# Foresight-3.0: from crisis to transformation

Many cards are up in the air with the pandemic – a 'hyper-wicked' problem, with *deeper threat multipliers* all around. How to manage such transformations, and steer from crisis to opportunity? Can we envision a next-generation practice of futures and foresight? Such a *Foresight-3.0* could follow the principles of *collective intelligence*, both within the foresight process, and for the transformations around it.

This interactive dialogue or *Mind-Lab* explores a post-pandemic 'foresight of foresight', and practical pathways towards it, using online visual dialogue.

It's also a launch of *Deeper-City-Collective-Intelligence-and-the-Pathways-from-Smart-to-Wise,* which brings some first thoughts on Foresight 3.0. The agenda is open to follow up and new initiatives.

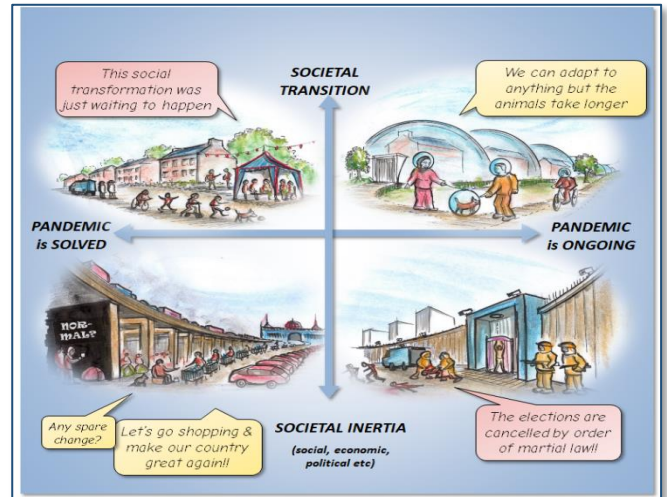**With: Joe Ravetz, University of Manchester UK**

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### THE CHALLENGE

It seems different versions of foresight work at different levels:

- *Mode-I* or *foresight 1.0* – problems which are basically technical and looks for ways to fix them.
- *Mode-II* or *foresight 2.0* – assumes the future as an extension of the present…
- *Mode-III* or *foresight 3.0* – envisions multiple futures as a potential for transformation.

To explore this we need to think out of the box – with *Mind-Lab* visual dialogues, which explore the *deeper and wider* problems, the potential of *collective intelligence*, and mapping of forward *pathways*.