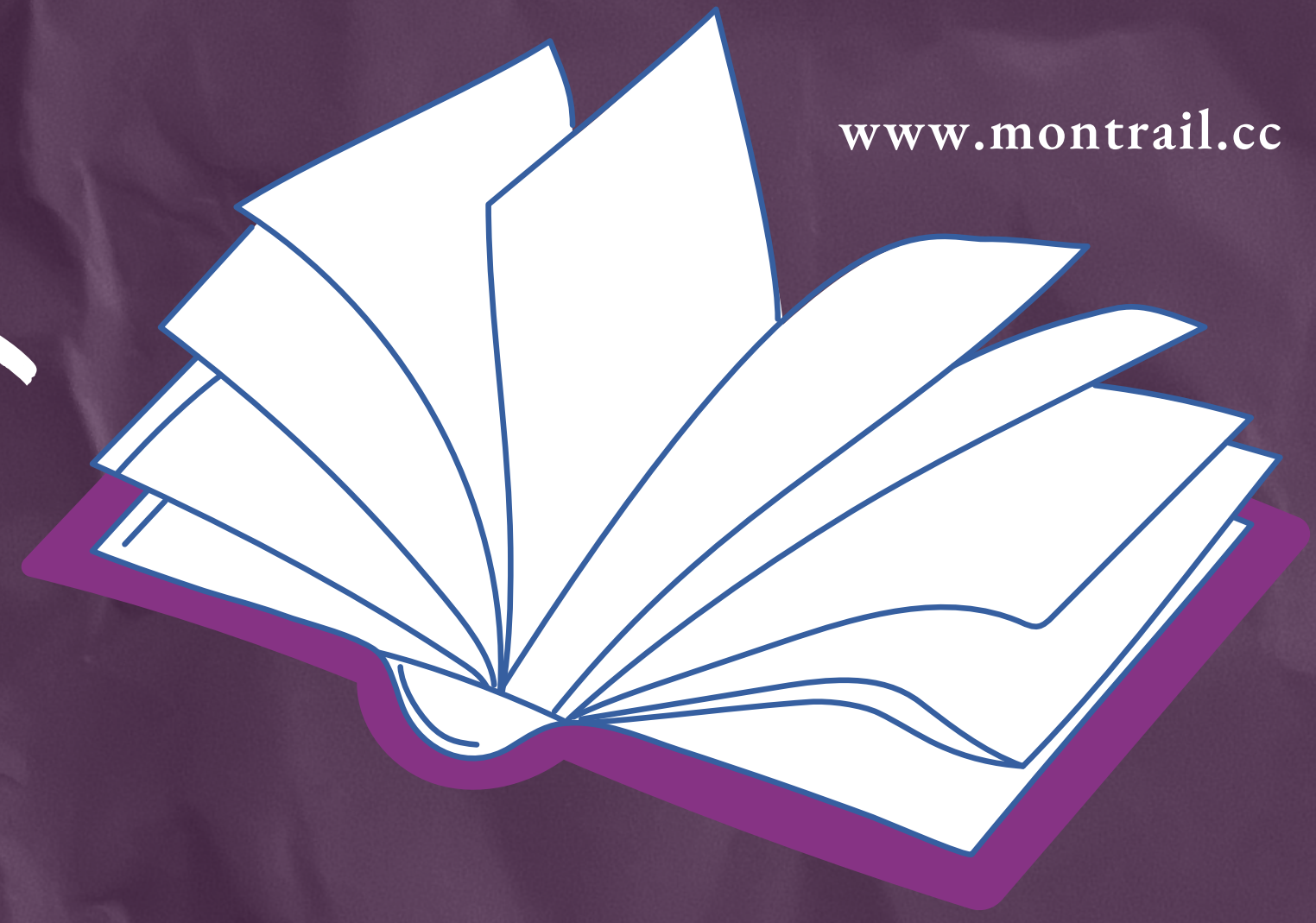


ORIGINALS

LEADERSHIP ICONS



ICONS is a MonTrail original series that shines a light on transformative African political leaders. These remarkable individuals undertook missions greater than themselves, driven by the goal of creating lasting positive change. They dedicated their lives to resolving pressing issues and transforming hopelessness into a future full of promise for their communities and the continent as a whole. Their legacy and positive contributions continue to inspire and challenge us all.



SCAN ME



“ Any people that oppresses other people is neither civilised nor Christian. ”

From Ghana to Algeria, his name is uttered with reverence and respect. If fearlessness was a person, it would undoubtedly bear the name, Patrice Emery Lumumba.
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The agony inflicted on many was the foundation upon which the elite of the time built their empires; a system in which the value of human life was measured only against what it could yield in power and wealth.
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!!! PATRICE EMERY LUMUMBA



FACTS

- Born on July 2, 1925, in Onalua, Belgian Congo (now the Democratic Republic of the Congo).
- Worked as a post office clerk and later as a journalist.
- Co-founded the Mouvement National Congolais (MNC).
- Became the first Prime Minister of the DRC at the age of 35.

TRAITS/SKILLS

- Bravery
- Bias For Action
- Studiosness
- Courage
- Determination
- Articulateness
- Decisiveness
- Principled
- Integrity
- Purpose-driven

IMPACT

- Worked towards the unification of the diverse ethnic and political groups within the Congo.
- Played a key role in Congo's rapid attainment of independence and in raising awareness about the struggles of colonial exploitation in Africa.

LEGACY

- Lumumba is a revered symbol of resistance for the African independence movement.
- His ideals and sacrifice continue to inspire political leaders and revolutionary movements across Africa and the world.