Today, our world is changing faster than ever, which calls for profound societal transitions. This offers opportunities for creative reorientation and engaging with new economic thinking.

In a Transition Collaboratory, Commons Network facilitates a space in which your organization dives into specific transition questions.

We offer tools and methods that allow your organization to better relate to the major challenges of our time. In recent years, Commons Network has set up Transition Collaboratories with various organizations, including ministries, provinces, municipalities, knowledge institutions, NGOs and community groups.

In a Transition Collaboratory, your organization can:

- Become acquainted with new economic thinking and practices
- Experiment with innovative practices and organizational models
- Learn from inspiring thinkers and practitioners from around the world.
- Develop a transition path and future proof strategy for your organisation
In a Transition Collaboratory, Commons Network uses a four-step approach:

**STEP 1:**
**QUESTION ARTICULATION AND INSPIRATION**

We identify transition questions that are prevalent within your organization or field. Through inspiration sessions and interactive workshops, we take you into the economy of the future.

**STEP 2:**
**KNOWLEDGE SHARING & SITUATED RESEARCH**

We dive deeper into the new thinking and doing. We conduct situated research based on the challenges and opportunities identified in step 1. In this step we also facilitate knowledge exchange with other pioneering organizations and actors from our international network.

**STEP 3:**
**CO-CREATION AND DESIGN**

We organize dialogue sessions, hackathons and workshops around the transition themes your organization is interested in. Based on the insights from Step 2, we dive into a co-creation and design process.

**STEP 4:**
**TOWARDS A FUTUREPROOF STRATEGY**

Together, we arrive at transition paths and new ways of working. This can be an action plan or a proof of concept, but also a transition hub to make your organizational strategy futureproof.
Commons Network has deep knowledge of several domains crucial to systems change around which it has developed tools and strategies. These include:

**Our expertise**

Commons Network is committed to systems change, rooted in new economic thinking. Systems change involves several transitions, including:

- **FROM**
  - public-private
  - individual
  - extractive
  - endless growth

- **TO**
  - public-collective partnerships
  - community-centered
  - regenerative practices
  - a thriving society

The commons, cooperatives and the democratic local economy

A feminist perspective on work and care

Climate justice and post-growth thinking

The digital transition and digital commons