

TRANSIT presents:

Learning for Change: A Journey through the Theory & Practice of Transformative Social Innovation

14-15/09/2017

Stand up please





transformative social innovation theory



EU-funded

- 2014-2017
- 12 partners, ~30 researchers

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Research Aim & Questions

To develop a theory of **transformative social innovation** that is **grounded** and **tested** in empirical data, and **useful** to policy-makers, activists, entrepreneurs, critical intellectuals and researchers.

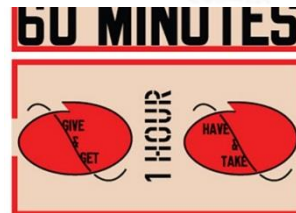
Research questions:

- how, to what extent and under which conditions does social innovation contribute to transformative change?
- how are people empowered (or disempowered) to contribute to such processes?
- how do we conceptualise and study transformative social innovation?



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Social innovation networks and initiatives

- Storytelling – 2 rounds
- Exhibition space
- Leading sessions

TRANSIT's critical friends - 1



Tim O'Riordan
(chair)

Edina Vadovics

Ariel Gordon

Gilda Farrell

Frances Westley

TRANSIT's critical friends - 2



**Marlieke
Kieboom**



**Augusto
Guterrez**



**Remko
Berkhout**



Sarah Bird



Linda Hogan



David Boyle



Pedro Manuel Sasia



Laura Catana



Tunde Kallai

Key Listeners



Vision of the conference

- celebrate and share four years of research on transformative social innovation;
- create a unique learning environment;
- for activists, entrepreneurs, policy-makers, critical intellectuals and engaged individuals.

> truly co-created event

Programme Thursday (14/09)

09:30 – 11:00 Plenary Kick-off

Welcome & Insights TRANSIT project

Getting to know the 20 Networks through Interactive Storytelling

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee & Tea Break

11:30 – 13:00 Cluster A: parallel activities

13:00 – 14:30 Lunch & self-organized networking time

14:30 – 16:00 Cluster B: parallel activities

16:00 – 16:30 Coffee & Tea Break

16:30 – 18:00 Cluster C: parallel activities

18:00 – 19:00 Tour of BlueCity010 (*Registration area*)

19:00 – 22:00 *Dinner & Party (upon registration, Balzaal)*

Balzaal

Exhibition area



Programme Friday (15/09)

09:00 – 11:00 **Plenary: Critical Talks & Group Discussions**

Ariel Gordon: Exclusion/Inclusion Dynamics of SI: Perspective from the South
Edina Vadovics: Ecological Sustainability and the Urgency for TSI today
Gilda Farrell: Looking back at 25 years of EU (social) innovation policy
Prof. Tim O'Riordan: Closing Reflections

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee & Tea Break

11:30 – 13:00 **Cluster D: parallel activities**

13:00 – 14:15 Lunch & self-organized networking time

14:15 – 15:45 **Cluster E: parallel activities**

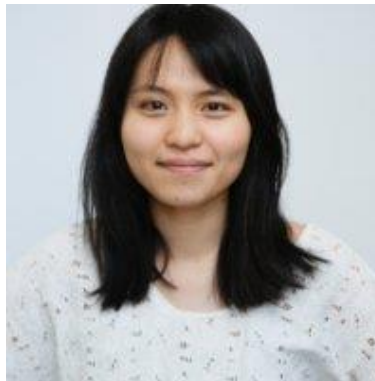
15:45 – 16:00 Coffee & Tea Break

16:00 – 17:00 **Plenary wrap up & farewell**

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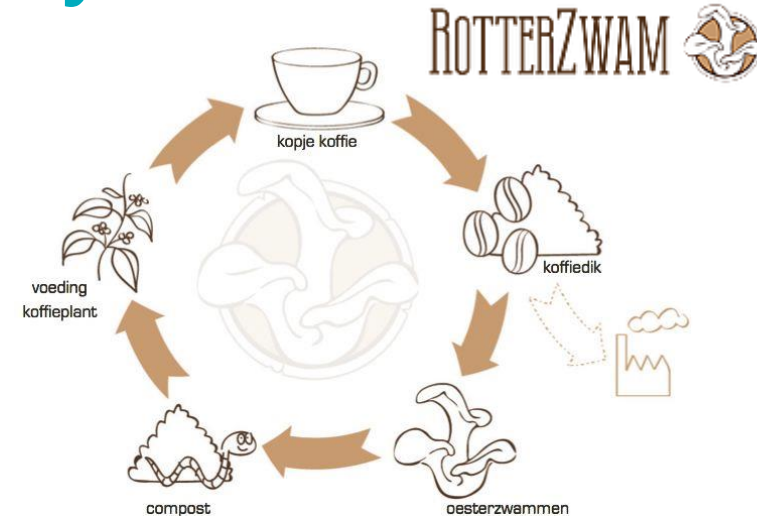
Conference organizing team



Tropicana - from swimming pool ...



... to circular city | Blue City







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