

# **LEARNING ECO-SYSTEMS: THE WAY FORWARD**

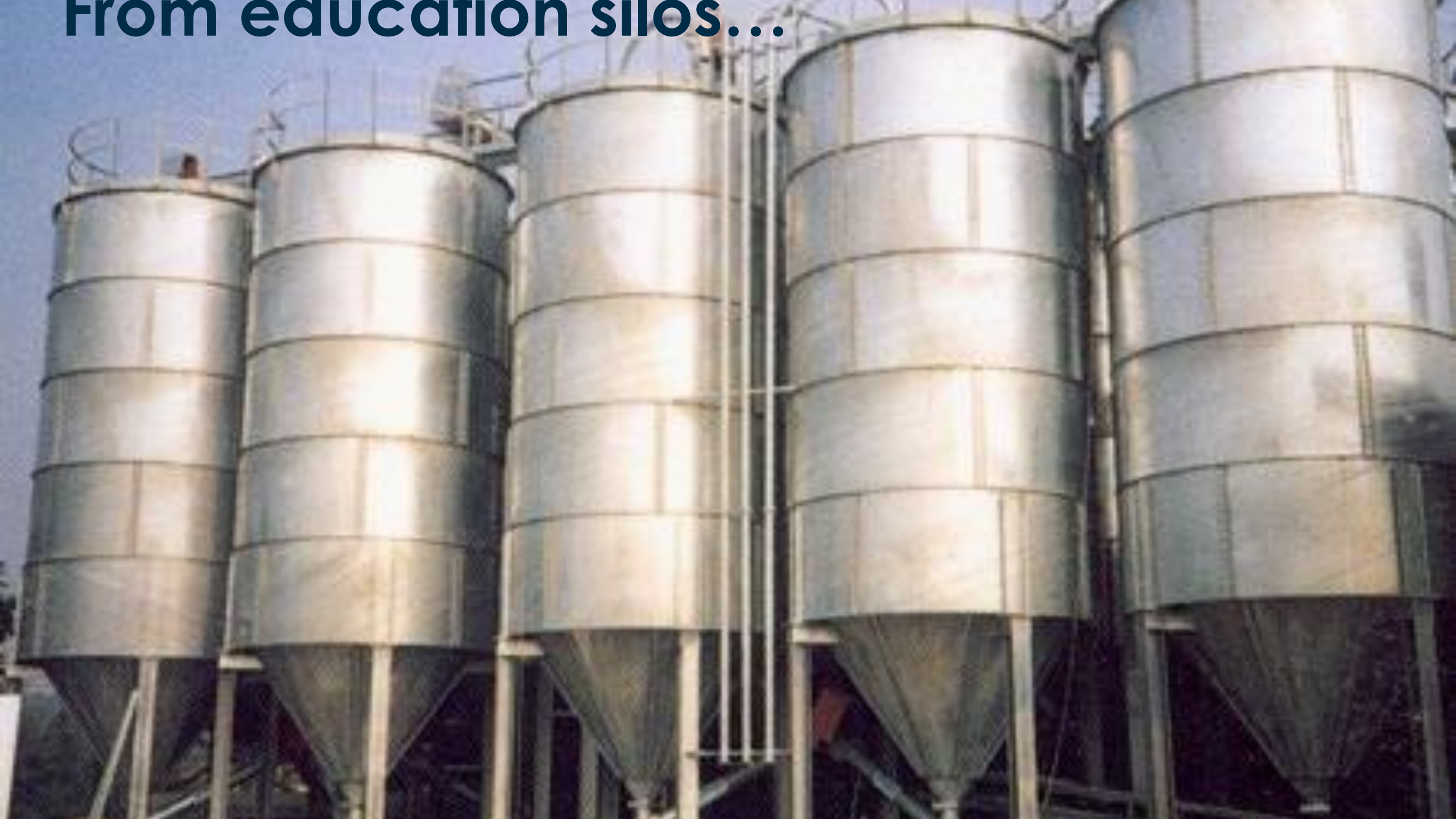
## **NETWORKING FOR JOINING FORCES**

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# How to grow innovation?

**From education silos...**



# ...to learning ecosystems



- Schools play a central role but are not alone
- No one ecosystem looks like another
- Inclusive decision-making and distributed accountability
- Interdependance
- Able to adapt

Mindsets and  
mechanisms  
to be  
transformed