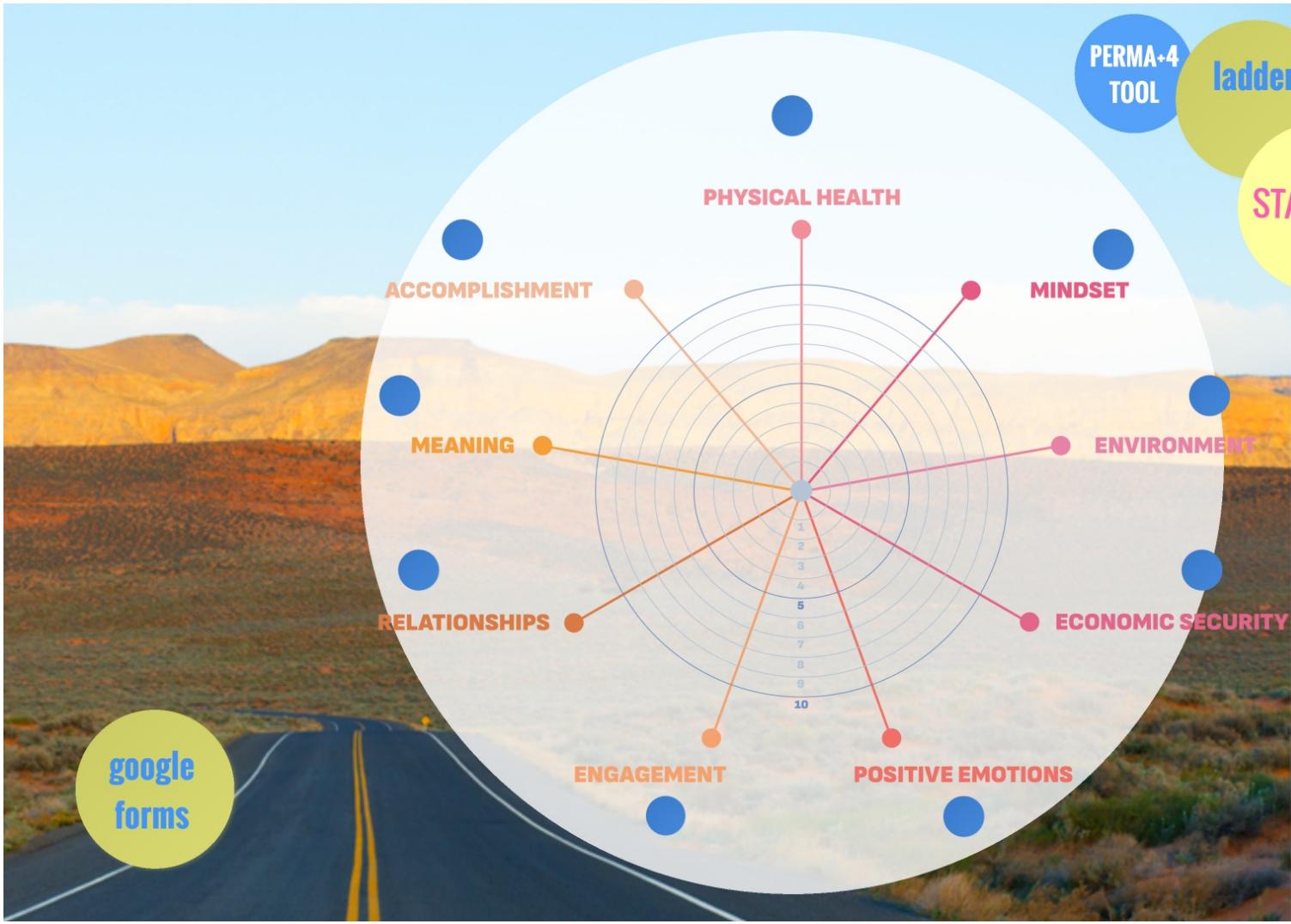
The experience of being connected to something larger than the self or serving a higher purpose.

I generally experience meaning in everyday life activities and purpose in life, meaning in school activities and purpose in school studies. I build meaningful relationships and I participate in meaningful activities in my community. I feel faithful and spiritual.



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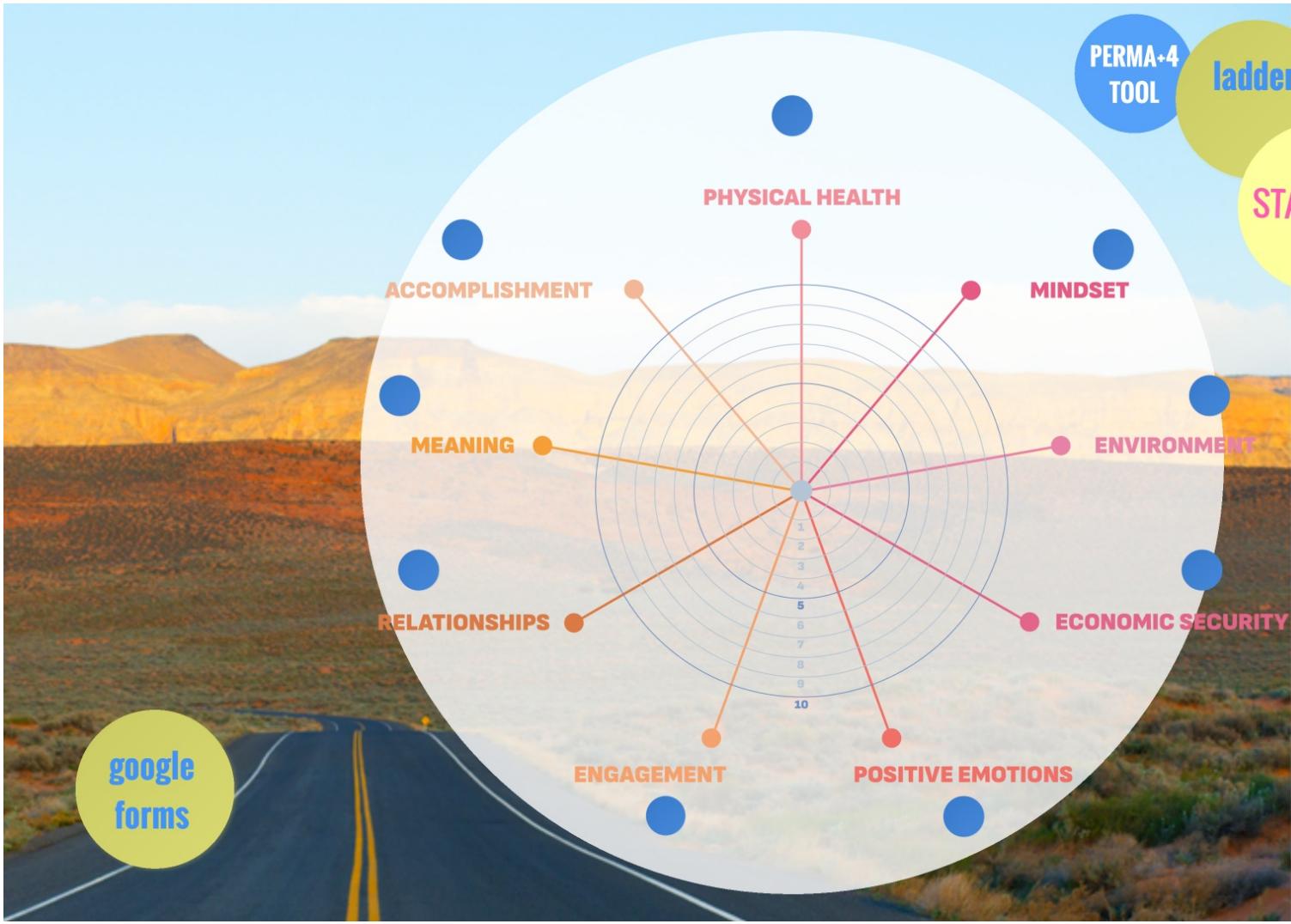
Experiencing a sense of mastery over a particular domain of interest or achieving important or challenging life/work goals.

I generally recognize and celebrate my achievements. I am generally satisfied with my personal life achievements, education achievements, education achievements, relationships achievements, self-improvement achievements, and my financial achievements.



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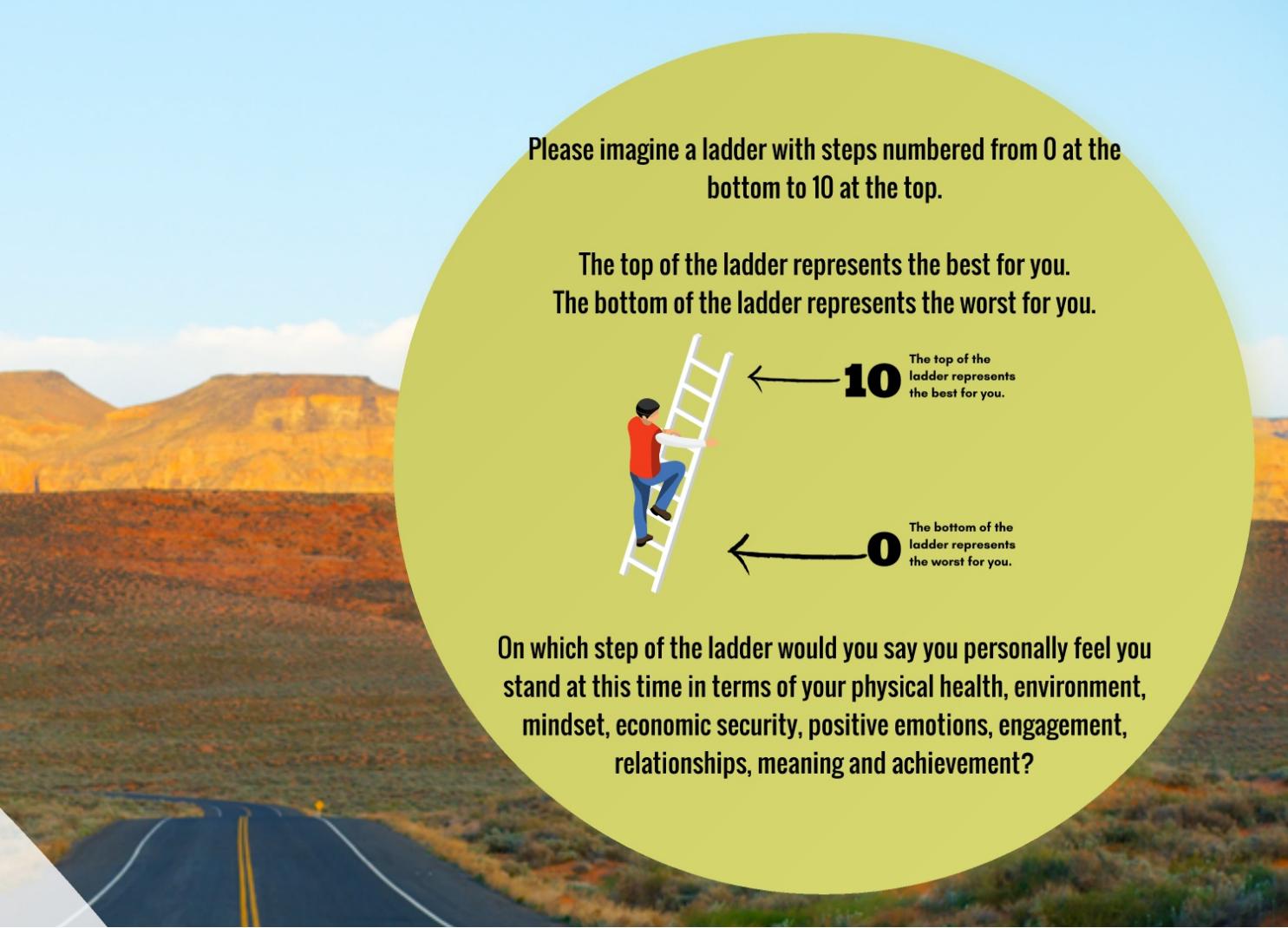
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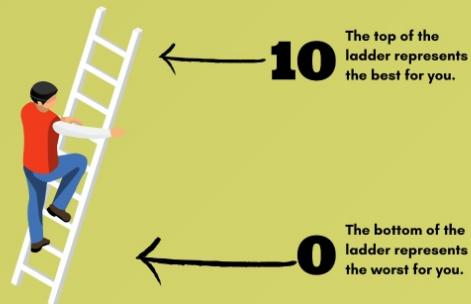
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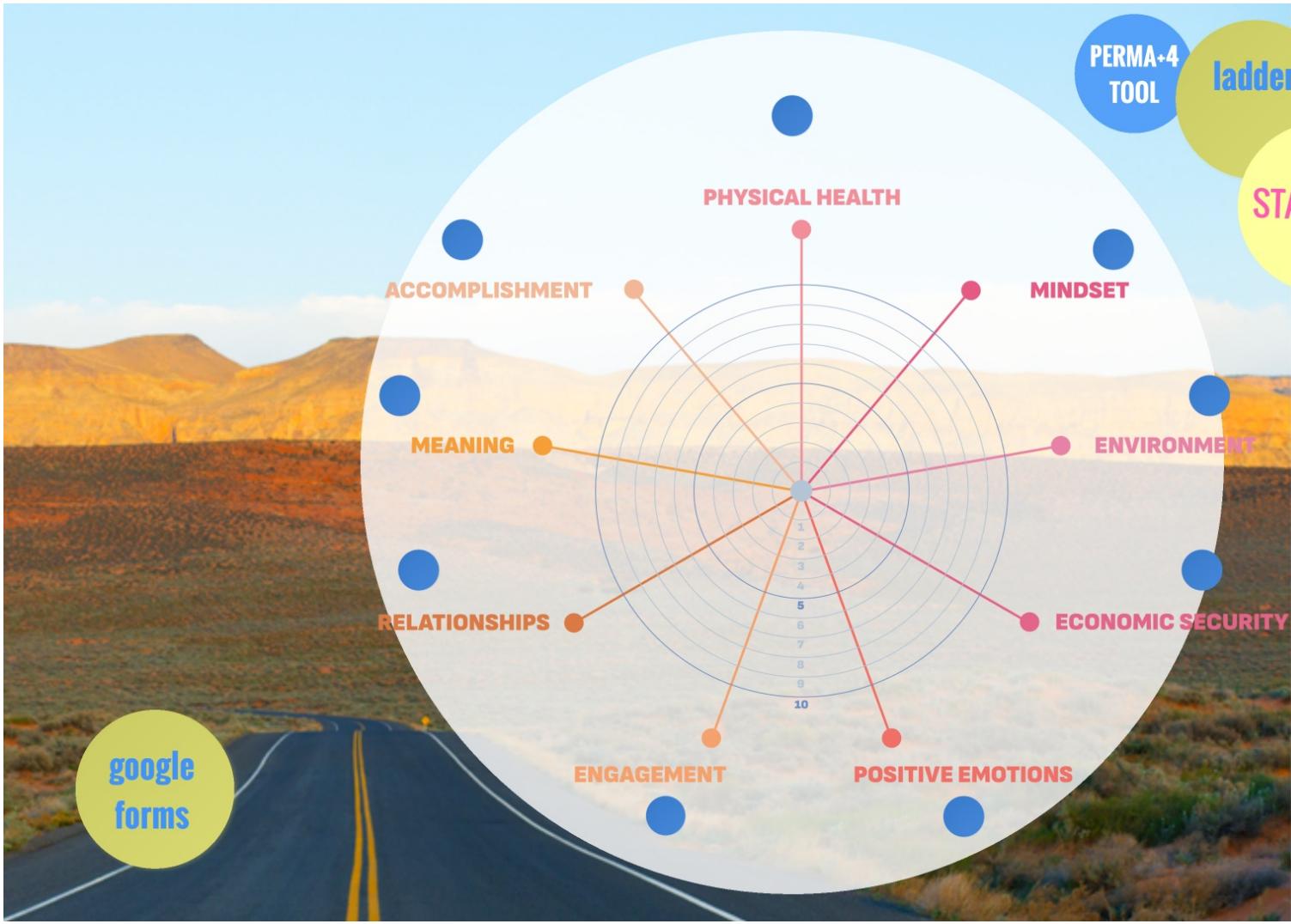


Please imagine a ladder with steps numbered from 0 at the bottom to 10 at the top.

The top of the ladder represents the best for you.  
The bottom of the ladder represents the worst for you.



On which step of the ladder would you say you personally feel you stand at this time in terms of your physical health, environment, mindset, economic security, positive emotions, engagement, relationships, meaning and achievement?



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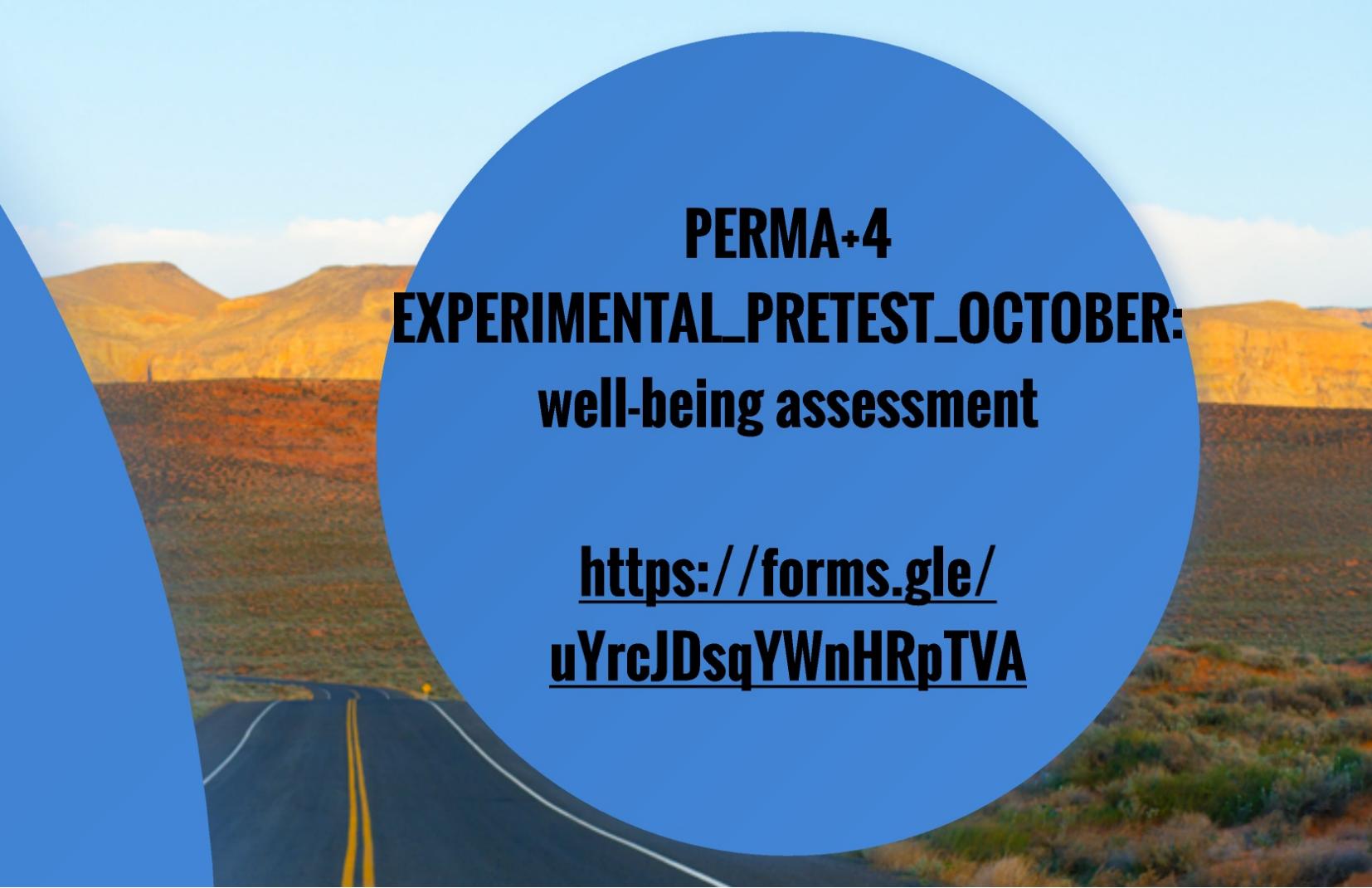
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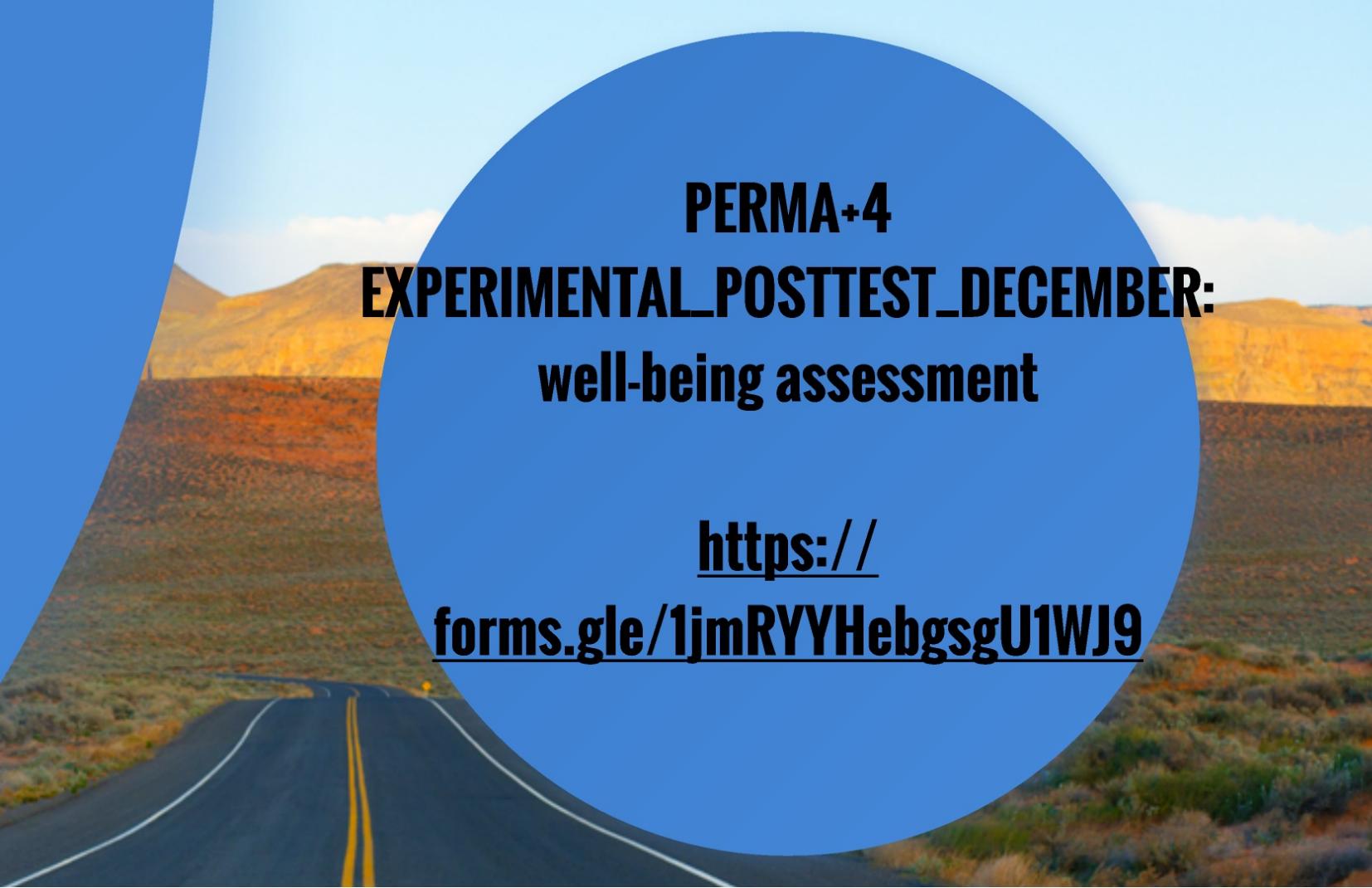
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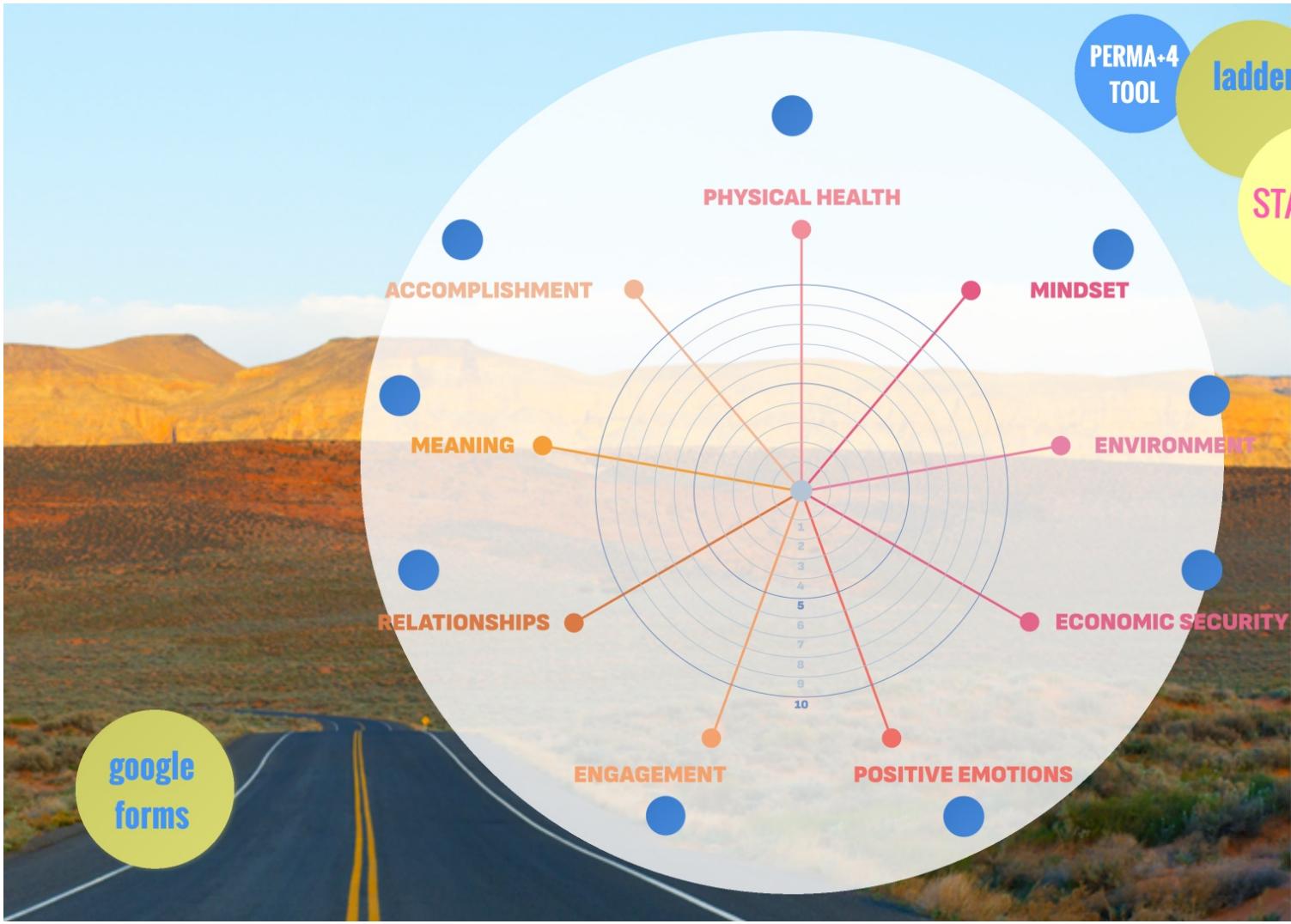
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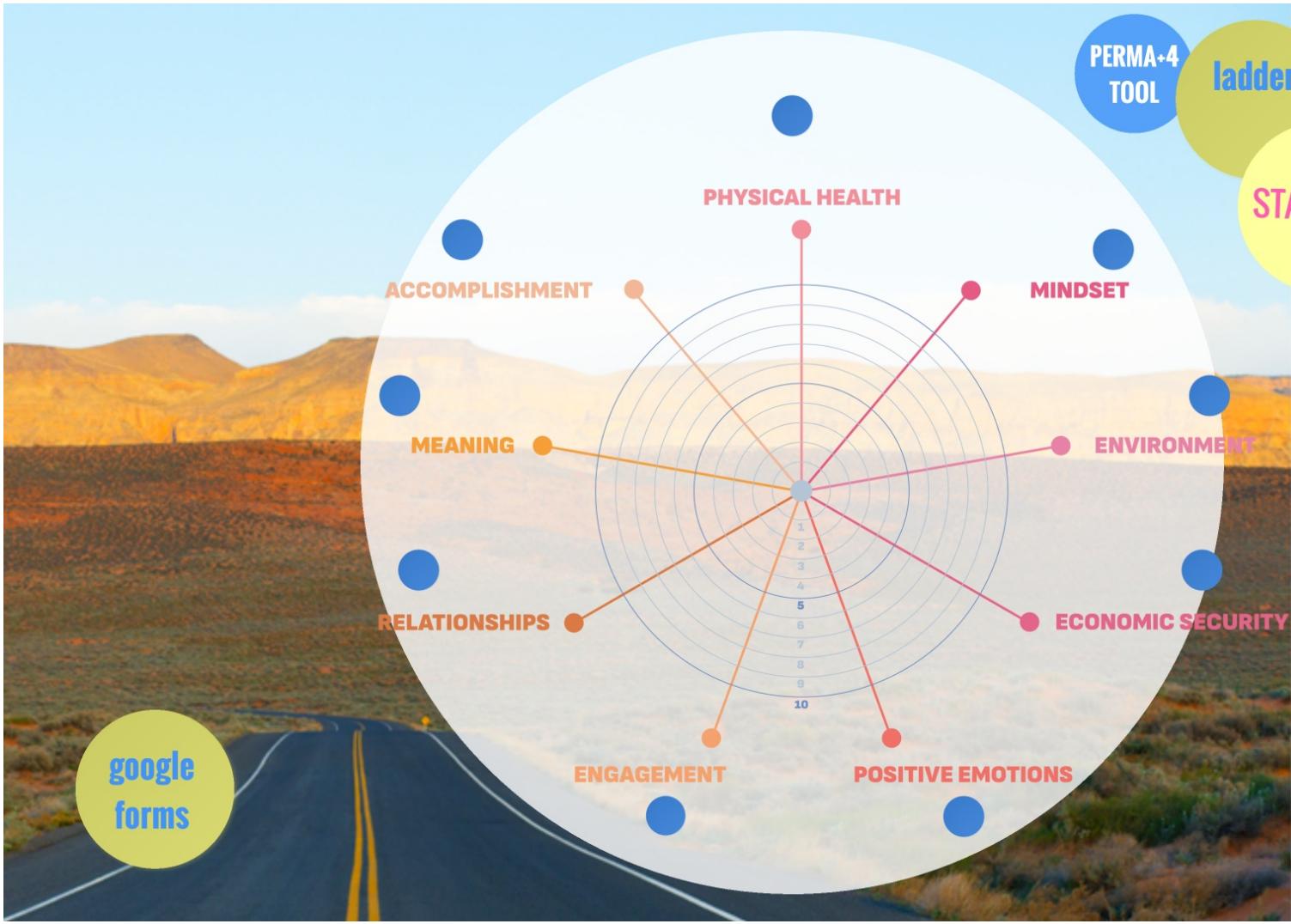
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# What PERMA+4 is (not)?

PERMA+4 is a well-being tool that:

- helps you to take care of YOUR well-being & well-being of OTHERS
- is an inspiration to lifestyle rather than solution for all our problems
  - assessment tool that gives you a sense of where you stand
  - is a map of what your PERMA+4 can, will or won't look like
    - is a growth strengthener
- is a tool that helps to develop your skill of understanding others better



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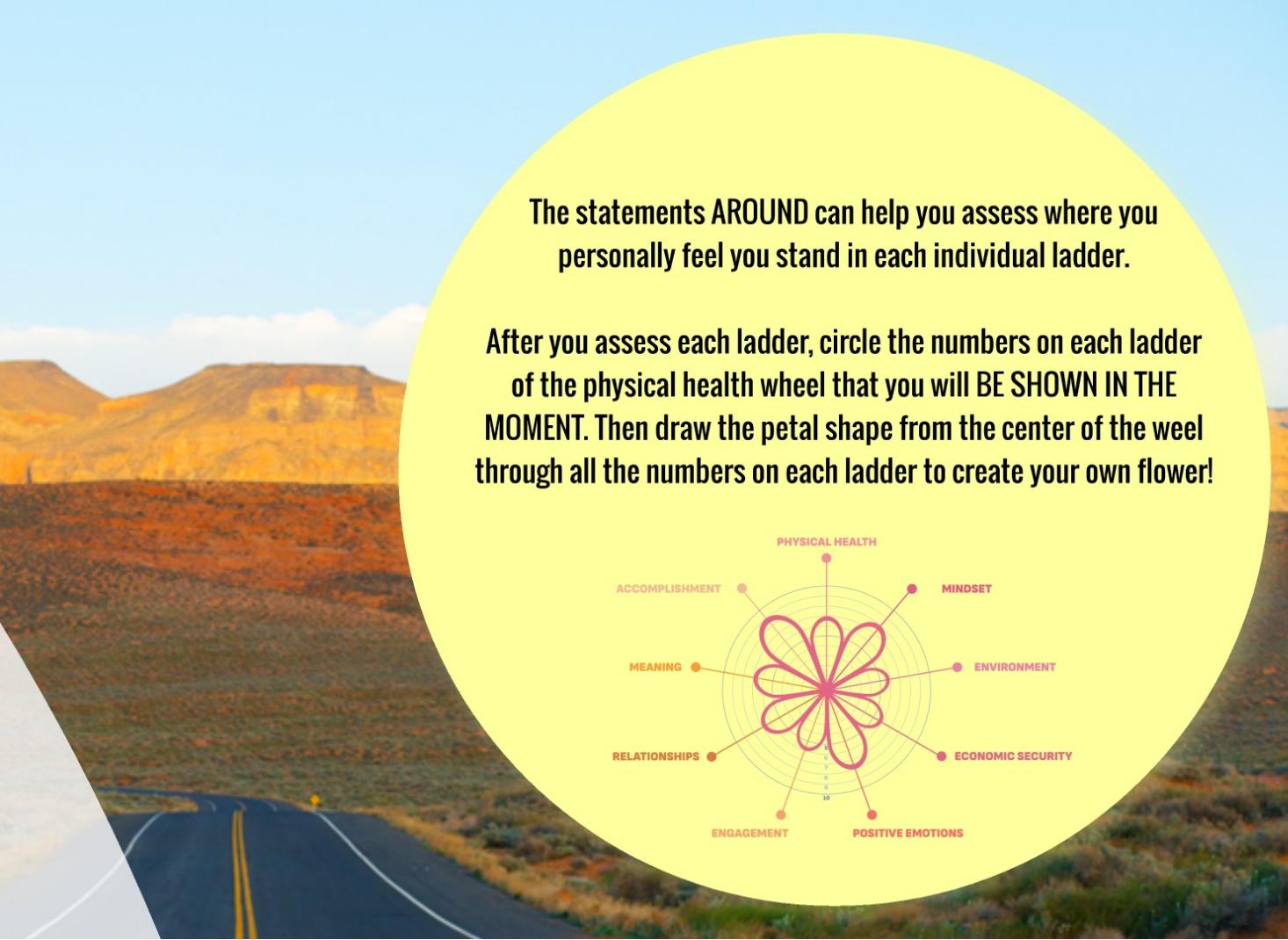
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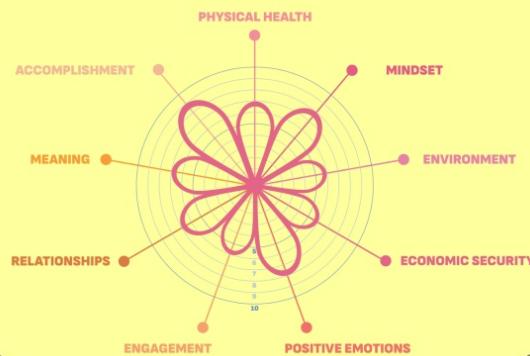
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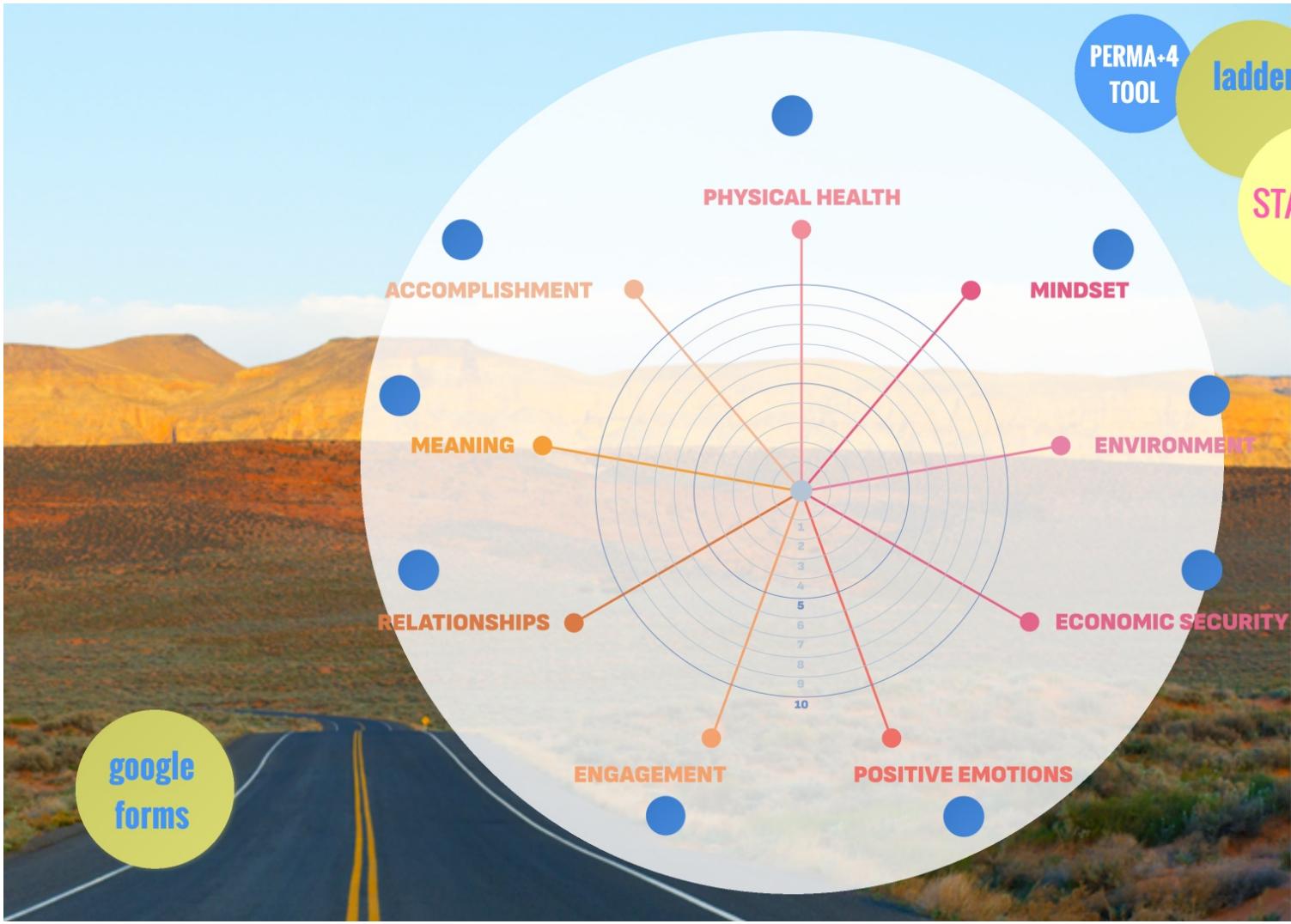
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The statements AROUND can help you assess where you personally feel you stand in each individual ladder.

After you assess each ladder, circle the numbers on each ladder of the physical health wheel that you will BE SHOWN IN THE MOMENT. Then draw the petal shape from the center of the wheel through all the numbers on each ladder to create your own flower!





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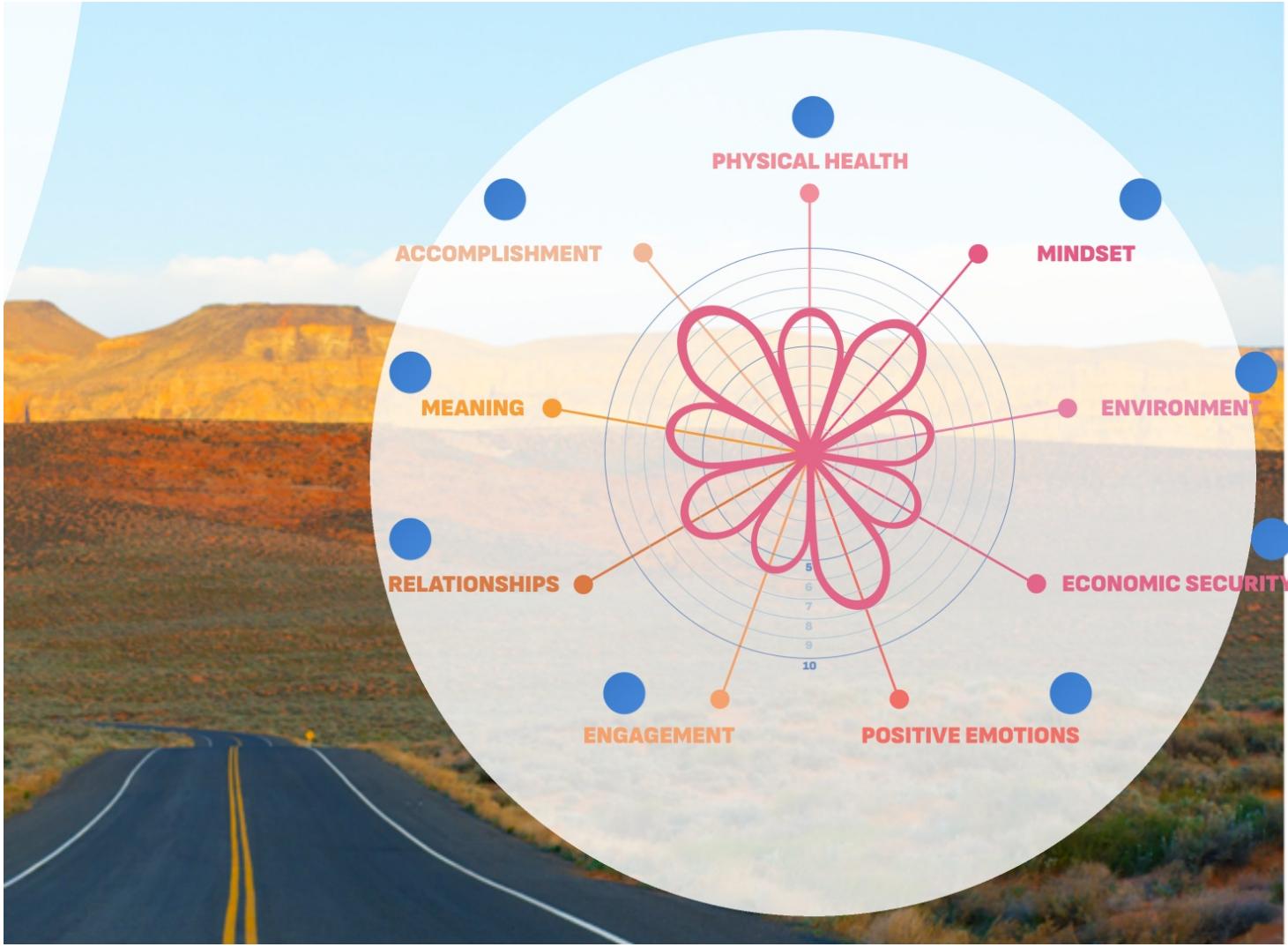
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# **PHYSICAL HEALTH**

**Adekvátní pohybová aktivita**  
(Adequate Body Movement)

**Správné držení těla**  
(Good Body Posture)

**Správná výživa**  
(Good Nutrition)

**Kvalitní spánek**  
(High Quality Sleep)

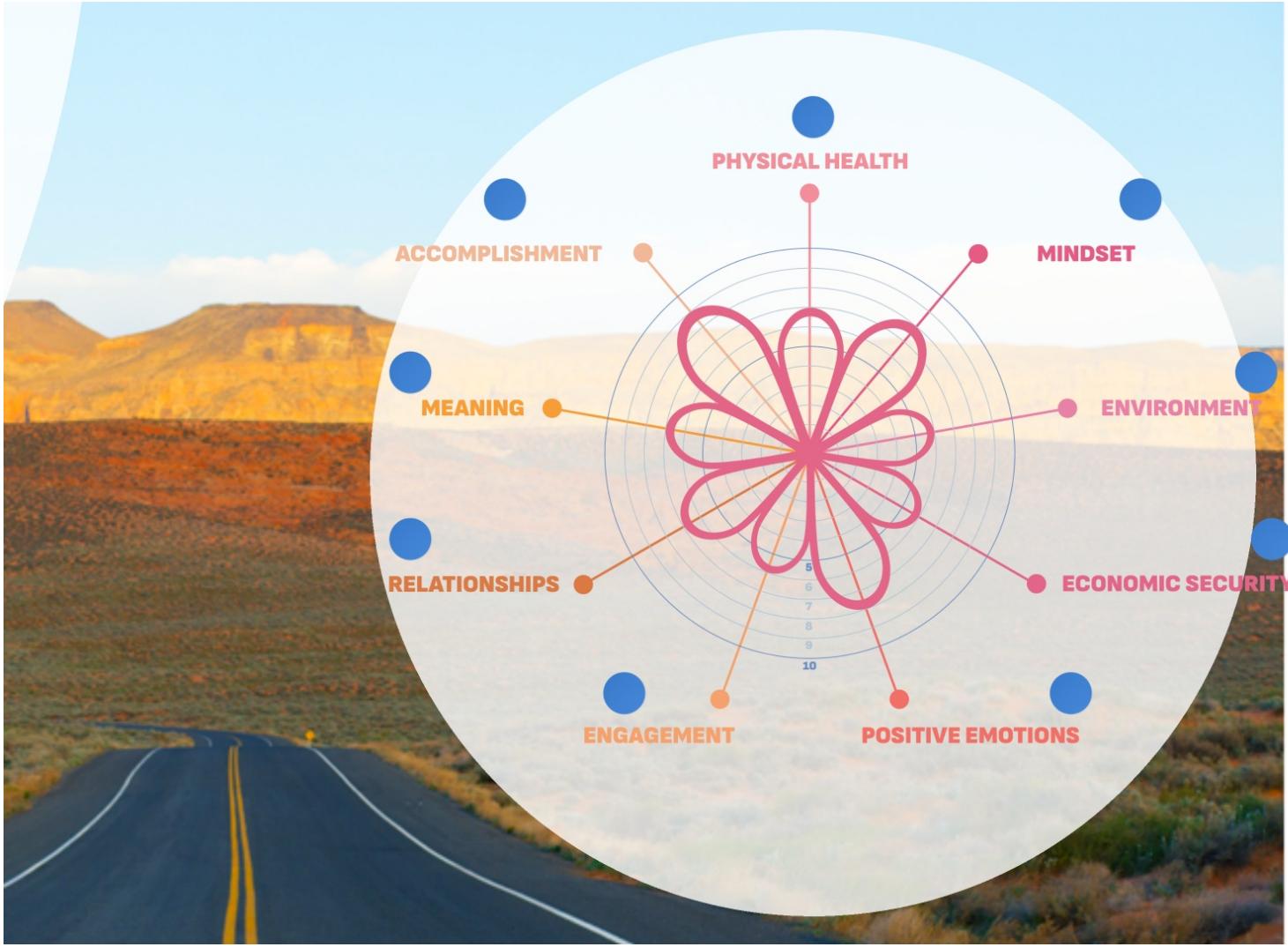
**Pravidelná Relaxace**  
(Regular Relaxation)

**Správné dýchání**  
(Proper Breathing)

**Vyhybání se rizikovému chování**  
(Avoidance of Risky Behavior)

**Other Physical Activity Strengths**





# MINDSET

Psychická odolnost  
(Resiliency)

Důvěra v sebe sama  
(Confident in Yourself - Efficacy)

Zodpovědnost  
(Responsibility)

Vůle

(Willpower)

Pocit naděje  
(Hope)

Optimismus  
(Optimism)

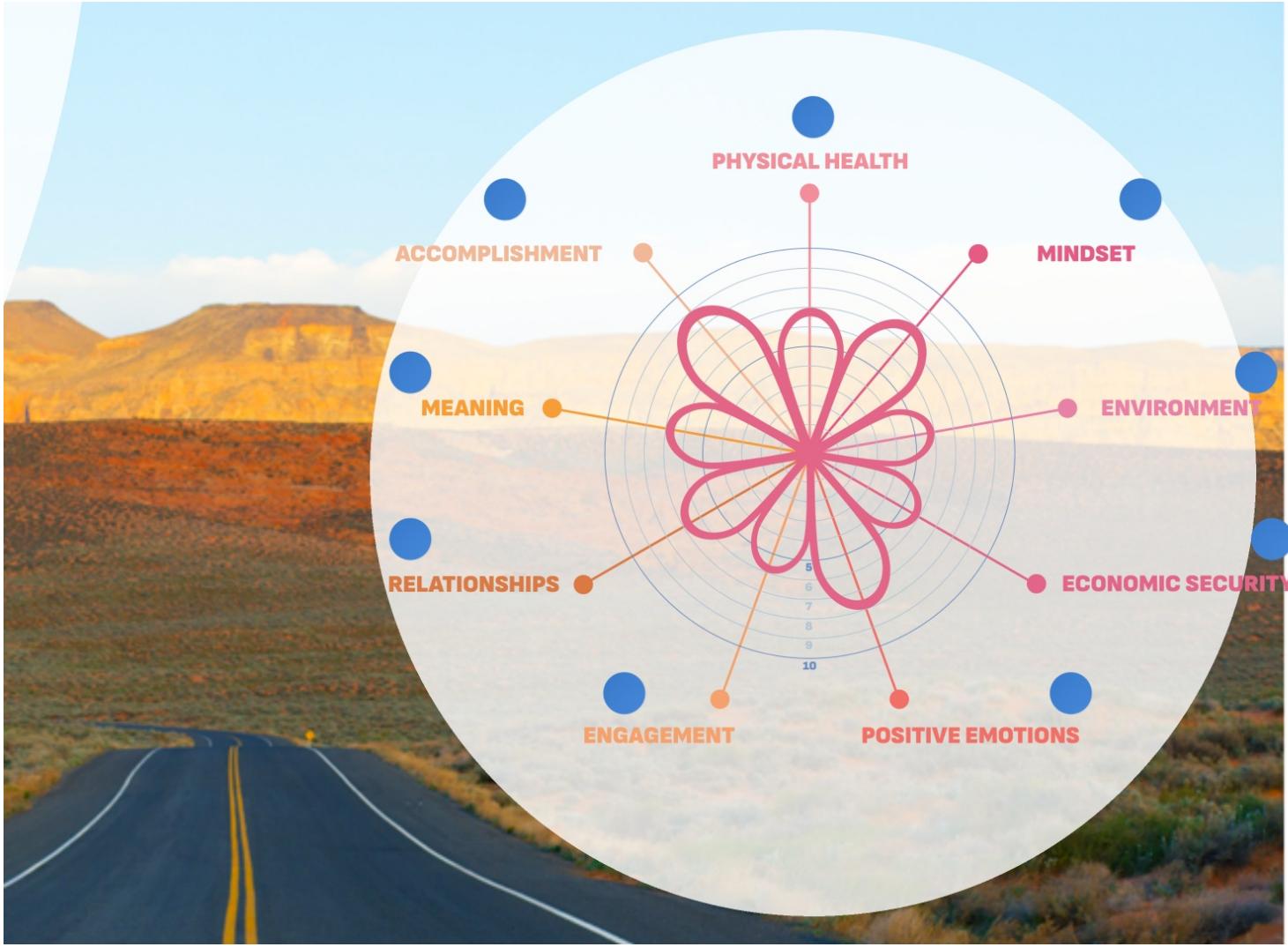
Orientace na budoucnost  
(Future Orientation)

Růstové nastavení myslí  
(Growth Mindset)

Vytrvalost u dlouhodobých cílů  
(Perseverance for long-term goals)

Vášeň a nadšení u dlouhodobých cílů  
(Passion for long-term goals)





# ENVIRONMENT

**Výborné domácí prostředí a prostředí pro život**  
(High Quality Home and Living Environment)

**Výborné rodinné prostředí**  
(High Quality Family Environment)

**Výborné školní prostředí**  
(High Quality School Environment)

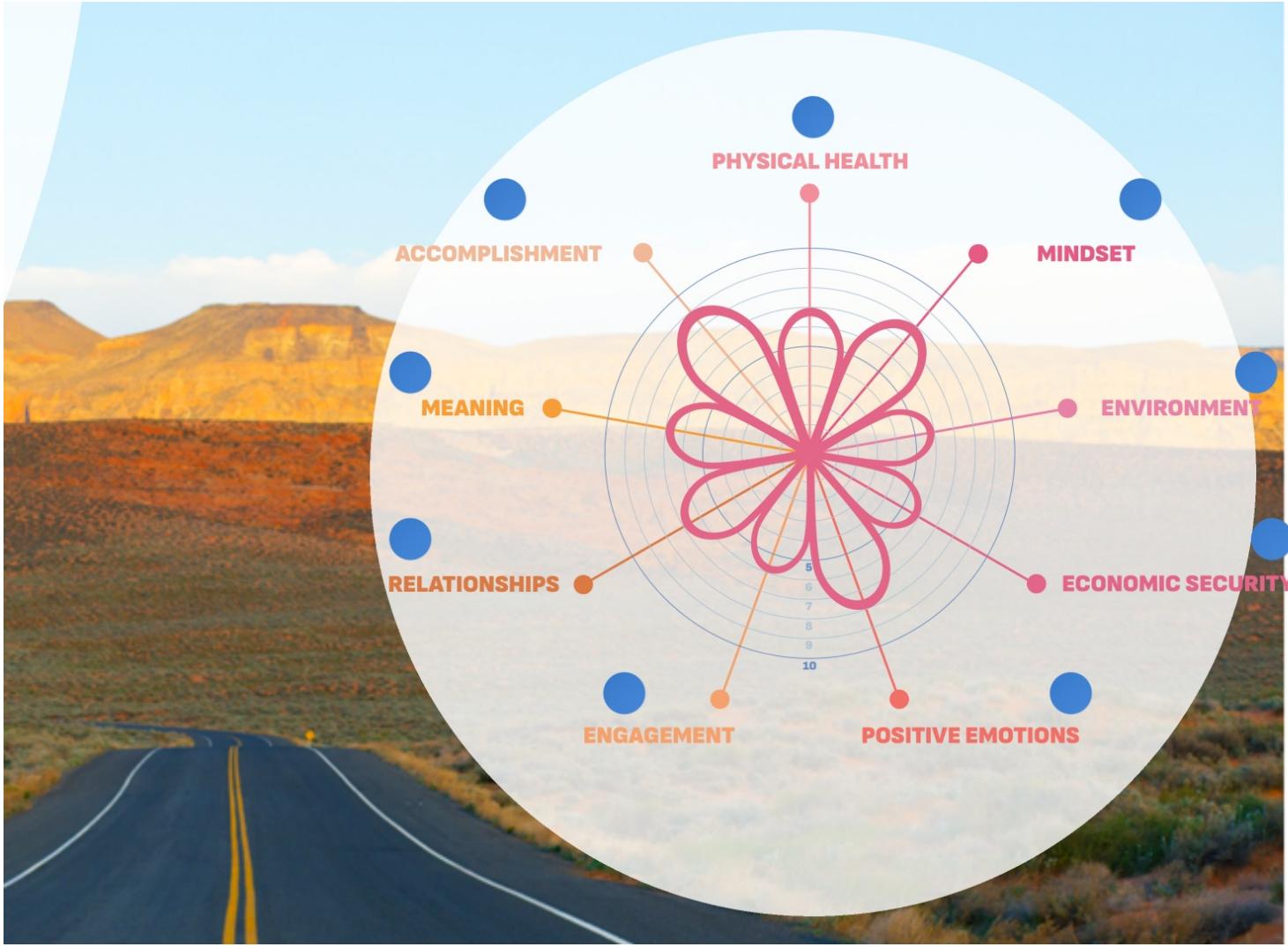
**Výborné pracovní prostředí a/či prostředí na brigádě**  
(High Quality Work and Brigade Environment)

**Výborné komunitní a společenské prostředí**  
(High Quality Community Environment)

**Výborné Online prostředí**  
(High Quality Online Environment)

**Čas strávený venku a v přírodě**  
(Time Spent Outdoors in Nature)





# ECONOMIC SECURITY

**Dobrý finanční příjem**

(Good Income)

**Dobré úspory**

(Satisfactory Savings)

**Přístup ke kvalitní zdravotní péči**

(Access to Quality Health Care)

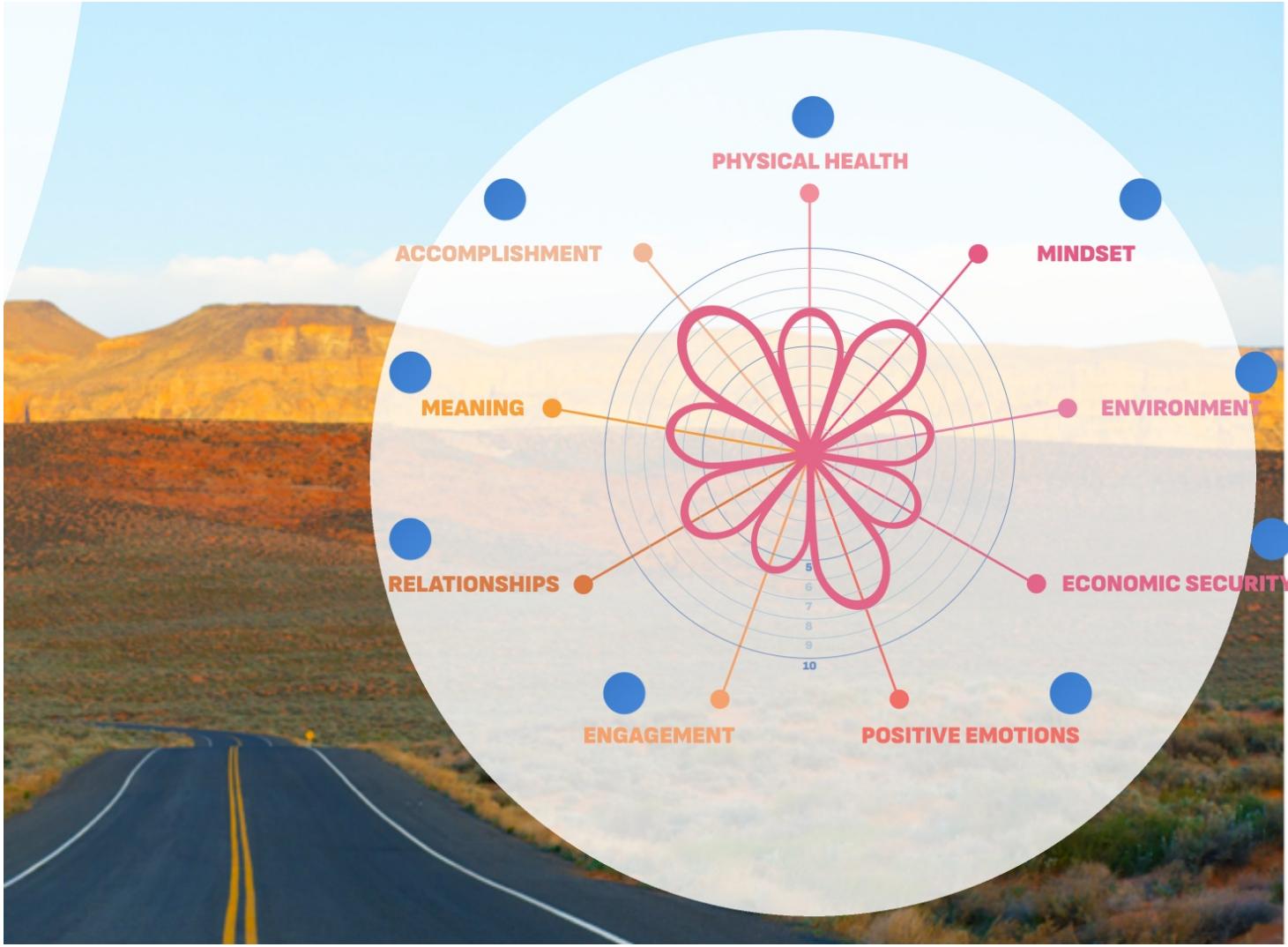
**Dobré finanční investice**

(Satisfactory Investments)

**Správné řízení finančních výdajů**

(Proper Expense Management)





# POSITIVE EMOTIONS

**Prožívání pozitivních emocí**  
(Experiencing Positive Emotions (Happiness, Joy, Love, Gratitude etc.)

**Spokojenost se životem**

(Life Satisfaction)

**Čas věnovaný Vaším koníčkům a zájmům**

(Time Devoted to Your Hobbies and Interests)

**Pozitivní emoce zažívané ve vztazích s druhými lidmi**

(Positive Emotions Experienced with Other People)

**Pocit potěšení zažívaný při aktivitách při studiu**

(Enjoyment of what You do at School)

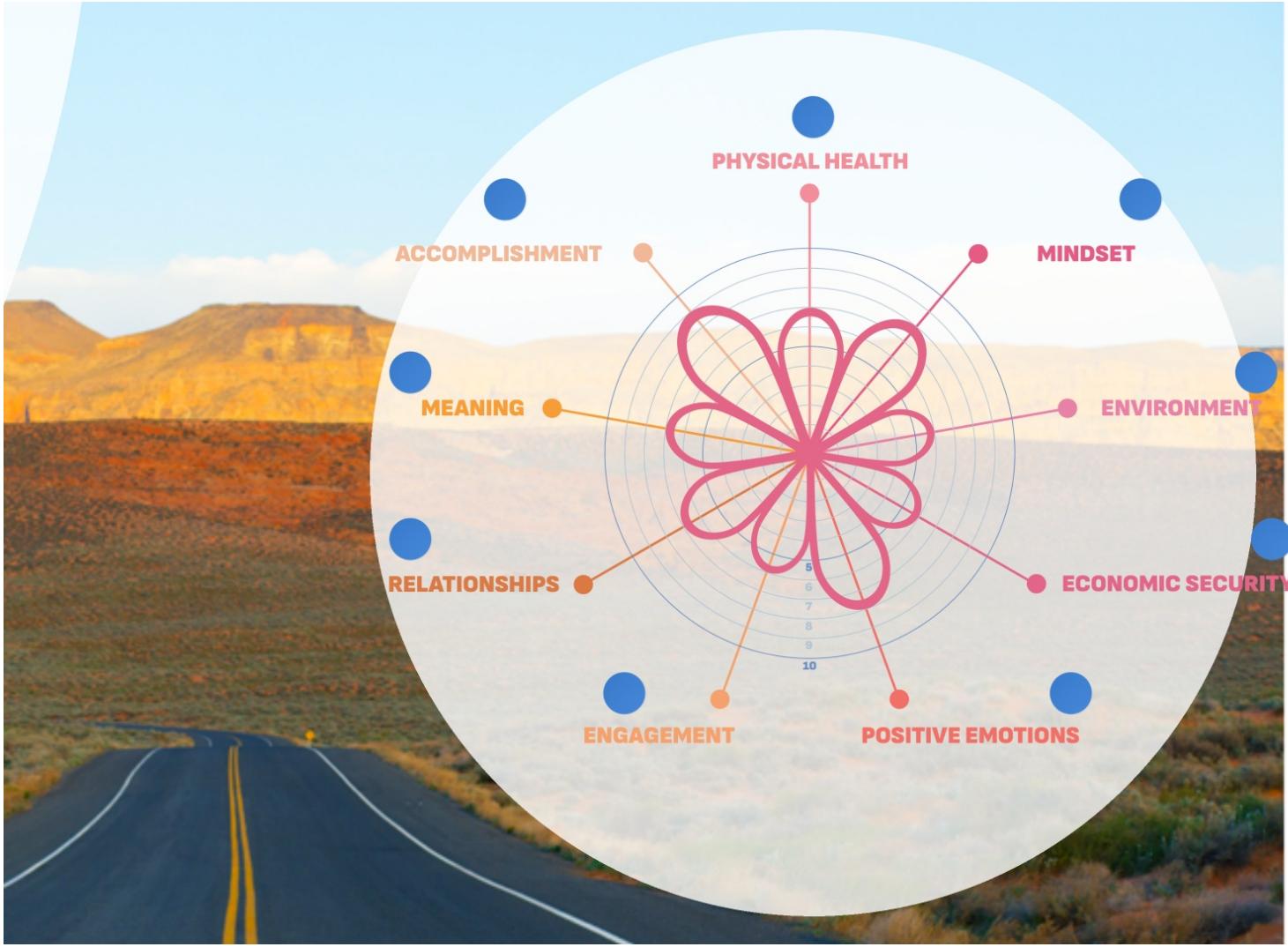
**Pocit potěšení zažívaný při aktivitách v práci a/či na brigádě**

(Enjoyment of what You do at Work or Brigade)

**Sdílení pozitivních emocí: mám radost, když vidím druhé prožívat štěstí**

(Shared Positivity: I enjoy seeing other people being happy)





# ENGAGEMENT

Zaujetí každodenními činnostmi  
(Engagement in Everyday Life Activities)

Zaujetí ve škole  
(Engagement in School)

Zaujetí v zaměstnání  
(Engagement in Work or Brigade)

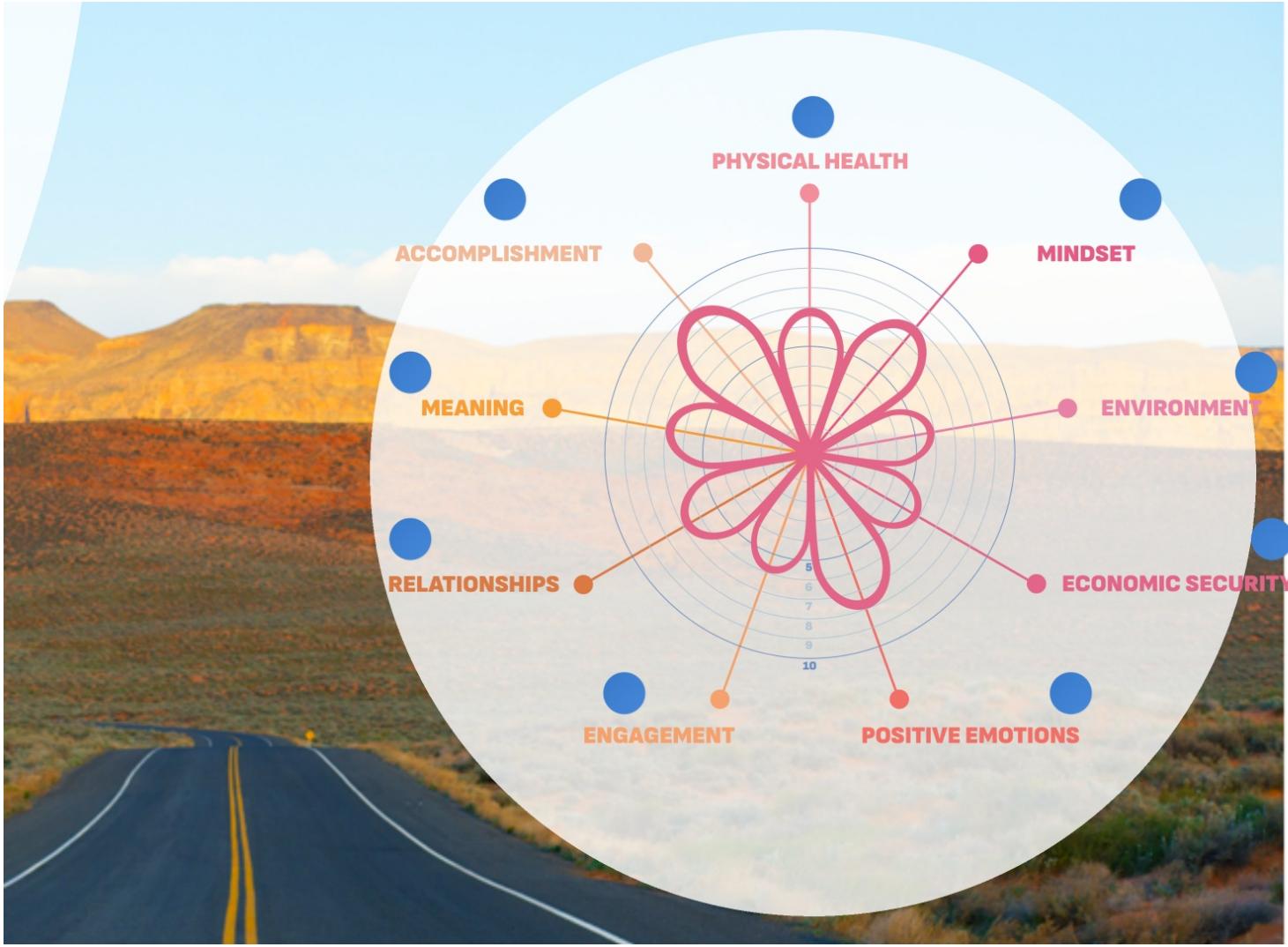
Zaujetí při vykonávání koníčků  
(Engagement in Your Hobbies)

Zaujetí při interakci s lidmi  
(Engagement with Other People)

Zaujetí v čase stráveném sami se sebou  
(Engagement in Your Alone Time)

Zažívání Flow, tedy stavu kdy jsme ponořeni do činnosti  
natolik, že zapomínáme na svět  
(Experiencing Flow)





# RELATIONSHIPS

**Výborný vztah s nadřízeným**  
(High Quality Relationship with Boss or Supervisor)

**Výborné vztahy se spolužáky**

(High Quality Relationships with Classmates)

**Výborné vztahy s kolegy v práci či na brigádě**

(High Quality Relationships with Co-Workers)

**Výborné vztahy s přáteli**

(High Quality Relationships with Friends)

**Výborné vztahy s rodinnými příslušníky**

(High Quality Relationships with Family Members)

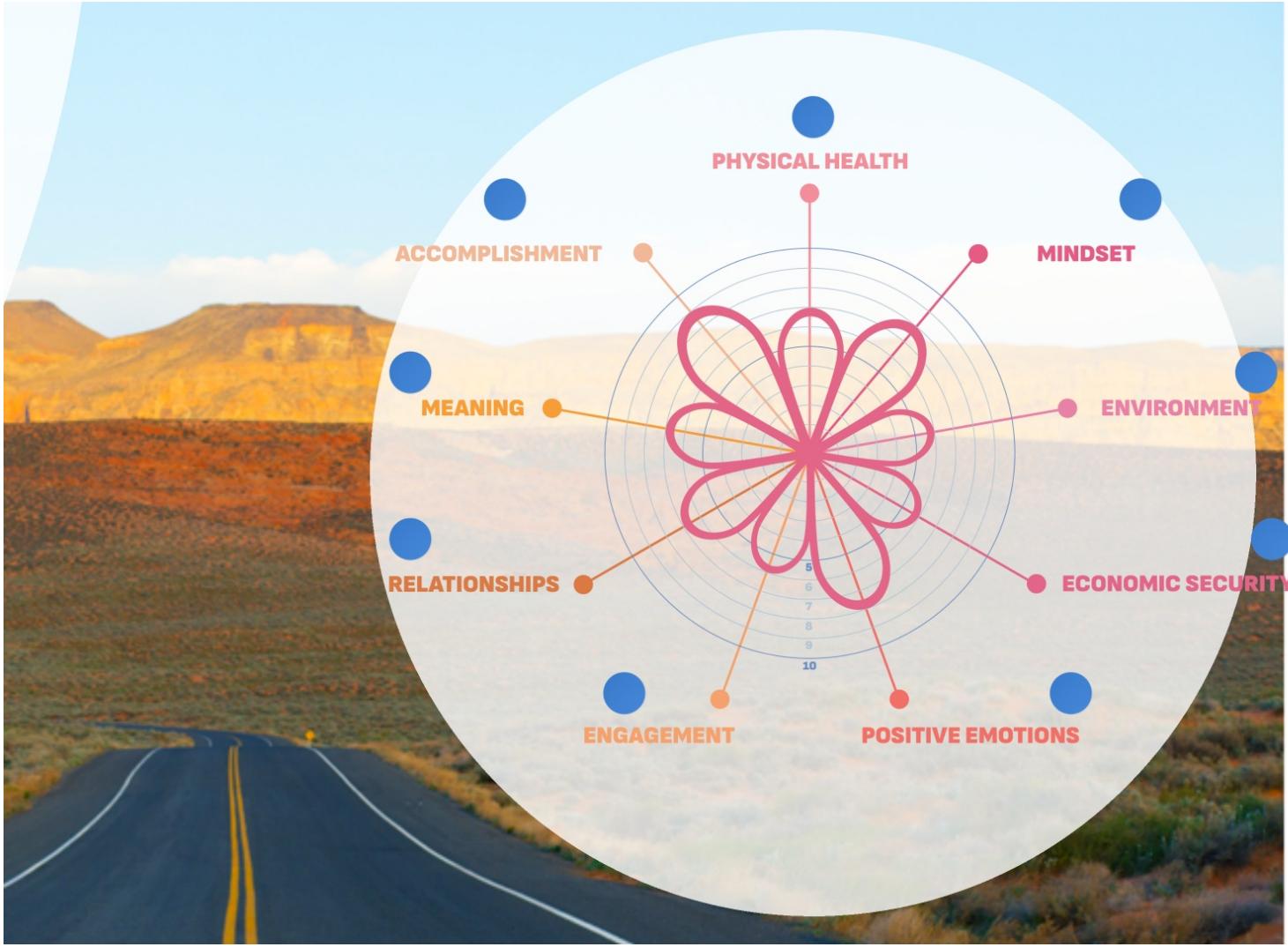
**Výborné vztahy s partnerem/partnerkou**

(High Quality Relationships with Significant Other(s))

**Výborný vztah sám/sama se sebou**

(High Quality Relationship with Yourself)





# MEANING

**Vidění smyslu v každodenních aktivitách**

(Meaning in Everyday Life Activities)

**Nalezení životního smyslu a účelu**

(Purpose in Life)

**Vidění smyslu ve školních aktivitách**

(Meaning in School Activities)

**Vidění smyslu v pracovních aktivitách**

(Meaning in Work Activities)

**Vidění smyslu ve studiu**

(Purpose in Your Studies)

**Vytváření smysluplných vztahů**

(Building of Meaningful Relationships)

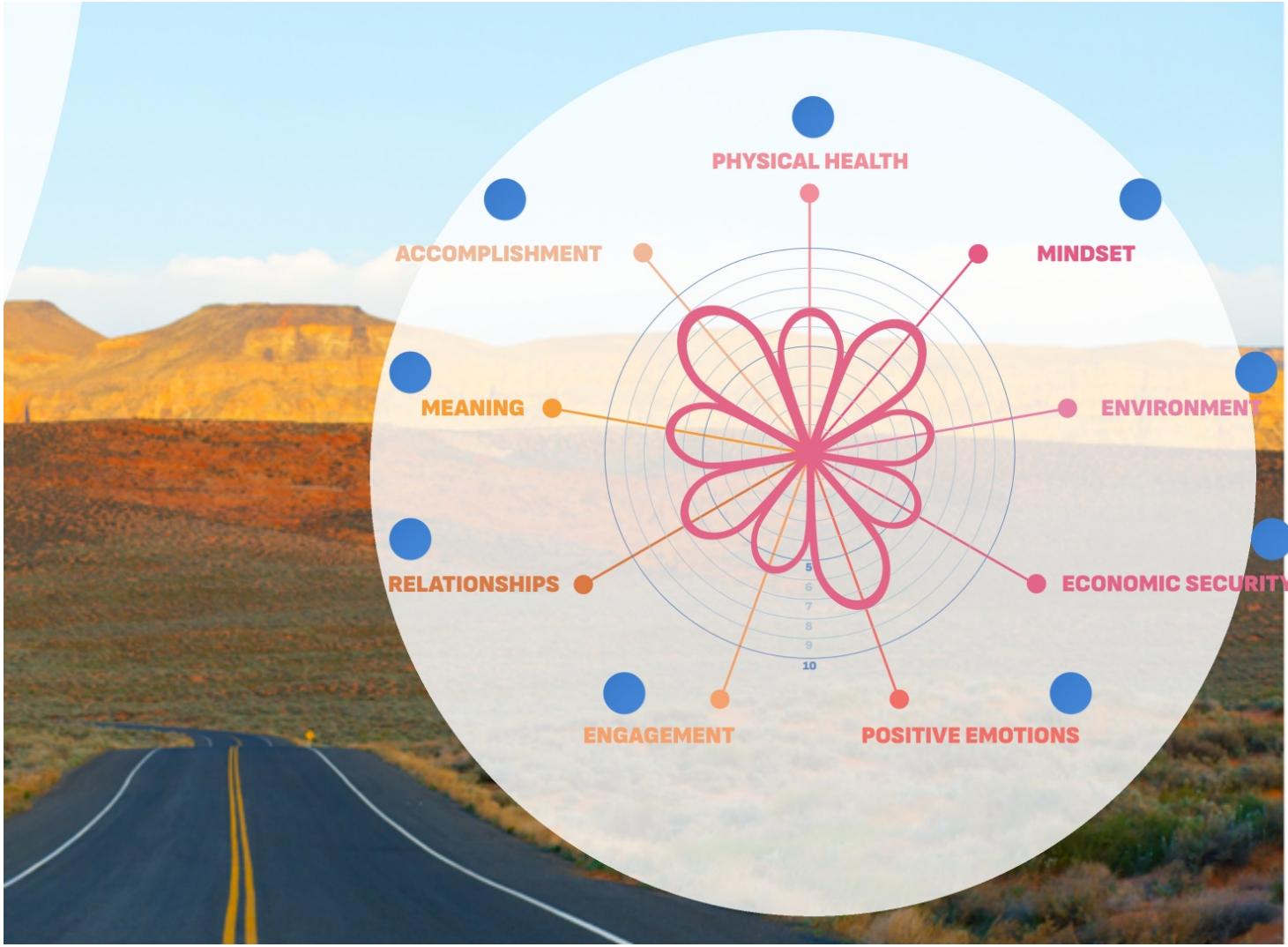
**Participace na smysluplných aktivitách ve Vaší komunitě**

(Participation in Meaningful Activities in Your Community)

**Víra a spiritualita**

(Faith & Spirituality)





# ACHIEVEMENT

**Sebeuznání**

(Self-Recognition of Your Achievements)

**Ocenění a radost z úspěchu druhých**

(Recognition and Enjoyment of Others' Achievements)

**Spokojenost s úspěchy v osobním životě**

(Satisfaction with Personal Life Achievement)

**Spokojenost s úspěchy ve vzdělávání**

(Satisfaction with Education Achievement)

**Spokojenost s úspěchy v kariéře**

(Satisfaction with Career Achievement)

**Spokojenost s úspěchy ve vztazích**

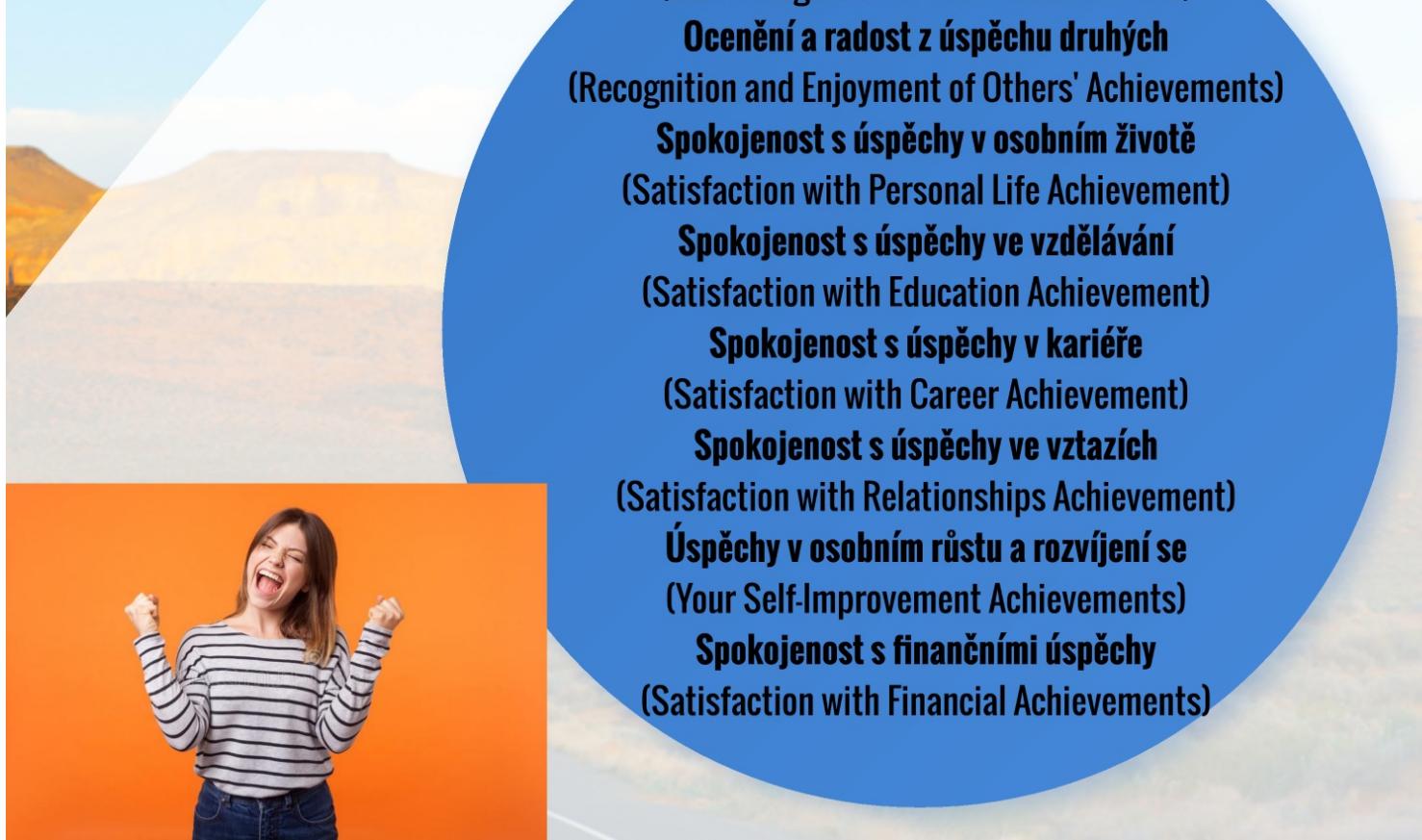
(Satisfaction with Relationships Achievement)

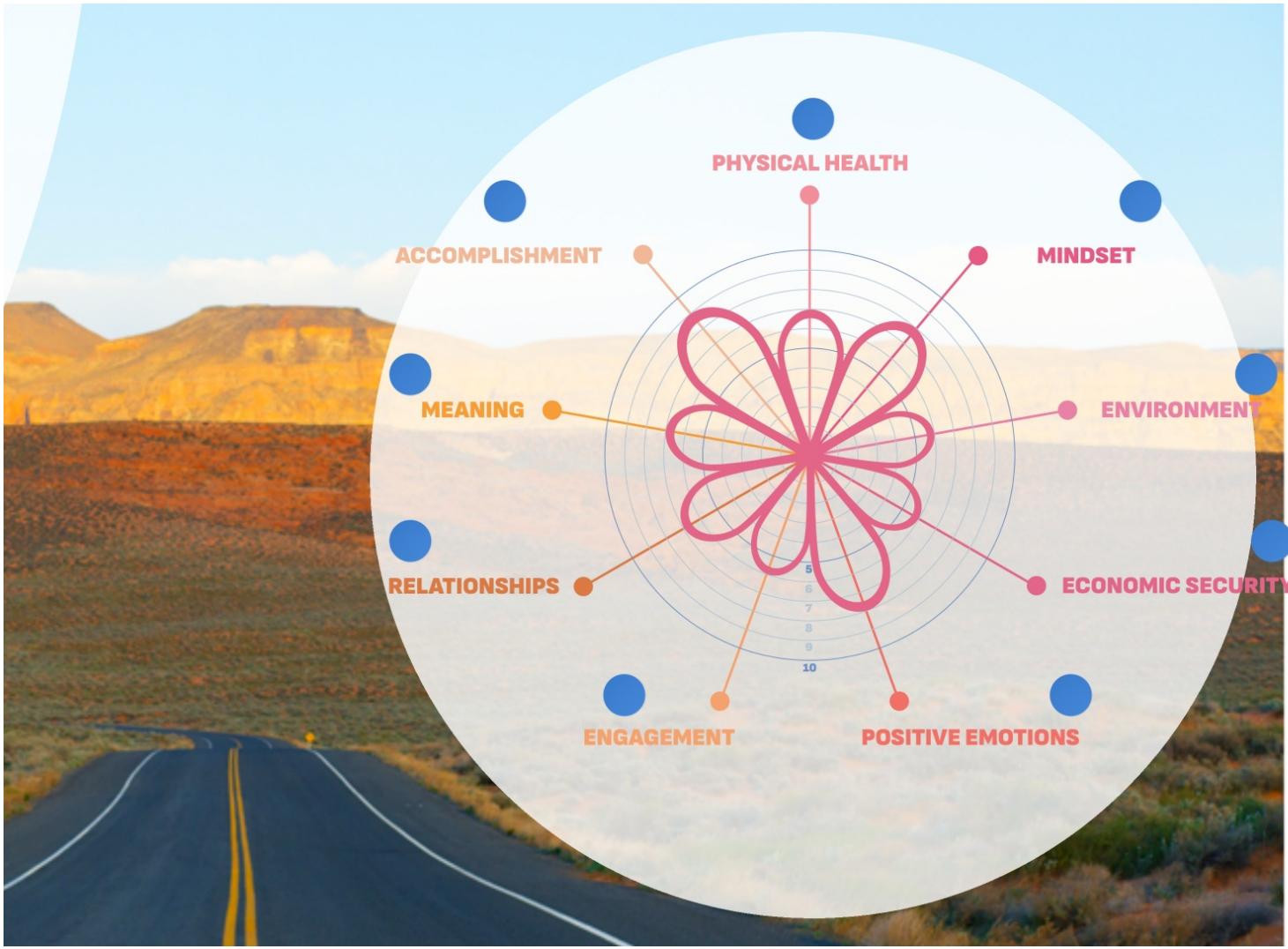
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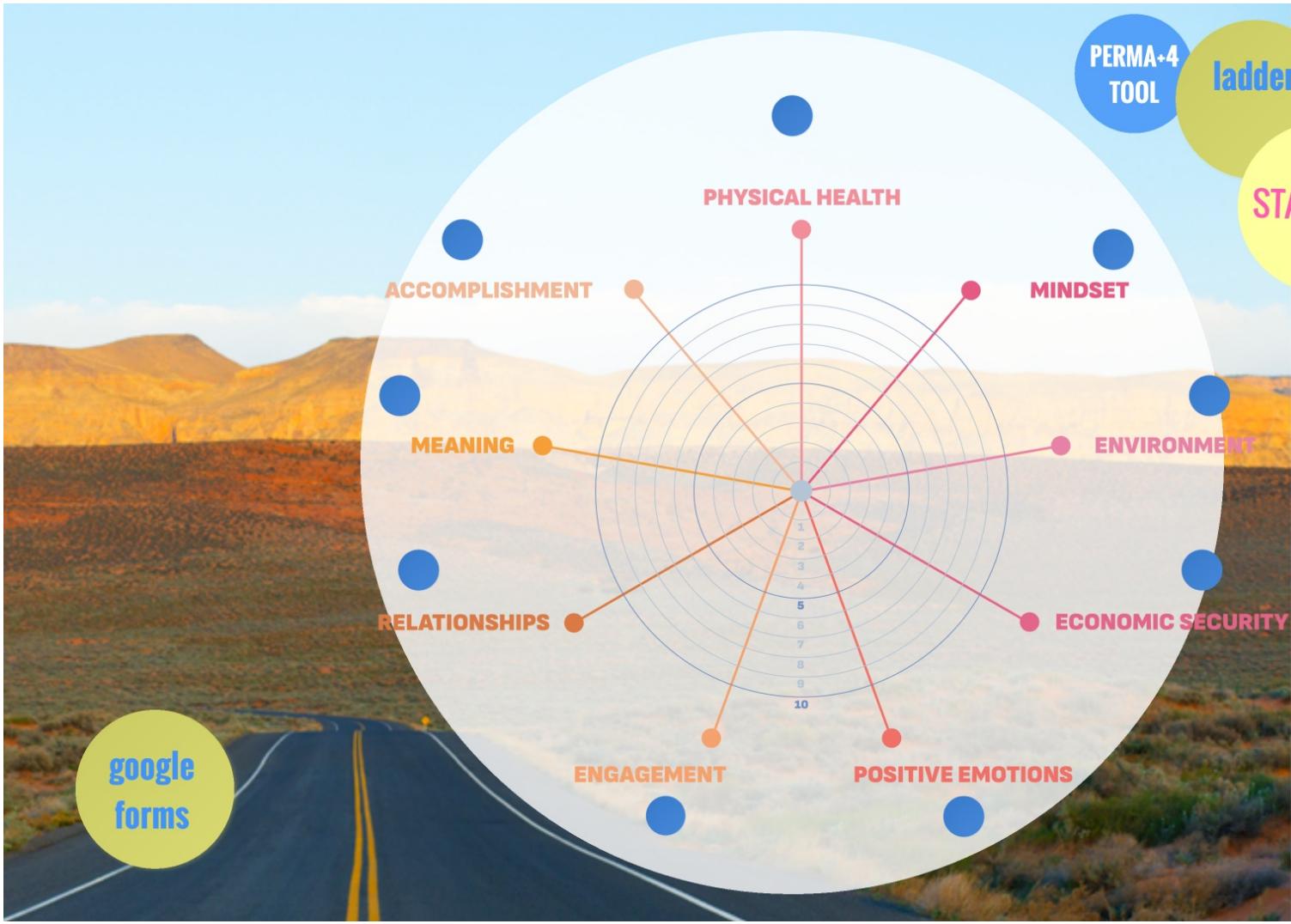
(Your Self-Improvement Achievements)

**Spokojenost s finančními úspěchy**

(Satisfaction with Financial Achievements)







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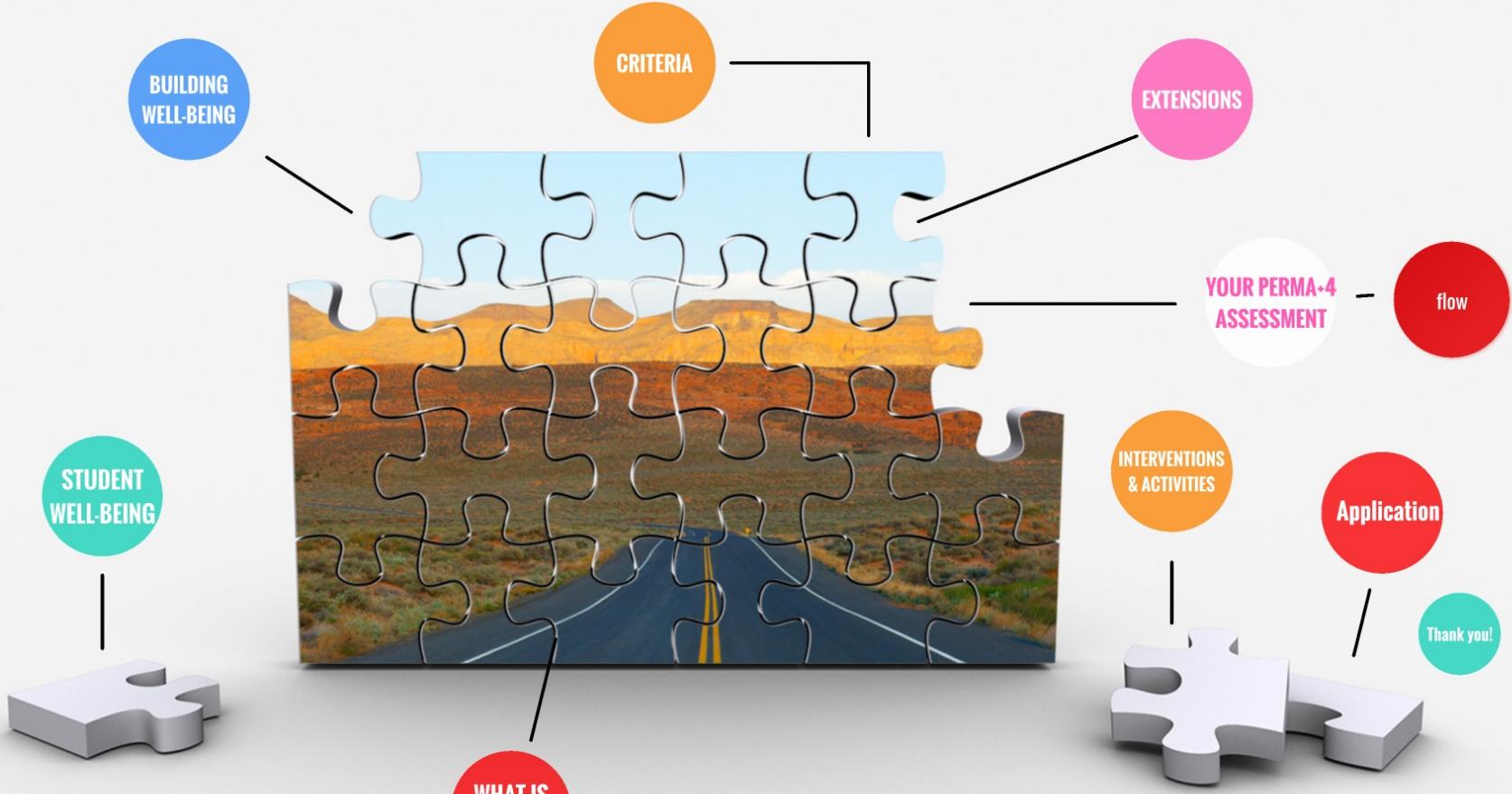
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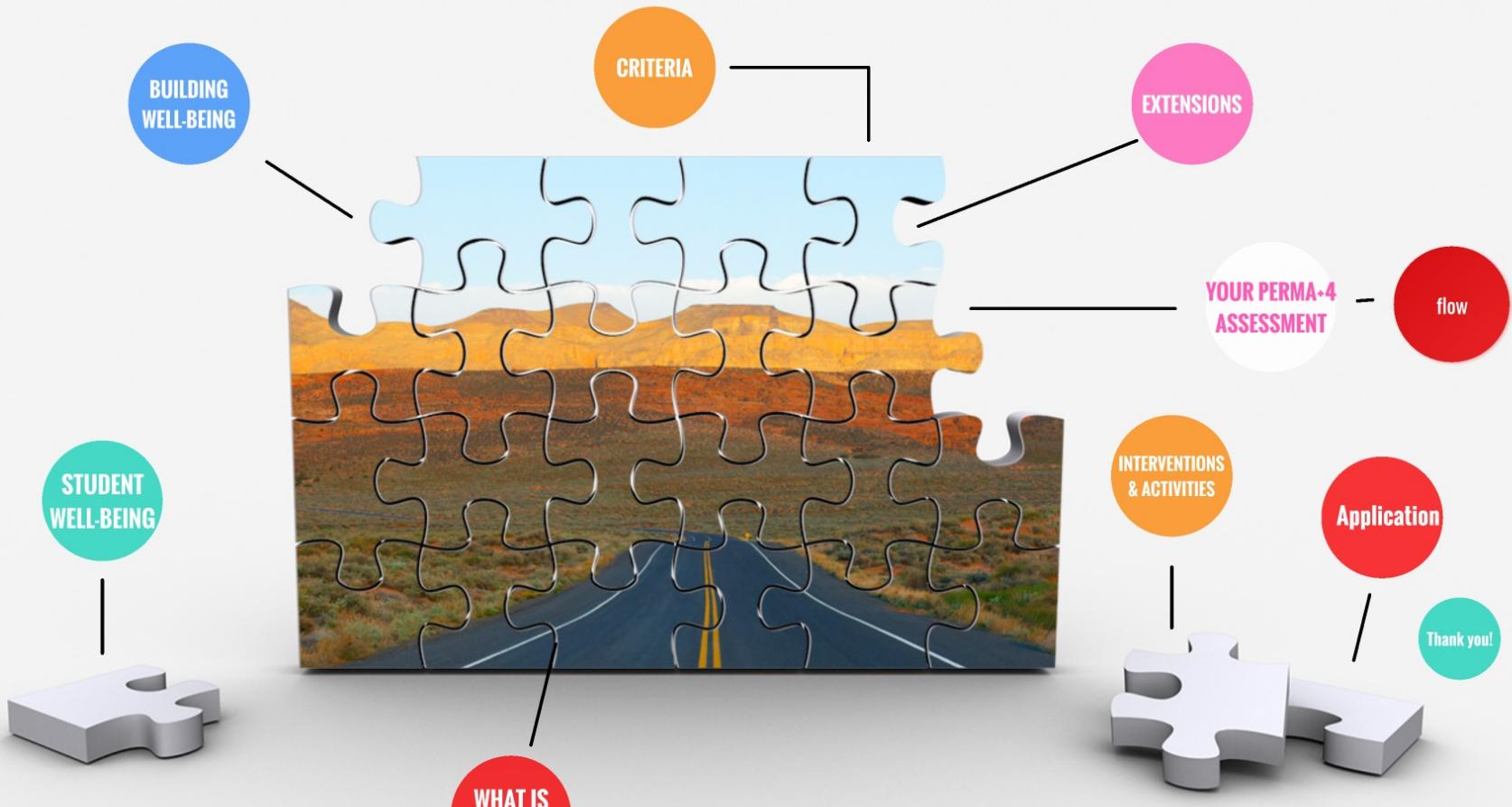


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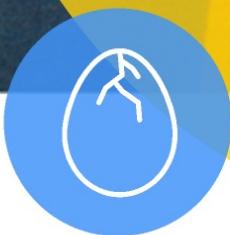
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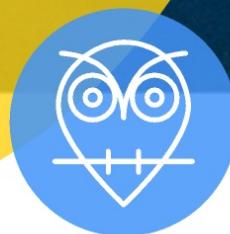
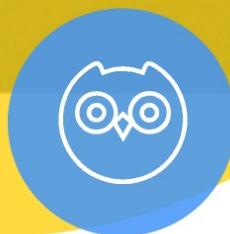
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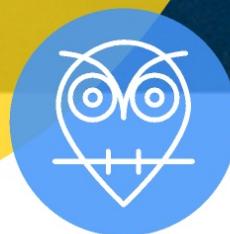
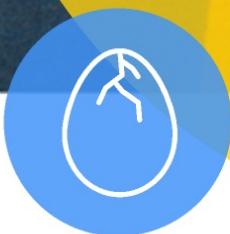
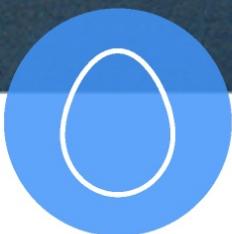
Víme, jaké benefity má pro nás vysokoškolské studenty budování vlastního well-beingu.





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## Cíl č. 3

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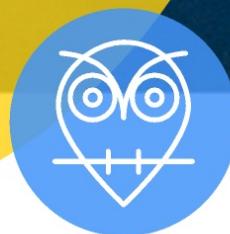
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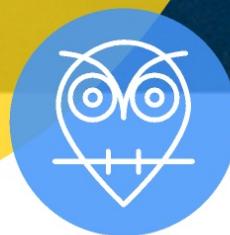
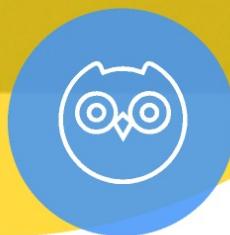
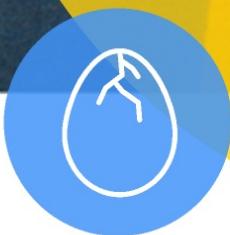
Umíme zhodnotit svůj aktuální well-being.





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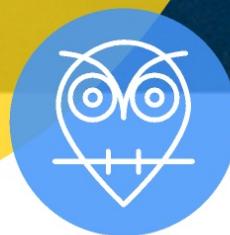
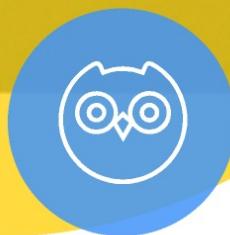
Známe nástroje budování well-beingu a umíme rozvíjet oblasti well-beingu, na které se zaměříme.





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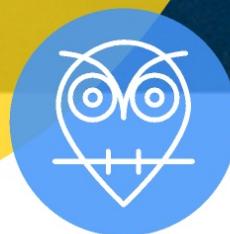
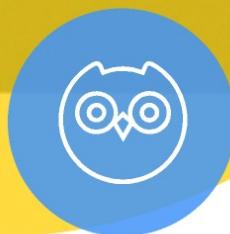
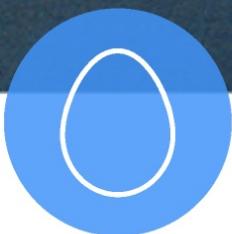
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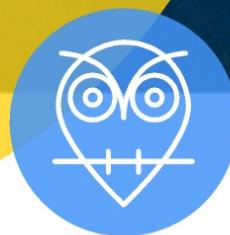
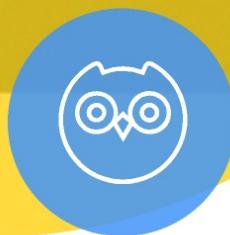
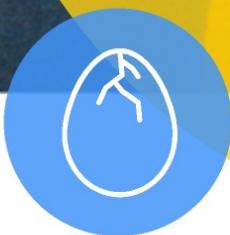
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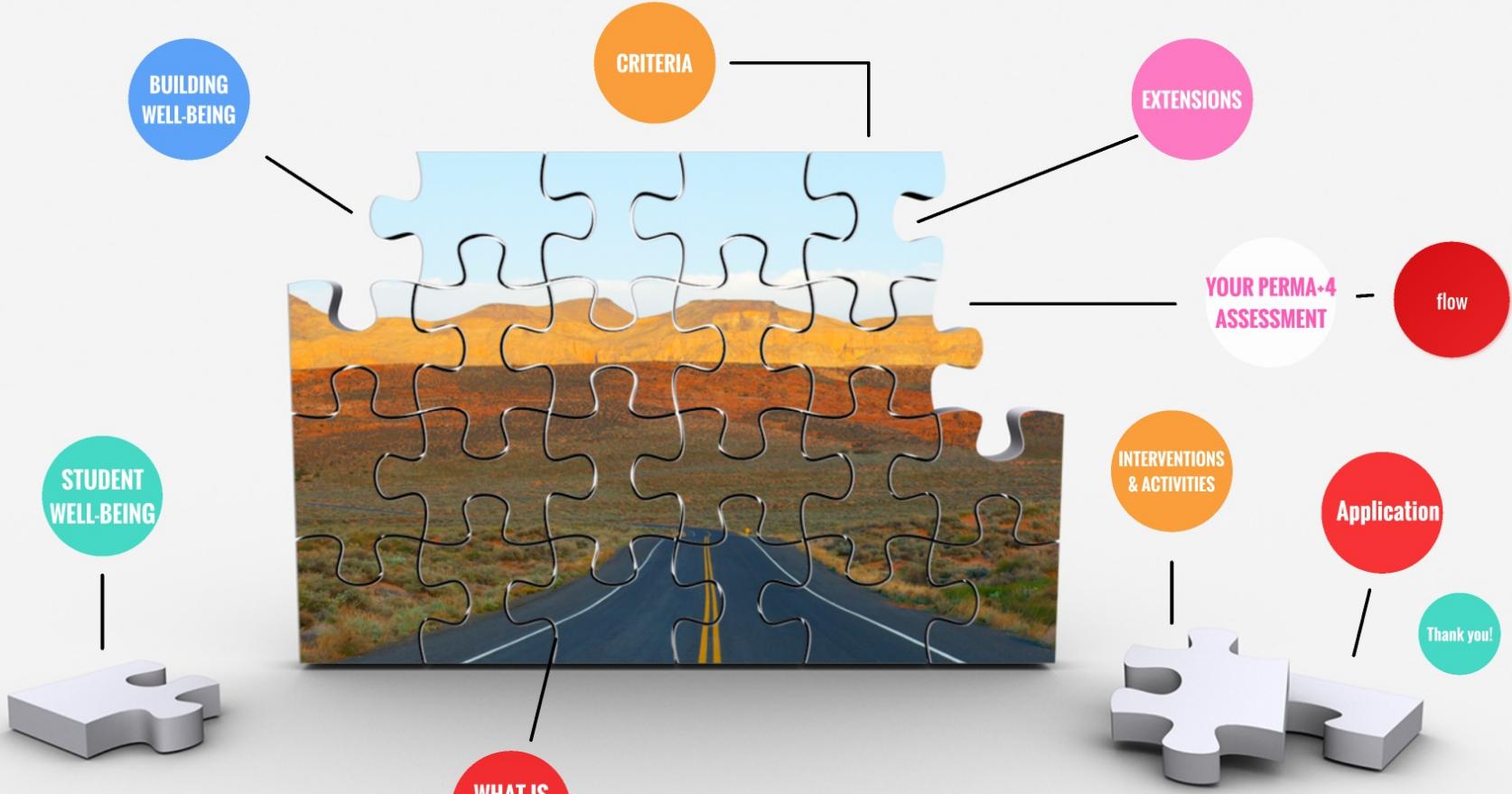
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10:35 Náš (intervenční) program pozitivní psychologie.



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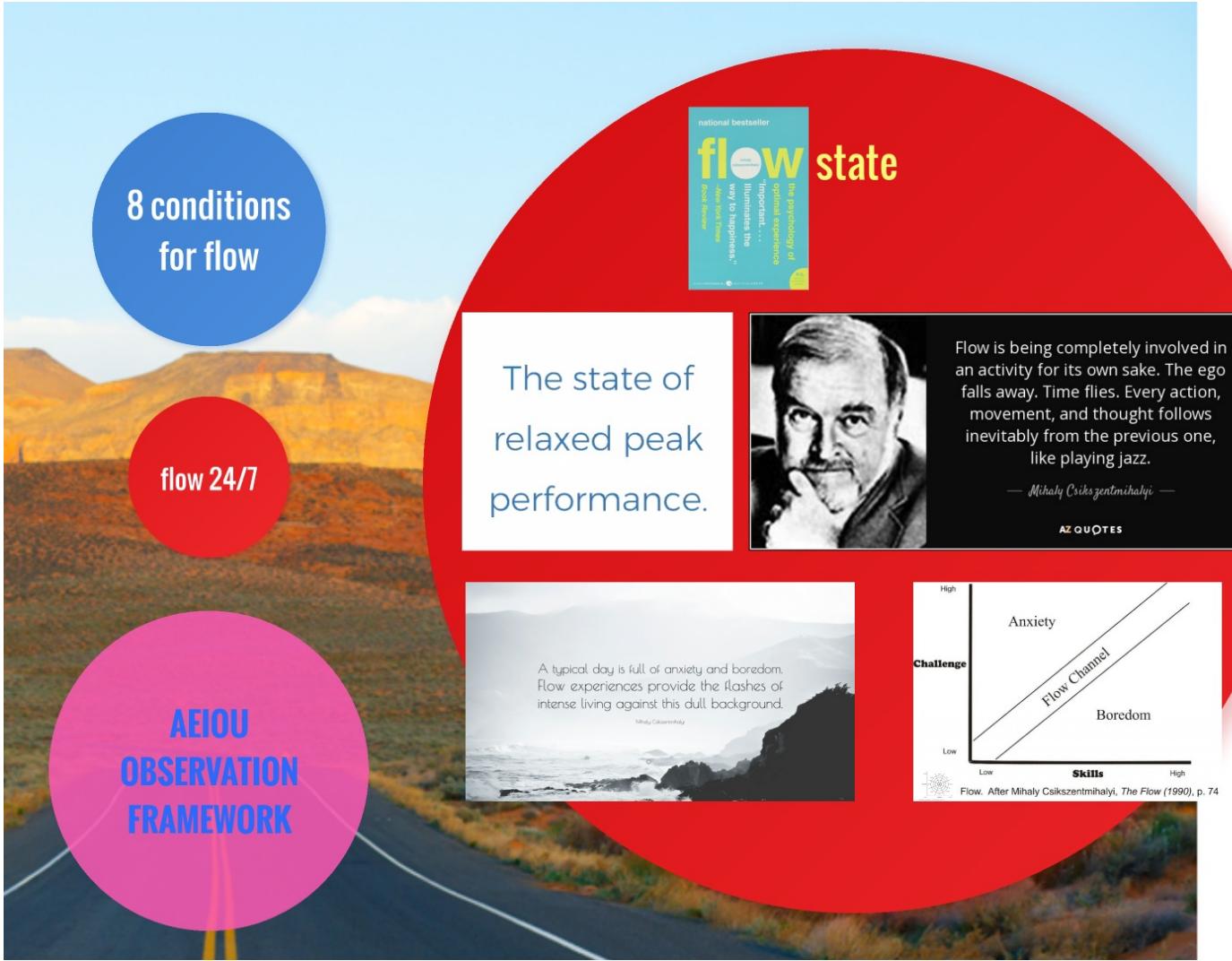


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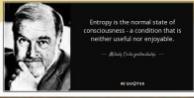
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We experience psychic entropy when part of our mind is focused on one thing, another part is focused on another thing, and our body wants something else. This creates conflict and creates confusion and saps our efficiency and happiness.

-Mihaly Csikszentmihalyi, in *Flow*



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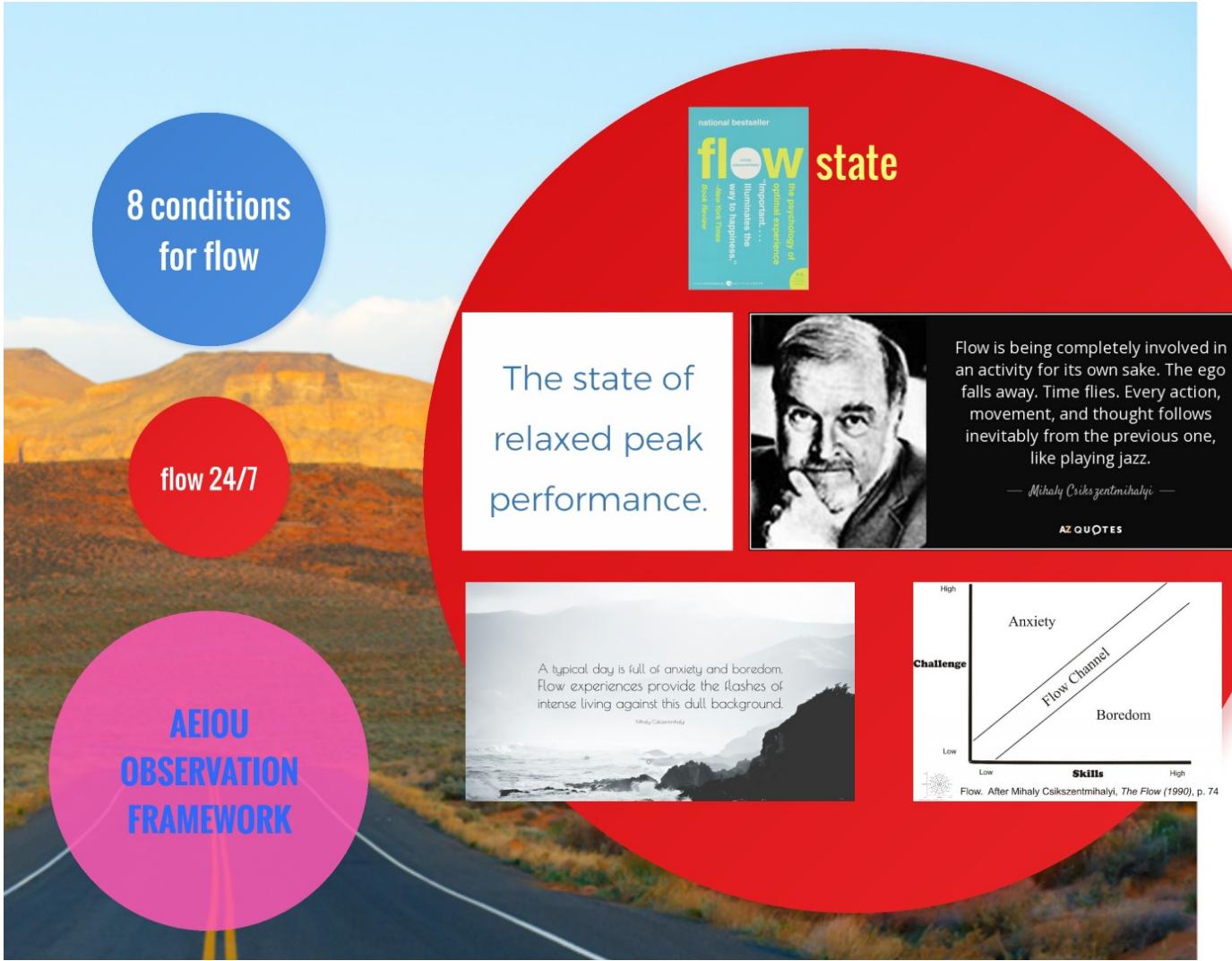
## Our Brain in FLOW

### Transient hypofrontality

The temporary deactivation of the prefrontal cortex (PFC).

PFC: Where we think about our sense of self, our inner critic, and impulse control.

CREATING FLOW



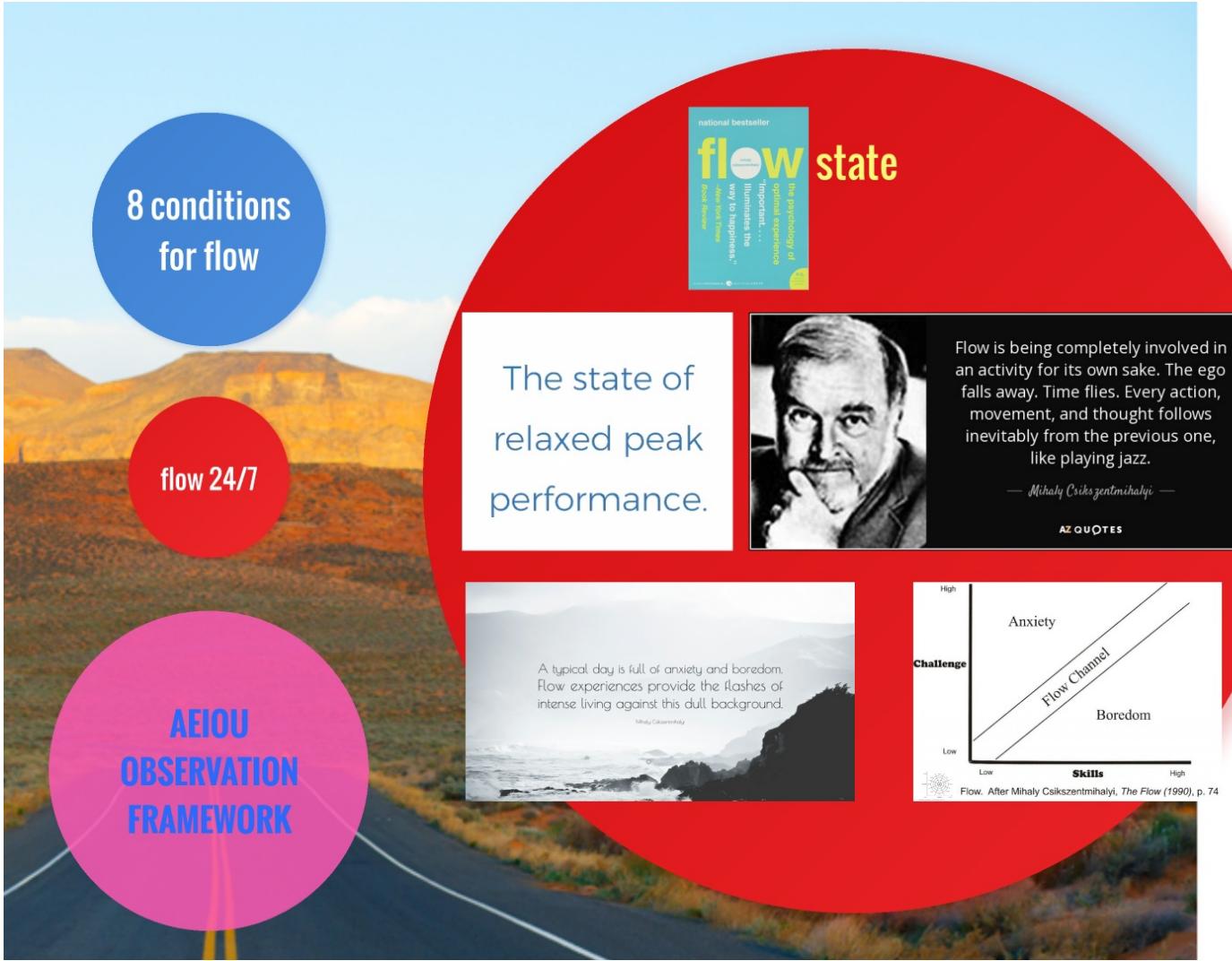
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**Autotelic**  
**(of an activity or a creative work)**  
**having an end or purpose in**  
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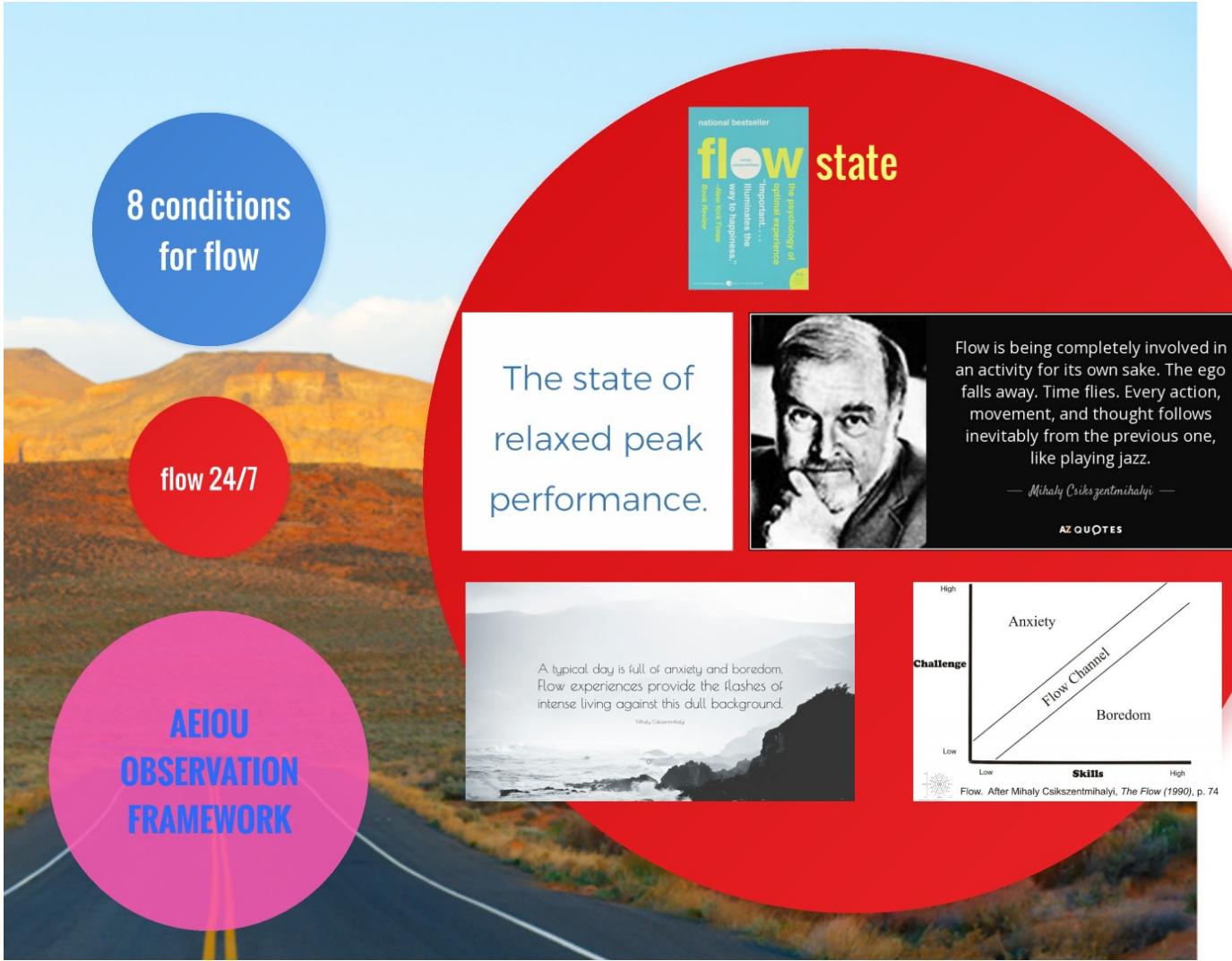
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Living in flow - the secret of happiness with Mihaly Csikszentmihalyi at Happiness & Its Causes 2014



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## 1. Naše cíle jsou jasné.

"Skutečný pocit, že nás něco baví, praméní z kroků, které děláme na cestě za konečným cílem, nikoli z toho, zda cíle opravdu dosáhneme."

"Pokud se shodneme, že základním cílem života je štěstí, a nikoli úspěch, pak dává dokonalý smysl, když dojdeme k závěru, že záleží na samotné cestě, a nikoli na dosažení jejího cíle."

"Lidé často pomíjejí příležitost bavit se tím, co dělají, protože se příliš upínají k celkovému výsledku a nezaměřují pozornost k tomu, aby si vychutnali kroky, které k němu vedou. Copak není vyjednávání obchodní dohody více uspokojující, než její podepsání?"

Basketbalista: "Snažím se poslat míč do dokonalého místa a nemá to žádný vztah k výhře nebo prohře."





2. Okamžitě získáváme zpětnou vazbu.



"Pocit úplného ponoření při zážitku flow z velké části pramení z **vědomí, že naše činnost má nějaký význam a důsledky.**"



"Nejlepší je, když nám zpětnou vazbu poskytuje činnost samotná."



### 3. Rovnováha mezi příležitostí a našimi možnostmi.

"K flow dochází, když **ÚKOLY** i **DOVEDNOSTI** mají vysokou úroveň a jsou navzájem přiměřené."



"Naprosté ponoření do nějakého úkolu je snazší, pokud jsme **PŘESVĚDČENI**, že je pro nás **ZVLÁDNUTELNÝ**."



"Úzkost a nuda **přesouvají** pozornost od toho, co má být uděláno."

'Stav **flow** může navozovat jakákoli aktivita, protože i v té zdánlivě nejvíce jednotvárné činnosti, - jako je práce u pásu, rozhovor s malým dítětem nebo mytí nádobí - existují příležitosti, jak můžeme využívat své dovednosti.'

'Jedinec, která je skutečně **zaujatý světem** - všechno ho zajímá, je zaujatý a nadšený - **nikdy netrpí nedostatkem příležitostí**, aby zakusil flow.'



#### 4. Prohlubuje se soustředění.



"V každodenním životě soustředíme pozornost velice **prchavě a povrchně**. Buddhisté hovoří o tzv. "**opičí myslí**".

"Ve stavu flow však **spývají činnost a vědomí do jedné vlny energie**".  
(činnost: rozhovor, hra, koníček, práce, aj.)

*'V takových chvílích **mizí rozdíl** mezi naším já a naší aktivitou.'*

*'Ztratíte se v kinestetickém vnímání'*

Horolezec: "Je to zenový pocit jako meditace, nebo koncentrace. Jednou z věcí, o které usilujete je **mysl soustředěná do jednoho bodu**.. když se všechno **zautomatizuje**.., nějak děláte správné věci, aniž na to musíte myslet nebo aniž se **sebeméně snažíte**. Prostě se to děje. A vy jste soustředěnější.. "

Básník Richard Jones: "Mám pocit, jako by mnou procházela nějaká energie, které v ničem **nebráním, nestavím se jí do cesty**. Když příšete, proudí Vám tělem velice inteligentní energie, a je to právě **ona**, co se soustřeďuje a převádí do slov, **nikoli vaše mysl**. Flow nastává, když nedovolím svému spisovateli, aby se stavěl do cesty mému psaní. A jak se mus začnu stavět do cesty? **Tím, že začnu přemýšlet**."





##### 5. Záleží jen na přítomnosti.

"Protože ve stavu flow vyžaduje daný úkol **celou naši pozornost**, **nedostávají** starosti a problémy, které nás v každodenním životě trápí, šanci se odrážet v naší mysli."

"Protože naše pozornost musí být **zaměřena na přítomnost**, události z minula nebo z budoucna nebMohou v našem vědomí nalézt místo."



Basketbalista: "Když je hra vzrušující, jako bych vůbec neslyšel. Zdá se mi, jako bych byl **odříznutý od světa**. Myslím jen na svoji hru."





## 6. Nemáme problémy s kontrolou situace.

"Jedna z prvních věcí, kterou respondenti zmiňují při popisování stavu flow je pocit, že mají situaci **pod kontrolou**".

"Oproti mnoha každodenním situacím vyvolávajícím pocit bezmoci - pokud respektujeme dané úkoly a vyvineme si potřebné dovednosti - máme **velikou šanci**, že situaci s potenciálem zážitku flow **zvládneme**".



Slový horolezce: "Ve skutečnosti nejste pánem situace, ale **vede vás** něco jiného. Právě **z toho pramení** vaše opravdu dobré pocity."



**7. Vnímání času je pozměněno.**

Chirurg: "Čas je naprosto zkreslený - **běží rychleji** - co se zdá jako patnáct minut, byly ve skutečnosti dvě hodiny."

Bývalý olympijský šampion ve sprintu: "9,8 vteřiny, které je řeba na uběhnutí 100 metrové tratě se mi zdá **jako věčnost**."

"Ve stavu flow se vnímání času **přizpůsobuje naší aktivitě**."

Olympijský krasobruslař: "Čas se zrychluje a zase zpomaluje; zdá se, jako by se téměř přizpůsoboval vaší vůli... Například pokud jste **soustředěnější, zpomalí se**. A pokud máte opravdu **dobrý pocit** z provádění něčeho **těžkého**, co obvykle zabere hodně času, pak čas plyne **velmi rychle**."



"Ve flow jako by **sebevnímání** vlastní osoby bylo **dočasné potlačeno**. To je důsledkem intenzivního zaměření pozornosti, které odsouvá z vědomí všechno, co nemá přímý vztah k našemu úkolu."

Horolezec: "Ve flow zažívám při lezení vzácné okamžiky téměř orgiastické jednoty, kdy **zapomínám sám na sebe a rozplynu se v akci!**"

"Extáze je ve skutečnosti výsledek naší **omezené schopnosti soustředění**. Naše mysl **nedokáže zpracovávat příliš mnoho podnětů současně**. Pokud opravdu soustředíme pozornost na daný úkol - at' už lezeme na hory, nebo skládáme hudbu-, nedokážeme vnímat nic vně tohoto **zúženého pole podnětů**."

## 8. Ztráta ega.

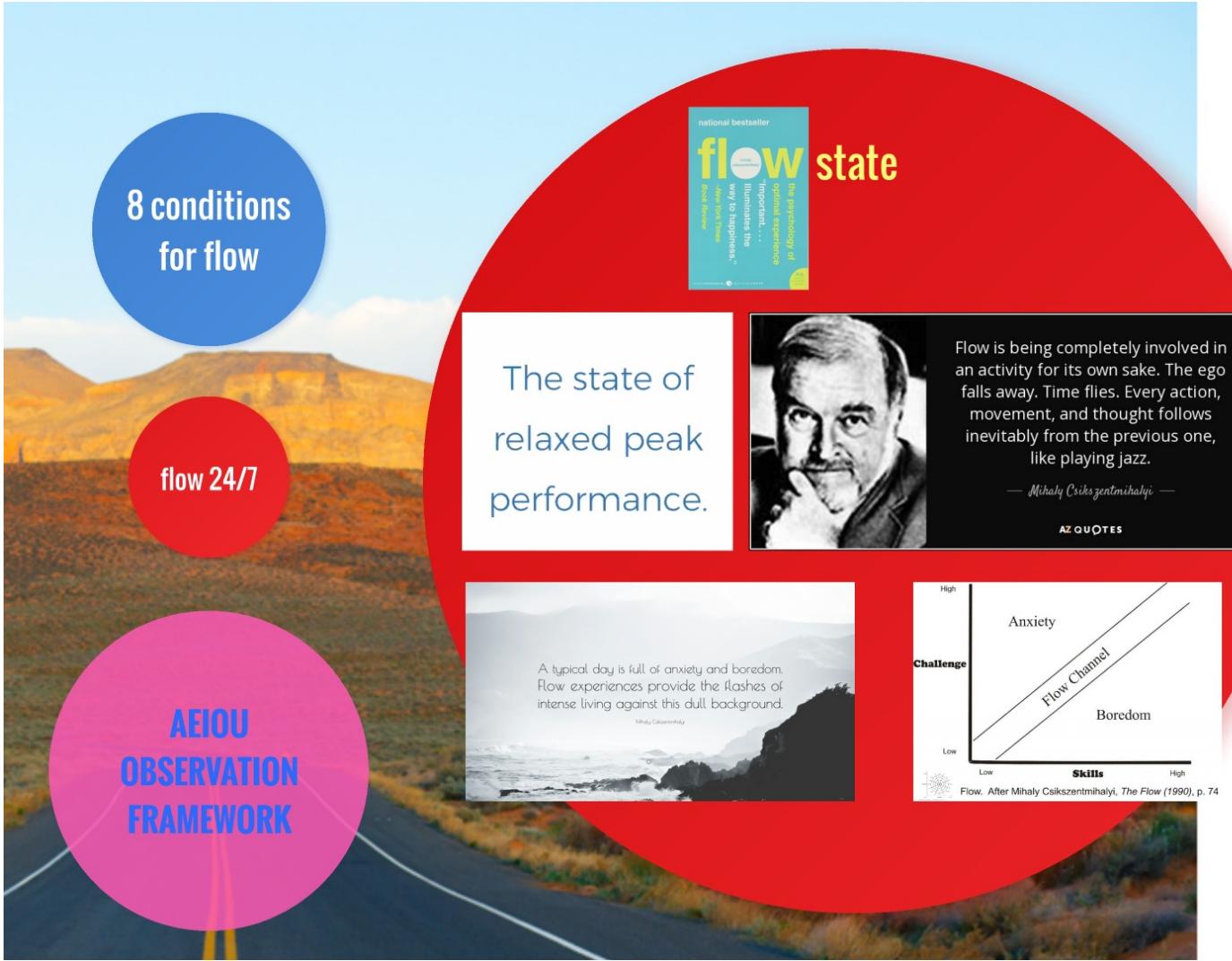


Skladatel Ralph Shapey: "Ocitáte se v extatickém stavu do té míry, že máte pocit, **jako byste vůbec neexistovali**. Moje ruka jako by se ode mě **oddělila** a nemám nic společného tím, co se děje. Jenom sedím a **pozoruji** to ve stavu úžasnu a nadšeného vytržení. A hudba prostě plyně sama od sebe."

"Člověk při zakoušení flow typicky zapomíná sám na sebe, ale později jeho **sebeoceňování nabude** výraznější podoby než před tím."

"Ve skutečnosti si nepřestáváme uvědomovat své ruce, tělo, myšlenky či okolí. Vše si uvědomujeme **s mnohem větší citlivostí**. Spiše zapomínáme na sebe **jako na člověka**, který má určité postavení, sociální role a povinnosti či starosti, které z nichž vyplývají. **Je to rozjařující pocit úlevy od sebeuvědomování si vlastní osoby, ambicí, proher, obav a tužeb.**"

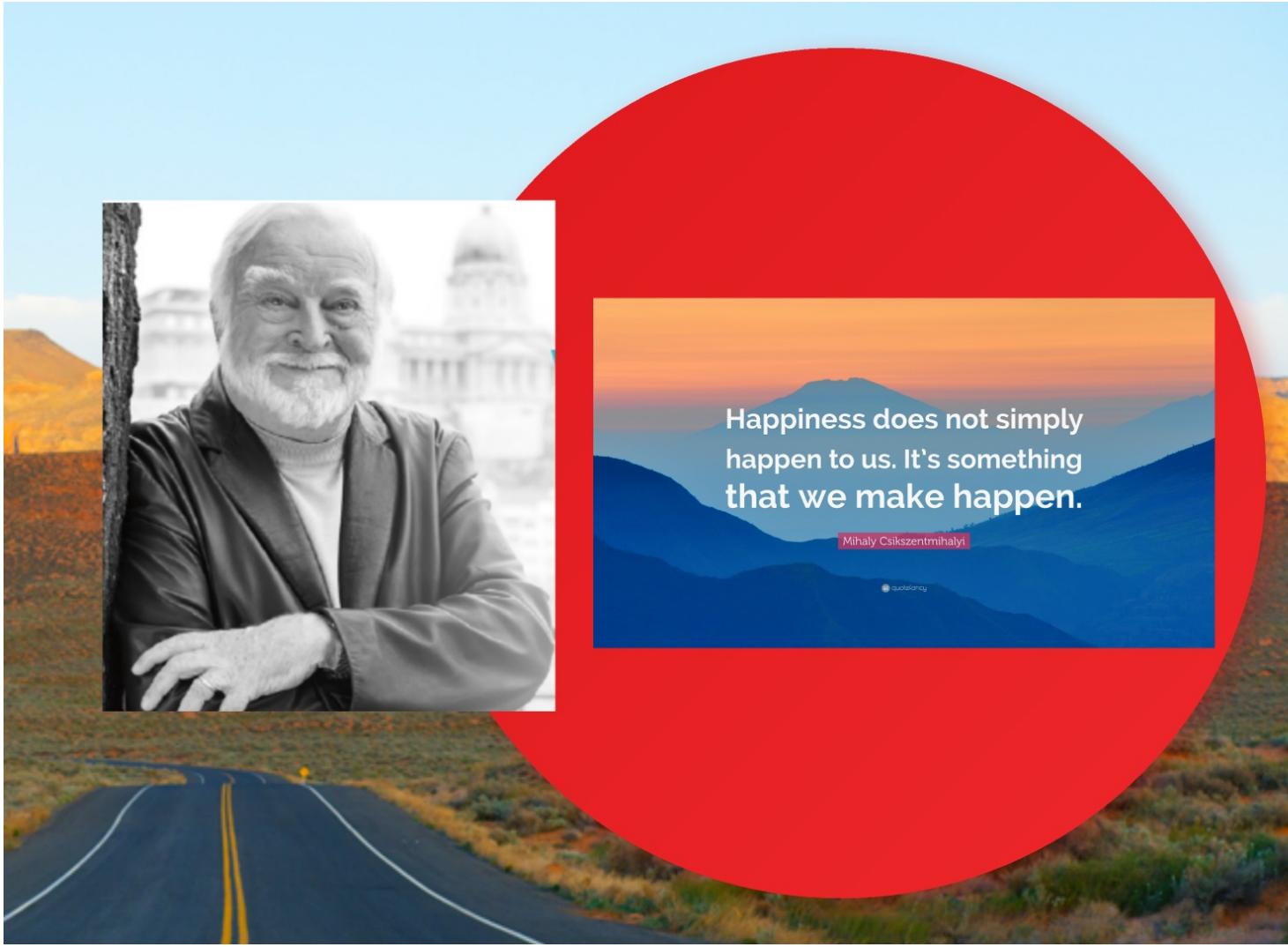




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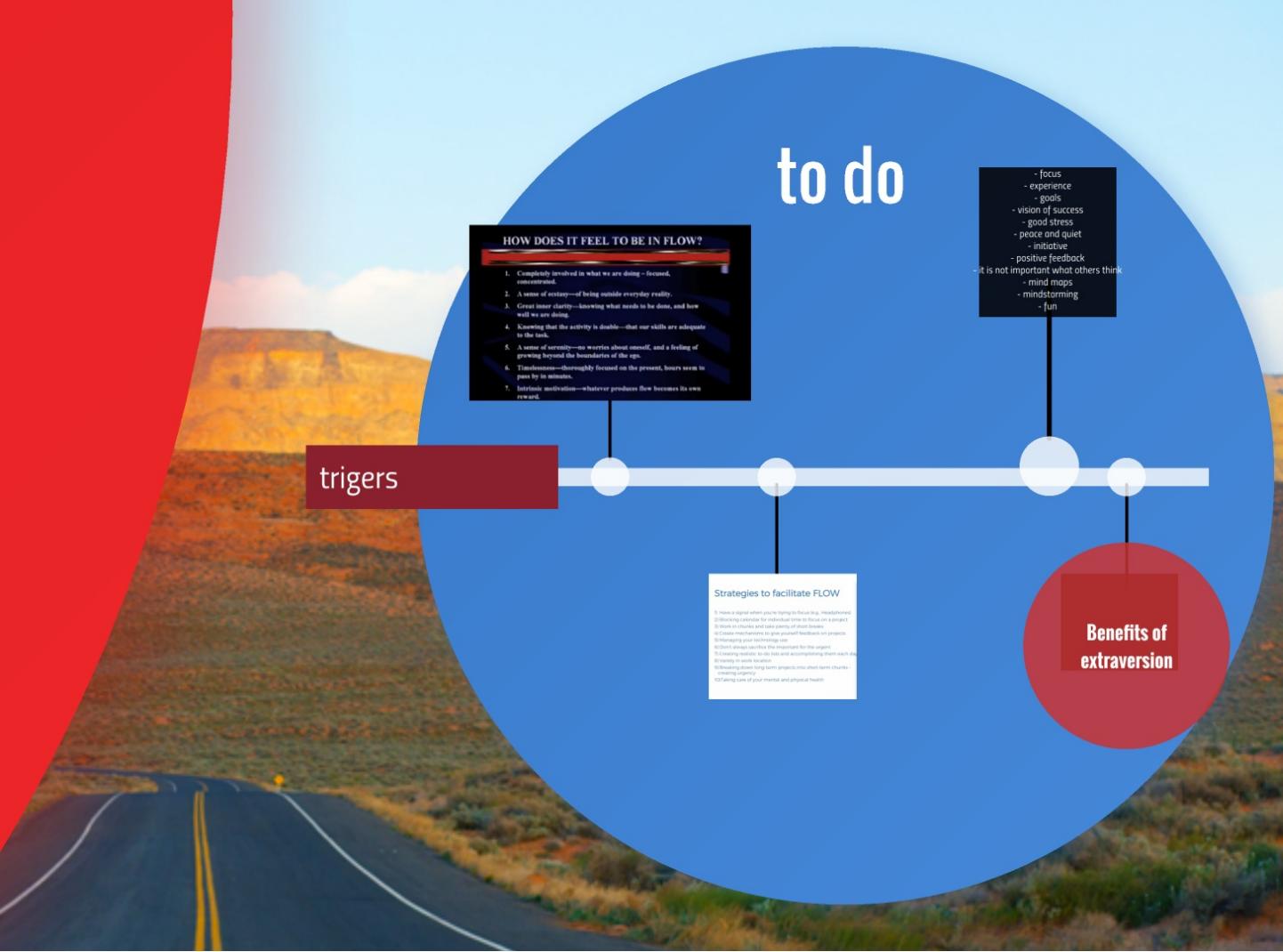


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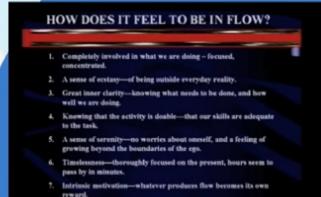
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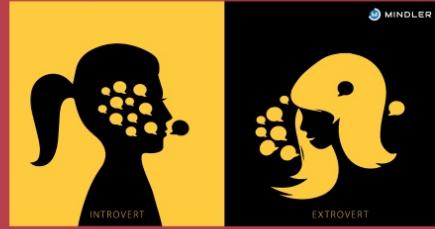


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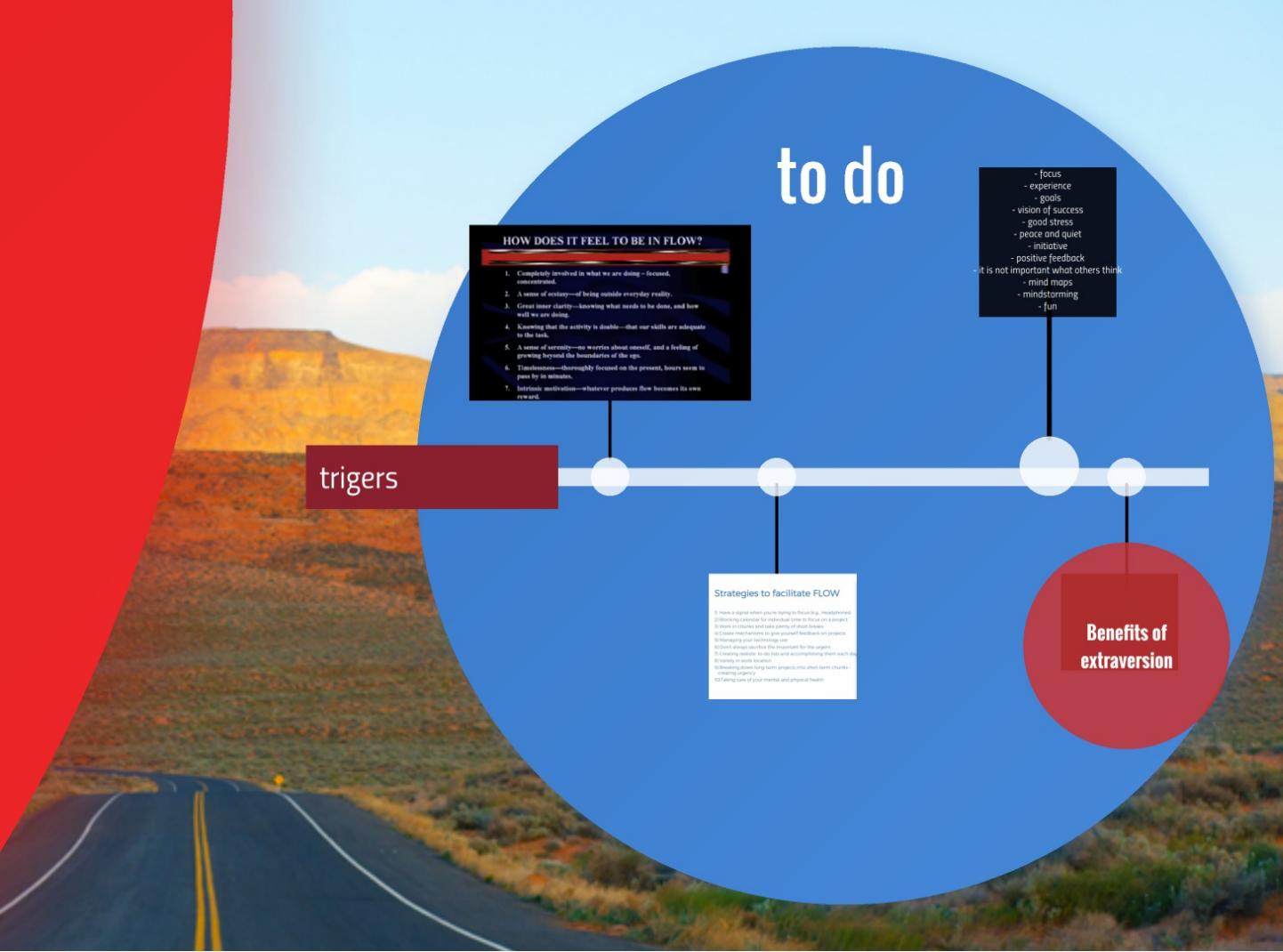
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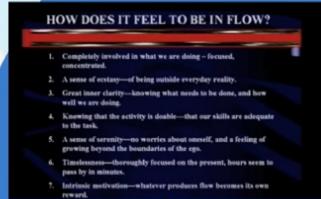
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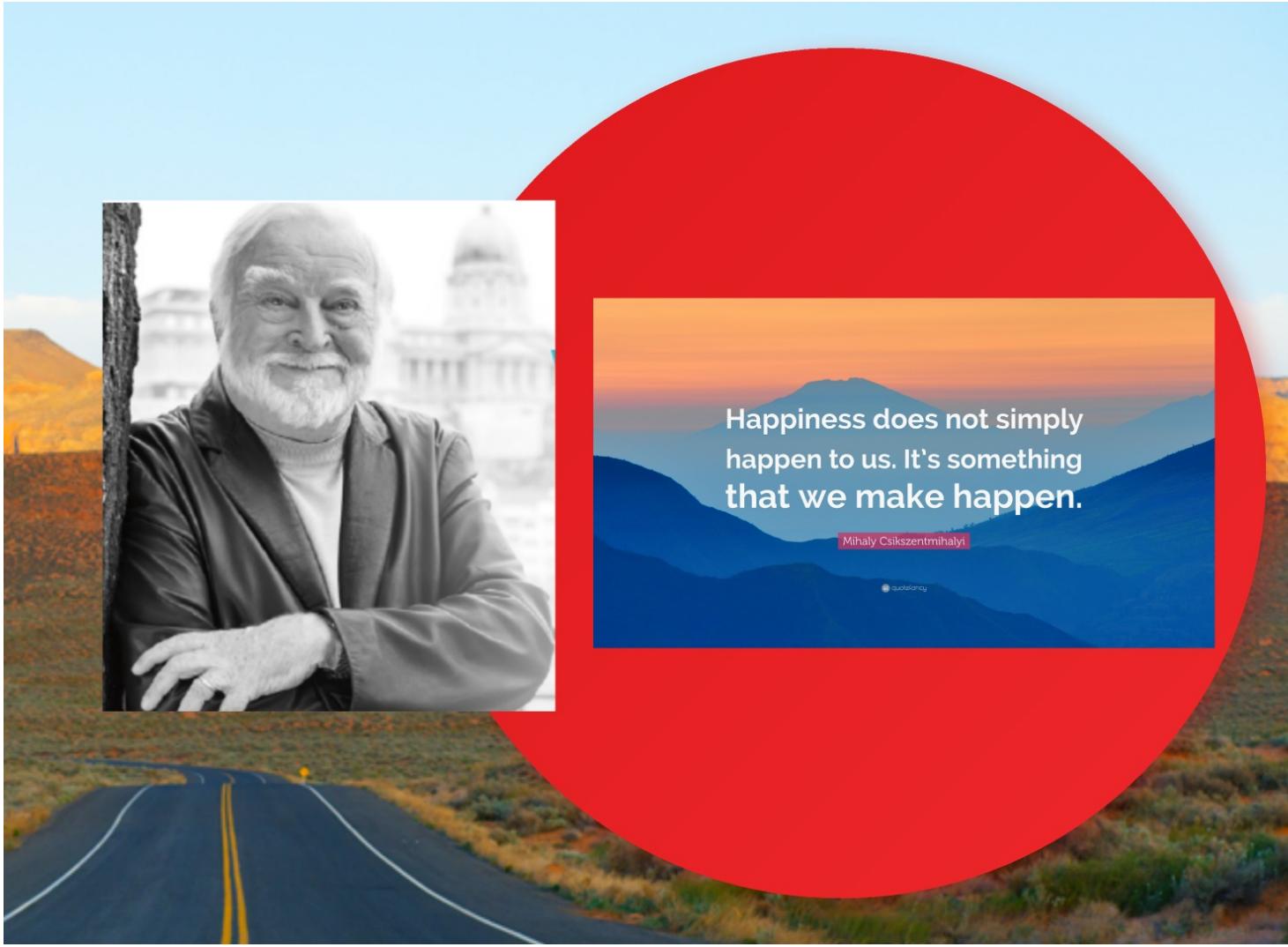
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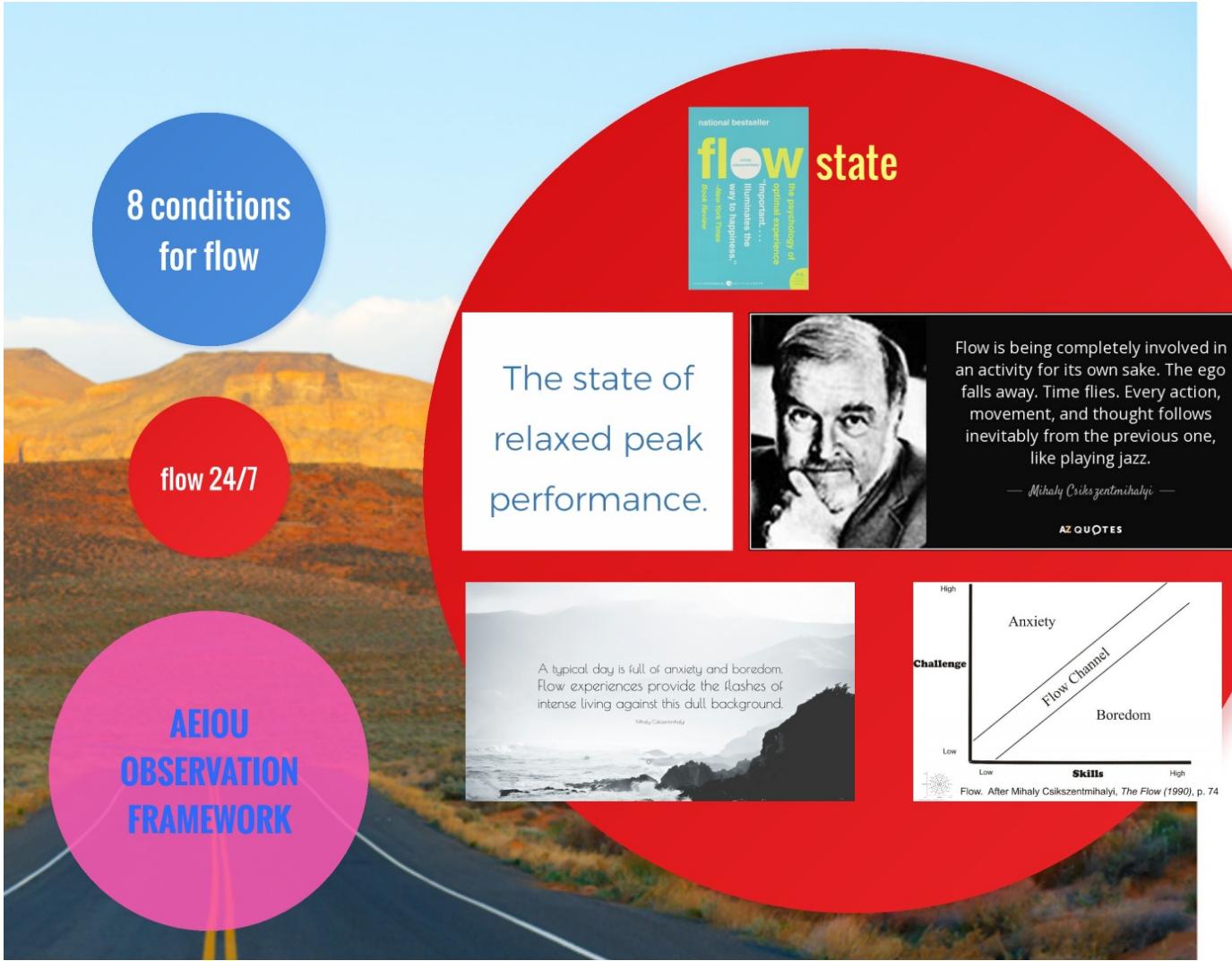


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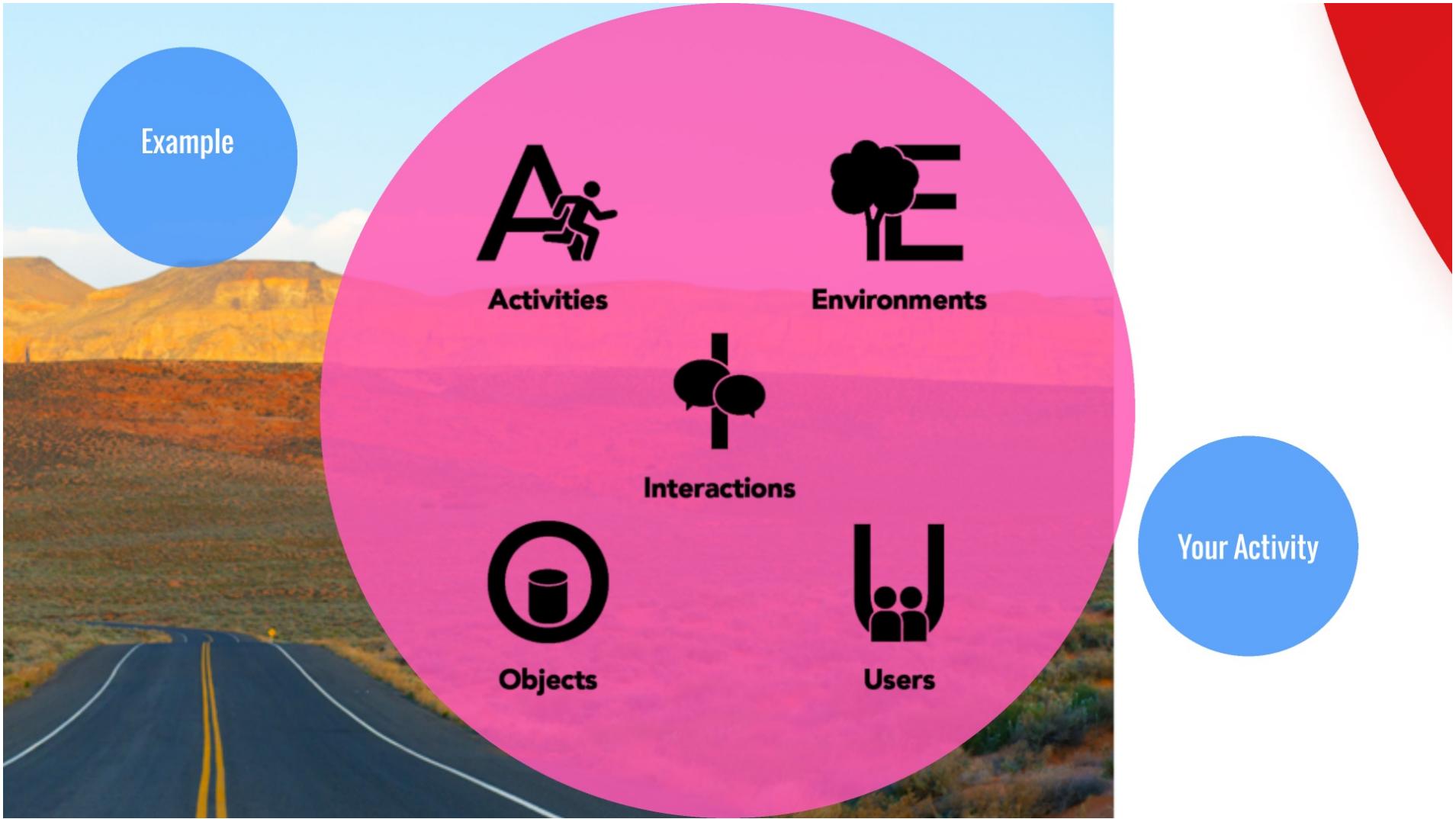
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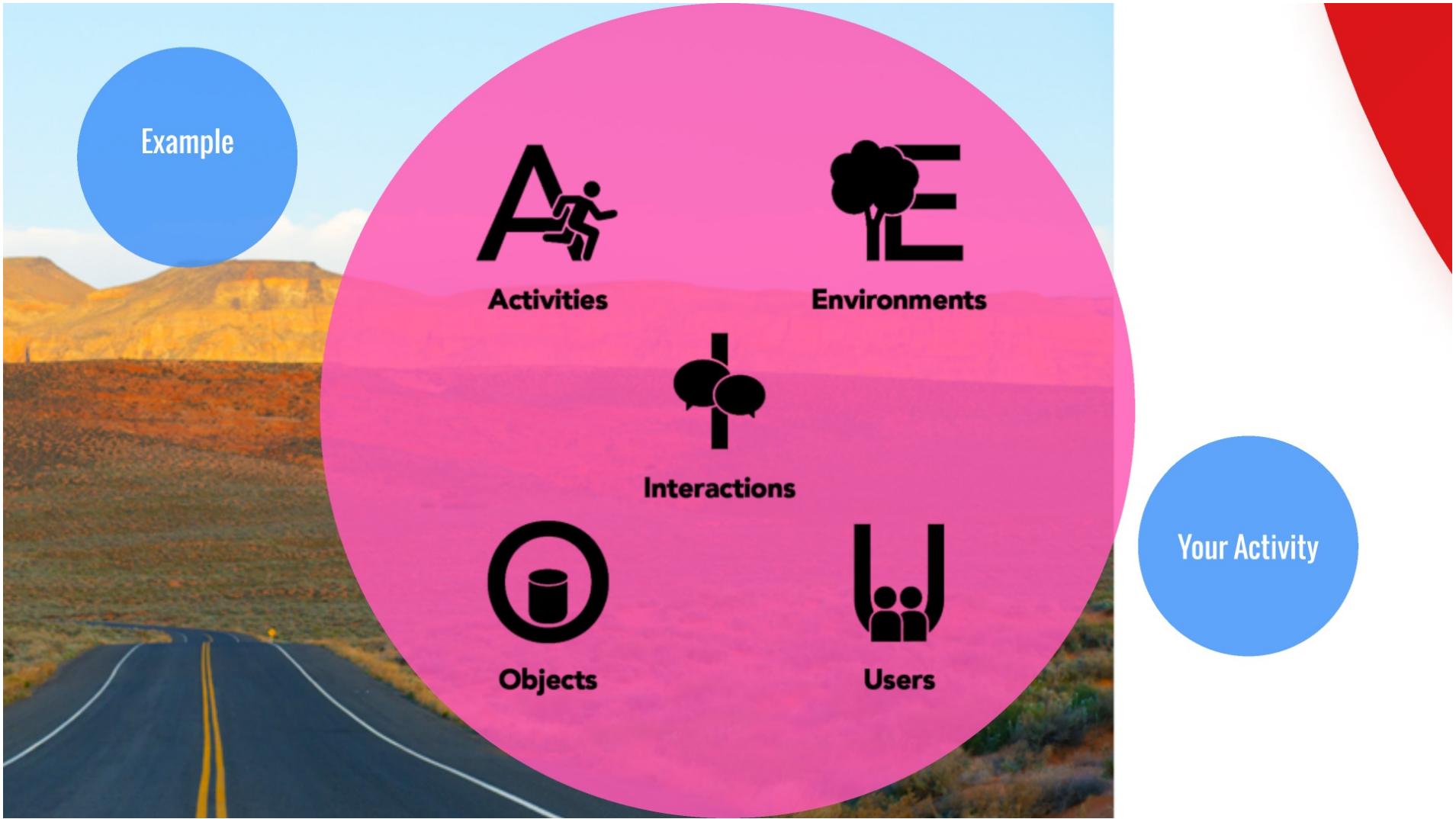
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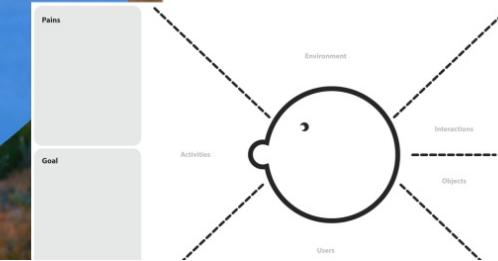
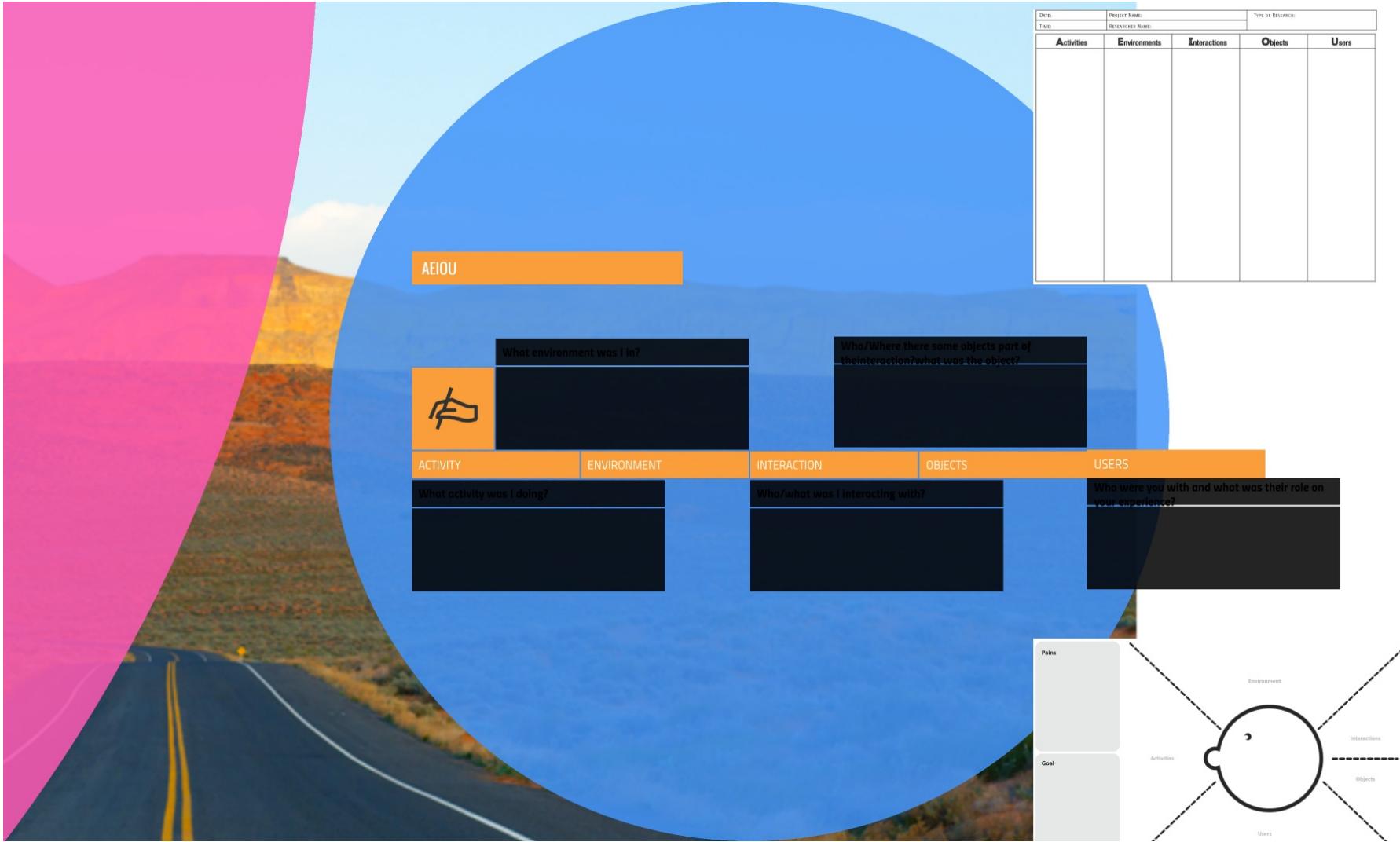
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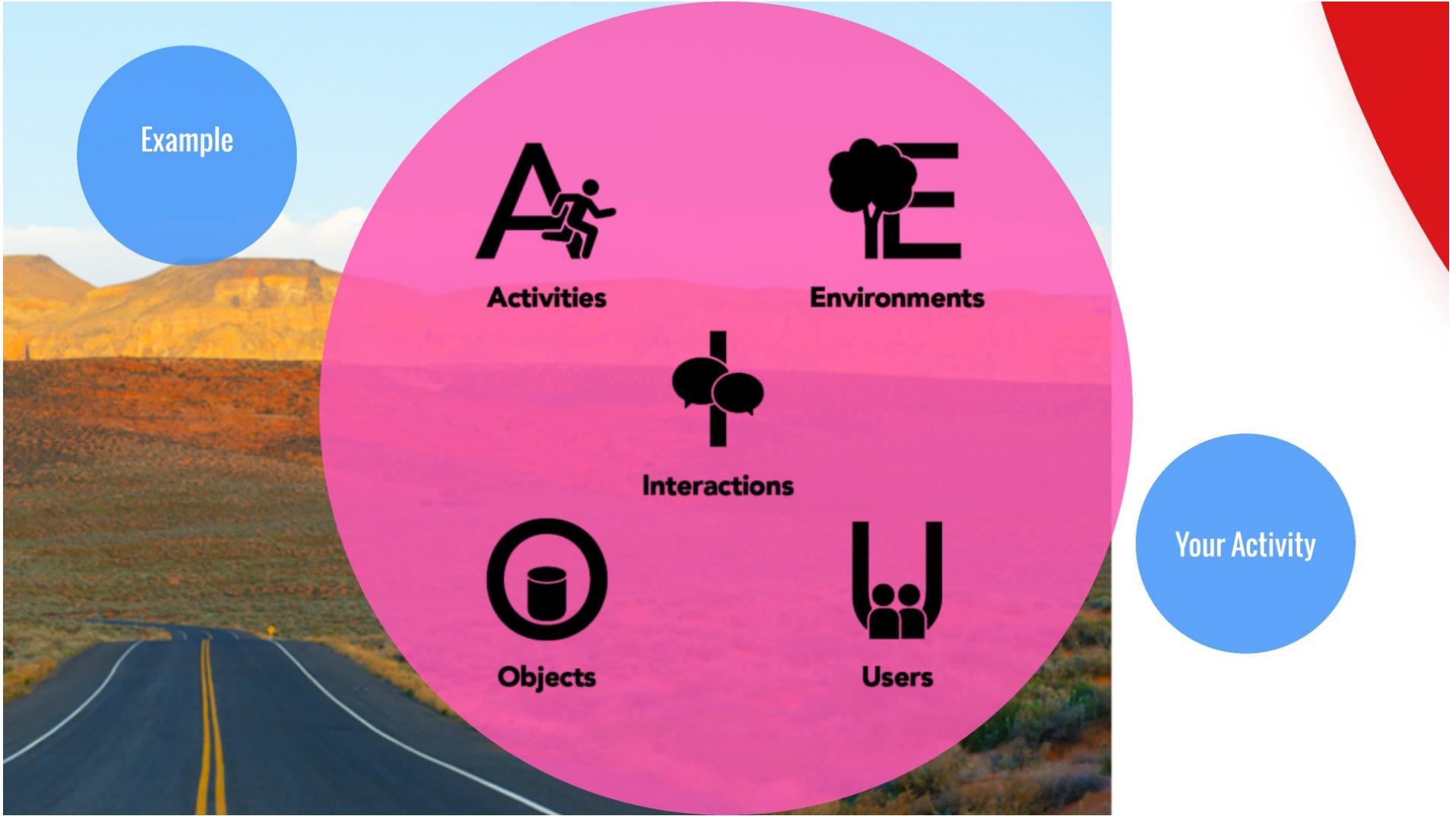
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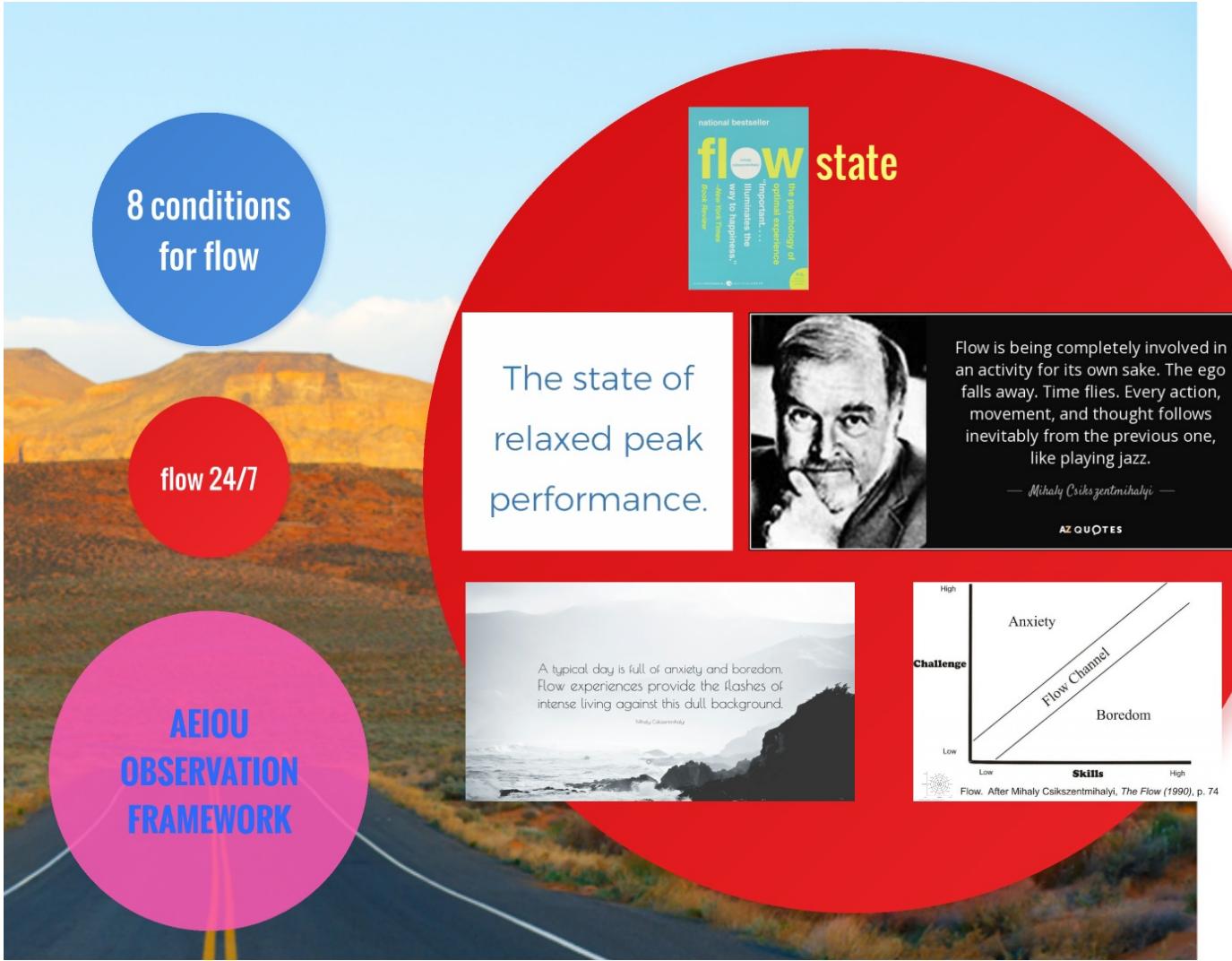








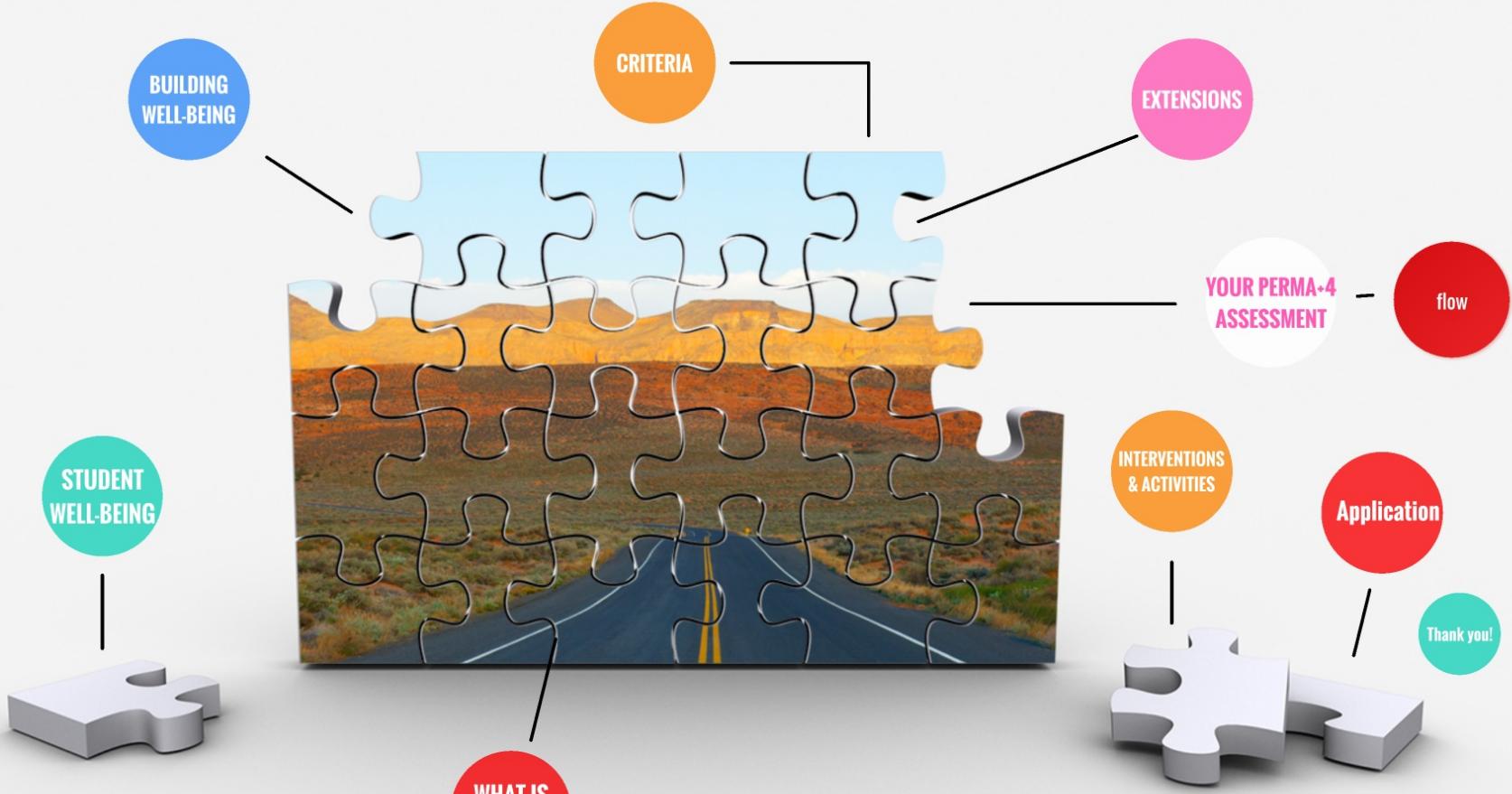




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