The Co-Lab Research group works on the development and valorisation of knowledge on collaborative ways of producing and managing living environments. It focuses on understanding the current re-emergence of “collaborative housing” forms in The Netherlands and abroad, such as cohousing, resident-led housing co-operatives, Community Land Trusts and others. The group was established in early 2018 by Dr. Darinka Czischke at the Department of Management in the Built Environment at the Faculty of Architecture and the Built Environment at the TU Delft. Ever since, the group has grown to include one post-doctoral researcher, one research assistant, three PhD researchers and six masters’ graduation students. During the first year of its existence, Co-Lab Research members have carried out the NWO-funded project “Samen Wonen, Samen Onderzoek-en” published scientific papers, given a number of media interviews, and presented their research at several conferences and seminars.

With this newsletter, we invite you to look at some highlights of the activities and achievements during our first year, and to get in touch if you are interested to explore collaboration!

The Co-Lab Research Team
Events

Darinka Czischke and Carla Huisman gave two workshops at the Platform 31 day conference on Dutch housing cooperatives in The Hague, 27 May 2018

ENHR 2018 Annual Conference in Uppsal- ia, Sweden. Collaborative Housing working group, 26-29 June 2018

Sara Brysch presented at the International Conference on Collaborative Housing, FEUP, Porto, 22 February 2019

Co-Lab research seminar, June, 2018

Darinka Czischke at the Summer School ‘Sustainable Housing from a European Perspective’, TU Delft, 2-13 July

Darinka Czischke keynote speaker at the Moscow Urban forum: The Megacity of the Future, New Space for Living, 17-22 July 2018

International seminar organised by Co-Lab group: “Bringing Collaborative Housing forward in the Netherlands: Learning from international examples of collective self-organisation in housing”. This seminar is part of the Project Living Together, Researching Together (Samen Wonen, Samen Onderzoeken), Amsterdam, 22 November 2018

Darinka Czischke presented at OTB-colloquium on self-organisation and social mix in social housing, TU Delft, 21 November 2018

Sara Brysch presented at CHEOPS #9 on communal living, Eindhoven, 28 November 2018

Co-Lab research seminar. November, 2018

Darinka Czischke presented at seminar on civil society and the city, TU Delft, 15 November 2018

Sara Brysch at International Conference on Collaborative housing, FEUP, Porto, February 2019

D. Czischke at the Moscow Urban Forum, July 2018

Co-Lab research seminar. June, 2018

International seminar: Bringing Collaborative Housing forward in the Netherlands. November 2018

D. Czischke at the Moscow Urban Forum, July 2018

Publications


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