

GROWING PROSPERITY

LIBRO PROFESSOR IN REGIONAL ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT IN SOUTHWESTERN ONTARIO

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road map

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about me

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**“Here was the least common denominator of nature, the
skeleton requirements simply of land and sky”**

Mitchell (1947)



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our new realities

- » creative destruction
- » emergence of the region
- » opportunity for multi-community collaborations

Libro professorship



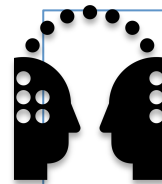
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