

Boomerang Labs

Australia's first circular economy accelerator

There is no waste in nature

Boomerang Labs is supporting the transition to a circular economy

We help grow the ideas and talents of entrepreneurs and small businesses with circular systems and solutions at their core



Circular economy entrepreneurs are in a catch-22

On one hand...

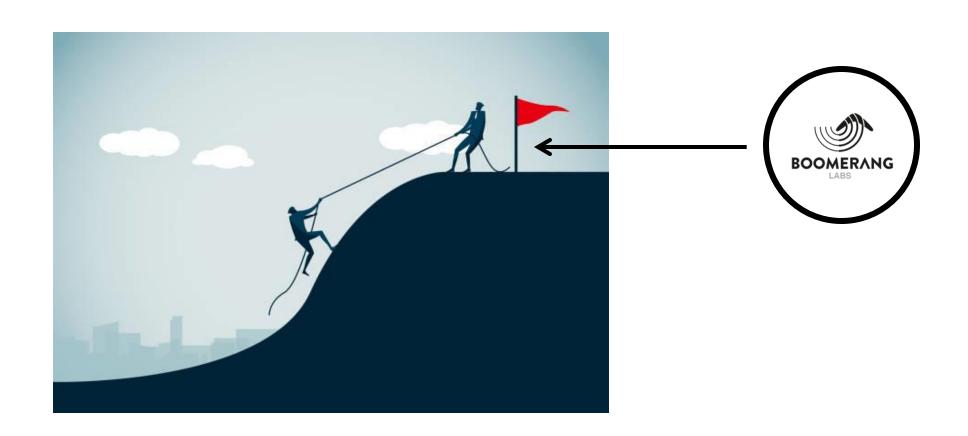
They can be AGILE and able to adopt new and innovative business models more easily





And on the other...
They are often
RESOURCE CONSTRAINT
and creating new solutions
to problems that aren't
immediately visible.





Circular economy awareness, participation and momentum is growing

(... why else would we all be here?)



Regulations and consumption trends are creating **fast-growing market opportunities for circular economy startups**.

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This, in turn, creates a unique opportunity for investments which generate both systemic impact and financial returns

Olivier Raybaud, Co-Founder and Managing Partner, Blue Oceans Partners



UK CIRCULAR ECONOMY INVESTMENTS 2022 £879M OF DISCLOSED CAPITAL DEPLOYED ACROSS 1,000 160 **142** CIRCULAR ECONOMY INVESTMENTS 900 140 **ANNUAL DEAL VOLUMES GROWN 16%** FROM 122 IN 2021 TO 142 IN 2022 800 120 700 DISCLOSED CAPITAL DEPLOYED HAS INCREASED BY OVER 10% FROM £788M IN 2021 TO £879M IN 2022 600 500 **AVERAGE DISCLOSED CHEQUE SIZE IS £9.3M IN 2022** 400 60 300 BASED ON AN AVERAGE DISCLOSED INVESTMENT OF £9.3M PER 40 TRANSACTION WE ESTIMATE THAT THE TOTAL **CAPITAL INVESTED** INTO 200 THE UK CIRCULAR ECONOMY WAS IN THE REGION OF £1.3BN IN 2022 20 100 **VENTURE CAPITAL** ACCOUNTED FOR **62%** OF 2022 TRANSACTIONS, FOLLOWED BY MID-MARKET PRIVATE EQUITY (17%) 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022

Source: BDO, 2022



Systems change requires skills and participation across the economy

That's why we are Boomerang Labs is sector-agnostic



We support business models that align with key R actions











Design-based Waste-based Platform-based Service-based Nature-based

REDUCE

RECYCLE, RECOVER

REDUCE. REUSE

REDUCE. RETURN. REPAIR

REGENERATE



Our 2022 Accelerator Cohort

























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Boomerang Labs is growing alongside the emerging innovation landscape

with a few key priorities to support circular economy innovators





Delivering our flagship Accelerator program in partnership with the NSW EPA









Circular Hub

a 12-week accelerator program for visionary founders shaping a circular economy

Advancing circular economy within the broader innovation ecosystem





Prioritising regional innovation



We'd love to work with you!

Contact us via email by scanning the QR code



