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- BUILDING COLLABORATIVE RELATIONSHIPS

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“Today, this selfish attitude of indifference has taken on global proportions, to the extent that we can speak of a globalization of indifference.”

- Pope Francis

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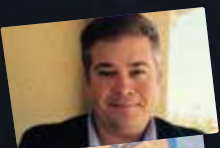
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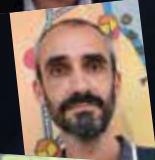
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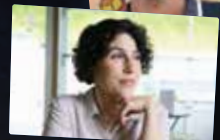
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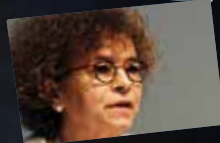
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