

# A New Way of Thinking

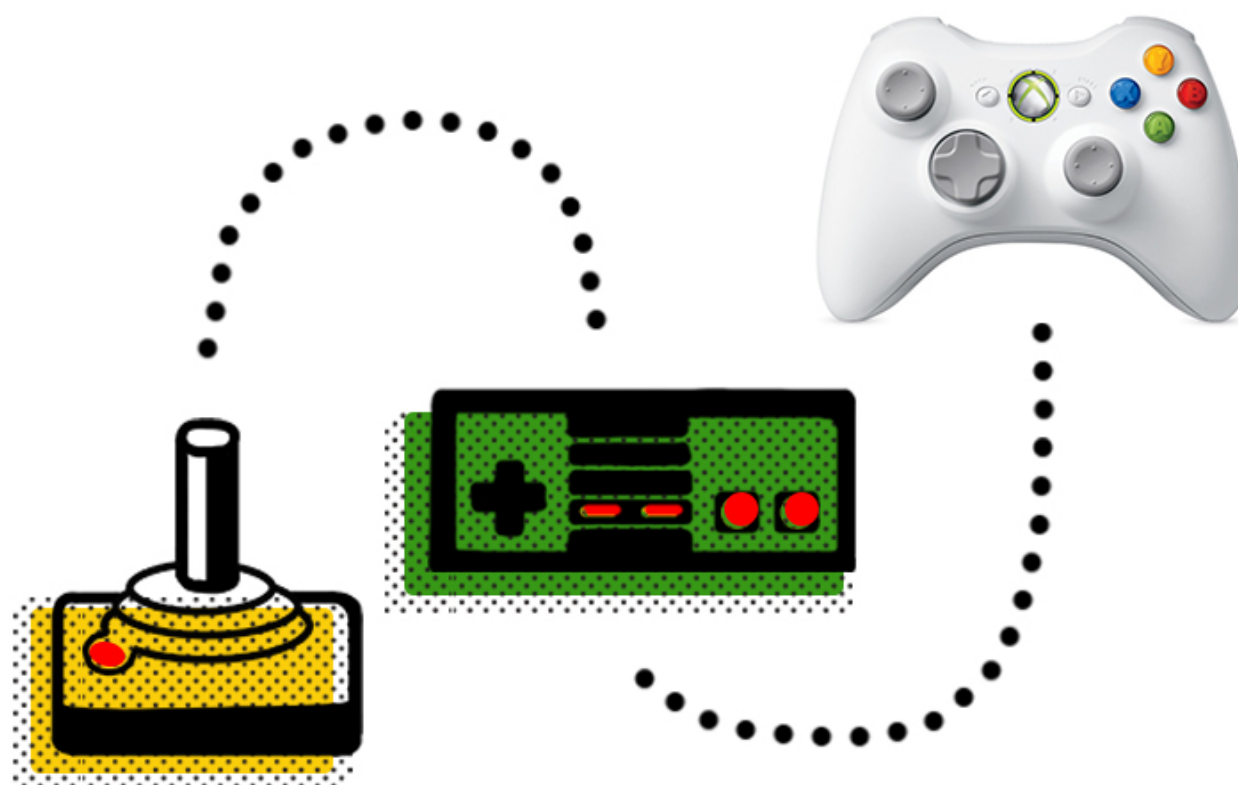
Nothing Is  
Different Until  
We Think  
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Always ON



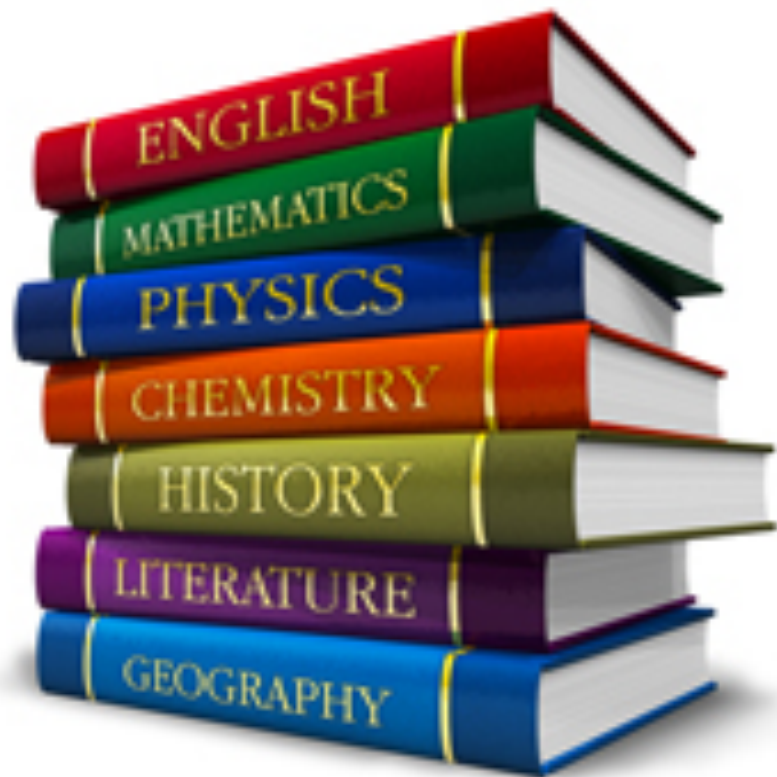














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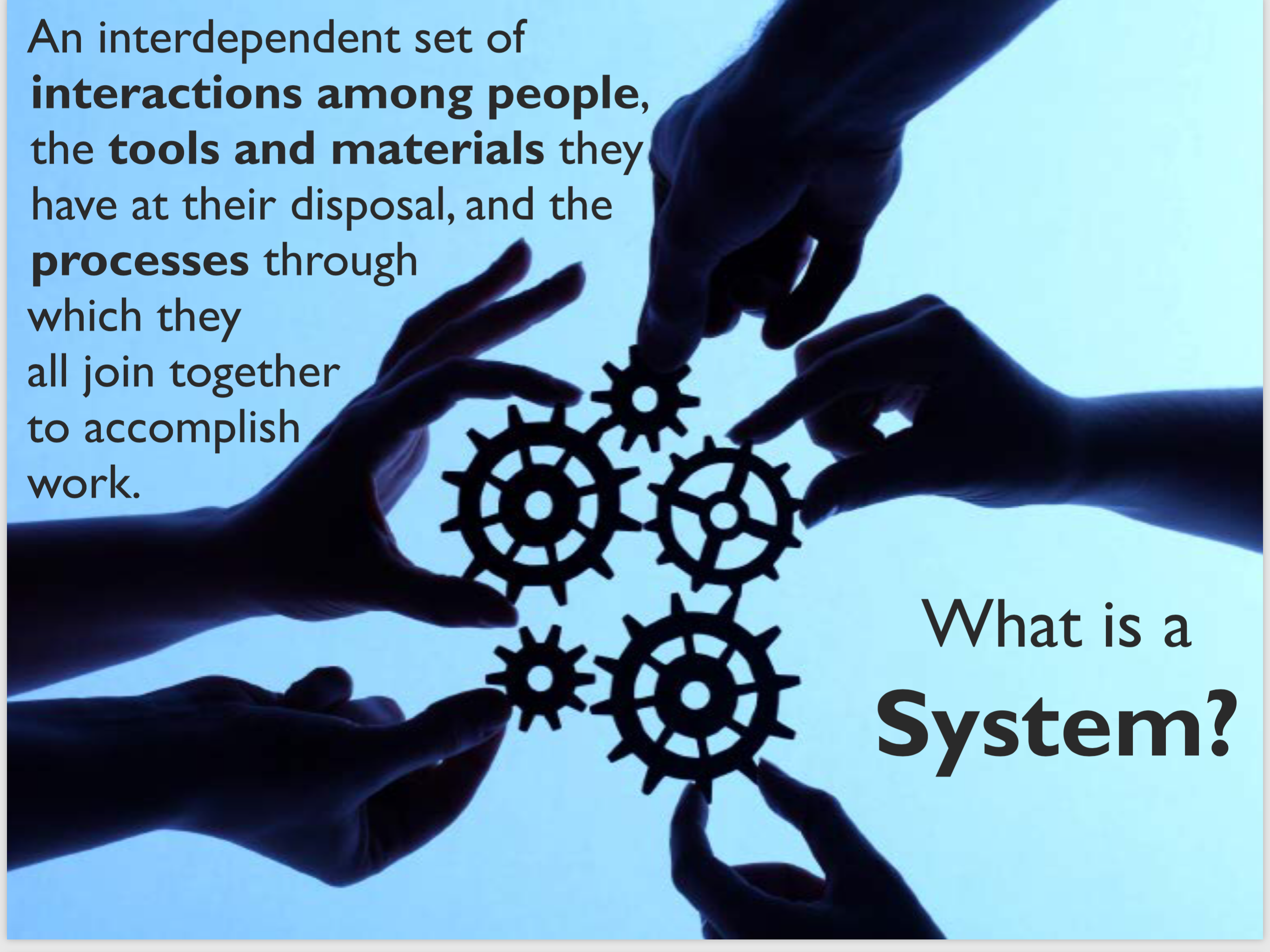


**“Every system is perfectly designed  
to achieve exactly the results it  
gets.”**

**Paul Batalden**



An interdependent set of **interactions among people**, the **tools and materials** they have at their disposal, and the **processes** through which they all join together to accomplish work.

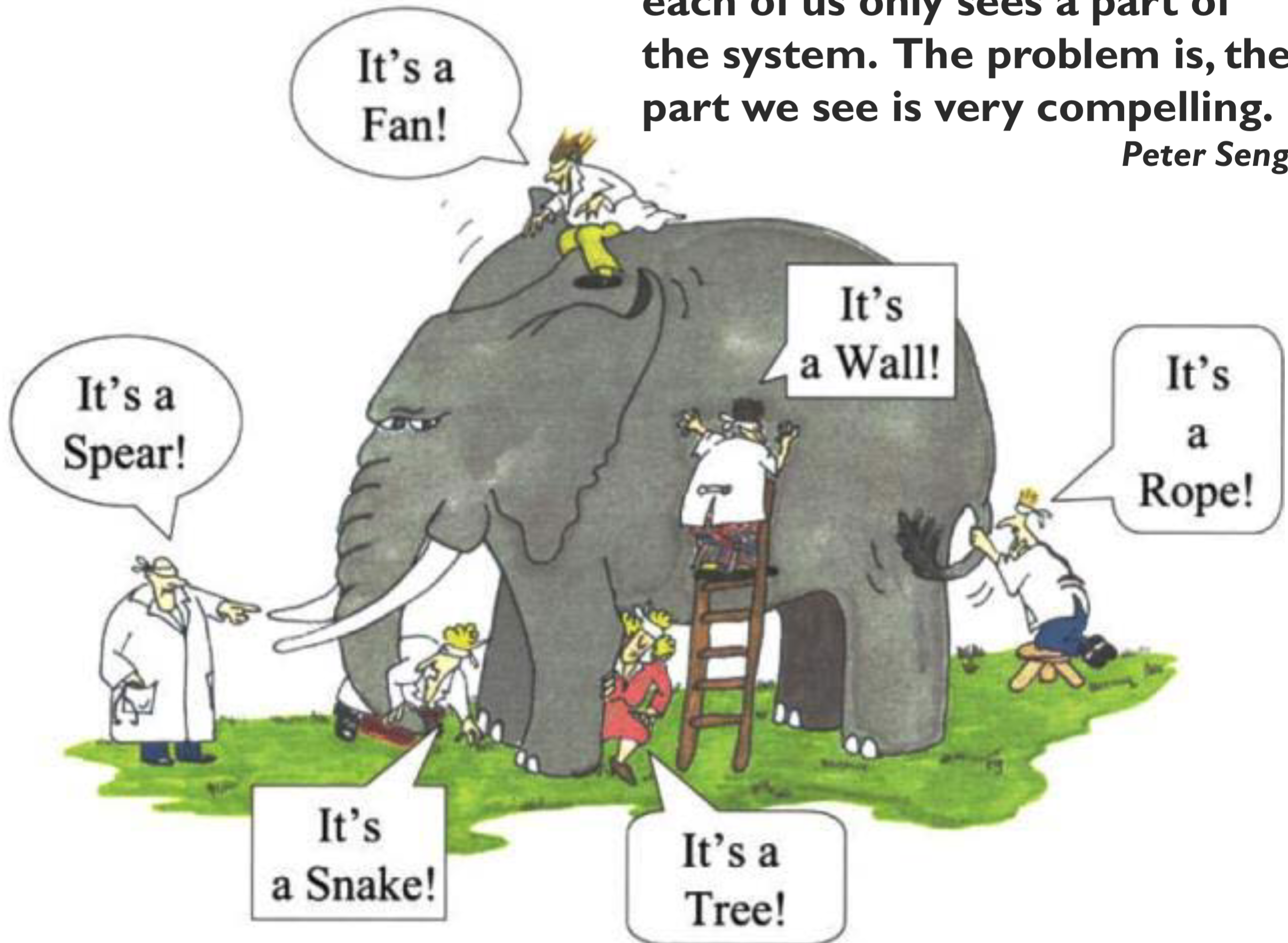
The background of the slide features a light blue gradient. Overlaid on this are several dark silhouettes of human hands reaching in from the edges, holding and interlocking a cluster of black gears of various sizes. The gears are arranged in a way that suggests a complex, interconnected mechanical system. The hands are positioned around the gears, with some fingers pointing towards them and others supporting them from below or the sides.

What is a  
**System?**



**By the very nature of systems,  
each of us only sees a part of  
the system. The problem is, the  
part we see is very compelling.**

*Peter Senge*





Aspirations

Gap

Current  
performance

***Why*** are we getting the outcomes  
we are currently getting?

***Let's go investigate.***



**STRONGHOLD**





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DIFFERENT UNTIL WE  
THINK DIFFERENTLY!!



**WHY IS IT SO HARD TO  
CHANGE MY THINKING?**

"Lays out some principles for change that might apply not only to companies but to many facets of life." —US News & World Report

# CHANGE OR DIE

Could you change when change matters most?

ALAN DEUTSCHMAN

**“If you look at people with coronary-artery bypass grafting two years later, 90% of them have not changed their lifestyles.**

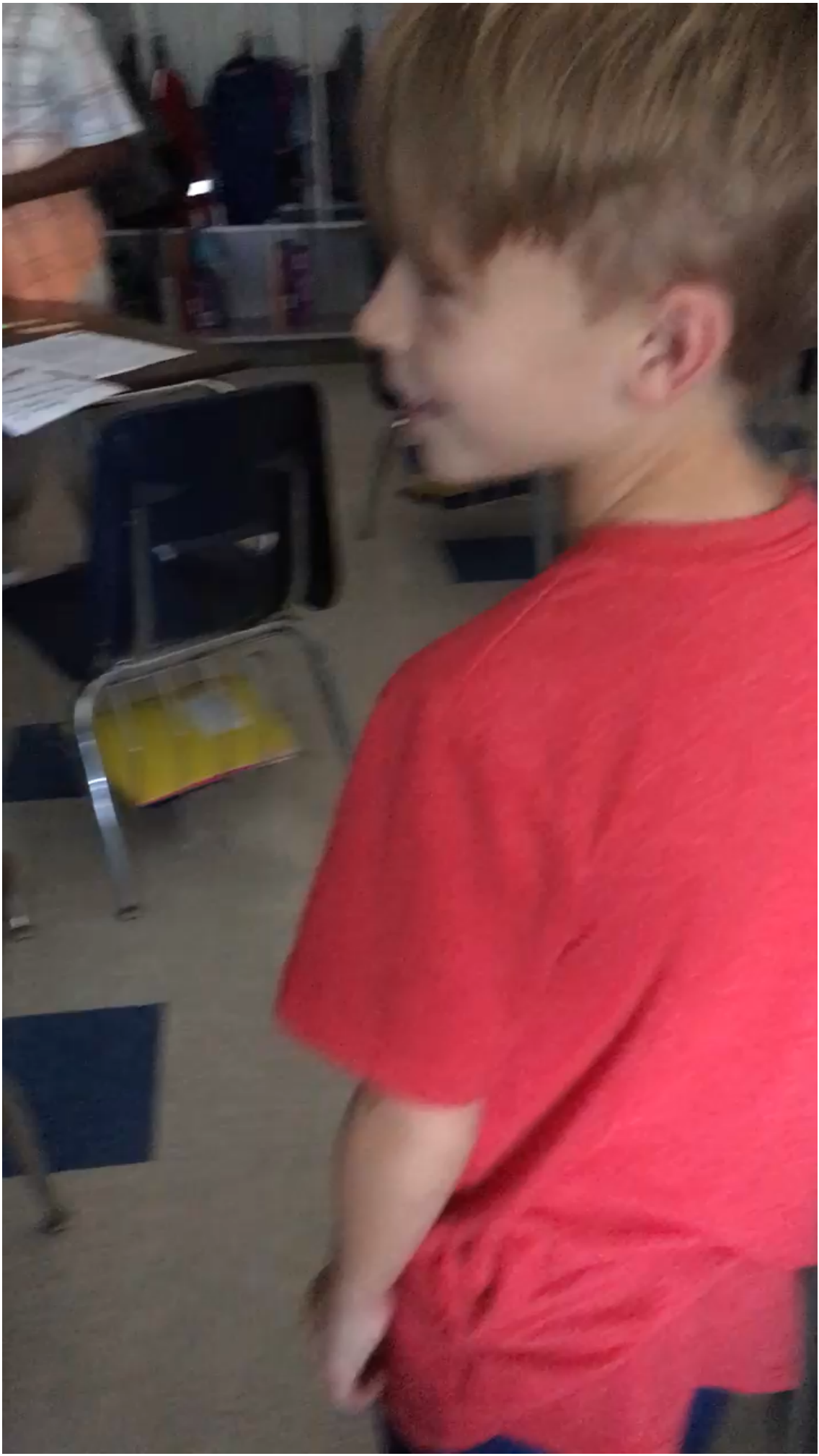




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***Somewhere, sitting in a classroom, is a kid who feels invisible; who may be considering dropping out, or something worse, but because you see him/her, in an unplanned moment, the seed is planted for that kid to one day become a catalyst for change.”***

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