What is a Long Table discussion? It's an experimental public forum conceived by performance artist and activist Lois Weaver. It's inspired by the construct of a dinner party. It's a non-hierarchical invitation to partake in communal discussion. The Long Table format invites the public to engage in conversations with a sense of playful informality.

All Good Things Must Begin will include a Long Table discussion after intermission. There will be 12 seats at the table. As an audience member, you are invited to have a seat at the table if you wish to engage in active conversation. You're also welcome to witness the discussion unfold from the comfort of the audience. People are invited to come and go from the table in order to encourage a multiplicity of perspectives. We welcome you to enjoy the free flow of ideas, the community gathering and the sense of possibility that can come from this kind of collective energy.



Photo by Katy Whitt from 2019's Long Table Discussion in Motel Theatre for Lighting the Way