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IMAGINE invites a select group of Mission Board, CEO Circle and IMAGINE Leaders to **Bhutan** for the inaugural IMAGINE Frontiers. *Are you ready for a systemic reset on all levels?* Join this deep dive into conscious leadership, regenerative impact, and inner development. Rooted in the philosophy of Gross National Happiness and guided by dialogue with the **Bhutanese royal family**, **monks**, **policymakers**, local **farmers** and **craftspeople**, this immersive expedition blends reflection, cultural immersion, and hands-on contribution. We'll deepen our connection with each other, the people and nature of Bhutan, and with ourselves in ways that stay with us long after the expedition ends.

Bhutan is unlike anywhere else on earth. A country that measures its success by the wellbeing of its people and the health of its natural world. It is a place where ancient wisdom and modern ambition coexist. It's a place where forests are constitutionally protected as a gift to the world, and where the air itself invites you to think bigger and more courageously. To visit Bhutan is to encounter a society that has made a conscious choice about the kind of future it wants to build, and to be quietly challenged to ask the same of yourself.

For leaders accustomed to moving fast, this expedition asks something different. It asks you to slow down, to listen, and to feel. *What is the next frontier for my life? What does it mean to truly lead from within? How do we build organizations and systems that sustain the people and nature within them? What can one of the world's most intentional societies teach us about the responsibilities that come with influence?* And we won't only learn from Bhutan; we'll also give back by offering our expertise and opening our networks to support local leaders and communities.

Through shared IMAGINE rituals and purposeful encounters, participants step away from conventional leadership models and into a deeper practice of presence and long-term impact. You will return with a felt sense of what a different kind of leadership looks and feels like in practice and inspired by the idea that everything is possible and scalable -- including being carbon negative as a country and net positive as a society.

Over **eight** transformative days, we travel through Bhutan's sacred sites and communities, from the **monasteries of Paro** to the **valleys of Punakha**, exploring themes of wellbeing, wisdom, and Gross National Happiness, culminating in a mindful reflection on regenerative living, purposeful leadership, and the harmony between people, nature, and culture.

We arrive in **Paro** and travel to **Thimphu**, gathering for an IMAGINE opening circle, visiting the iconic **Tashi Chodzong** fortress and settling into our first evening of storytelling. From there, each day builds on the last. We cross the **Dochula pass** and arrive in **Punakha** to encounter the principles of Gross National Happiness in conversation with those who live and govern by them. As the week unfolds, we move between the contemplative and the practical. We visit **Gangtey Gompa**, take nature walks, and explore regenerative hospitality. We join local farmers on a food and agriculture in a literal 'field trip' and reflect on Bhutan' s remarkable identity as a carbon negative country. In Thimphu, we visit **Chhimi Lhakhang** and explore the vision of His Majesty the King for a Mindful City which will be a blueprint for a future where technology, nature, culture, and wellbeing coexist in harmony. We plant trees, receive wisdom from monks, visit **Rinpung Dzong**, and swap learnings at the end of each day.

The inaugural IMAGINE Frontier summits with a challenging hike to **Tiger's Nest Monastery**, one of the most sacred and breathtaking sites in the Himalayan world, followed by a closing circle and celebration dinner. We'll give farewell hugs in Paro, changed in ways that are hard to articulate and impossible to ignore.

Opportunities like this to learn from Bhutan and to give back, to deepen connections while deepening connections with other IMAGINE community members are rare and precious. The IMAGINE Frontier is open to an intimate group of 28 leaders committed to creating system's change across food and agri, hospitality, fashion, finance and more.

Contribution:

Inclusive of All The Things

£ 13,830	£ 15,560	£ 7,500
FOR THE FIRST TEN EARLY BIRDS OF A FEATHER	FOR MORE SLOWPOKE FELLOW TRAVELERS	PARTNER PRICING

Beyond Bhutan, part of your contribution will help bring in future IMAGINE Leaders who add to the diversity of our community.

Bhutan 2027 - Week Agenda

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MON 11	ARRIVAL & OPENING	Delhi → Paro; Opening Circle in Thimphu; Tashi Chodzong; Storytelling
TUE 12	CRAFT & HERITAGE	Fashion as a craft; Bhutanese festival; Living culture and traditions
WED 13	SPIRIT & NATURE	Punakha Dzong; Wangduephodrang; Gangtey Gompa; Nature walk; Regenerative hospitality
THU 14	COMMUNITY & SUSTAINABILITY	Well-being & Wisdom; Fieldtrip: Food & Agri; Giving back to the community; Carbon negative as a country
FRI 15	CITY & VISION	Sense & Sense-Making; Chhimi Lhakhang; Free time in Thimphu; Mindful City — vision of His Majesty the King
SAT 16	WISDOM & SACRED SITES	**New Buddha sacred site**; Planting trees; Well-being wisdom by the monks; Rinpung Dzong; Storytelling
SUN 17	REFLECTION & CELEBRATION	Well-being & Wisdom; **Hike to Tiger's Nest Monastery**; Closing Circle; Celebration dinner
MON 18	FAREWELL	Farewell Hugs; The end of the beginning; Paro → Delhi

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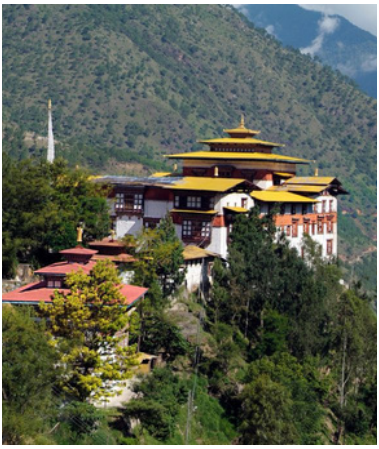

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