







thought style

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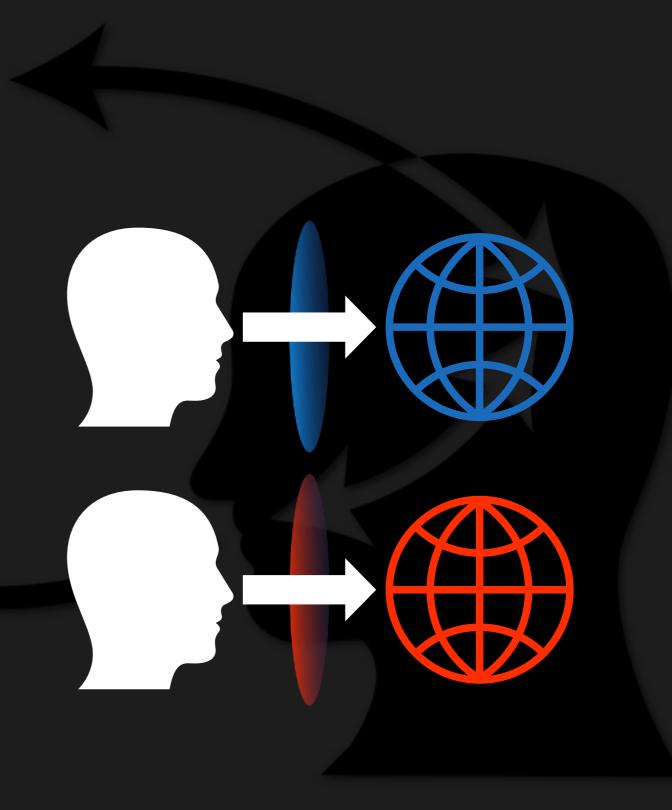






THOUGHT STYLE

- Each thought community has its own "thought style" (Denkstil)
 - A cultural framework with which members of a thought collective situate the world.
 - Most are unaware of their thought style.
 - CANNOT switch between thought styles, but you can exist in multiple thought styles if they're distant from each other.
- Fleck maintains that the greater the distance between two thought styles, the more inhibited their communication is.



THOUGHT COLLECTIVE & STYLE

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A fact is developed by and accepted as true by a thought style and thought collective.

Facts develop as a process between other facts, styles, and a collective.

They're related to other facts and embedded in wider relationships with thought styles and thought collectives.

