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Evan Taylor: Hello. Can you hear me.

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00:00:04.770 --> 00:00:06.870 Evan Taylor: I can. Fantastic.

3 00:00:07.589 --> 00:00:09.240 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Man, I have to continue

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00:00:10.469 --> 00:00:11.490 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Now I can see here

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Evan Taylor: That looks like it's a little thing that says it's recording right

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00:00:15.299 --> 00:00:16.350 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I think so.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, but I wait a minute. Yes, it is up on the top it says already seen read

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Okay. Hi, Evan.

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Evan Taylor: Hello, nice to meet you, Lynn.

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Evan Taylor: Yeah, and you know, usually I have to do a little bit of touch up with people at the beginning and be like, Oh, you're lighting is not greater. Let's look at your, your, your perfectly framing your lighting. Fantastic.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Oh good, you know, it's so funny. I'm calling you on my iPad, because I, I had a zoom meeting this morning and I had a lot of trouble with my computer.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I don't know why. So I just turned around and did my iPad works fine. And then just now. I tried to call you and there's just some kind of glitches. But as long as this is fine.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): In terms of recording

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And let me double check. I can see

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That because I can see you fine. Yeah, and it looks good but i don't know i'm i'm small down in the corner. So I don't know how I look. Other than myself, but not very helpful.

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Evan Taylor: You couldn't look slightly down a little bit. There's a lot of feeling, but the lighting is great.

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Okay.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You know, but that that is perfect is that perfect

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Okay, now what it looks like to me when I look at it, it looks like I have a tiny little head and then this gigantic scarf.

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Evan Taylor: Scarf i can i can see it from here that words.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, you know, it's a square fact that I don't know how many years ago, but I tend to wear it a lot when I'm being photographed because it always seems it seems to look good in pictures and I don't know why this particular scarf does, but

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): If you see me.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): If you ever see other pictures of me. Oftentimes the scarf will be there.

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Evan Taylor: I'll be like, oh, I know that scary.

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Yeah.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Anyway,

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Evan Taylor: Yeah, we find her things right, we always know really where that one. That's all I know, look good in it, and last minute I could only do it.

00:02:28.770 --> 00:02:29.820 Exactly.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Looks good on you. I like that shirt.

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Evan Taylor: Thank you. Well, sometimes

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Evan Taylor: Wise. Sometimes it works, and brings out the eyes. I don't know. Maybe I'm recording this big, not so much but I

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Read it. The color looks good with your just your coloring

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Thank you. Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: Yeah, I don't do I don't do good with oranges or yellows like redheads we just, we need to know, stay away from those colors.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, you know, before my hair turned platinum right white

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I couldn't wear a lot of colors. But now that my hair has and this is my natural hair color.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Okay, with a lot of people don't realize they think, you know, I had some fancy

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Evan Taylor: Well yeah it looks good.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, it's not. It's my natural hair cut. I can work anything any color.

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Evan Taylor: Where you were previously.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Not well I was for a while but not naturally

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Evan Taylor: My choice. Okay.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I had, I had ash sort of dark ash blonde.

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00:03:36.600 --> 00:03:39.150 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Okay, or light brown

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00:03:39.630 --> 00:03:40.080 Evan Taylor: Well yeah, I think.

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Evan Taylor: Even as her beautiful. I mean that's that's not most people don't get that lucky.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): No, and it was the person who does my hair. One time, she said, You know, you don't need to dye your hair. I don't think I think like the hair color underneath. It's nice.

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00:03:55.680 --> 00:03:56.700 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I said well cry.

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00:03:56.850 --> 00:03:57.330 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And this is

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00:03:58.770 --> 00:04:00.030 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Really easy

52 00:04:00.300 --> 00:04:02.160 Evan Taylor: Right. Totally.

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00:04:02.850 --> 00:04:04.530 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, so anyway.

54 00:04:05.100 --> 00:04:05.610 Evan Taylor: Well, thank you.

55 00:04:05.640 --> 00:04:12.570 Evan Taylor: Thank you so much for agreeing to doing did to do an interview Dr Gabor was very, very adamant that we make sure to include you and he was the

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Evan Taylor: Lead has been there from the beginning, you need to get her story so

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, that's true.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Aaron and I go way back. And yeah, many, many years. I've known Aaron and. And from my point of view, Aaron is still

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Not a youngster in the field that would not be fair. But, you know, still. I've been around a lot longer than Aaron even well that's I've been around longer than just about anybody who's still alive.

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Evan Taylor: And well, and this is this is part of the thing that I mean it's important to me and doing this work is that, and I tried to talk to folks about this where I said this debate oral history work is inherently an intergenerational project like

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Evan Taylor: We're going to have 20 year olds taking each other's oral histories or eight year olds doing it.

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Evan Taylor: There's always going to be an intergenerational aspect where you're talking to people who were around long before you and trying to honor that history and record it for the generally

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Evan Taylor: I'm recording your history from your generation to my generation that I'm recording it for the next generation.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And so it's it's a

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Evan Taylor: It's an inherently intergenerational matter how you look at it because we're both from different generations of, you know, trans community and allies chef and all of that and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah.

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00:05:24.510 --> 00:05:24.990 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): For serving

00:05:25.260 --> 00:05:27.030 Evan Taylor: People for many years from now, so

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00:05:27.390 --> 00:05:29.160 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, how old are you, I'm

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00:05:32.490 --> 00:05:33.930 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Good my style. I could eat.

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00:05:35.790 --> 00:05:36.210 Evan Taylor: Today,

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00:05:41.700 --> 00:05:43.260 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Remember, like

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Evan Taylor: I have to think about that for a second.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I was born in 1946 okay

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I'll be 75

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Now the reason I was laughing about it. As for a long time. I've been telling people on 74 and my husband said to me, said you're not 78

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): What you think

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Evan Taylor: He was like, what, Mac, have you been doing

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, exactly. Exactly. So, it

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Evan Taylor: Was like that.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I was born in 46 what

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Evan Taylor: That my dad was born 46 So literally, you could very much be

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00:06:17.880 --> 00:06:19.590 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Absolutely literally been

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right, what month was he born. Do you know he was

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00:06:22.620 --> 00:06:24.780 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): November. Now I'm older.

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00:06:28.020 --> 00:06:28.680 Evan Taylor: There you go.

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00:06:29.340 --> 00:06:29.730 Yeah.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah. Well, it does when you're younger, not so much. Now you you and or your dad and I are

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Evan Taylor: Yeah, you know,

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00:06:39.390 --> 00:06:40.230 Evan Taylor: Three and a half.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah yeah yeah

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Evan Taylor: Well, so this whole, this whole project. I mean, as you know, usually what we've been doing is interviewing trans folks about oral

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right.

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Evan Taylor: Um, and it was so important. I mean, that's, we started talking about it you know and and and Aaron start explaining the work you've done and I looked a little bit you know look a little up online on you and

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Evan Taylor: You know, we need to be including know people who've been we wouldn't have community if it wasn't for the people who are at our side advocating for us and doing that work.

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Evan Taylor: And certainly around, you know,

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Evan Taylor: The W path work that you've done, and so forth. So it's a bit of a different interview that I've been. I've been doing

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right.

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Evan Taylor: You know it's in some ways it's kind of easier. And one of the

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Why

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Evan Taylor: So when we're interviewing trans people. I mean, trans people get and you must you must know this. We've seen that hundred thousand times.

103 00:07:28.980 --> 00:07:29.370 Evan Taylor: But there's

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Evan Taylor: There's this narrative, right, there's this, you'd have to follow and you know so I transfer and I have to say, oh, well, you know, I've known about it since I was a child is one of my earliest memories and you know I did.

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Evan Taylor: It again and I was bullied and my parents didn't accept it and there's a sort of you know narrative. You're supposed to follow.

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Evan Taylor: Otherwise, you know,

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Evan Taylor: That people are like, Oh, you're not trans enough. Right. There's something

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You know,

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Evan Taylor: If you have to stick this narrative. And so there's also, I think, a lot of problems with that narrative because it makes us

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Evan Taylor: As a community in a very negative. You know, we've got all the harms and the barriers and all those things are true. And we're also creating an entire history that really doesn't show the the resilience and you know strengths of trans folks.

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00:08:15.570 --> 00:08:16.290 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yay.

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Evan Taylor: Thank you. Thank you. I'm glad I mean

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Evan Taylor: To be honest, yeah.

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Evan Taylor: What ended up on on

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): On board with this. Yeah, absolutely. So

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Evan Taylor: It's important for one of the focuses we're trying to get at with this with these interviews is to look at the, look at the advocacy. Look at the activism that people were doing.

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Evan Taylor: Of course, very broad. You know, when we're talking somebody as know when we're talking some of the, the folks like you know that little Conway or June patent. I mean, we're talking folks who even being out in any way at all in their generation was an enormous amount of activism.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right.

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Evan Taylor: And then we're talking clinicians like yourself, we're looking at, you know, pretty direct activism on what people were doing on behalf of

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): The community. Right.

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Evan Taylor: So it's a very broad definition but and

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Evan Taylor: That's why I'm thinking, you know, in some ways, your interviews a little bit it's it's completely different, because we're not going to be following that, you know, the trans narrative.

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Evan Taylor: We're going to do things and look at your actual work. And you know what that experience was like. And certainly, I think. And there's a lot of

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Evan Taylor: A lot of knowledge to be had for future clinicians to understand. You know what it meant to be a clinician in these in those early days and you know the kind of

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Evan Taylor: pushback that you would have gotten and the the you know the the questioning of your, your, your ethical standards in your practice and all of that stuff that I'm sure you're going to tell me some stories about

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I think now.

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Evan Taylor: For for future clinicians to know and my background is as a social worker. So I've got my IPS you

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Evan Taylor: Have some, you know, some idea I worked as a counselor for about seven years.

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Evan Taylor: And Mental Health and Addiction. So I have some idea in my mind of what I would want to know.

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Evan Taylor: And then I'm sure you have a completely different perspective that you know you're thinking about folks who are going through their clinical training now and how they are different, you know, the work the transports will be for them.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So,

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Evan Taylor: Yeah, so that's this kind of stuff. I'd like to, I'd like to look at and talk about today.

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Evan Taylor: We have a particular

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Evan Taylor: Arc that will follow. So I just like to start with talking to you about activism, and do you see yourself as an activist why

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Or why not

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Um,

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I, I guess it depends on how one would define it activism, but I have always considered myself an advocate as opposed to an activist and it may be more about what activists tend to do which is to when I think of activists, they're more out in the world.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Oftentimes,

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): upset about something.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And demanding something. I don't know if that's actually true. But I'm just talking about how it feels to me. I'm it hard clinician on the clinician.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Even though I mean I've done a tremendous amount of work in W pass my real work is one to one long term psychotherapy.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And I've been in fields. I saw my first trans woman in 1972 and have been seeing at least 20 trans people a week since then.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Some of whom I've known for 40 years. Wow. So I could say that my area of knowledge is very intimate and personal oftentimes with the same people.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): For many years, I've gotten old with some of my people. Now that's not to say they've stayed in therapy, the entire time, people come and go.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But I'm a witness to their story. So they almost always come back to me. So I in my practice. Now, I probably half the people I'm seeing people I've

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Seen in the past, right, or family members or something, people come back to me, as I said, because I've been a witness

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): A lot of times people don't come back to talk about anything hardly related to being trans. It's other life issues right that emerge because trans people are whole people and they have all kinds of things that they

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That people want to talk to their therapist about assuming they have one. I mean, if they're coming to me right and so

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That that's how I primarily see myself as a clinician, and I know many, many, many trans people, and about and I know many top either many topics I suppose I could talk about

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): As it relates to individuals and our if I think about the community, how the community is changed.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But I have always operated from a model of strengths, rather than

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I've never seen people I don't see people in a way that is looking at the negatives. Typically, I mean, there's a lot of pain, of course, people come to therapy. Usually when they're suffering around something as you know i mean you're a clinician.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But I think part of the reason I'm not as much inactive this to say, I do not. I am not comfortable with.

00:13:59.310 --> 00:14:01.380 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): The model of

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I guess I wouldn't say vulnerability, because I I'm fine with that. It's more the model of what's been bad that's happened to me.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Rate and and then and then blame on the up and blaming others there's tremendous stigma, there is. I mean, I know that. But that's not what I think about when I'm working with people.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And resilience I all the time. I mean, I even noticed the resilience

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): From my very first client.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I think that's something that drew me to the field because it came to me. I mean, I did not. I if somebody had said that that this was going to be my area of

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Specialization I I would have said, I don't even know what you're talking about, you know, that kind of thing. So, but

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I was so impressed with my first person that I worked with with resilience and persistence, I suppose, and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So at any rage. And to make a long story short, that that's basically who I am. I'm a clinician who focuses on strengths and it's not just trans people, though. I mean, I want to make it clear that's

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Evan Taylor: A strength based approach with all of your clients.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, I'm kind of my my approaches in depth long term therapy, but it's based. It's very relational and then it's focusing on yeah basic basically strengths

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Evan Taylor: And so how does I'm interested. How does the, the, this sort of strength based model that you use.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): How does that

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Evan Taylor: jive not drive with the, the, the, they you know that the medical model right where there's something wrong, we fix it. And certainly, you've been you've been involved a lot in the medical field. How have you

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Evan Taylor: How have you brought those together or not. What are the health you negotiated those two approaches.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I mean, there's, there's no conflict that

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I approach what when people come to see me. They usually come because something's bothering them right and I helped them with whatever that is utilizing their strengths

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I have met. Well, I have never seen trans people as

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Sick. Right. I mean, one of us that what I noticed in with my first client.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Is that her. She had well my first first client came to see me because she was angry. She didn't come to see me to do with it was related somewhat related to being trans, but she already had been accepted into the Stanford program. I did not need to assess her at all.

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Evan Taylor: Okay.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): They knew she knew she was, she was accepted. She has surgery date, but she had some other things going on in her life that she wanted to work on.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And it was through her that I learned about the time it was called transsexuality and transsexualism

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And she was very willing to teach me it wasn't anything like what you know the narrative. Now, we don't want to teach her

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Or therapist therapist need to learn on their own. It was a person who wanted who wanted to teach me and I wanted to learn about but but what I was an intern. I mean, I wanted to learn anything. I mean, I didn't know anything

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): It's like my first client.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): It's about yeah so so she was very open to teaching me about her life. And she just started referring all their friends to me. Okay.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So here I was this intern.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Working in an alternative mental health clinic in San Francisco, who suddenly had this onslaught of people from the trans community coming to see me.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right, I am. I was very willing, as long as well. I was

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I was very willing. Initially, I said, No, I'm not qualified. I can't do this work, because I don't know anything. But nobody else did.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And the literature was so pathology rising and it was just so different than what I was seeing in front of me.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Late that the only way to learn was from people because I couldn't learn from the literature, it wasn't. It was so inconsistent with what I was seeing. And I believe my eyes.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): More than I believe this literature.

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Evan Taylor: And what wasn't in the literature that was so profoundly out of, out of whack.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Said that it was a lot of it and there wasn't much but whatever was there.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Said that basically all trans people have personality disorders or psychotic and the treatment if the, the approach, which should be to try to treat

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): It with with psychotherapy repetitive therapy wasn't called that. But at any rate, I mean it was transsexuality was in that wasn't true of everybody.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That was the literature, but I was there from the beginning of a big de and the people in a big de did not feel that way the people in a big de

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): We're believing their clients and what clients are saying is we want medical intervention. We want hormones. We want surgery.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And and we also want therapy. I mean, people weren't saying we don't want therapy, they just were saying that what we want, though, is we want help to match at the time, and said to match our minds and our bodies and through medicine and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And the, the early founders that have been to believe people and I was one of them. I mean, I was not in the leadership. I was like a graduate student, but

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I was there and there weren't many people do patent was there right catalyst there. He was one of the early. He was an early board member. Mm hmm. When have been doing was founded. I mean, so the there was a trans man on the board right and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And the list we wrote, and I did not. But I was, I knew the people who wrote the first standards of care.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And. And then the fourth standards of care. I helped because I i was a master's level person at the time, and it was only psychiatrists who could write letters and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That in and that wasn't that wasn't helpful in terms of increasing access. So I was

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I was good friends with the author the standards of care. And so we change them to basically to include people like me.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): To be able to write letters, and that was way back in 1980 or in 1981 1980 I can't remember what it was a long time ago, though, is that the first standards of care of us like for

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Evan Taylor: Me to meet that you are you're learning about the star who was who was leadership that when you were a grad student you were kind of looking up to those folks.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Oh yeah, they were amazing such pioneering people

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Evan Taylor: Who do you, who do you remember from that. Who do you remember learning from my talking

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Paul Walker Don lab polling done norm Fisk and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Those three were the little Paul was the Paul wrote the initial standard to basically loved them. He had a team, but he was chair but i mean i watched him writer you just wrote them. You just said it was amazing.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And Don was the second President Paul was the first was the second and then there was some other people. Alex Webb, but she was more close friends with the

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Call when Paul. Paul was in Texas, and then it came to San Francisco. And when he came to San Francisco. He and I were very close I dedicated my dissertation to him when I got my doctorate, and he died in the early 90s of AIDS.

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Evan Taylor: Right.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But he was a very close friend of mine and and he was. Yeah, he was kind of my mentor.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But my clients were really my mentors, because remember we just didn't know much so I learned about an and I had so many clients. I mean, it's one of these young people who

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I started my practice and it was full.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And that was because people came to me via word of mouth. And I just want people and I had a reputation as a person who I suppose listened

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And believe people because I did.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And I trusted that people knew themselves well enough to know. I mean how gender is something so subjective.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And my job was just to help people with whatever they came in to see me it back and back then, people did not complain about, you know, having to see a therapist.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right now, that it was. I did not run into that. Back then it was

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Evan Taylor: More so that folks, we're just grateful to be able to have somebody who contents enough to listen to not judge and all that.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right. Right. Yeah, it was. That's how it felt and an answer to your earlier question about what it was like.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Being in the field. I was proud to be in the field.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And I was very open about it with my colleagues and I know they may have been talking about me behind my back, but I didn't know that. I mean, what I got from my colleagues, I always have gotten respect and people wanting to learn and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, people. I didn't. I never felt

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Criticized for doing this work now I live in San Francisco of always now San Francisco and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, it's been it's been a wonderful journey. I have been so blessed

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): What did I sell on the field.

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Evan Taylor: What do you see very differently. Now if you saw if you if you have some new clients come in. Now, what is it that they're that they're bringing to you differently than they did in the early 70s when they're sort of just happy to find somebody at all.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Oh well, mainly that I think that the Times have changed so that people

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Are more

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I don't know if they're able to be more honest but because back when, in the early days, people were more binary right and now they're not. There's a much more video agenda galaxy. The gender spectrum gender fluidity.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But I don't see that as being imposed on people and my experience as much as I mean it might be imposed in terms of the outside world, but it's not the doctors right

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): In my experience, what I do and what my colleagues do is we respond to what we hear, and I never heard years ago about non binary people I had, I had butch lesbians in my practice. Wait, but they didn't want

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Surgeries

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Mm hmm. Once in a while. Somebody want top surgery and who, but they wouldn't identify as trans, they would identify which was being in turn is about language and how people talk about themselves.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I saw some of the same

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Things.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): For example, I saw a lot of people I would talk about how I saw a lot of introverted sensation types. You mean. Yeah. Yo, yo, and modeling is. And now what we're what people are talking about us being on the spectrum.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right now it's just this this, I'm seeing the same thing. But so, but what is different. Now, of course, what's really different is people have community. Mm hmm. They have community. Now, they didn't have money or very little.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Very little community.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So people have community. And sometimes what I find very interesting and I don't know if you found this but being a clinician is there's a narrative that you hear out in the world. And then there's what you hear in your practice, and it's not the same, right.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, those are the sounds the same. And so

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): In that regard, it's not that different terms of who I see other than I see a lot more people who who use the language of non binary and and and I did hear

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): When people were calling themselves transsexuals that people were upset about that label. I didn't hear. And I was around on the label.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Or the name transgender came into being. But it's interesting how how change happens. I mean, it's a combination of what people bring in and talk about in community with their therapists, what the literature is saying what's happening in the world and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, I'm just trying to think, how's it different. How is it different. And I keep coming back with same response, people are. I see a lot more non binary people. Mm hmm.

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Evan Taylor: What is what is what is exactly the same. Like, what are some of the things that folks will complained about in the early 70s that you're still seeing still seeing that happen in the community today.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, what people, of course, talk about a stigma.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Wanting acceptance i mean the the work is the same in that people come in and have two things that if I mean aside from everything else that people deal with in life.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): One is who am I

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Gender wise, who am I and if, once I know who I am. If I don't know I mean in therapy. We help people, you know, so it's a dialogue in terms of coming to understand once identity. If one doesn't know. And okay, now that I know who I am, what am I going to do about it.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And that's the same, who am I and what am I going to do about it and people tend to have it feels to me like people have more options today about what am I going to do about it. Mm hmm. And certainly there's

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I was going to say there's less mythologizing but internalized trance phobia is, I don't know if that's change.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Mm hmm. And I see some people who have little internalized trans phobia today. Right. But I had some 30 years ago that didn't that and and I see so many people who still suffer from that I guess stigma is something that hasn't changed.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): As much as we'd like it to. And then what what are the things I don't even know. And you might know better than I do. Because everybody doesn't come to therapy. Right. I know the people who come to therapy.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Corn, you know i don't i i i know you know I obviously I know people who are trans people who are not in therapy with me.

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Evan Taylor: Right.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Or maybe you've never been to therapy. I don't know. But I'm talking about mostly my experience of people who come to see me who really want to do psychological work. Mm hmm. They're not just coming to me for assessment.

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Evan Taylor: Right, right.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I'm not, I'm not as a therapist.

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Evan Taylor: You turn off the monitor behind you. There's some flashing lights right behind you that are kind of

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Do what

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Evan Taylor: Your screensaver behind it was getting like a lot of flashing lights. It's giving us strange, strange

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Computer

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Evan Taylor: Yeah yeah just wander off, it'll be

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Turned off.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I don't know. It's not turning up. That's weird.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Okay. Oh, good. I see my coffee back there.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah. Okay. Is there anything else in terms of lighting or what

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Evan Taylor: No, no, it's just exactly find the beginning and then the screensaver turned on so

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00:31:24.750 --> 00:31:25.530 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, I

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): saw that it was the Mac screensaver of the galaxy.

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Evan Taylor: You watch this back later. You're gonna wish I'd said something

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Or somebody watches.

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Evan Taylor: You wanna make the video accessible for us.

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Evan Taylor: And so

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Evan Taylor: What you're saying, and when people come in. What I want things I'm interested in is because I, you know, go to pick your brain a little because

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: You know such a such insight into this

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Evan Taylor: Yeah, people, I mean of course some people want to talk about their, their gender, and their process and that stuff. But it sounds like there's a lot of people who are just like, I just wanted to a trans competent therapist, but I can work on my my human issues with money.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Exactly, exactly.

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Evan Taylor: What are the, what are the human issues that you see in trans communities that people come that you might see maybe more coming from trans folks, then maybe some of your other clients.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That's a good question. Yeah, my first accurate my right at the top of my head is nothing

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But I'm sure if I thought about it, and there would be things. Well, I think that people this is trans related. It's not just human in that people

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Typically, who come back. Now I don't know about others.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I still have some dysphoria.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Okay, it's not. It's a lifelong in my experience, it's a lifelong condition.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): In one way or another.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So people come back to a lot of people would come back just to talk about what it's like I want to have, again, a witness. They want to talk about what their what is like 20 years 30 years 18 years that it's just like it isn't what they thought

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right, so it's going to be. And some people say if they knew what they knew back then they wouldn't have had to do it, but they don't have any regrets.

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Evan Taylor: Right.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right, it's not regret. A lot of times what will happen is people will

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Who thought they were binary. When I first started seeing them and then they become more fluid over time. There's a lot of shifting of sexual orientation.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And coming back to talk about that. But that's, those are identity that I mean those are the kinds of identity issues that I don't see in my other people. Right.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I find it majority. Now remember, I'm in private practice. So I have a privileged people are privileged in my practice I have very successful people you

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Know I'm Barry in and as time goes on, you know, as people, you know, just kind of have human issues they come back to talk about work. Yeah, they come back to talk about the same kinds of things. Anybody has a death in the family loss.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): What do people come to therapy for. And so, but the trans community trans people will talk about dysphoria and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): An aging issues. Yeah, I see a lot of older people and but do they talking about transitions. So much as they're talking about

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Mortality issues like anybody else. Yeah, I wanted to just go on record as saying I see so many people who are pretty much like anybody else. I would say that trans people in general I this is true.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): When they come to see me the first time they typically have more insight my average person might non trans person because they've spent a lot of time reflecting

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I think you can tell I like the community.

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Evan Taylor: I have done all this work because you did so.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Now, exactly. But, you know, very psychologically oriented and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): They've done a lot of reflection and like I say, I mean, there's a there, people do want to be accepted.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So there's this conflict to that always comes up about how in this is not new. Genesis all over the literature. How do I be me.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And still fit in and the conflict about it. How important is it to fit in, because a lot. Most people want to fit in some way and then they'll start talking about that. Maybe I shouldn't try to fit in, because I'm I should honor myself being different, but that's hard. That's

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Evan Taylor: What do you see in terms of

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Evan Taylor: That trauma issues from transport. I mean, again, very, very privileged population that you see, but I imagine that they still come with with yeah

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Evan Taylor: Common form stuff.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, I think that is useful to for a clinician to have training in it and to think about

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): complex trauma that it. Oh, it's good because the

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Over time, I mean it's repetitive repetitive.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Not being seen or not being said, I tend to think more about attachment and trauma, but I think about both

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Because what I think of that in this is a lot more with

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): People who are more binary is that they haven't been seen. Growing up as themselves. Right. So there's a there's if you think in terms of self development.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): How self develops and gender itself. It comes a lot of social feedback and mirroring and if we don't get that.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You're developing an internal self and then there's the other one that the world sees right and that's kind of traumatic. I mean, if you're constantly negotiating trying to be accepted and also trying to develop an identity.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And it's not mirrored right so one could put that in a trauma model, if you want to. I typically put it in one attachment model. And when it God and psychoanalysis just identity formation.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But we never thought in terms of trauma using that kind of model until maybe the last 10 years or so it's been written about more and it

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, day in and day out. I mean having, having that experience of not being witnessed as yourself. And that's one of the reasons therapies important

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): It had can have a profound impact on how one

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Sees one. So right now, a lot of people do worry that they're

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): A lot of people actually use the word crazy, but they're not really mean crazy, crazy, but it's like, Am I crazy to think this about myself because I'm, I'm the only one who experiences it

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That's one reason that community so important in the current literature so people can find themselves in other people more so now than they could back in my earlier days when

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): When people did not have any reflection of themselves. I mean, the world is changing in a positive way. But back to your question about trauma.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): It's not the kind of trauma that soldiers have

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Evan Taylor: Right.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But it's, it's more the day to day minority stress de de today.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): My mice, but

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Evan Taylor: I had a colleague who phrased it about being it's about. It's like being kicked to death by mice.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Oh wow, say more about that.

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Evan Taylor: Yeah. Well, he was just talking about that mean a bomb blows up in your face.

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Evan Taylor: And yeah accident. Right.

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Evan Taylor: These are immediate like there's a there's a line in the sand of time and all of a sudden you're traumatized as

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Evan Taylor: Opposed to being kicked to death by my so that they could be anyone kick that did it you know you you don't feel even a single kit from a mouse.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Over and over and over. Yeah, that's good. I have to remember that.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That's right. Okay. My mice. That's true. That's not the trauma.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That trauma is like bank and it doesn't end up coming come out and then you're kicked by mice again in a different way. Right. If you're not binary so much. I mean, I see people who in the in the languages keeps changing. But we used to call it passing

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): People who pass

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Don't have the problem of kind of walking down the street and being kicked by mice, but they have the problem than being in the closet.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right, and that that's something I deal with a lot with people who come back to see me that has to do with gender. It's about being invisible.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right you know you're invisible before, but now you're invisible, you are who you are. Finally, yes, living the life that you imagined. But now it's it's secret that you're trans unless you out yourself.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And sometimes people talk about that, you know, how do you negotiate that.

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Evan Taylor: I'm wondering

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Evan Taylor: When you were talking about attachment is and

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Evan Taylor: Still face video right with the with the baby and the mom and you know this video.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I didn't hear what you said.

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Evan Taylor: I'm thinking when you're talking about attachment to it that classic video with the still faced mom and the baby.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Oh, yeah, yeah.

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00:41:55.170 --> 00:41:55.890 Evan Taylor: And what I'm thinking.

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Evan Taylor: And that's

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Perfect.

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Evan Taylor: Yeah, so when I'm thinking about attachment. That's sort of the framework. I'm using. And I'm thinking about sort of

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Evan Taylor: The with the I've never been seen. And I'm not baby kind of

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Evan Taylor: You know, I don't know what to do to be seen transition know they go for a medical transition and you know that they pass or

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Evan Taylor: Whatever, and then they're coming back to you again saying the same thing. Now I'm still not being seen. Because now my

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Evan Taylor: Screen and my history and all of who I am is only seen as this one gender.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That is not true. Right. It's all about you know what people like why would people do this, it's about authenticity. Right. And so in and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And that's a human need, so how how do, how do you be authentic, when you're actually living in the most authentic life you've ever live

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right, you still have a secret and and it just helps to talk about it. And people do deal with it in different ways.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And one way that I like this when Pete, but everybody doesn't do this and doesn't want to is if you become more of an activist yourself and you become part of Community and you have community and there's a place you can be yourself.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And everybody knows who you are and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And that's good.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And then because you're not going to wear a sign when you walk down the

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Or some people have a t shirt experts, but but i have a t shirt and i'm not i'm gender. So, but I'm where my my T shirt proudly

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Evan Taylor: Thinking that way that the community and being seen by your community, having a place in your community by doing activism, or whatever.

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Evan Taylor: Yeah retrain that attachments, because now I think I'm I am actually being mirrored by people who could see me possibly

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, it's, I mean, I don't think, I mean, and I don't think one can ever completely get over what happened in childhood. I mean, you're getting your clinician, but

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, I think that that's what what we're trying to do is

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Make sure that you, you can have the best life. You can have with your whatever you come to the come into the world with

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And I do think, like I say, I mean, I've always thought trans people, as a group, not everybody we're very resilient and very creative creative. I think try

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Again, I kind of feel funny when I say transferable this or trans people that because everybody's different. But just patterns their patents.

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Evan Taylor: Well, and certainly over time. You've got an, you know, this is part of why I think it's so important to interview with you, whether

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Evan Taylor: It's from a very intimate level.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Where you go

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Evan Taylor: I actually know these things because I've seen it over and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Over, over and over again. Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: Things change in the patterns that you know of what people come to you with in some way so

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That's

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Evan Taylor: You know, it's an important thing to to have that perspective of what do you see, you know, also as an outsider looking in, as somebody who isn't trends, you know, you can observe things perhaps about the community that that those of us who are in it are too busy.

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Evan Taylor: Negotiating within ourselves that we don't always see those things.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, I actually, I think there are advantages and disadvantages be of being sis in the community in the in the field or being trans right and we need everybody so. But yes, I think there are things that I might be able to see that I wouldn't be able to, if I were trans and in terms

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Evan Taylor: Of community and people's access to Community. I mean, obviously that's been, you know, from from 1972 to 2020 the

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): People. Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: But that's changed so much. What have been the

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Go other major changes the Internet.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right, yeah, that we didn't not. I mean, back in the day.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You probably heard a blue Solomon.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): He was amazing. I mean, I knew him well. And it's very, it's an it's written in the libraries and everything. I mean, I worked with him.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right, and so I knew him that way. But I also, I mean, I worked with him in several ways. I worked with him.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Just helping a little bit hardly at all. Aside from working with him one to one and helping him with surgeries and stuff but

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): What I watched with him.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Is he communicated with people by mail.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I mean, he founded an organization called F TM international right. I think that's the name of it back then because they may still be called that. But anyway, it was a it was for

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): FTS people all over the world, but it was in San Francisco, and he communicated by letters and he wrote all day every day. It seemed like he was constantly communicating with people and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I know through that. I mean, those people had felt some kind of community, even though it was by mail and Lou, a sort of the center of it.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And and there because, like I say, there was no no but it really changed once there was an internet and I don't know why it is but a lot of trans people are really good working with computers.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): It's like most of my people in my practice lab, of course, I'm in San Francisco.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Work in the internet and computer world, but there's so much communication.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And and it started in the very beginning. I mean, when I'm most people didn't have a clue of what was going on communicating via the Internet trans people do.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And a lot of them were in leadership roles.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): In the, in the world of computers founding companies. Again, I'm in San Francisco, but a lot of

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Talent there and this what a lot of people would say to me is because they were

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Worried about going out in the world. And we're kind of shy and they just stayed in a room and learn about computers.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But so anyway that is the big change right that change things in a positive way, even though there's a lot of stuff that you see that is like

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Where did that come from me. It's an individual's point of view, who pronounces that all people are that way. Right. You see that. But yeah, it was that your question. I mean, there was

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Evan Taylor: Some people if people have all sorts of different things, but the internet is one that that comes up where people sort of tell me this was a. This was a defining moment in the community, because it changed how we how we talk to each other.

410 00:49:07.620 --> 00:49:08.100 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: But I'm hearing from you the exact same thing. So that's interesting.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Very good. I notice what I mean what else, what do you think

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Evan Taylor: Well, I mean,

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Evan Taylor: I can only speak for 38 years I've seen

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417 00:49:23.970 --> 00:49:24.330 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Mean

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Evan Taylor: I would say things like just the the advent of being able to be trends in in my you know my generation.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: The generations before is that now being trans. You can you can be trans without hormones or surgery and it's equally as legitimate.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): As mad. Yes.

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Evan Taylor: And that's certainly wouldn't have been the case and back and let you see these early 80s, where folks were like, Well, if you're gonna do it like you need to look like it and now a lot less focus on that.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Idea that

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Evan Taylor: One can even be very binary identified without pursuing any medical transition

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Exactly, exactly.

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Evan Taylor: Possibility 20 years ago.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That is one that has really changed it has changed for me.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): In that I
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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I remember
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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Trying to help people to think that they had more options.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Whole binary but i i tell you that humanity, even though, even though the people didn't have the internet. They had their groups and getting in the Bay Area and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): People were wanted to go through a full binary transition

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And then I think what happened is because I didn't think that everybody knew I was a second wave feminist, it feels like to me that what's happening in the trans community is the same thing. I went through in this ad second wave feminists. Yes.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And that be who you are, you know, you can just be

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And we were always talking about gender expression that if you you could be a tomboy or whatever. You could be whoever you wanted to be as a girl I was a girl so I can be whatever I wanted to be.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And I didn't have to follow a certain. But anyway, so I felt the same way about trans people, but did trans people feel that way. No.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But now it's changed and why it's changed. I think it's I think it's community people talking to each other and being honest.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Being able to be honest with. And also, you know, a sort of happens slowly, but some of it seems like it's happened overnight, but it's that if you get the idea that you actually can do something

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You've had permission to do it and then you talk about it mean permission internally on the doctor's permission internally, then you talk to your friends and it just sort of the culture changes.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But you're right. That's a very, very different and I bought. I thought about that. Why

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Because I know that I didn't feel that that people needed to do a full medical transition I felt like people should just do what they wanted to do, be yourself. I mean, within reason. I mean, I know it's hard to just be yourself when you know you're going to get criticized

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Rate I

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I wish people had more options. Back then inside. I'm not talking about from the world when eternally is I'm more. I actually very interested in people's internal world.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right. And what they feel course so i i don't i don't know i mean i'm happy. I'm happy that you people can do it now, but it's it's still not easy.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You know, again, because of criticism from the outside world.

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Evan Taylor: And it certainly says something about the, the role of the medical field were early on. People were demanding, you know, demanding access to hormones Manning access to surgery that was what they wanted us to they needed

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right.

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Evan Taylor: And now we have a very different movement. I certainly see it and folks in the, you know, in their early 20s who are younger than

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Evan Taylor: Where they're saying quite the opposite. They're saying so surgery on me. I wrote that and

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Evan Taylor: Quite caught up now.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): To ya.

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Evan Taylor: Know it's always kind of playing catch up. I think in some ways to trans people's needs in that way.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Oh, interesting. I mean, I'm in the medical world so much listening to people talk about it and the people I know which are the leadership and w that everybody's on board for, you know,

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): responding to the needs of the individual patients.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, they are the the

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Evan Taylor: The ice wedge that's happening in the medical field really

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, I mean,

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Leading edge.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Who do you know Jamison green

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Evan Taylor: I do know, often, yes.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, he and I are co Chair of the ethics aspects of W path. We have a committee and ethics committee, we're doing a course on ethics and then the standards of care writing a chapter on ethics and soca. And one of the things that we grapple with.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): In in the courses is with surgeons and interdisciplinary care because it's the question of going back to when the field for started and why one of the reasons we develop standards of care is this whole surgery on demand.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And there was a very unethical surgeon who provided surgery on demand and have a lot of terrible outcomes suicide, etc. I can tell you stories about him.

464 00:55:03.060 --> 00:55:03.420 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So now what we're grappling with is the soul surgery on demand. If somebody is not surgery. And you know, when you think of ethics. There's patient autonomy, but there's also first do no harm. Right. And so if somebody for example is demented mean has dementia.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And want surgery. How do you deal with it. Right. What about somebody who has several coexisting mental health conditions say psychosis. But at any rate, there are

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Ethical issues that you deal with as you move into the field moves into

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Different types of surgeries right now. Some people want a vagina and a penis. Some people don't want the whole close up. Right. Some people have different ideas of what they want with their bodies and there's no literature.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): On whether that might be harmful over time.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And what is the surgeons obligation. I'm with. So this is what we're dealing with. I mean, I think back to when we did have surgery on demand. Right. And with people you know

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): killing themselves. Mm hmm. Between. I mean, that's all you know anecdotal, but I happen to know I went and watched the surgeon surgeon operate out of a garage or was like a backyard abortion.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Oh my goodness. I watched it within one year. I watched two surgeries one through the Stanford program and one in a garage on Lombard Street.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): In San Francisco with no blood. No, I mean just on that just in a garage. Oh, wow.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And that's what you were saying about going back to that model. I mean, that no i don't know i mean this is a money maker. Now there are surgeons who are not trained. Hmm.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So it i'm i'm very happy that I am involved in the ethics aspect of this field.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Because we, it is changing. Hmm. And when you think of

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Feminist I certainly always believe that people should be able to do with their bodies, but they want it, but I don't want to put my name on something.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I mean, there's my part.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): First do no harm. Mm hmm. And I don't have to do what the surgeon has to do more surgeon is the one who's actually helping people get the bodies that are right. Mm hmm. It's just really, it's interesting, you know, let's say, Well, what's what's ethical right

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Evan Taylor: Now that's changed a lot it. One of the things

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Evan Taylor: People are talking about now is, you know, the idea of gate keeping which

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: That that concept was certainly not a thing in the 70s right like no one talked about that they were just trying to get whatever they

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Could when they wanted. Yeah, if they could get. Yeah, it was like people really appreciated that they had access

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right and Lou is an example. You know, because back then. I don't know if you know that Lou was gay. Right. Yeah. And back then, there was a certain way a person was supposed to be.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): If they were a candidate for surgeries. Right. And if you were a trans guy.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You need to also be strict as a guy who's interested in being a lesbian before straight after and move was gay.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And he wanted surgeries and hormones and surgeries and he from my perspective, hit every right right to have it them and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So we were able to do it through.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): surgeons who were not part of a university. Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: Because he'd make sure you get that surgery, he must have worked quite closely on that.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I did, I wrote the letter. Yeah.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Okay. Yeah, no, I did.

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Evan Taylor: And so what what kind of work and you have to do that you were, you know, that you get, you know, you did you have to push in order to get them that surgery.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Know what it was. It was a small community of providers. Then, and I just knew the surgeon and he knew me. Okay. So, and, and, of course, Lou was a pretty good advocate for himself.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Eight know he was clearly you know somebody who is very active and helping people and he was known

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I i I'm pretty sure that he would have been able to get his surgery through the place that he had originally try to apply to. But it was a university.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And they have all kinds of rules and you know it's a different kind of thing. So, here, here are the guidelines and if you don't fit.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): The guidelines and you're applying to an institution with God knows how many people who make decisions or have to approve it. It's a lot harder.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Than if you've come to pay it comes to me. I'm in private practice and our refer to a surgeon in private practice who only has to decide for themselves in talking getting a letter from me and who he knew, and that's the way it works is, who it's knowing its community.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Series.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You know, it's still a small community.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): A lot of people know each other. I know you know

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Evan Taylor: I even know you know I knew your name, but I didn't know early, but I mean, it's like, I know that name is connected to Paul Walker somewhere along the way.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yes, looking

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Like us. Yeah, you probably saw. Maybe you saw my dissertation that says thank you Paul Walker. I don't know.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But I was very, very close to Paul.

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Evan Taylor: Can you tell me a little bit of those days when I went

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, I'd love to talk about that because I miss him.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): He was an amazing person. You know, I, my first memory of him was 1979 going to the conference on it was the very, it wasn't the first, but it was kind of the big first a big conference in San Diego.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And Paul is when a big to became have big data. And the first standards of care came out and Paul was the first president

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And he was this young he came across this very confident funny brilliant guy who worked with john money at Hopkins right at the time. And then he moved to move to Galveston

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And that's where he was when I met him at the conferences in San Diego, and somehow I don't know how it happened. But I, I guess, because I knew done. Wow, from Stanford. I got to know that the inner circle.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, at that conference and got the party wisdom and got to know them more and just kind of is fun, you know, drinking, I

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Can see it sitting in a bar.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Is a monkey.

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Evan Taylor: What clinicians at conferences. Yeah.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Exactly and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But anyway, he and I connected right then, you know, just more to laughing and talking and then he went back to Galveston, and like I say he was president

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And he wrote the standards and so he was his name was everywhere. What limited but limited information there was, remember we didn't have the internet. It was 1979 late, but we had, you know, he wrote articles. I mean, I didn't write articles he wrote articles and his name. He was just the

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): The person who kind of got a big to going and got the standards go

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And like I told you I watched him right. Some of the standards and he was sitting. I remember he was sitting there and you say okay, it should be one, two, and you think of, you know, a tree or whatever they call it when you do a one.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And they were only like four pages long, but he was should in in the first standards. He wrote

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I didn't see those that's what at 1979 when they came out was like when he moved, he moved to San Francisco.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And when he moved to San Francisco. He and I had been communicating and he asked. He didn't have a license okay because he had gotten he got one shortly.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But he asked if he could operate under my license. Okay, as in for however long he it took him. I think three months or something. I don't remember. Right. And I was so honored, you know, they're the ones

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Who is the head of everything being my intern kind of

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Whatever it was, you know, that I don't remember now. But he operated under my license until we got the license, but I remember feeling so honored

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And I didn't worry one bit you know that he was going to do anything that I would you know that one would worry about if somebody is working under your license.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But anyway, so. But with given that that was happening. I was spending more time with him, as I said, he moved here and then that in. That's when I watched him right

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): The standards that remember I told you that we changed it so that people like me could actually write letters, and that's what I watched him kind of redo

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): The standards and it was just, I just don't. I could never imagine being able to think like that. And imagine writing the whole standards of care. I mean, like I said, their own

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But then I think was eight pages, but to be able to think out loud, like that and say this is what's needed. This is what's needed. And this is what's needed in this

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Evan Taylor: Room with him when he was talking

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Out loud and figuring yes

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I was sitting on the floor in his office. We were in his office. I mean, it was he, he had like his

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Room, or he had a desk and everything and then he had group therapy room. OK, you are alive then. While you were live but you don't remember this, but back. We used to have therapy on the floor. People will sit on people would sit on the floor with pillows.

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Evan Taylor: Huh.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That's what people did for me it was hippy dippy you know

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And so he and I were in his group therapy room sitting on the floor and he had a pad.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And he was just talking and writing this changing the standards and I was sitting in this other woman Alex Webb was there who I had mentioned earlier. So the three of us we were supposedly writing the standards, but actually called it

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): We're helping him.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): We were held and because he if you ever look at the standards they always through one through four. They always say Paul Walker chair. Right. But anyway, he was a lot of fun and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And he had so much fun. Unfortunately, that he used to go to baptize you know I mean, nevermind. He just had a lot of fun.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right. And he in and he can contract. Today's and I remember

01:07:35.730 --> 01:07:39.570 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): When he told me he said that

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): He had the gay disease.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): It didn't have a name.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right. He has no name for HIV. It's not that it was just that it was starting that there was

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): A disease that nobody understood why. Okay. People were coming down with

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Evan Taylor: This was back in the days of that grid, right, the

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Yeah.

01:08:05.760 --> 01:08:09.240 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, I was I got married in 1982

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And he had it, then I read

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): He had it. Then he was very early.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But it didn't have me. He didn't call it anything but the gay disease right at it and then over time. He just got sicker and sicker.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And he died in the early 90s. So he had it for a long time. And by the time he died, he knew what the end name, and he was part of ward 92 which was where it was all treated people everybody in San Francisco is treated at what 92 in San Francisco General he he died with such dignity.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): He died with such dignity. I mean, he lived and live very far from me. So I used to go visit him and he always wanted.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Putting

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): His soft, you know, sweet tapioca pudding. I used to make him tapioca pudding all the time and I just go drop it off and talk to him and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And he, he was also very good friends with a woman named Judy Boston. She would be somebody if you ever want to learn about Paul

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): She was the

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Administrator of the gender dysphoria program in Palo Alto with Don lab and she was very close to done and very, very, very close to Paul. They were best friends.

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Evan Taylor: What was your last name again.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I've been Muslim VA in

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): One word and then Mazda capital M. A. R. S. T. M Judy van Muslim

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Evan Taylor: Thank you.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And and she became a therapist over time. She went and got a master's in counseling, but she was in charge of the whole what they call the Stanford program. Yeah.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And that was a very prestigious program for many, many years, and like Don was the surgeon. The main surgeon, but he had some other surgeons that he worked with

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And Don was maybe you could interview him but he's, he, I don't know if he be able to at this point. He's kind of retired and really retired. He didn't come to something I hadn't been it into a year ago because he just didn't feel like his health would allow him to

572 01:10:47.280 --> 01:10:48.630 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But he

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Was the chair.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Of plastic surgery at Stanford. So one of the things that was that happened and I noticed. And I've always noticed this about this field.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): A lot of the medical people in the field are highly competent so that they're able to do things that might not be as conventional because they are ready have such amazing reputations and like I said Don was chair of plastic surgery at Stanford. He started something called interplay

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Which was a group of plastic surgeons who traveled and set my mainly South America, working with children who had, you know, problems of their faces. And anyway, doing plastic surgery on kids. And so, there he was this very, very highly respected person who developed

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Different types of surgeries. He was well known for doing the

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): male to female surgery. We're using the intestines.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Not, not the inversion tech. Anyway, so I am just kind of talking and thinking of people to for you to interview.

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Evan Taylor: Me go back a little bit to me repeat, we

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Evan Taylor: Weren't we're talking about Paul and we got

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Done. Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: I think there's there. And I'm wondering what your experiences was, you know, we're in the, in the early 80s when the, when the AIDS epidemic just hit. I mean, that must have just decimated so much of the work that we were doing at that point.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, it didn't. Some but my

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I, I did not work as much with people who were

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): exposing themselves to HIV. That was. I mean, I knew a lot of people, particularly in the gay community, but in the trans community.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): The people I worked with, there were there were lots of sex workers, for example, who were being decimated, but that those people weren't coming to me.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): chai. The people I was working with my family were born in Silicon Valley and computer and but a lot of people who were I suppose one could say it was their good fortune, but they didn't think so. They weren't very sexual.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right, I worked with a lot of people who the dysphoria was such that they didn't want to be sexual.

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Evan Taylor: Gotcha. Okay.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So, no, my practice, was it hit my friends one practice.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Okay. And, I mean, I have some people in from the gay community died of AIDS and I had one woman who was not trying to look at it through a blood transfusion right she worked. I worked with her for a long time.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And was Paul when he finally died.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): He is, and this is really sad, I think, is that he all some all his friends died. I had died. He was one of the last ones. So when when we buried where we, I guess you could say very

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Very nice ashes in the bay there it was just me and Judy and one other woman named Millie brown and then his brother flew out from the east coast, and that was it, because everybody was dead, right, because he

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Evan Taylor: At that point he had it for 10 years and people didn't last that long at that

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Point. Now, they did not so

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, that was that was sad. What was really sad to lose, everybody. I mean, it was a terrible time

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): People so many people would just are sick and died, and there was no treatment until

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): They got treatment and now it's you know it's it's you know it's a disease, people could live with her, he ever but it wasn't like that. Then I hadn't thought about that in a while.

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Evan Taylor: Well, sorry. Sorry to bring you down a

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Evan Taylor: memory lane. But you know, it's this is this is the sort of history that as much as you know it's it's difficult to talk about, it's so important that in 100 years people are able to look at that and understand

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You know what, what people went through.

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Evan Taylor: And certainly, whether or not you know whether or not he were diagnosed with HIV or AIDS at that time or not, we still all lost people in that time and and you know that was

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Evan Taylor: That the 80s that that sort of that 10 years when at one in 91 when we look you know demographically of how many people died, you know it's it's

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): It's awful. Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: It's, it's amazing to think that nowadays you know it's you know we are our just locally here in Vancouver. Our, our HIV clinic, just shut down in the hospital because they said we don't need it anymore.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Oh, that's wonderful.

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Evan Taylor: They literally, they just said, we don't need a specialized unit for this at this point it's a chronic disease, we'll deal with it like diabetes or anything else.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, that's how people think about it.

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Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: And so I'm I want to bring this back to

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You because

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Evan Taylor: You must have seen so much more of that. Like I'm I saw through the 90s, but you must have seen that

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, so like

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Evan Taylor: What were your clients telling you about that in the 70s and 80s that you hear very differently now.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well of course there was that period with the women's music festival

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Evan Taylor: Right. Yes.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And it was. I mean, I still here. I mean, the hurt and pain of not being accepted into women's space for both

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): People who were assigned male at birth, who are no longer allowed in women's space. And for people who were assigned male at birth, who desperately want to be allowed in that space.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So there is the this I I'm trying to think if how it's changed because it varies from person to person, but the

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): A lot of trans women happened to find all the literature about they in that it's online, they know that there are, there's a group of women feminists who do not accept them.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And they know that and it hurts really hurts. Because a lot of people in my practice have want so badly. Part of what they want is to be in space, right. They want to be in women's space. They want to be accepted in space, and they are just never are because they just don't

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): act the same way they weren't socialized in a way that when at a party or something. And the women are in the kitchen or whatever. Something stereotypical, but that's the one they use a lot of times, as an example, they're just not part of that group and they feel it.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): There's something about their socialization that they are not really part of that space. They can't they just can't interact. The way that women do. Right.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And then in the what what I hear a lot from people assigned female at birth.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And I still hear it. I'm trying to think how it's changed. I mean, it just seems like it hasn't changed. And maybe I just can't delineate the different

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Generation, but what I hear is what everybody really likes women space better than male space where there is no matter who you are, if you're trans. I mean, I'm making a generalization.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And what I hear us this loss of the lesbian community is humongous people loved being part of the lesbian community there was such community and it was women space right and it was Blair and people lose people

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Lost it knows that when they transition and they're just not part of it anymore and and then now. Okay, I have an example of one couple. In my practice, look at this. It's that my client is himself is binary

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And he that he and his wife were part of the lesbian community and they

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Were I mean this, the spouse, the SIS gender person is still identify this lesbian and really really doesn't like the fact that her partner transition

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And she in part of what she doesn't like is she's lost her community because they were a couple in the community.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And she still tries to be part of it. And then she goes, they go their separate ways sometimes because my client.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): When I say my client with a trans person because that's who my client is and occasionally this fast comes in to deal with this issue.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But the spouse has such an incredible identity conflict because she's not really part of the lesbian community and it really matters to her. She wants to be my client kind of misses the camaraderie, but not really because he's a guy.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): HE WANTS TO BE BE BE MORE COMFORTABLE. He's not in any community right now. Yeah.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So I think people in the Trans World grapple a lot with the changes in community and identity and it does, it, it's, it's always evolving.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But I don't see as much in my practice. Anyway, is that much difference. It's like people are talking about the same things today. They talked about 30 years ago, I know that identity issue and being cargo.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Said language has changed right language has changed, but the feelings. I'm not sure that different

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I'd have to think about it more, because I don't think this was the 70s. This was the 80s and 90s. I remember, I have a lot of clients who I've seen

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Throughout the course that I started seeing and they come back and come back. And so it's more individuals. I think your story is fascinating. I was thinking to myself when you were talking. Do you ever talk about this publicly. This is so interesting. What

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Evan Taylor: When I was doing that, that work in counseling. I was always on the side of my desk doing that sensitivity trainings, or whatever. And one of the big things that we did was I go around and

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Evan Taylor: Throw the Vancouver shelter system and train, train folks on how to include trans people in in the homeless and addiction treatment and shelter system so

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Evan Taylor: I was doing a lot of sort of personal crystal sharing and those in those times.

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Evan Taylor: But, but, yeah, so it's an I do see that that is that that has that has changed, and in my own learning as well and learning.

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Evan Taylor: About attachment, which was, you know, my part of my own personal you know journey but also condition and starting to understand that that you know what it means to be seen and that and and I have used this phrase about about 18 times i think i

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Know,

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I know this is what I think about

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Evan Taylor: Yeah, and I'm wondering if that if, in that sense. Well in 70s. We weren't talking about attachment. Right. And like clinically, that wasn't as big of an issue as it is has been the last 15 years or so. Right, that's become much more an approach that's more common now.

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Evan Taylor: I think that that's what I'm hearing you say if I'm correct. And is that that emotional need hasn't changed. We didn't call it back maybe in the 70s.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And the same. Yeah, yeah.

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Evan Taylor: It was always about attachment. It was always about being seen. And it still is. That actually isn't changing even with a new adventure and surgeries and hormones. That's, that's not changing that needs to be seen. That's, that's the human need

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That's right, beyond right and

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Evan Taylor: It's even more difficult to be seen, then other people because it's literal change in the body and how we are literally seen in the world like

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Paris, right. That's right. It's a huge challenge.

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Evan Taylor: When you're thinking about this, not just on an individual level.

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Evan Taylor: On a on a larger community level, what is it that you would want sort of young clinicians who are starting out right now. What is it you would want them to understand about about trans community and attachment

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But I would want them to realize that as clinicians. They have a very important role because as a clinician, you're always in the position of witnessing your client.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): As an entity to raise the ID, the issue of identity formation, because what is going on with trans people when they come to a Claire a therapist. They're asking, Who am I, and then what am I going to do about it.

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Evan Taylor: Right.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And the WHO AM I part has a lot to do with being seen and being witnessed and the clinician does that

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And that's why it's so hard ultimate gender somebody. Well, I like the way you use the little rat image, you know, the clinician could be doing that all the time. I mean, the clinician has to be nimble.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And be willing to sort of go with the person's experience. This is just standard sex therapy. It's not anything that you do with trans people.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And not with other people, but to be very aware of the importance

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Of being seen, right, because what trans people do oftentimes is if they're not, if they haven't transitioned yet they're practicing in front of a mirror.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You know, they take pictures of themselves and carry it around, because you're trying to get that image internalized that nobody else will witness. So as a clinician. That's your job.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And that's what I've learned. I mean, I, that's why I think my practice built up so fast in the 70s. So I did that because I believe people right

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And then what I did is I would imagine in my own mind and I still do this. I mean, how does this person see themselves. And then I try to mirror that

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): As best I can, you know, I mean I it's a it's kind of a challenge. If somebody is asking if how how they're coming across and their experience of themselves isn't what my experience of them is right, and how to word that and how to be very

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Kind of

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Kindness Goes a long way.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But

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01:49:43.200 --> 01:49:44.250 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I would also

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Mention to young clinicians that to be very careful of your own biases.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Because this can edition, if you will, or this experience life experience is one is individual

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And two people have very strong feelings about it, including clinicians and your clients do too.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So it's, it's, you need to be very careful about not imposing a narrative which we talked about that's out there on to the person because what you're trying to do is get to the truth.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Of that person's experience. And then the truth about how best to live with it because people can have a very, very gender dysphoria and not do anything about it out.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): If that's what they want. Right. So you have to be discussing and thinking about what is best for this person at this time because it can change.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): People evolve and change over time. Very much so. As the transfer sexual orientation is, you know, the bouncing ball. I don't know what's gonna let

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): This oppose, things like that. And then in terms of the community is community is very, very important.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): For some people, there are a lot of introverts who don't really want that much community, but you need to talk about it. But also, again, to be very cautious of the narrative in anyone community.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, you worked in the addiction field and you know how in a there are the book thumpers or whatever they're called. I don't even know the name, but it's like this is the way it is. The lady. Yes, I see that in the Transworld

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): This is the way it is. And you should live your life this way, you have to be. That's my therapy so important.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yes, if you that that because in your service office, you get to be you.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You don't have to worry about what other people are thinking, whether it's YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO BE A SISTER ACT LIKE assistant or person or you're supposed to act like of whatever a trans person is but you're supposed to act my version of a transfers and that's it. Yes.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, I

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Don't know.

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Evan Taylor: What I was asking for

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Evan Taylor: That segment. At some point, someone's going to go into the archives, pull it out and he's gonna be showing it and I, you know, one on one site class for sure like

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, okay.

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01:52:28.530 --> 01:52:29.850 Evan Taylor: So a couple of other questions I have

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I'm wondering, okay,

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Evan Taylor: This is a bit of a, it's a bit of a cliche, but I know that it's true. We know it's true. And they go, they always say rate you learn more from your clients, then they learned from you.

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Evan Taylor: Oh yeah, what is, what are they, what are the top lessons that you're trans clients have taught you over the years.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, I think.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): How flexible human beings are now how can how

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I mentioned it earlier how creative

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Set resilience and creativity.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I've really learned so much about

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): The real resilience, I suppose, of the human spirit. Something about the human spirit. I typically come home.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Husband would laugh with this I come home every day say, I just love my people.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I say that almost every day.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Because I mean, that sounds. I mean, maybe it sounds odd, but it's that I

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I am, this is a little weird. I'm a mom. I'm a mom. I'm just so proud of people

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I'm proud. I'm proud and I don't want, I don't know if that comes across strange, but it's how I feel. It's like, hi.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I just admiring of what people deal with and how and how they come up with ways to deal with it in a healthy way how people

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): How people want to be healthy. I mean, I suppose, I can be working with any population and feel this because I think this is

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Just part of the joy of being a clinician right it's again it's witnessing maybe have learned a little bit to stay out of the way of other people's growth.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You know just what let follow them. Follow. Follow, follow the direction that people and going, you know, you don't impose it keep coming up with a not imposing here so fun to what

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): No, I'm not being very

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I don't even know what the word is clear.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Can you feedback, what you heard me say

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: Hearing so far is the there is the the idea first just, you know, don't, don't impose on people what you think it should be and be

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Evan Taylor: What I'm hearing you to use this word, but I think you're talking about a consciousness of the types of biases that we may

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Evan Taylor: You know, we may put onto clients if we are not consciously aware of them ourselves and where we learn them an able to sort of put that on the shelf in order to focus in on what this person is telling me and what

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Evan Taylor: I'm also hearing that that piece of witnessing that I think it's so important to around, you know, it's not necessarily even a hand holding and it's being next to being aligned with being beside people

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right.

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Evan Taylor: You're going through. So they it's, you know,

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Evan Taylor: Like, like, I think that the footprints.

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Evan Taylor: In the sand right you know

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That's it.

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Evan Taylor: Right there.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): In the sand, that's

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That's absolutely it. Yes. Well, that's part of it. It's that it's but I liked what you said, because I absolutely agree with it is witnessing and being besides

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You're being beside them on their journey that and they're not alone.

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Evan Taylor: Mm hmm.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): They're not alone. And they if they know they're not alone. What they can accomplish is you know what they can do is what I come home and I say, I am so proud. What I see me because I am but and that's a feeling that I have, even though it sounds

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Evan Taylor: I like that idea of the pride because

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Evan Taylor: What I'm imagining. Again, this is the lens and looking through that thinking about that still face video again and

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Evan Taylor: Yes moment where the babies kind of freaking out or whatever. And then the mom goes back and and you can you can almost see the relief on the mobile space to she gets to smile. The baby again. Right.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yes, she has

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): She's

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Got some bad for her.

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Evan Taylor: And then the second that she does. I think what I I think there is pride.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): In her is

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Evan Taylor: When the end relaxes and response and giggles

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Evan Taylor: Oh, thank goodness, I was able to witness. I could I, I did the right thing. I was able to get my like my babies connected with me to the miles back the mum is actually quite proud of herself.

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Evan Taylor: Right yeah baby because she sees. Look at you. You did it. You came back to me. You saw me. I don't have to do a smile at you.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): For a

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Evan Taylor: reason I'm bringing it back to that it's because I'm thinking again to what you're saying about you know how trans people are so often not seen and what it means to sit across from a therapist who is seeing it and she was able to be proud of your accomplishments and he can

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Say,

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Evan Taylor: To go home at the end of day. I'm just so proud of my people.

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Evan Taylor: That I tried that, that mom has in her baby like look

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): how it feels. Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: That's what I think there's there's

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Evan Taylor: It. I didn't quite profound actually like even, you know, in 20 years people be looking at this and being like, that is, you know that that's the early parts of what we understood about attachment even right now.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And then you're

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Evan Taylor: Providing that ability for people to heal themselves.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right.

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Evan Taylor: In that moment, and they can see you and you're proud of them. And they know that you're proud.

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Of them, they can see

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Evan Taylor: I'll start going back and forth that that that that resonance, I think, is what allows people to heal from all of the time, you know, from all from all the myself in the world right

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And then they go

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Evan Taylor: Therapy room and they can experience something quite different.

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Evan Taylor: And so I absolutely

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Much better than I did.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Thank you.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yes, that's what I was trying to say I'm going to use that with the mice and the baby you know that that still baby that that video. I mean, it's so so accurate.

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Evan Taylor: Isn't it

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And and what happens in therapy is, you know, people do regress. I mean, they are little people when they come in, you know, the feelings that they're dealing with. I mean, are just

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): There and they have the opportunity to be really safe and that's what people talk about they feel very safe with me. Mm hmm. Feel very safe. And then, and that's why i one of the things when I hear the narrative that clients don't tell the truth to the therapists. Yes, they do.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I mean, if you've been working with somebody for a long time, they tell the truth. Hmm. And that's for healing. If you're trans because you're not supposed to be whatever it is you create exactly so.

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Evan Taylor: And I've also heard. I mean this is just just just my own personal interests. I don't think we know any of this stuff, you know biologically yet but

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Evan Taylor: I think as as trans people, we have this idea. We talked about this, where when you start hormones, you do go through sort of some sort of second puberty. Right.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Oh, yeah. Yeah, absolutely. I agree.

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Evan Taylor: And I think in doing this, that people very much regress and and they they go back to their childhoods. They go back to a certain

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Absolutely, yeah.

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Evan Taylor: And then, you know, I heard some some a trans guy talk with this years ago at a conference and I don't know what I don't think there's a neurobiologist but he was he was a doctor, like he was, you know, a scientist.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And

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Evan Taylor: And he said, you know, you have to think they're their brain receptors and your brain receptors are used to to one hormonal bath and now you're giving them another hormonal bath.

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Evan Taylor: Right, all that processing that you have to do in your, you know, late, late childhood already got adolescents and teenagers, you

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Have to redo it again.

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Evan Taylor: So,

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Evan Taylor: You're gonna get a 12 year old again and you're gonna, you know,

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Yes.

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Evan Taylor: The Trans trans folks are going to be like obsessed with like Batman or something. Right. And then the trans trans feminine folks can be wanting to princesses and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And I know

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Evan Taylor: Yeah, childhood stuff and then also go through the harder part two, which is the teenage years where you know your moods are are different. You know how you, how you react to emotions is different. And now you have to basically retrain your entire brain to do that as an adult.

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Evan Taylor: And that's very

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Evan Taylor: Awkward. Sometimes if you're 30 4050

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): It sure is. And what I tell people is that just keep in mind.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That you're

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But you're also 34

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Exactly. So you have both and you are used to actually having both experiences because you're used to in your life you've had this experience internal experience right this moment. But the point being is that you're not just 12 also 34 keep that in mind, particularly if you are on testosterone.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That you you can't just want to, you can't have sex with anything that moves.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right now you might want to. That was what somebody told me I was anything that moves. That's what I'm

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Evan Taylor: Told that didn't happen for me it's like

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Evan Taylor: No one thing I was like, Come on.

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Evan Taylor: Every you know that's that's the thing. Everybody's different. You have to sort of figure out what your

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Evan Taylor: You know what your development needs right and what what what are the missing parts from your adolescence that you're now going to have to go back and redo yeah you know in a new new hormonal

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Hormones right

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Let the reason I was asking you if you

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Talk about your story. I was thinking that you and maybe you have done or doing this but you should teach

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Evan Taylor: I'm hoping to

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, you should teach me teach me obviously about lots of things, but the the life experience that you have this evolution that's continuing to evolve.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Coupled with the clinical knowledge that you have as a as a clinician and interviewer because of the same skills and a lot of ways, I think would be very interesting for others.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Both so Sam trans and think you'd be very good at it. Thank you.

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Evan Taylor: Thank you so much. I take that from somebody with that with your just wealth of experience.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, that's true.

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Evan Taylor: Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: Very much take that to heart. Thank you, kind of

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Hear what I'm

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Evan Taylor: Hoping and you know move from the postdoc into I, you know, I'd like to do now be a professor at some point, and we'll see what the the academic job market has in store for me but

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Oh yeah, what do you want to work at the University with Aaron is that your focus to stay there or do you want to

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Evan Taylor: get so lucky enough to be doing that already right now and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: It's just a, it's a short term funded position as opposed to

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Evan Taylor: A you know a

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Evan Taylor: Bunch of dead air so

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Evan Taylor: That's what I'm hoping for. We'll see what what happens but but exactly this is exactly what I'd like to, to, to talk with folks about him to to teach and research about

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Evan Taylor: Because I think it's, it's certainly in my lifetime, it's the, it's the next frontier of human rights that we haven't fully dealt with, I don't think, as a society,

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Evan Taylor: And it certainly as an academic and you know it's it's a frontier of academic work that is remarkably not well taken up right the the academic world really understand gender is quite binary and a lot of ways.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Exactly so.

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Evan Taylor: Move these things through and certainly for myself. My interest is in is is mostly an unhealthy so

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Evan Taylor: I'd like to look at, you know, overall, how do we, you know, how do people experience healthcare systems or whether it's bright know certainly in Canada. It's mostly, you know, public systems and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): How people experience those that

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Evan Taylor: Care. What is it you know like back to my PhD research. What does it mean for a trans man with breast cancer to be sitting in the waiting room of the surgical clinic at the Women's Hospital while everyone else looks at this guy is like, what is he doing where

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Is he doing here.

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Evan Taylor: And then are asking him, so he's going through this

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Evan Taylor: Horrible disruptive surgery to anybody at any time in life right to have cancer and have to have in the second is is difficult matter who you are.

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Evan Taylor: And so here you are in one of those difficult moments of life having other people point and look at you being like, what, what are you doing here, you know, it's exponentially worse, right. I'm

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Evan Taylor: Talking to add up to the breast cancer clinic and we're probably told you're in the wrong place, sir.

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Evan Taylor: Rejection from the medical system, how we organize our medical system around binary genders, that isn't serving trans people, even the secondary trans people aren't getting well served by

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Evan Taylor: Maybe organized system. And so, you know, for me, that would be that would be a life that would be my life's work right to start looking at how do we start to unpack

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Evan Taylor: The how the healthcare system is designed in order to actually continue to reapply the inequities of health that are experienced by women.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): By trans people, etc. So

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That would be, I would think that there would be a that people would be very interested in that because the health care system.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Is of such interest these days because it's not working. Mm hmm. And that and there's so many changes going on in terms of gender and there is an interest and there's such an interest. These days in trance hell.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, yeah. They just did because providers need to know much, much, much more. And you don't

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And I don't know about Canada, but is there funding. I mean, I just don't know her, the kind of work that you want to do. Yeah, I know. And I don't know anything about it and I stayed there for that matter, but it sounds very interesting. Your work.

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Evan Taylor: When my, my focus is on is on academia, as opposed to being within the healthcare system where you're subject to the politics that change every four years and where the funding is whereas as an academic

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Evan Taylor: You get to do your work and you got to focus on those on your on your passion that way. So that's, that's my, my hope is to to get a research and teaching position that I can

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Continue to do this job. Well, I wish you well on it. When does this job and

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Evan Taylor: This is actually at the end of February. We're done.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And then you don't have a job.

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Evan Taylor: No, not, not after that.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well,

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Evan Taylor: I mean that I'm not that the shuffle right now of applying for postdocs and jobs and seeing whatever rises to the top. And, you know, you take what you can get for the first couple of years that you're a new trainee, and then hopefully

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Evan Taylor: The right position shows up and you know you compliment the staff and the department. Can you get to get that that good tenure track position. But, you know, there's still that shuffle. In the meantime, of all the jobs and postdocs that you're applying for. So

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, I wish you well it sounds like we're kind of getting winding down or

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Evan Taylor: I feel like that.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Or do you have one more question of one of those

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, I'm fine. I

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Feel that I asked everybody

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Evan Taylor: And, you know, for a lot of folks, yourself included it's it's somewhat pretty mature age wise, but it's still, I think, an important record to have. So it's the legacy question of, you know, if, if you got hit by a bus tomorrow right or hopefully not and you get to continue working, you know,

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Evan Taylor: With her. But at some point, you won't be around. And so what what legacy. Would you like to leave.

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Evan Taylor: You know, clinical personal healing community what otherwise, whatever. But what is it that in 100 years from now when folks are

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Evan Taylor: You know, listening and watching this, what would you, what would you like them to know or understand about you, what would be that legacy you'd want to mark them to the to hear

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Well,

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I think for me.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, I don't, you probably don't know this, but I look at it, it's right in front of me.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I got this. It's from W pass. It's, I got it last time, I don't know, it's the, it's the, it's the lifetime Distinguished Service Award

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): For your significant contribution to have big to W past and Transgender Health over the course of your career. Now, let me see.

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Evan Taylor: A little bit farther back

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There we go.

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Evan Taylor: And bit closer we get to get rid the glare is I'll actually take a screenshot of this at some point, if I can even angle it a bit.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I actually, I can't see it. So this one.

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Evan Taylor: Perfect. Okay. You had it for a second. That's great. I'll be able to get that screenshot, for sure.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Okay, um,

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I think the legacy though for others to hear that it is possible to live one stream, um,

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): It's possible to live because I have I, when I was four years old and I gave a talk when I got this award. I gave it talk. So this is fresh in my mind.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I had because I thought back to my whole life. The art of my life. And when I was very young. I, I learned about Schweitzer, who was a doctor who worked in Africa and also he was in the in literature in the humanities and things like that. And I wanted to be like him.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): From a very early age. I wanted to be a doctor who helped people globally. He that was my dream. And I've gotten to do it.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And it's been and what I've done is I've just always I've always had kind of that image in my mind of wanting to be able to help people, but as a doctor. I mean, it turned out a psycho psycho therapist, not a physician for in my case, but an image and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I have had ideas about how to do that.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And I've been fortunate enough to work with people. My people in realizing some of those dreams, starting from an early age.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That I just would have an idea and at be at the right place at the right time. And then we could with other people. We could do it together and past three years.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I coach her something called the Global Education Initiative for w paths and I get to travel. Now I just came back from Vietnam.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Training people i get i get to train because I'm at an age now that I want to pass it on. I want to pass on what I know.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And unfortunately I'm in a situation to my organization W path that I get to do that. And then the other part is that of course the one to one of impacting an individual's life over time in such a way that they

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Say that their life is better as a result of working with me. So it's that legacy again of helping people. So that's it it's both bigger, you know, sort of,

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): An idea that I work with a team, but then I go back to the one to one.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I don't know.

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Evan Taylor: Something else I want to make sure that I'm getting from you because you've done this work for so long.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): It.

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Evan Taylor: has kept you what has sustained you

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Evan Taylor: And what is it that has kept you motivated. You know what, what is, what is the why. And then what is the sustainability.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): OK, so the

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Why do I keep doing it is the people you know people that it said it. I feel like that the work that I'm doing with people matters to them.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Now it goes back to that dream that I had is a very little girl and I get to do that every day. Right, but not weekends, but me.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And then what was the other question, why do I keep doing it.

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Evan Taylor: So many people burn out of this work, especially in the helping professions so many people burn out what it what is sustained you all this time.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, I don't think that one could say that I don't burn out.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I mean, I get tired. I get tired.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I just been very fortunate that I found a career that is consistent with who I am.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You know, I mean a lot of people don't get to do the work that they want to do. Right. But if you get to

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Then there's no reason to stop, you know, because you're enjoying it. I am going to be, I mean, I imagine. I'm going to be cutting back my husband retired.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Two years ago. Okay. And so I don't want to, I want to make sure that there's time left, just to play right with him, but he's busy. He's got a lot of things he's doing even though he's retired and I still like my work. But I don't know how much longer. I'll be able to travel.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And and also you know yeah it's tiring and i and i am 73

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): What

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Evan Taylor: Not 74 yet.

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02:15:01.590 --> 02:15:03.000 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, I know.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So yeah, it's, it's nothing profound. It's just I love my work and and oh, and the kind of work I do is the kind of work, one can do until you just can't work anymore.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I just go sit in an office and listen to people as long as I have my mind and my heart. You know, because you don't need to be strong, physically, you know, there are a lot of jobs that you when you get older, you just can't do but therapy isn't one of them.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, absolutely. So you're 38 you know you can continue. It's like academics to I suppose you can stay in academia and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, yeah, I'm sure you've got a nice future. I'm sure you've got you already have the dream. You have the research you have interest and you've done a dissertation on it. You're doing it and you're doing something right now that is

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You know, it's sort of a segue.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): segue from your dissertation. It's kind of consistent and it's the kind of you're interested in things that are developmental you're interested in arcs of time trans health, of course, is just growing leaps and bounds. I mean, there's got to be work for you. As long as you're flexible.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And I don't I don't I don't know what the, I mean, I have no idea what the situation where you live.

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Evan Taylor: Clean

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Evan Taylor: Just even possibility that you know that I that the topic of my dissertation. The fact that I'm able to as a social worker be, you know, seen as a clinician as a health care provider.

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Evan Taylor: Out various, you know, and particularly, you know, the focus on on transgender issues, it's it's really based in. Absolutely. The, the work that folks like you have done over the years to establish this as a actual field of practice as a

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): You know,

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Evan Taylor: A social health field. So the fact that trans healthcare is is a priority that there are standards of care at all that you know that are

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Evan Taylor: Now have multiple reiteration of them, all of that is any you know that's what they they say about academics right now. None of us actually has any original ideas we're really just standing on the on the shoulders of other

02:17:23.940 --> 02:17:25.530 Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Times. I agree.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Absolutely.

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Evan Taylor: Very much like that when I'm talking to you right now where I'm like, well,

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Evan Taylor: These the giants. I'm talking about, you know, so

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Oh, thank you.

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Evan Taylor: Absolutely not, you know, no. No. Just no question name and so clear on that for myself that this is one of those people right right now in this moment that I'm speaking to who has made the career that I want and even

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Evan Taylor: even possible to dream nevermind actually have as a reality.

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Evan Taylor: So I'm, I'm so grateful for the work that you've done over the years, not just, you know, not just for my community of trans people, but also

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Evan Taylor: For my community as as a healthcare provider and researcher that that this is an actual, you know, field with standards of care that is legitimized as credible.

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Evan Taylor: And that folks have put their work on the line for many years to make people have respect for this community and for the you know the needs of the community. So I couldn't be more grateful for the work that you've done, and I'll

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Evan Taylor: I'll remember this conversation for the rest of my life as

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well,

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Evan Taylor: As things that I I've been lucky enough to be able to build on on Sunday is a career of incredible work over lifetime.

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Evan Taylor: Thank you. Thank you so much. Lynn. Um, is there anything we didn't talk about that. You want to make sure we've got covered for the record here. Well, I still got the recording on

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, what I know not, for the record, so much is that I wanted to make sure that we talked a little bit about Aaron okay because I haven't seen her in a long time. And what I want you to make sure you say hi.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): To Eric for me and also just live, how's he doing. I mean, this doesn't have to be a recorded baby or doesn't necessarily want this record.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): This part of my conversation. I just wanted to check in what

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Evan Taylor: Everyone asked me about them at some point in the interviews, it's

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Totally normal.

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Evan Taylor: He's everything is going. Fantastic. We've got the the movement transistor forward conference coming up in April, so he has been very busy.

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Evan Taylor: But he looks great seems great seems like everything's going fantastic and

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Evan Taylor: Again, I didn't even meet him until I started doing then. So I started doing the postdoc and

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Evan Taylor: Nice for me to get to talk to him about that. Just know hearing about him over the years because he was

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Evan Taylor: That in the early 2000s, like I i didn't know trans people with a job like I didn't

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Know when yeah yeah

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Evan Taylor: To see this person like this trans guy like who was

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: And studies and like had been for you. It was it was it was wonderful for me to be able to look up to him in that way.

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Evan Taylor: He was one of those sort of first people that I looked at and went okay there's a future like

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): For me,

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Evan Taylor: Like I want and he was that sort of first person for me. And so I've talked to him in a couple other a couple of other folks and and Judah. Certainly one of them as well.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And weird early

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Evan Taylor: Early folks that I remember.

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Evan Taylor: Going down into the, the very deep, deep that the lowest level of the university library like right down the belly and go all the way to the back.

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Evan Taylor: And then down on this one shelf way over in the corner there was one shelf some books about trans stuff.

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Evan Taylor: And I remember going down there and there were certain people that you know that I remember seeing on covers of those books or who'd written the books or whatever that I now get into to talk to and to interview.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Oh wow, that's great.

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Evan Taylor: For me and and Aaron has no has been a great support along with Elspeth brown in Toronto is our as the person sort of heading up the project and she's been completely supportive of this work and it's been one me to be able to come

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): To talk to everybody.

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Evan Taylor: In

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Evan Taylor: my early 20s.

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Evan Taylor: And and now I get to interview them and not only interview them. But there's a sense of I, I have a very, very real sense of obligation in preserving people's their dignity, preserving their stories with ways

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): In which

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Evan Taylor: You can look back at this and say those folks were pioneers, you know,

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Evan Taylor: And respected for the pioneering work that all of the folks I'm getting to interview have absolutely done, which is very different than, you know, just recorded interview instantly on YouTube called me today. Right. All of these are going to

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Evan Taylor: Be for ever and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That's true. I mean, you know, that's a big responsibility, big response. And who are you interviewing who have how many people

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Evan Taylor: It depends. I still going right to the end of end of February. And so we're hoping for about 30 but I think it'll be closer to around 2025

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Evan Taylor: But we're interviewing only folks who either like yourself, where it's sort of profound allies doing this work for a long time.

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Evan Taylor: We transition basically in 2000 or before. And so we're trying to get the history of folks are doing activism before the internet, you know, we all know what the internet did and how it changed.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yes. Yes. What did we do back

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Then when we just kind of have people and let it run

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Little right

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Evan Taylor: Yeah, all these like people some told the story about how people will go to the local library and they go to the File index right and then go to the lake where the T was and then they would slip in a card with a number on it. Right.

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Evan Taylor: Like a phone number that you could phone if you are needing support around trends.

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Evan Taylor: And then somebody will be sitting in a phone booth for one hour.

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Evan Taylor: A week right and Thursdays right between six and seven, eight sit there and answer the calls that people and then they make sure they were kind of real and meet up with them, and no one person in a coffee shop and then

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Evan Taylor: Take them out to a support group somewhere and just all of the ways that people have to be so creative about getting

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah yeah yeah

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Evan Taylor: We've got what they say right necessity breeds creativity.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah. Well, it was that that story. You know, when you say that I do remember. I remember how people and they still are, but it's not as hard

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): would do anything for somebody else in the community and I have people regularly asked me, which say when am I needed anywhere.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Is there something I can do. Can I help another person. Well, I want. Yeah. That's very true. There was tremendous, tremendous ability and desire to give of oneself to others in the community.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And that and that's another thing that kept me going. And when you say what keeps you going is when you see that kind of love that people have for strangers in a way that you're part of my community, and I will. I want to help you. Yes. Yes. Yeah. It's very, it's

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Very inspiring.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I think I have had a lot of my life I've been inspired you know just seeing what people what people do to be themselves, you know. Yeah.

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Evan Taylor: Well, I think it goes back to exactly what you said. Very beginning about just the human spirit.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Like just human spirit.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So anyway, before we quit. Who else would be who are maybe you'll send me the list is interested in who the pioneers are. See if I know them.

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Evan Taylor: Will send us because some of them. I can talk about. And some of them are embargo in the interview. So I'm not able to say that

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I forgot I have to assign those things.

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Evan Taylor: If you could please

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah yeah no I have them here. I'll do it. I mean, I had to send it off to my son who's a comment. He said contracts expert. That's what he does.

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Evan Taylor: Well, I'm interested in feedback on it because

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): It was fine. He just said, it's fine.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): But he said fine, there's much somebody trying to call me now, or maybe call you. I don't know what came up

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, I can send you what he said it was one sentence he said it's absolutely fine. And as long as you want to do it, you know.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): This contract is fine.

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Evan Taylor: Well, we have to get ethics approval.

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Evan Taylor: From both the University of Toronto and the university so that we can use their libraries to to archive everything

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, I wondered about the visual the instead of just audio because I don't know, I can't see what it looks like. I mean, I just see this little tiny thing, but I don't want to

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Evan Taylor: See, you'll have it.

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Evan Taylor: And okay, you're looking at me like, oh, I made a funny face right and like that.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Right now.

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Evan Taylor: Those things out. I can make a mountain, we can do that. We can do the editing before it's archived

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Well, what I want you to do, I'll just say this is when you go through and edit because I it's long.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Is if you see a funny face or you see something where I look really strange if you if you are looking at me see God that woman.

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Evan Taylor: I'll tell you that hasn't happened yet. The closest was the was the screensaver. And I think we talked with

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Okay.

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Evan Taylor: If you have a, what I do is I'll take a screenshot from the video. That'll be sort of like your headshot that will put with it.

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Evan Taylor: Oh yeah right you prefer you can send that to me as well. And then, you know, we can use that instead. It doesn't matter. We

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Evan Taylor: Again though my focus is I want folks to be very, very comfortable with how how things are being used. You know, there's. I'm not going to you know make there's gonna be no weird, funny pictures of people's faces like it really is about honoring people and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): And this is

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Evan Taylor: It's a historical project. So, you know, it does us no good if we just have to

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Find that that's one picture on the front.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): So Fraser

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Evan Taylor: Just see you know actually even edit the front on the front of the videos so that usually what you see is me going.

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Evan Taylor: And then smiling going oh hello

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I'll be interested in what you come up with

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Evan Taylor: Well, how did you take out or what you see is important. What

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Evan Taylor: I'll send you the link to our

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Evan Taylor: The digital collaboratory that's kind of that's hosting the project.

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Evan Taylor: And every now and again there's like every week or two. There's a little announcement will say like, Oh, we just did an interview with someone. So, or whatever. So you can sort of see the ones that are public as they happen and

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): We're hoping

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Evan Taylor: I don't know promises, but there was some hope that there'd be a bit of a launch event at some point on the funding, we have to wait and see if you get another round of funding, of course, but if

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): We do.

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Evan Taylor: There was some hope of doing a bit of a launch event where we would invite folks who've done interviews either come join us, or to Skype in

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Evan Taylor: With each other as well so

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, that sounds fun. I hope you get the money.

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Evan Taylor: Definitely, definitely.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, you can touch.

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Evan Taylor: I'll definitely send you the copy of this for your records and so that you know you can have a quick review. If you need to take a look, or whatever.

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Evan Taylor: And and then i think it's i don't think they're going to be archives right away. And our hope is that we'll get some decent transcripts done and maybe some professional editing on them. But again, we'll see what funding goes

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Evan Taylor: At that time, but definitely not to worry your dignity, we will be preserved.

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Evan Taylor: Know off your nose.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Was a pleasure.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): I really enjoyed. I enjoyed it. I

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Evan Taylor: thoroughly enjoyed myself. It was nice. It was nice sounds a bit again a different part of the interview. So it was nice just to the I felt like a as much like collegial consultation is anything else.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): That's what it felt like to me. So make sure you leave yourself in, you know, the part where you talked about yourself and all of that. I want that as part of my legacy

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Evan Taylor: Definitely

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Evan Taylor: Definitely. Okay. The week read it together. So thank you.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Yeah, okay.

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Okay.

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Evan Taylor: Have a great day.

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Lin's 3rd iPad (2): Bye bye.