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22 – 26, April 2024  
This year's theme:  
„Localizing SDG  
Transformations“

# TRANSFORMATION LITERACY

REGULATIONS INNOVATION NARRATIVES STRUCTURES GOVERNANCE METRICS

Conference 24

Collective Leadership Institute's  
Transformation Literacy Week:  
**Localizing SDG Transformations**  
Kick-off event in Potsdam on 19 April 2024  
Online sessions on 22, 24, 26 April 2024

### The case for change:

Human activity is exceeding planetary boundaries, the very systems that make life on Earth possible. Food, water, and energy systems are threatened, as well as democracy, justice, and peace.

Efforts to drive sustainability transformations need to connect local, national, and regional efforts. Identifying ways for the Global Goals to truly go 'glocal' is pivotal for their achievement. Indeed, a diverse multitude of networks, communities of practice, initiatives, partnerships, and global transformation projects aim to do just that. Their approaches to localizing SDG contributions are as varied as their diverse forms.

This year, CLI's Transformation Literacy Conference focuses on how different forms of transformation efforts, such as networks, partnerships, and global meta-collaborations – all contribute to localizing the SDGs.

### Localizing SDGs through Collaborative Initiatives and Partnerships

How do multi-stakeholder initiatives and partnerships at multiple levels contribute to localizing SDG impacts?

**Monday, 22 April 2024**

### Localizing SDGs in Exchange Networks and Communities of Practice

How do networks of peer learning and exchange, SDG communities, and communities of practice contribute to localizing SDG impacts?

**Wednesday, 24 April 2024**

### Localizing SDGs through Transformation Networks and Meta-Collaboration

How do large, collaborative networks and projects across different countries or regions in the world contribute to localizing SDG impacts?

**Friday, 26 April 2024**

**Our first day together:** Multi-stakeholder initiatives and partnerships align goals and activities, and often pool resources for joint action. Explore how partnerships support local SDG transformations



#### Framing by CLI

**The “Collaboration Catalysts”** – A lens of the Collective Leadership Compass for designing and enlivening multi-stakeholder initiatives and partnerships for transformative change.

**Our second day together:** Peer learning networks, communities of practice, and other types of exchange networks offer space for joint reflection, consultation, and even coordinating action. How can we best localize the SDG impact of such networks?



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**The “Community Catalysts”** – A lens of the Collective Leadership Compass for designing and enlivening exchange networks and communities of practice for transformative change

**Our last day together:** Large, collaborative networks and projects spanning regions and countries are emerging more frequently due to the urgency of global crises. Dive into the complexity of transformation networks and their contributions to localizing SDGs.



#### Framing by CLI

**The “Network Enablers”** - A lens of the Collective Leadership Compass for designing and enlivening networked efforts across regions and countries or between topics for transformative change.

### Inspiration from our network

- Multi-stakeholder partnerships
- Collaborative initiatives
- Approaches to connect to global SDG aspirations

### Discussion questions

- How can multi-stakeholder partnerships and initiatives best contribute to the global goals?
- What makes them transformative?
- What do such forms look like at different geographical levels?

### Networking among participants

### Inspiration from our network

- Communities of Practice
- Peer and exchange learning networks
- Approaches to connect to global SDG aspirations

### Discussion questions

- How can peer networks and CoPs best contribute to the global goals?
- What makes them transformative?
- What do such forms look like at different geographical levels?

### Networking among participants

### Inspiration from our network

- Transformation networks
- Projects bringing together collaborations in different parts of the world
- Approaches to connect to global SDG aspirations

### Discussion questions

- How can transformation networks and meta-collaborations best contribute to the global goals?
- What makes them transformative?
- What do such forms look like at different geographical levels?

### Conference wrap-up session -

#### Connecting Insights:

How do we localize our SDG efforts in different transformative endeavors?



## Kick-Off Event in Potsdam on 19 April - Celebrate Earth Day with CLI!

An evening full of stories of transformation, shared by CLI colleagues and friends of the Institute. Plus, the [Transformative Partnership Award](#) ceremony and a special surprise! Join us to celebrate our planet and get inspired by how we can take better care of it. Snacks and drinks provided. If you receive an invitation, please reserve your ticket soon, as places are limited. The event is free for certified Collective Leadership Specialists.