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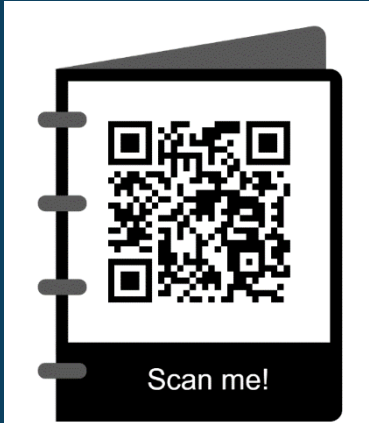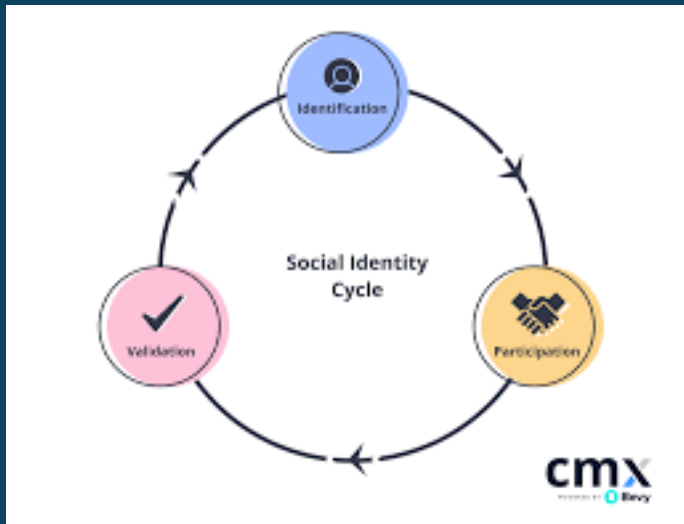
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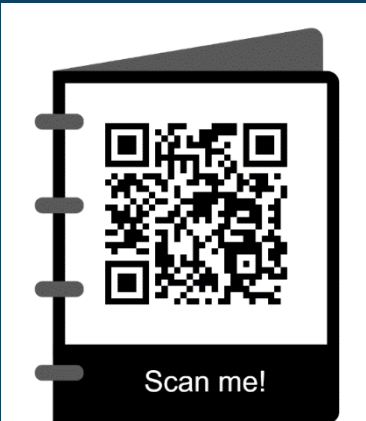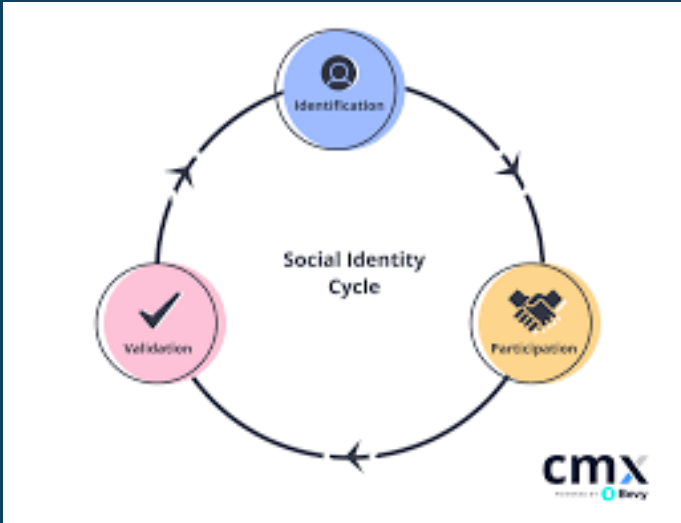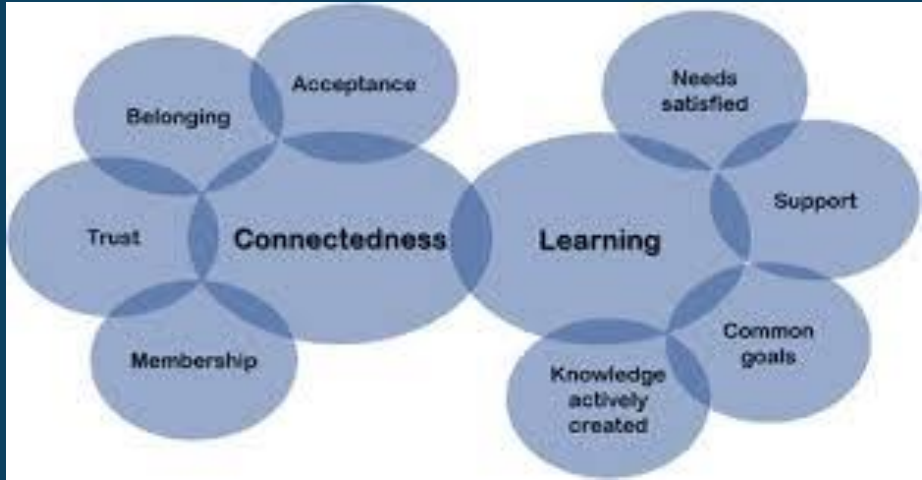## How I built my community of support

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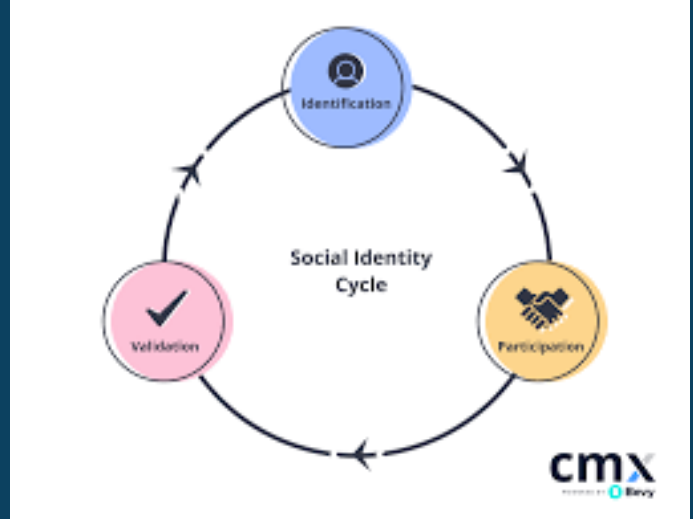❖ Communities of practice

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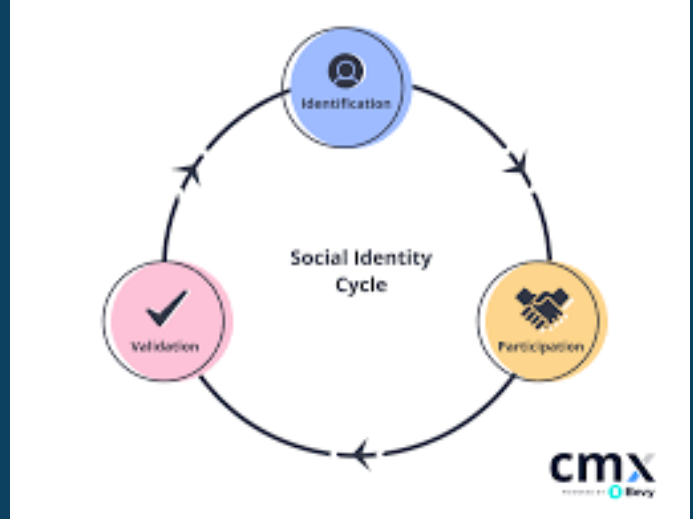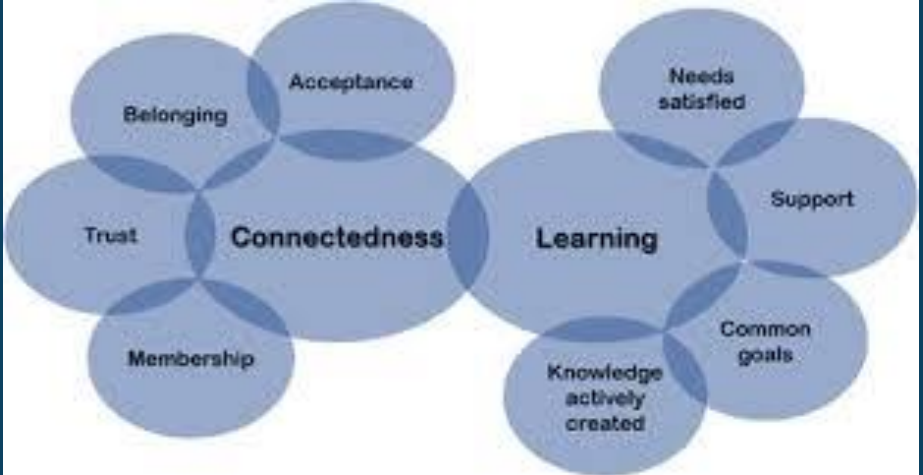## How I built my community of support

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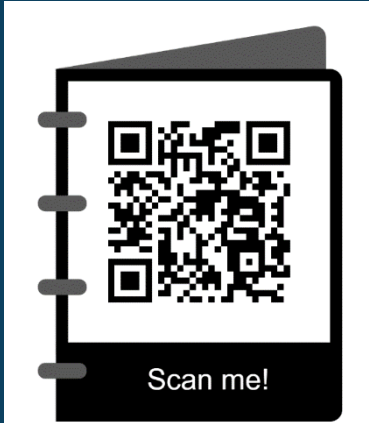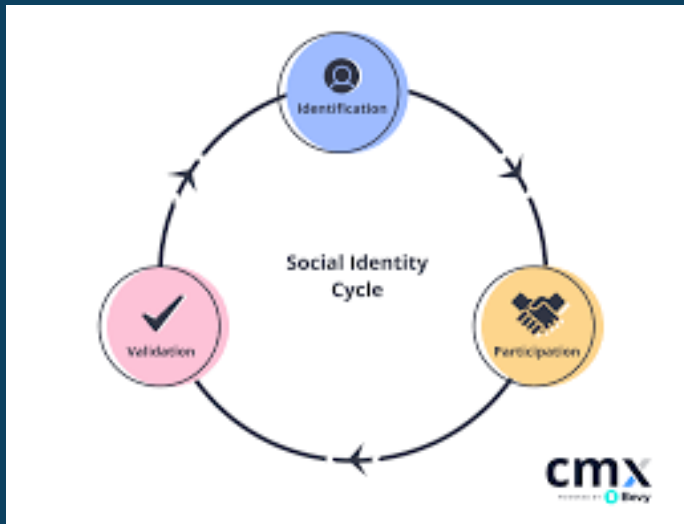## How I built my community of support

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