Adaptive leadership: Hierarchies, networks and a butterfly

Whakamanawa Conference 2024 Te Pae ki Ōtautahi

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Kia ora

Ehara taku toa i te toa takitahi, he toa takitini



Our strength is not as individuals, but as a collective

We are a Tiriti o Waitangi-led, impact focussed leadership consultancy. We grow leaders in Aotearoa New Zealand who develop equitable and flourishing communities and organisations.













the articles of Te Tiriti o Waitangi

Inspired by our vision to see

Equitable and thriving communities and organisations

Through growing leaders who are

Fostering collective approaches to complex issues

Guided by our values

Mana Ōrite, Kotahitanga and Manaakitanga

This is who we are.



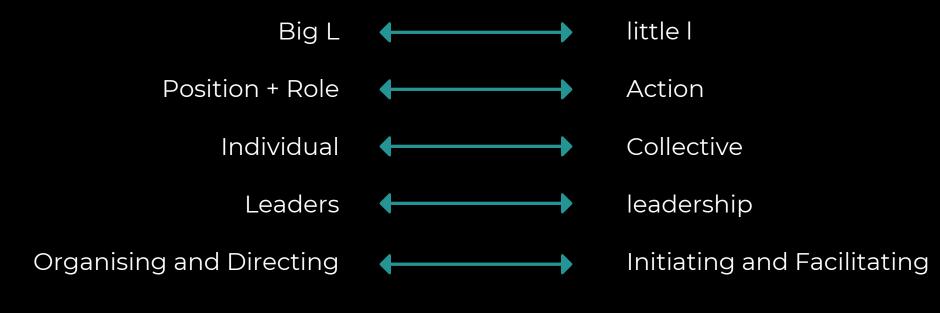
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How is leadership changing?

What approach to leadership is emerging and why?



Broadening our leadership bandwidth







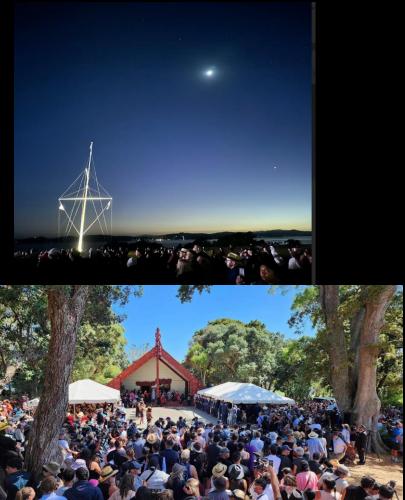






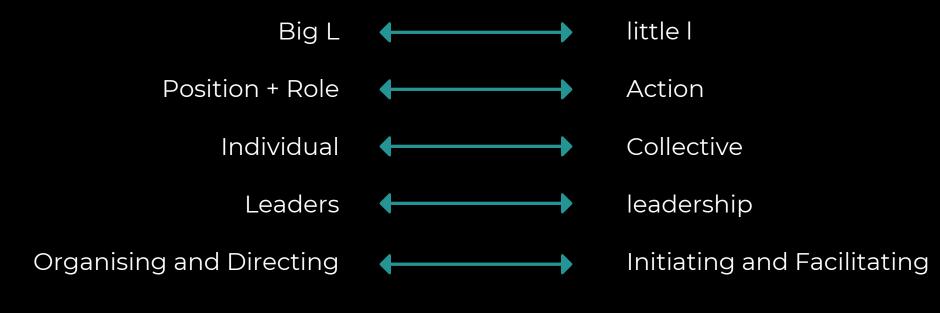








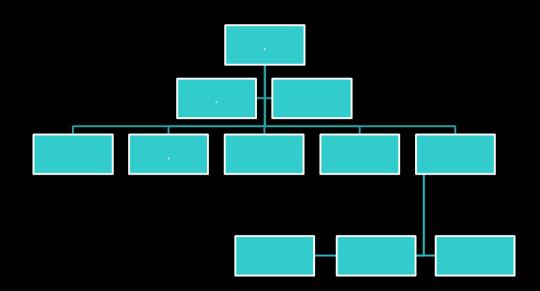
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Hierarchies and Bureaucracies "the organisation"

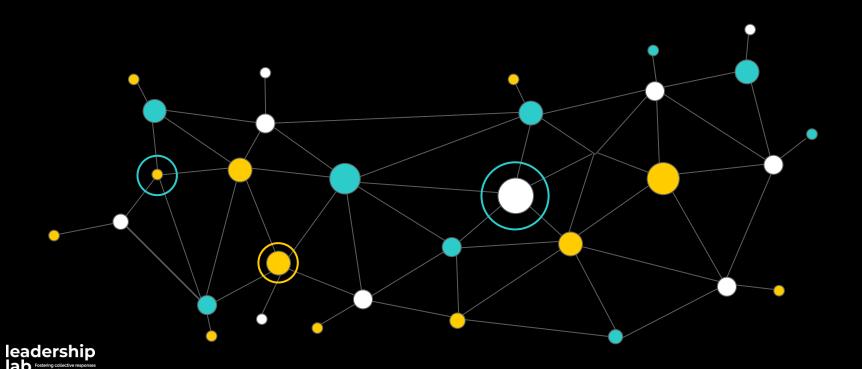




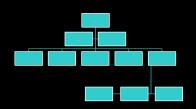




Networks, Movements and Living Systems



Alternative ways to organise ourselves



Hierarchies

Job descriptions
Lines of communication
Titles, Boss, rank
Specialties, silos, departments
Top down bottom up
Appraisal
Progression



Networks

Connections
Common interests
Multiple links and pathways
Ako – Mutuality
Relationships
Flexible and viral
Messy and fragile

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Pros and cons of each?

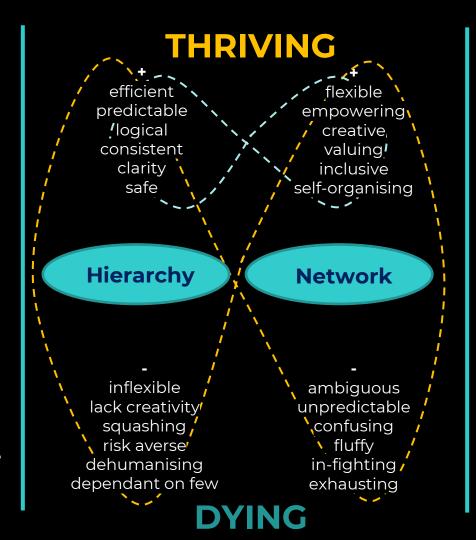


Warning signs

Stagnation
Boredom
Them and us
Lack of trust
Sick leave
Staff turn over
Conflict

Actions

Notice
Pause and reflect
Add more dialogue
and opportunities



Warning signs

Confusion
Just in time
Falling through
gaps /overlap
Morale dropping
Cynicism
Conflict

Actions

Notice
Pause and reflect
Add more structure
and shape



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Share one insight from the butterfly slide





meaningful change Our Impact

Leadership Lab specialises in providing a range of services customised to empower and develop long term impact and change on people and organisations.

From one-on-one mentoring to change management across large organisations, we are compelled and motivated to make an impact that creates real change.







Creating real impact

We aspire to grow equitable and flourishing communities and organisations across Aotearoa, through growing leaders who focus on...

enacting Te Tiriti o Waitangi

We understand our shared histories in Aotearoa NZ and promote inclusive practices for all people

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transformative learning

We are committed to education that meets the needs of all learners and exists in the realities of the modern world

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radical inclusion

We actively surface voices, experiences, and perspectives that are otherwise marginalised or passed over

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hauora & wellbeing

We take a broad and inclusive view of wellbeing, which holds quality of life as a high priority

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thriving relationships

We recognise and harness the power of workplaces as environments to influence the quality of life of all workers

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empowering others Resources

At Leadership Lab, we believe in the power of collective impact and by sharing resources we enable so much more impact and change.

Simply catalogued into Watch, Listen, and Read... you'll find videos, podcasts, case studies, articles and more.



Leaders Buffet

Theme A Equity and Inclusion

Equity and inclusion is one of the most critical focus areas for all schools and one that aligns strongly with Leadership Lab's value of mana ōrite.

This involves advocating for equity for tangata whenua to honour Te Tiriti o Waitangi and for the inclusion of diverse values and beliefs.

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Theme B Wellbeing and Meaning

Wellbeing and Meaning focuses on how we can support the positive wellbeing of students and teachers within schools and kura. Taking a strengths-based approach to teaching and learning is central to the success of ākonga as confident and well supported lifelong learners.

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Theme C Future-focussed leadership

Future focussed leadership engages and empowers school leaders to effectively prepare students and schools to respond to the ever-changing global environment and inspire the exploration of new ways of working and learning.

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Theme D Collaboration and culture change

Collaboration and culture change explores the practices, mindsets and environments required to bring people together to develop shared ownership and work collectively towards innovative possibilities based on shared vision.

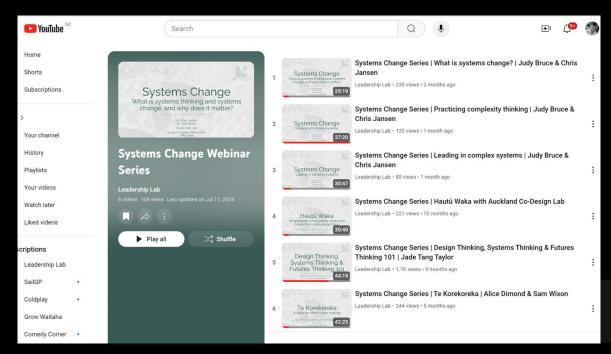
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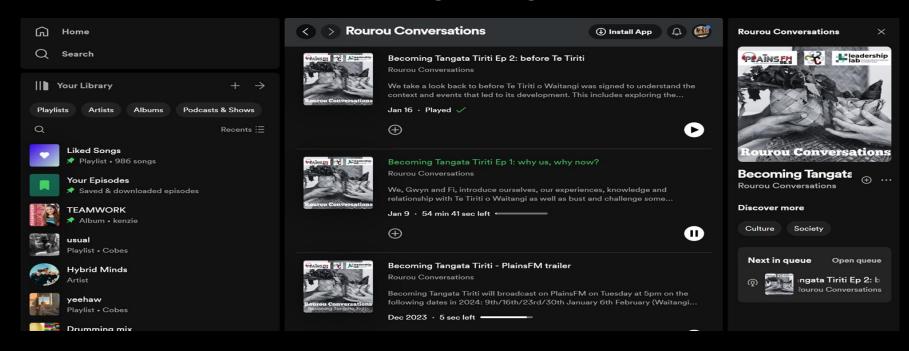
System changes webinar series



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Rourou conversations Podcast series Becoming Tangata Tiriti















Booking Information

Register here

Venue

Rehua Marae - Ōtautahi Christchurch

79 Springfield Road, St Albans

Time / Date

September 27th

8.45am-4.00pm

Leadership Lab, Waitaha CLD Network, Inspiring Communities Wānanga#1: Oritetanga - Leading for Equity in Aotearoa communities

Wānanga Series: Oritetanga: Leading for Equity in Aotearoa communities

This wānanga series is a Waitaha CLD Network, Inspiring Communities and Leadership Lab Rourou initiative







Fri Sept 27th 8.45am - 4.00pm and Fri Nov 1st 8.45am - 4.00pm





Facilitators Danette Abraham, Chris Jansen & Sarah Morris

This two wananga series is for people who work in and support community-led development and who are on a journey of understanding about Te Tiriti-based equity in Aotearoa. Together, we will acknowledge the history of the land we are on and learn about the evolution of community development in Aotearoa through the lens of oritetanga.







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