



Five years for systems change

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2021

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Why collaboratio helvetica



Agenda 2030





collaboratio helvetica in 2021

Since 2017, we have been working every day to bring people together to build the culture, capacity, and resources to co-create the Switzerland we want to live in. On the occasion of the 5th anniversary of collaboratio helvetica, we look back not only on another year of intensive work for more ecological responsibility, humanity and the common good in Switzerland, but also across the years.

2021 was again marked by the Corona pandemic. In view of this and other global crises, we cannot afford a further division of society. Collective action is needed more than ever. Nineteen [changemakers](#) from all over Switzerland completed the second edition of the Catalyst Lab in summer 2021. This has resulted in cross-topic, cross-generational and cross-disciplinary collaborations that support Switzerland in implementing the SDGs of the Agenda 2030. The [third edition of the Catalyst Lab](#) started in autumn with [22 participants](#), including two teams. To date more than fifty participants of the Catalyst Labs carry forward a sense of internal power and agency that defies the intimidation and exclusion of 'small actors' imposed by our society.

In five years we worked with more than 100 organisations, advised governmental and non-governmental actors, designed, and facilitated conferences and workshops and, in cooperation with different universities, we are now working on how to integrate approaches, methods and tools for social innovation into the curricula of students. Almost 700 people are currently active on our online collaboration platform today. In various [speeches, panels, presentations and lectures](#), members of the collaboratio helvetica community presented their vision of a regenerative and socially just Switzerland. And the [media](#)'s interest in our work is also steadily increasing - not only at a national but also at an international level. With [Caroline Rennie](#) and [Kathrin Amacker](#), who joined our board in 2021, and our current members [Michael Gerber](#), [Florence Tercier](#) and [Pius Leutenegger](#) we can count on the support of a very experienced [board](#). What we have achieved in the past five years fills us with gratitude and awe.

We are excited to celebrate our fifth anniversary and to look back, reflect on our learnings and implement our new strategy. But even more than that, we want to use this anniversary to thank all those who accompany, motivate, and support us - and to invite all the others to join our community. Let us co-create the Switzerland we want to live in!



About us

The challenges of our time require new forms of collaboration and a holistic way of thinking. Switzerland has a long tradition of collaboration and dialogue across language barriers and religious divides. Collaboratio helvetica believes in Switzerland's unique potential to leverage participatory approaches and collaboration to contribute to a change towards more ecological responsibility, humanity and the common good. The organisation catalyses the societal transformation of Switzerland by cultivating a cross-sectoral innovation ecosystem, building capacity for systems change and convening stakeholders around the complex challenges addressed in the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Collaboratio helvetica empowers committed people and organisations to shift deeply ingrained attitudes and mindsets, conduct dialogues more effectively, implement new forms of collaboration and thus collectively imagine and shape the Switzerland of tomorrow.

Testimonial

“With joy and passion, I am part of the collaboratio helvetica journey. We change the world only by doing and this starts with everyone, doing things in a new way and making decisions differently than before. We need meaningful businesses, agile innovations, and human transformations for a good future of the world. To be in service of the Switzerland we want to live in resonates very well for me.”

Kathrin Amacker - Member of the Steward Council at collaboratio helvetica, Board Member of University of Basel and former Member of the Swiss Parliament





What drives us

Collaboratio helvetica was founded in early 2017, with the vision to catalyse systems change towards the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in Switzerland. At the core of collaboratio helvetica’s work is the activation of an ecosystem of individuals and organisations that leverages cross-sector collaboration. Since then, we tested our assumptions, ran countless experiments and gained crucial insights around how social innovation towards this vision could be realised and what this Work takes. We constantly improved our strategy and sharpened our mission over the years.

Our vision

Our vision is a Switzerland where the values of ecological responsibility, humanity and the common good are guiding individual and collective action.

Our mission

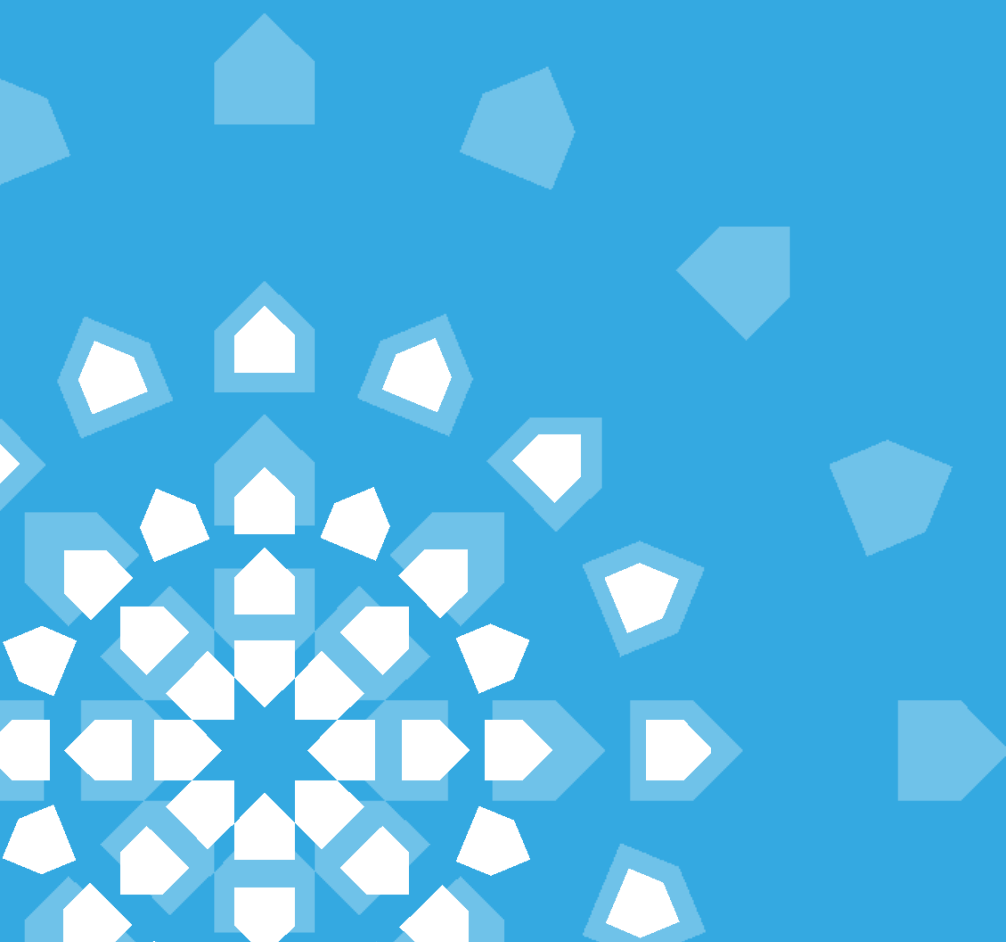
We bring people together to build the culture, capacity and resources to co-create the Switzerland we want to live in.

Our strategic pillars



INSPIRE	CONNECT	DEVELOP	EMPOWER	CO-CREATE
<p>We raise awareness, inform stakeholders and broader audiences, and inspire them to engage. We address different sectors and share stories of transformation.</p>	<p>We nurture a cross-sectoral ecosystem and community as well as a culture of participation. We activate communities of practice and collaboration around SDGs, places, practices and root causes.</p>	<p>We test, develop and share knowledge, tools and methods for collaboration and systems change and build the needed capacity for transformation. We create room for our own learning and continuously act upon insights.</p>	<p>We build the needed infrastructure & resources for Social Innovation Labs and other systems change initiatives towards the SDGs and facilitate access to funding, high level stakeholders and other pre-conditions.</p>	<p>We co-initiate, support and hold spaces for transformation, collaboration and co-creation across sectors.</p>

Who we are





Community

Collaboratio helvetica is above all a [community of people and organisations](#) working towards societal transformation, towards more ecological responsibility, humanity and the common good. Collaboratio helvetica offers its community members a platform to learn and grow together, support one another's projects, and develop skills and capacities. Community members exchange regularly - on and offline.

What being part of the community offers

- Moral, personal and practical support for projects and personal development
- A network with many talents and ideas
- Communication and exchange via our online [community platform](#)
- Access to interesting events, projects and people in different regions
- Development of skills and capacities, and opportunities to learn about new forms of and tools for collaboration, facilitation and dialogue
- Opportunities to get involved in existing or new projects.

Testimonial

"I joined the collaboratio helvetica community as an explorer after having participated the Dialogue Facilitation Training in 2018. Being in dialogue with the diverse people that come together in the collaboratio helvetica community is an experience that enriches me and makes me feel more alive. This experience of belonging motivates me to do the inner and outer work needed to inspire systemic change."

Matthias Goldenberger, Supporter of the Catalyst Lab 3 on the roles of Knowledge Management & Writing.





The Team

We believe in Switzerland's potential to drive the change towards ecological responsibility, humanity and the common good. We are convinced that societal challenges can be solved together. We bring our full selves into our work as well as our knowledge and know-how.



Andrea Bärwalde

Communication & Media Relations



Daniel Gut

Accounting & Finances



Daphne Bucher

Communication & Visualisation



Diana Oser

Leadership Support & Community



Dimitri Brooks

Event Management (Internship)



Elias Bieri

Partnerships & Fundraising (Internship)



Janine Rey

Project Support & Fundraising (working student)



Julia Beyer

Fundraising & Partnerships



Juliane Seyfert

Operations & Finances



Katalin Hausel

Organisational Health & Evaluation



Luea Ritter

Catalyst Lab Facilitation & Evaluation



Malena Ugaz

Online Communications (Internship)



Nora Wilhelm

Partnerships & Thought Leadership



Sarah Friederich

Catalyst Lab Design & Facilitation



Severin von Hünerbein

Catalyst Lab Design



Tessa Harries

Strategic Partnerships & Fundraising (Internship)



Valérie Cafaro

Online Communications (Internship)

Stewards



Caroline Rennie



Florence Tercier



Kathrin Amacker



Michael Gerber



Nora Wilhelm



Pius Leutenegger

Wisdom Council



Alexander
Schieffer



Véronique
Ruppert Schmitt



Darya
Gerasimenko



Solomon Jaya
Prakash



Till Berger

Véronique Ruppert Schmitt

Former National Focal Point for Sustainable Development (Agenda 2030) in Cantons, Communes and Cities (ARE)

"A sustainable society is a society that is inclusive of all generations and social classes. We must continually find and reinvent ourselves. To this it is essential to address the needs, dreams and ideas of all those involved. That's what collaboratio helvetica is all about. They create spaces for experimentation and by means of robust participatory processes help to open up new ways of living, working and thriving in communities that are worth living in for all of us. As part of the Wisdom Council I want to accelerate the systemic transformations needed for a fast and effective sustainable development in Switzerland"



What
we
offer





Services

Collaboratio helvetica offers a network of facilitators, speakers and process stewards for systems change and social innovation. We design and facilitate spaces and in-depth experiential processes tailor-made to the specific context and issue for organisations from the private, public and non-profit sectors as well as for communities, networks and larger ecosystems.

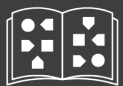
Social Innovation Labs



We co-design and co-facilitate in depth transformational change journeys based on the Social Lab approach and Theory U.

**For organisations,
administrations,
companies and
universities**

Conferences & Workshops



We design and facilitate formats with different proven methods that involve every participant, activate creativity and enable the diversity present to come up with grounded next steps.

**For conference and
workshop organisers
from all sectors**

Dialogue



In the Dialogue Space we try to learn and understand not through facts or intellectual knowledge, but rather through seeing a perspective other than our own.

**For individuals,
communities and
politicians**

Gender Equality Workshops & Consulting



We design and facilitate workshops that allow participants to explore aspects of gender on a personal, societal and organisational level.

For organisations, administrations, companies and universities

Coaching & Advising



We help you find and practice the needed tools and mindset for efficient and effective change and social innovation.

For new organisations and startups, private sector, academia

Thought Leadership & Speeches



How can we work together for a better future? If you are looking for input and inspiration on these and more questions, we would be happy to contribute.

For conference and event organisers

Our main topics:

- 2030 Agenda in Switzerland
- Multi-Stakeholder processes
- Societal transformation
- Participation and co-creation
- Cross-sector collaboration
- Corporate Responsibility



The Practitioners

Collaboratio helvetica offers a network of facilitators and process stewards for systemic change and social innovation. We design and facilitate spaces and in-depth experiential processes tailor-made to the specific context and challenges. We work with organisations of the private, public and non-profit sector as well as communities, networks and larger ecosystems.



Barbara
Seeger



Jany
Barraut



Filippo 'Sketchy'
Buzzini



Alexandra
Gavilano



Daniel Auf der
Mauer



Severin von
Hünerbein



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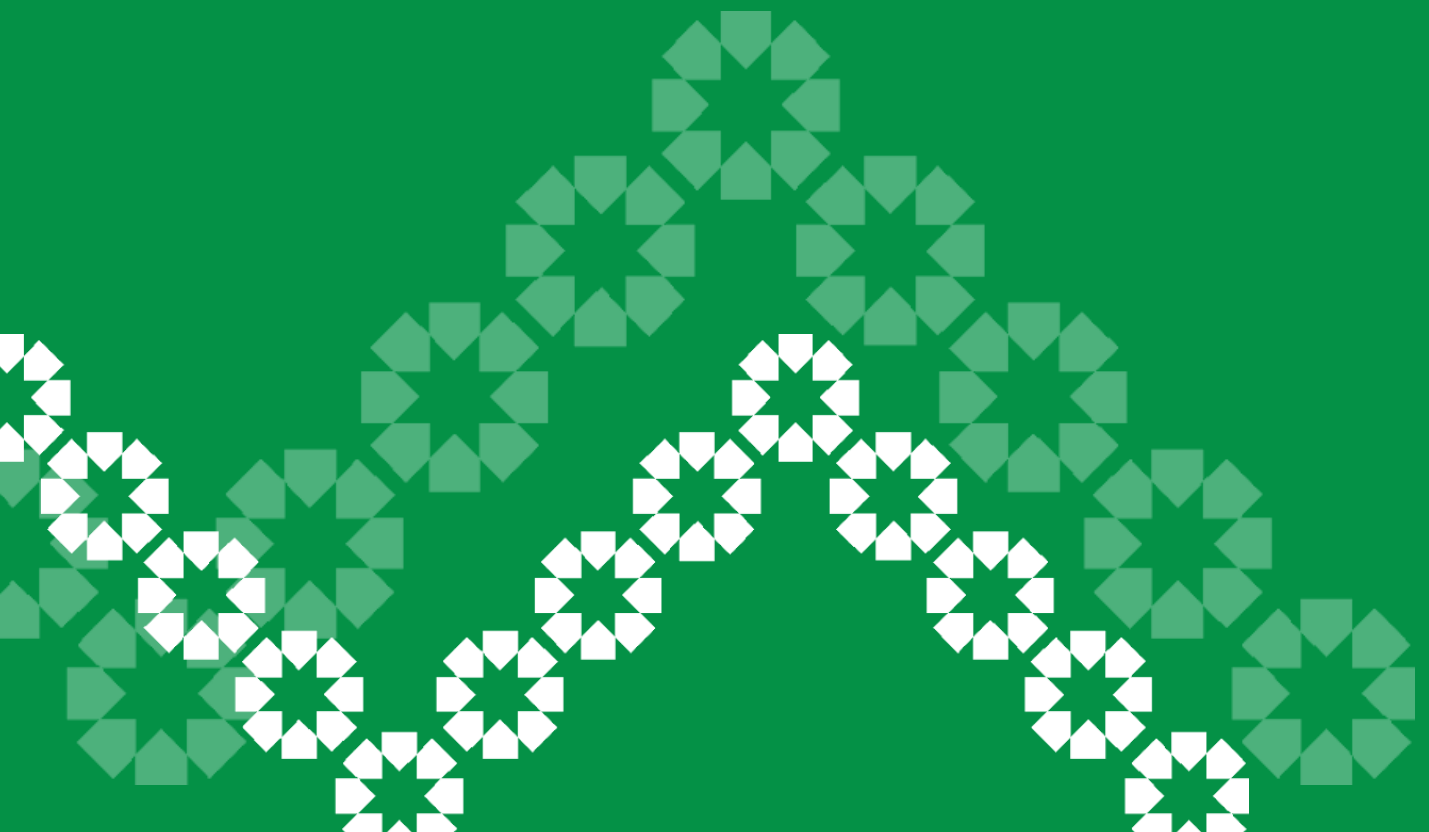


Nora
Wilhelm



Anna
Krebs

What we have done



Facts & Figures

Reach



5000+

People reached with our formats

81

Public speeches & podia

49

Media clippings

659

Newsletter subscribers

5623

Social media followers

165

Blog posts

Community



>687

Platform users

20

on and offline community fora

20

Events open to the public

59

Manifesto partners

Facilitation



250

Trained people in skills needed for systems change

>100

collaborations with different partners



Milestones 2017 to 2021

— Launch of collaboratio helvetica by representatives from the Impact Hubs Bern, Geneva & Zurich, foraus, euforia, Coworking Switzerland and GreenBuzz

2017



— First online presence

— Creation of the community with 50+ Explorers

— Launch of the Gender Lab

— 8 dialogue evenings in 5 different cantons

— Introduction of a free online toolbox

— Sociocracy training 3.0 (S3) with 60 people across all sectors

2018



— Launch of the Beyond Waste Lab

— Launch of bi-monthly Dialogue Learning Days

— Collaboratio festival

— Collaborative Finance Experiment

— 30 dialogue evenings in 10 cantons

— Social Innovation Lab retreats (to share knowledge and support)



Milestones 2017 to 2021

2019

- First Catalyst Lab
- Launch of the Community Platform
- Dialogue Training for facilitators and space holders
- Manifesto for Switzerland
- Annual Conference of the Swiss Development Cooperation keynote
- Forum ö - 30th anniversary



2020

- Nova Helvetia + publications
- Catalyst Lab, 1st and 2nd edition
- Dialogue Spaces - during the lockdown, the dialogue facilitator group initiated a weekly call to come together exchange and sit in dialogue in these times of change
- Keynote at ETH Zurich opening the Agenda 2030 lecture series
- Swiss Foundations' 2020 Stiftungsgespräch "Foundations for future" workshop and podium





Milestones 2017 to 2021

2021



- Catalyst Lab 2 and 3
- Catalyst Lab online workshops open to public
- Tage der Utopie
- Schweizer Städtetag
- Bürger:innenrat für Ernährungspolitik
- Forum ö
- Dialog 2030 (3 events for SME's with ARE and öbu)
- Intrapreneurship Academy
- Klimaforum Zürich
- Publication of the book: Flow-Connection
- Funding Systems Change Initiative with Ashoka



Selected projects 2021

We Inspire

Städtetag Thun

In August, the Swiss Congress of Cities 2021 took place in Thun. At the conference, different facets of the topic "City of Participation" were highlighted and concrete examples presented and classified. Collaboratio helvetica was invited to contribute to the discourse with a presentation. Nora Wilhelm spoke about "Social innovation laboratories: The City at the Centre of Tomorrow's Democracy".

Dialogue Evening: Shaping Pathways towards a regenerative future

As a part of the Catalyst Lab journey collaboratio helvetica together with WWF One Planet Lab has offered the public event "Dialogue Evening: Shaping Pathways Towards a Regenerative Future". Participants from the Catalyst Lab hosted engaging dialogues on relevant topics for a systems change in Switzerland and shared their questions and project ideas.



Flashback: Annual Conference of the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC)

In 2019, Nora Wilhelm was invited as keynote speaker at the annual conference of the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation (SDC). She addressed the conference topic of "Partnerships for the future" by speaking about the importance of collaboration, and developing new ways of thinking for systemic change. She shared about her unshakeable belief in the potential of a sustainable Switzerland and underlined the need for a shared vision for the future, based on compassion, curiosity and the courage for the yet unknown.

We Connect

Community platform

In view of the disruption from the Covid-19 pandemic, collaboratio helvetica decided to make public all the features of the organisation's online community platform in 2020. By the end of 2021 more than 650 people from all over the country used the community platform to connect and collaborate. In times of social distancing such online spaces can become precious resources to cope with the crisis and keep working together on a sustainable future.

Community Fora

Collaboratio helvetica organised four community fora in 2021. We were able to keep to our quarterly rhythm by adapting our format to remain covid compliant. The community fora are offered as an opportunity to connect and get to know each other beyond the virtual channels.



Flashback: First co-workation

In August 2017 collaboratio helvetica held its first co-workation. Many things emerged and crystallised during this time, but one thing that was felt most strongly is the importance of community for the work collaboratio helvetica set out to do in Switzerland and in the world. collaboratio helvetica strives to be a playground for experimentation and collaboration, an ecosystem where everyone can take care of each other as caregivers and a place where unlikely allies can be found shaping an energising vision of the future for Switzerland.

We Develop

Online Workshops open to the public

As part of the Catalyst Lab journey, collaboratio helvetica has introduced a series of workshops that are open to the public. Anyone interested can participate and learn about methods for driving change. The workshops include topics such as “Radical collaboratio”, “Trauma-informed patterns and dynamics” or “Partnerships building across sectors”.

Roadmap 2030

Since 2017 collaboratio helvetica has tested assumptions, ran countless experiments and gained crucial insights around how social innovation towards its vision could be realised and what this work takes. On this basis and ahead of the 5th anniversary in 2022, collaboratio helvetica invested additional resources in an in-depth reflection, evaluation and learning process in 2021. The result is a roadmap 2030 as a framework for the time span from 2021 to 2030. It lists the areas of work that collaboratio helvetica has identified as being key to fulfil its mission towards its vision.



Flashback: Introduction of an online toolbox

To foster collaboration in Switzerland, collaboratio helvetica tries innovative approaches, harvests and then shares the findings and learnings with the community and beyond. Since its beginning the organisation has strived to share the knowhow of the community with a broader audience. To do so, collaboratio helvetica started to build an open source toolbox of blog posts and method descriptions in 2017. The toolbox enables the community to support others to learn and use tools for collaboration, dialogue and facilitation.

We Empower

Catalyst Lab 3

The Catalyst Lab is a profound, multi-month learning and design process created to help the implementation of Agenda 2030 in Switzerland. Participants and their projects contribute to a change towards more ecological responsibility, humanity and the common good. The third edition of the Catalyst Lab began in the Fall of 2021. 16 committed individuals and 2 teams from a total of nine cantons have been selected for Catalyst Lab 2021/22. They have been working on 11 of the 17 UN sustainability goals.

Funding systems change initiative

How can we fund systems change? Driven by this question a number of foundations, philanthropists, systems change experts and social innovators have joined forces, co-convened by collaboratio helvetica and [Ashoka Switzerland](#). Together we will explore the topic, learn by sharing insights and best practices, and develop possible new approaches for more impact.



Flashback: From Social Innovation Labs to the Catalyst Lab

Collaboratio helvetica has designed and facilitated in-depth transformational change journeys based on the Social Innovation Lab approach and Theory U since 2017. The organisation has run Social Innovation Labs on Gender Equality, Regenerative Work and Circular Economy. In 2019 collaboratio helvetica created a new format that does not focus on a specific topic, but enables changemakers to learn how to design and hold in-depth transformational change journeys themselves: The Catalyst Lab. Since then we have been able to offer this multi-month learning journey to more than 50 changemakers from all over Switzerland.

We Co-create

Dialog 2030 – Schweizer Nachhaltigkeitsziele

Sarah Friederich and Severin von Hünerbein co-facilitated the online dialogue “Dialog 2030 - Schweizer Nachhaltigkeitsziele: Chancen für Unternehmen” organised by the Federal Office for Spatial Development ARE, the Swiss Association for Sustainable Business öbu and collaboratio helvetica. The discussion focused on the extent to which the framework conditions for Swiss companies have changed as a result of the UN's Sustainable Development Goals and on the opportunities and challenges that arise from the implementation of the SDGs in corporate management.

Forum ö

Collaboratio helvetica has been collaborating with öbu for some time now. In the 2021 edition of the Forum ö with the title “What does the future want from us?”, three of collaboratio helvetica’s Catalysts - Loukina Tille, Bea Albermann and Silvano Lieger - as well as Nora Wilhelm presented their visions as “Voices of the future”. Sarah Friederich and Severin von Hünerbein contributed to the Forum ö in their role as facilitators.



Flashback: How it all began

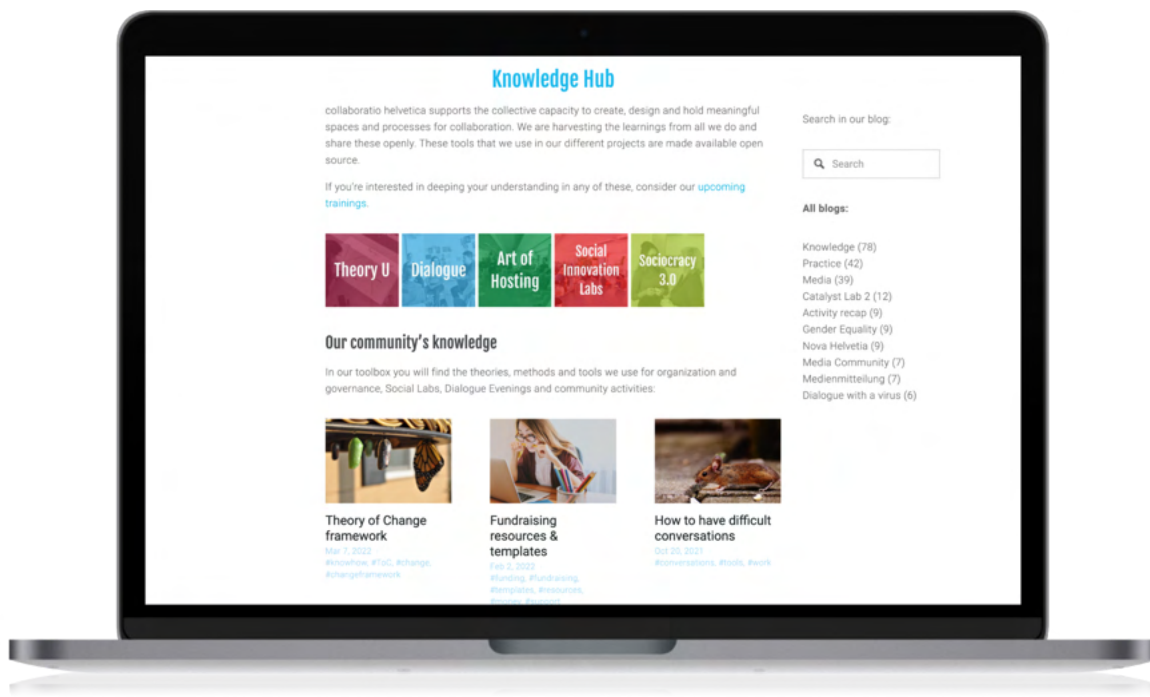
In 2017 people from different Swiss organisations met, all of whom were committed to societal transformation in line with the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) of the 2030 Agenda. Up to that point they had all worked hard and persevered. They were qualified and talented. They celebrated successes and yet did not really make progress at the pace and scale they knew were needed. Together they realised that despite shared values and the will to work together, they often found themselves working in silos or competing instead of collaborating. Representatives from the private sector and administration, NGOs such as Impact Hubs Bern, Geneva & Zurich, foraus, euforia, Coworking Switzerland and GreenBuzz as well as potential donors began to think together about how it might be possible to meet the challenges we face as a society. With the SDGs as an overarching framework, they jointly founded collaboratio helvetica



The toolbox

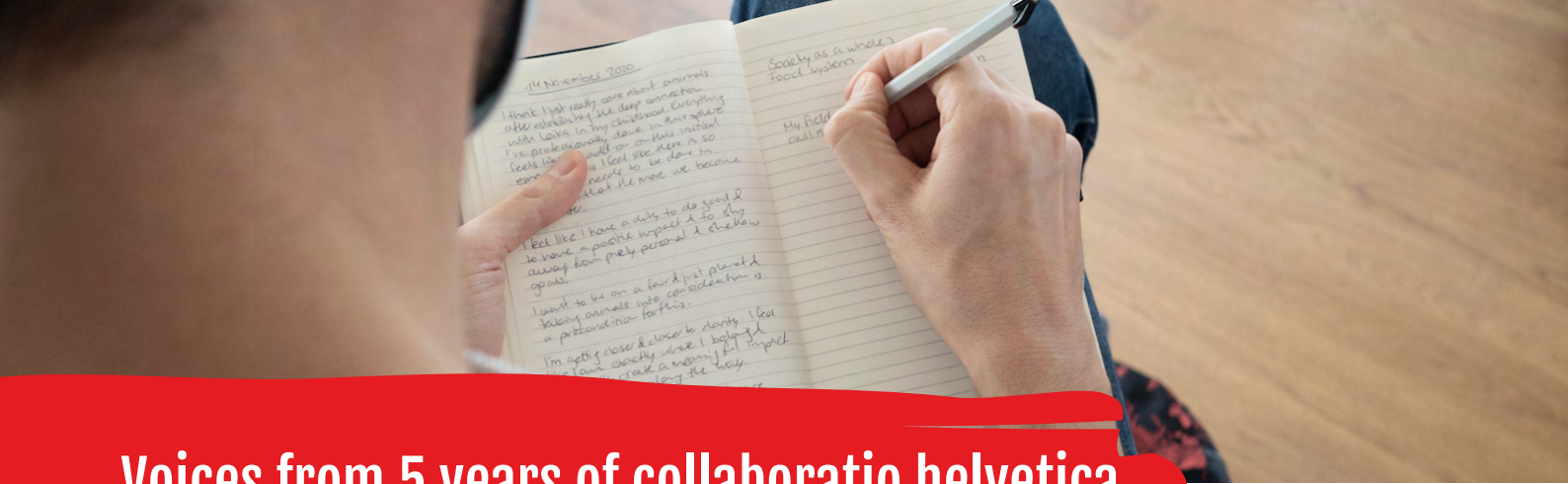
We are harvesting the learnings from all we do and share these openly in our [toolbox](#) and on our blog. Anyone who is interested can find the theories, methods and tools we use for our Social Innovation Labs, Dialogue Evenings and community activities online - no paywall or login needed. We aim to describe everything in a way that anyone can easily use it. By the end of 2020, we have more than 70 methods and tools publicly available on our website.

With the toolbox and the blog, collaboratio helvetica supports the collective capacity to create, design and hold meaningful spaces and processes for collaboration.



What the media said





Voices from 5 years of collaboratio helvetica



Boryana Milova
Participant of the Catalyst Lab and
co-founder of Future of Waste

"Only once we start to truly listen, recognize our own patterns, take responsibility, and act as a collective can we effectively tackle the complex challenges humanity faces today. The current divisions we experience underpin the importance of collaboratio helvetica's work: to hold spaces for generative dialogues, deep connections, and to build up catalysts who can multiply this work in a bottom-up manner."



Daphne Bucher
Team member since 2018

"Experiencing for the first time how the methods and new ways of thinking and being together can have a huge impact on a personal level and shift inner processes, was my most striking memory of collaboratio helvetica so far. I am definitely not the same person I was four years ago."



Nora Wilhelm
Co-founder

"In a way, we are trying to create a new commons that we all benefit from and contribute to, but that we do not own. We are trying to challenge all deeply held assumptions - and that takes time. Sometimes we may have been a little too ambitious, reaching for something that was not yet within reach and feeling the pain for it. But then again, that's where the magic happens, isn't it?"

Kathrin Amacker

Member of the Steward Council since 2021 and President of the Fairtrade Max Havelaar Foundation



"Change starts with doing things in a new way and making decisions differently than before. Collaboratio helvetica is enabling people to do so. I wish for collaboratio helvetica to stay curious for the years to come on its unpredictable journey to shape the Switzerland we want to live in. For the future of Switzerland I hope for meaningful businesses, agile innovations and human transformations for a good future."



Isabelle Ruckli

Team member from 2018 to 2020 and project lead Discuss.it

"To deal with our challenges today, we need different ways of thinking and acting than before. This is precisely where collaboratio helvetica comes in and offers innovative learning and practice spaces. Something I will always remember very positively are the many team retreats and trainings we did together. I have always found these shared learning experiences very inspiring, valuable and very essential for this kind of work we were up to. "

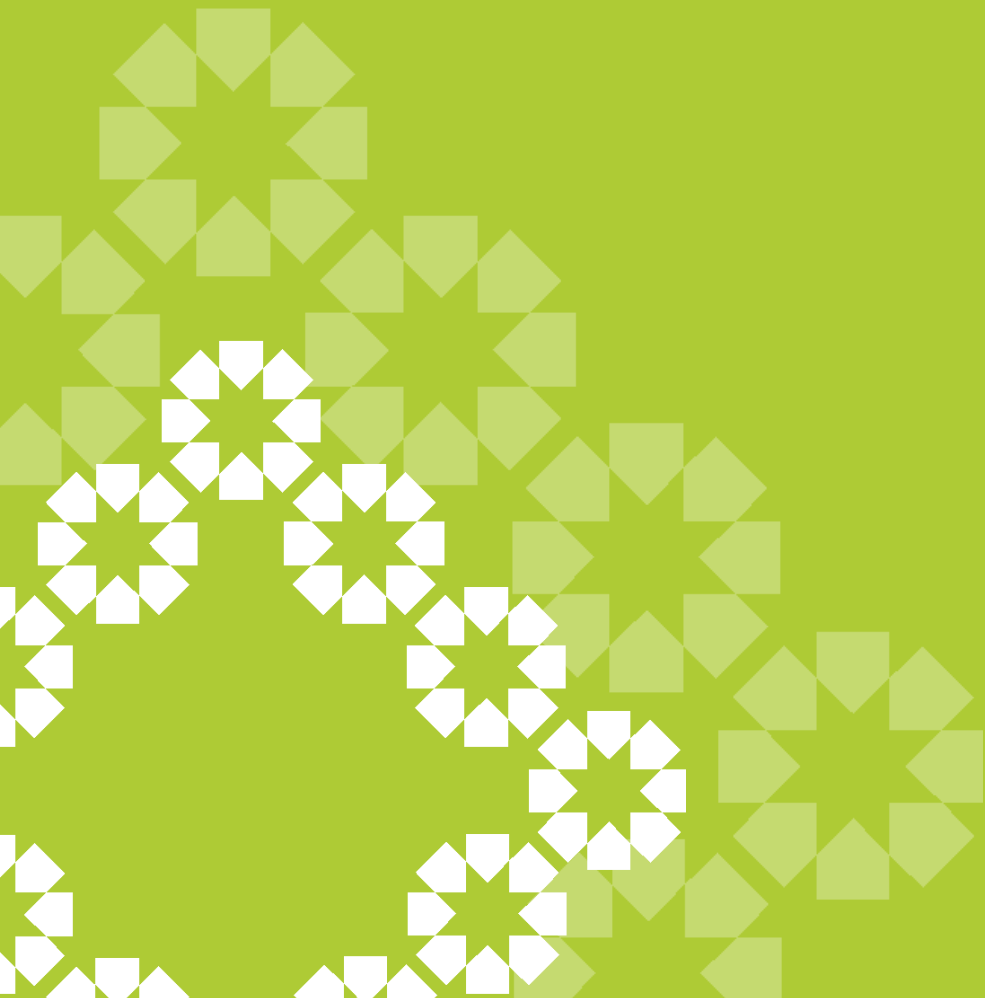
Lukas Niederberger

Director at Swiss Society for the Common Good, funding partner of collaboratio helvetica



"We need collaboratio helvetica because, unlike many others, the organisation approaches its strategic planning with a holistic view of the environment, with the question of meaning and with a sustainable-holistic perspective. I wish for collaboratio helvetica to continue promoting participatory and democratic processes in all sectors and disciplines of society."

What we have learned





Learnings from the past five years

'From Ego to Eco'

Inevitably, our journey in the 5 years that have passed since our launch revealed a growing clarity of our purpose and strategy, as well as the shadows they cast.

We quickly realised that this work had more depth than previously foreseen. One social innovation lab on the topic of gender does little towards actual visible change in gender equality even in Switzerland. A social innovation lab on waste only starts to scratch the complexities of the Swiss economic system that spans the planet. Dialogues do not change systems overnight. A single theory U process doesn't sprout lasting and visible change.

Yet these journeys and spaces ignited a deep commitment and curiosity in their participants and they often were deemed 'life-transforming'. From the very beginning, the gift of *collaboratio helvetica* was the crafting of collective spaces that allow people to experience a new culture, a new kind of invitation to be involved in vital work that concerns the whole. Awareness-based change methods for systems change do not limit potential actors to experts and the powerful - in order to have a more holistic sense of the complexities present, all stakeholders are invited and, in fact, needed for finding ways to shift seemingly unmovable and robust systems. Our participants carry forward a sense of internal power and agency that overrides the intimidation and exclusion of 'small actors' imposed by our society. They learn how to be stakeholders and how to act like catalysts in the context of the work they are called to do.

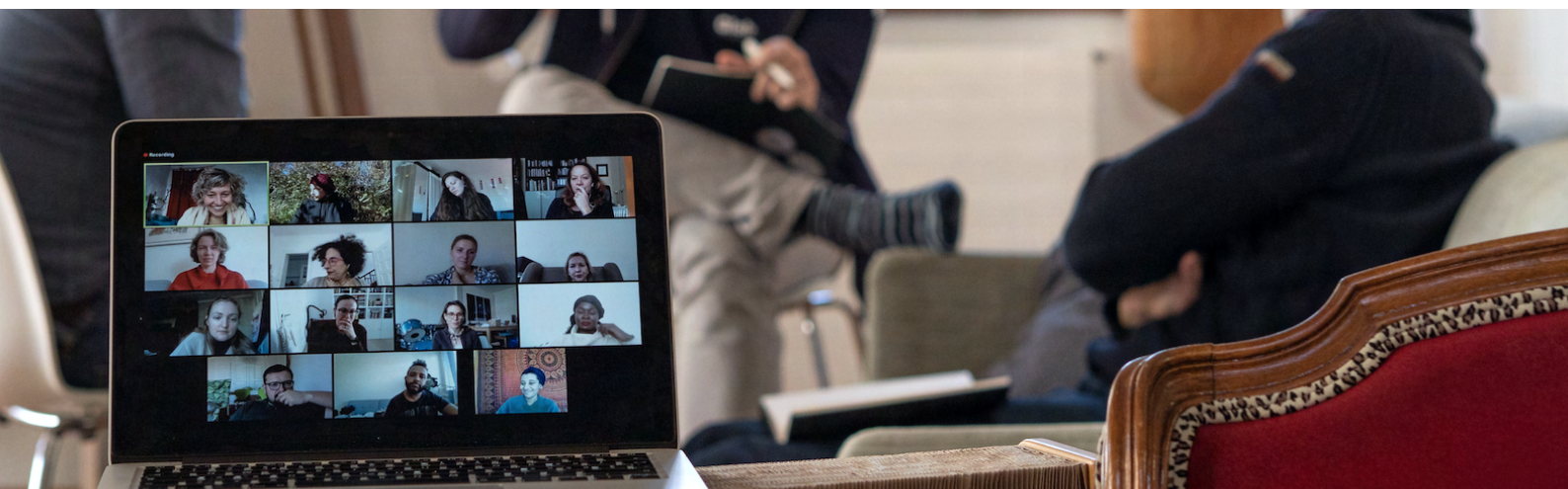
We discovered that focusing on creating spaces where people can acquire tools and processes for both inner and outer work is in fact our best way to mobilise the potential in Switzerland to create urgent and lasting change. We shifted our focus from organising 'grassroot action' like dialogues and social innovation labs towards facilitating collective journeys that enskill and prepare people for becoming changemakers for life.

In the last year and a half we also came to face the fact that running training programs is also not enough to fully unleash Switzerland's potential for change, that we can and should use our experience and reputation to actively work on creating the preconditions for catalysts and other changemakers to become engaged and to be able to continue on the long road towards systems change in their sectors. We are now working on an institutional framework that can support local, as well as national, topical (SDG-related) and practical networks.

Our vision didn't change, but our strategy did. We developed a cyclical strategy within which we inspire, convene, train, support and collaborate with an increasing number of people and their communities. While preserving the complexity that is characteristic of our work, it also provides an easy to navigate road map in which all the diverse activities of the organisation make sense.

How have we come this far? We learned to trust our insights, accept our learnings and welcome failures as well as successes, as they often became opportunities for new ideas and unexpected discoveries. We became a learning organisation 'where people continually expand their capacity to create the results they truly desire, where new and expansive patterns of thinking are nurtured, where collective aspiration is set free, and where people are continually learning how to learn together.'

We also learned to accept that our vision and guiding principles can cast long shadows beneath the curtains, as we came to face the difficulties of running a vision-driven organisation in a world driven by efficiency, exploitation and profit with openness and curiosity rather than denial. We realise that we often exploit ourselves in pursuit of the beautiful dream we hold for the future; that our collective sense-making processes can make us look and feel inefficient, and that financial instability sporadically erodes stamina and commitment. We learned to collectively hold these problems as they emerged, to reflect on the possible resolutions to emerging tensions, and accept that this is also of value, when one is crafting a new future.





More to come

Citizens' Assembly on Food Policy

Collaboratio helvetica will be in charge of Design & Facilitation as implementation partner of the first national [Citizens' Assembly on Food Policy](#) in Switzerland, a project in partnership with Landwirtschaft mit Zukunft, Biovision and SDSN Switzerland.

Multi-stakeholder processes

We work on multi-stakeholder processes on topics relevant for the implementation of the SDGs together with several partner organisations, for example as part of the [Blue-Green Biodiversity Research Initiative](#) in collaboration with EAWAG and WSL.

Catalyst Lab

Collaboratio helvetica is exploring how to institutionalise the content of the Catalyst Lab into academic curricula and currently building partnerships with various universities, amongst them the Centre for Social Innovation at HSG. Furthermore we will continue to offer a continuous support structure for graduated Catalysts and support them in implementing their systems change initiatives all across Switzerland.

Testimonial

"Mercator Foundation Switzerland believes in the need for systemic change to tackle the challenges of our society. Collaboratio helvetica brings together changemakers and helps them to understand the complex mechanisms that shape our world and develop ideas and projects that really make a difference."

Katia Weibel, Deputy Director Mercator Foundation Switzerland



Publications of learnings

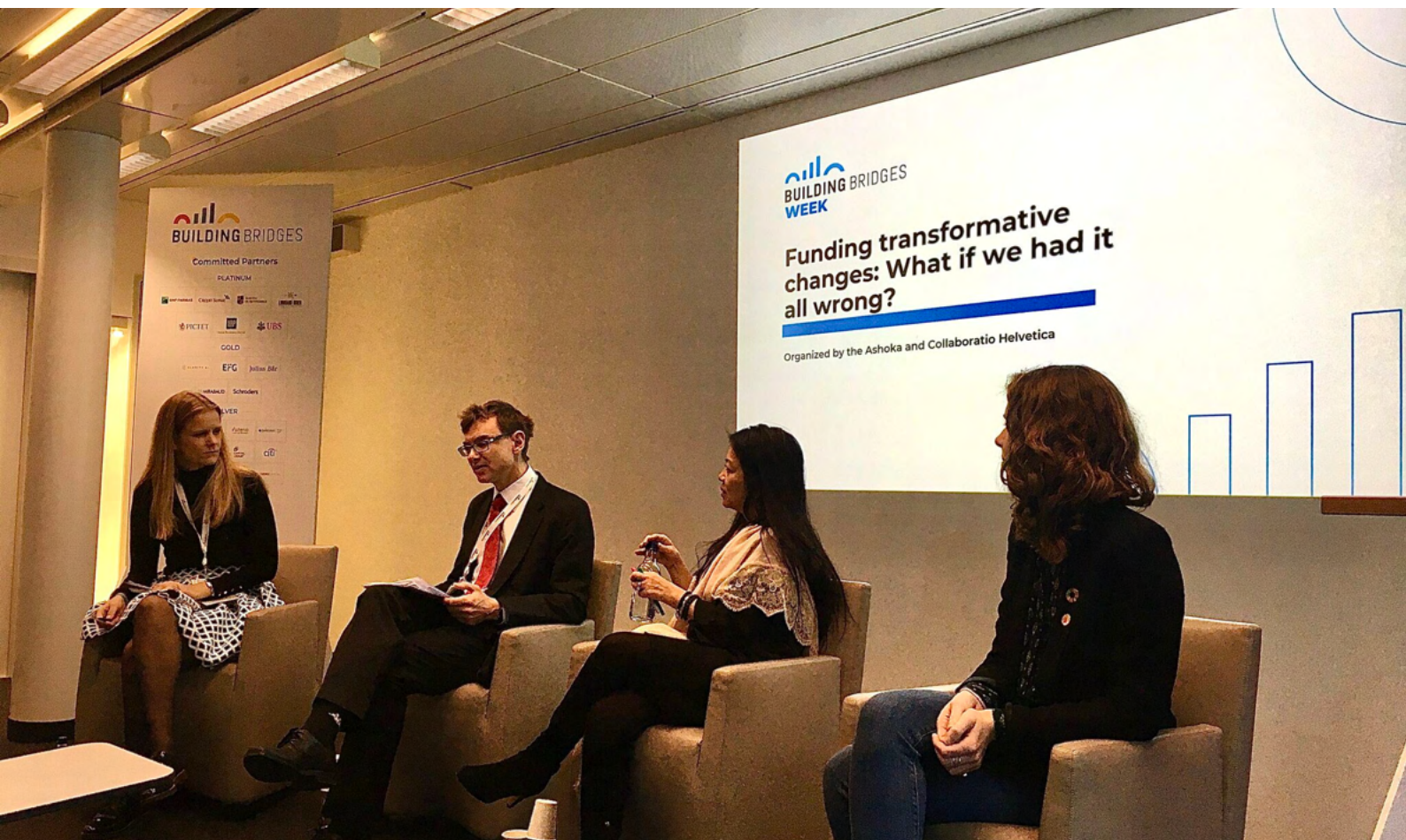
We will continue publishing books about the insights and learnings gained through our various activities, partnerships and projects.

Collaboratorium

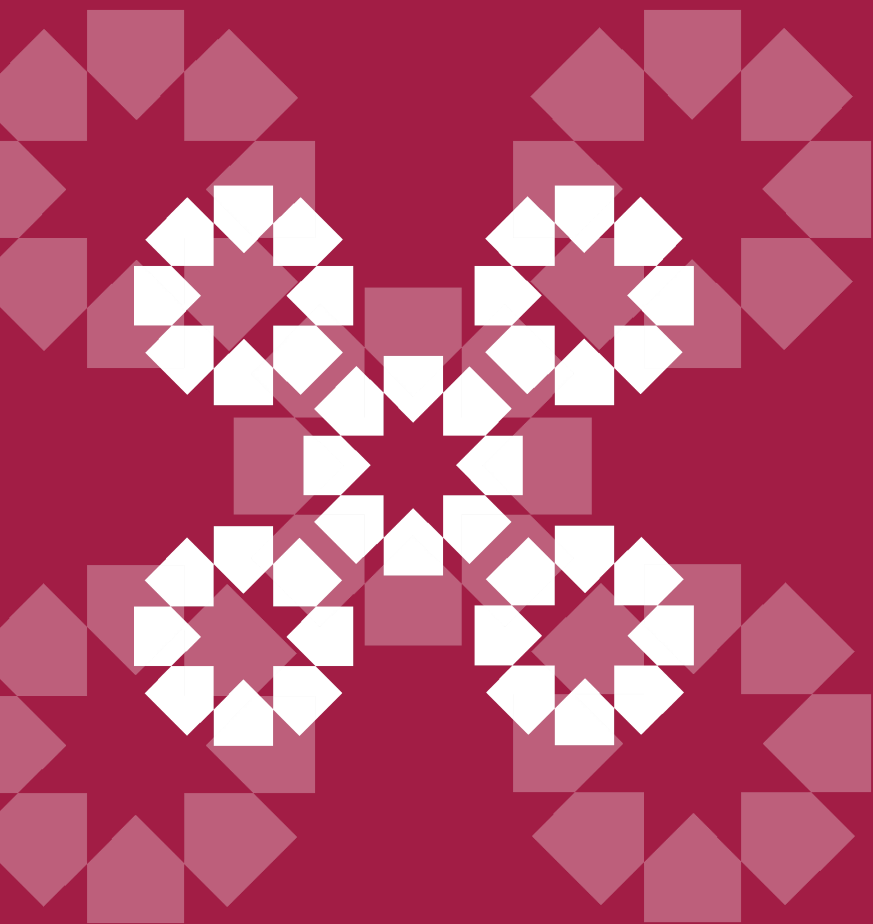
We work on implementing the “Collaboratorium”, an open space for deep transdisciplinary explorations of systems and systems change. Primarily intended for changemakers already familiar with awareness-based change methodologies, principles of complexity management, and systems thinking, it is built on many years of experience working with catalysts engaged in systems level change processes..

Funding for systems change

Together with foundations, philanthropists, systems change experts, social innovators and partners collaboratio helvetica will continue working on finding new ways of funding systems change.



Budgets & Finances



Budget & Finances

Profit & Loss 2021

Income

Contributions from Public Authorities	10,000
Contributions from others	393,000
Donations	5,454
Other income	267,379

Total Income **675,833**

Expenses:

General expenses:

HR	44,708	
Office Costs	17,708	
Fundraising	33,740	
Communications	58,451	
Administration Costs	17,075	
Financial Costs	227	171,908

Community	19,192
Learning Ecology	26,785
Social Labs	254,379
Practitioner Circle	77,644
collaboratio helvetica as a prototype	42,041
Ecosystem Activation	80,180

Total Expenses **672,129**

Year-end result **3,704**

Balance sheet on 31.12.2021

Assets

Cash	341,556
Trade receivables	109,962
Other short-term	2,546
Prepaid expenses	--

Total Income **675,833**

Liabilities

Trade payables	187
Other short-term liabilities	12,458
Not yet paid expenses	90,046
Profit/Loss last years	12,669
Fonds capital	325,000
Organisation capital	10,000
Year-end result	3,704

Total Liabilities **454,064**

Thank you!

We would like to thank all the different persons, organisations and institutions that collaborated with us in the last five years and every single person in Switzerland who is committed to achieving the SDGs. Together we create the Switzerland of tomorrow - built on ecological responsibility, humanity and the common good.



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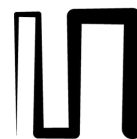
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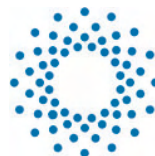


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