

Study visits on Swedish innovation systems

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<i>Hans Westlund</i> , Professor of Urban and Regional Studies, KTH	Entrepreneurship for regional development
<i>Lisa Ericsson</i> , Head of KTH Innovation	Introduction to KTH Innovation: organization and business development model
<i>Terrence Brown</i> , Professor of Entrepreneurship and Innovation, KTH	Technology-based entrepreneurship and entrepreneurship for engineers
<i>Bruce Lyne</i> , Professor in Industrial management, KTH	IPR strategy and the innovation process Partnering as a means to speed commercialization
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National research and innovation policy

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A top nation for innovation

- Global Innovation Index
- European Innovation Scoreboard
- Global Competitiveness Report

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The Global Innovation Index 2016

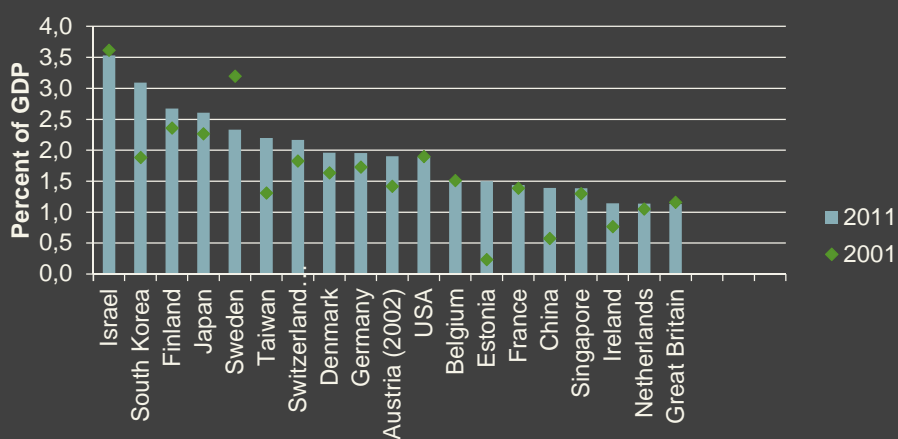
1. Switzerland
2. Sweden
3. United Kingdom
4. United States of America
5. Finland
6. Singapore
7. Ireland
8. Denmark
9. Netherlands
10. Germany



The Global Innovation Index 2016 Winning with Global Innovation



R&D-investments as a share of the GDP decreases among private companies



Governance of Research and Innovation



Parliament (Riksdag)

Legislates

Decides on budget

Decide on over-all priorities for policy areas

“Research and Innovation Bill to Parliament” ~ every 4 years

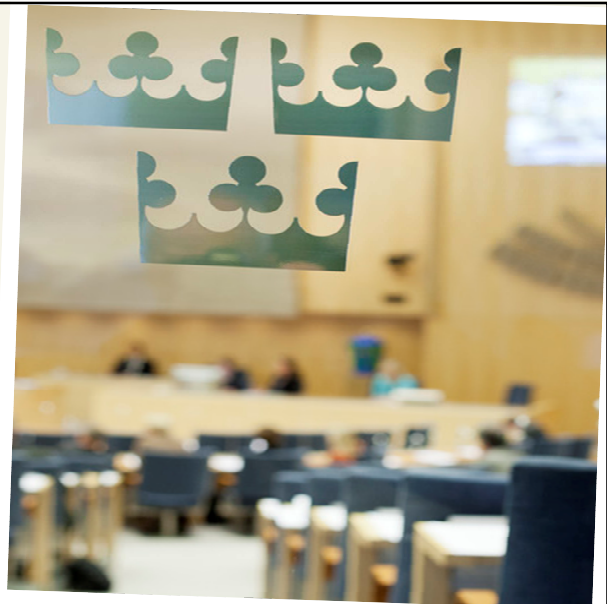


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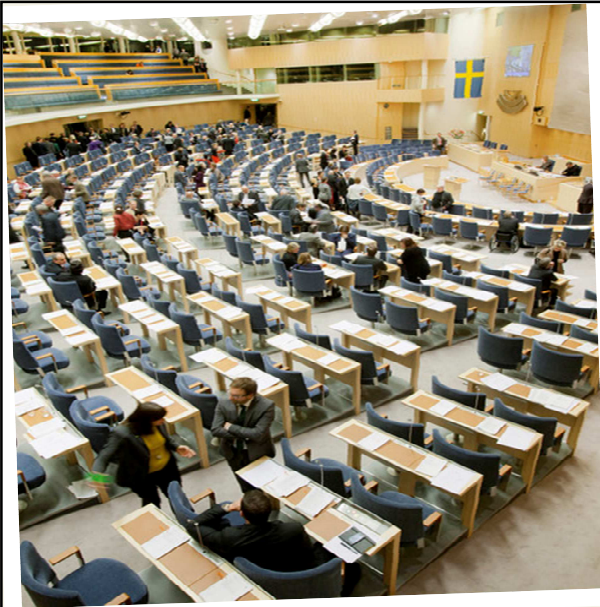


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Government (Cabinet)

Prepares and presents Bills, i.e. “Research and Innovation Bill”

Specifies budgets and goals for agencies

Issues assignments to agencies

Appoints agency heads

VINNOVA

Agency characteristics

Autonomous – courts and other agencies are treated alike

One Minister cannot rule – collective decision making of the Government

No external can interfere with agencies in their handling of cases (incl. ministers, Constitutional rule)

Public access to documents (Constitutional rule)

Impact analysis instead of detailed directives. (*Ex post* control – generally no *ex ante* steering)



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Research and Innovation Bill to Riksdag 2016

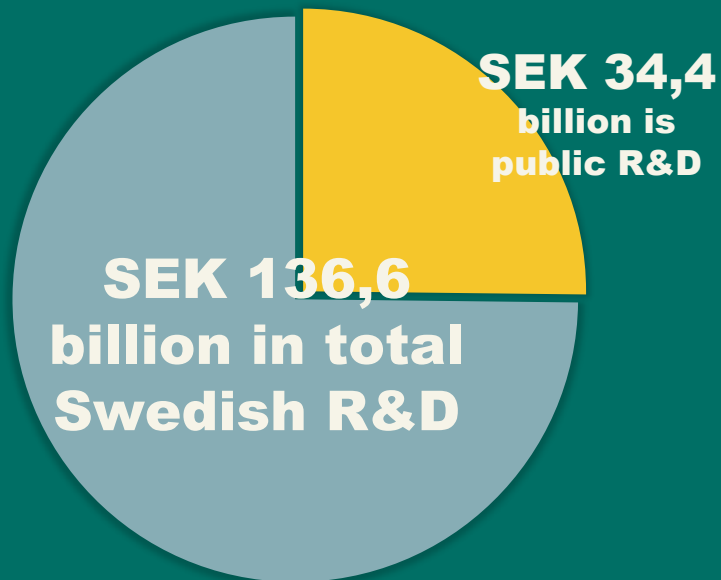
- "Cooperation" and "Societal Challenges" as major policy focus
- Wider view on the mission for public universities
 - Clearer responsibility put on universities to reach the policy goals
 - Increased basic funding based on deliveries on expectations (policy related)
- New national programmes focusing on societal challenges
- Strong focus on new "Cooperation programmes" (innovation oriented), mainly by increased funding to, and clustering of, ongoing activities/programmes



Some figures on Swedish Research and Innovation



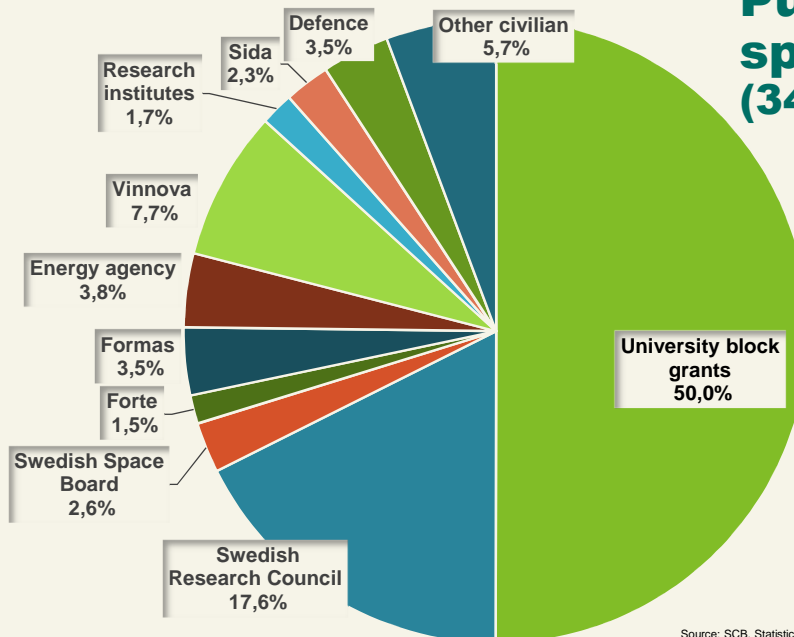
Swedish research and development (R&D)



Source: SCB, Statistics Sweden



Public R&D spending 2016 (34,4 billion SEK)



Source: SCB, Statistics Sweden



Vinnova in brief

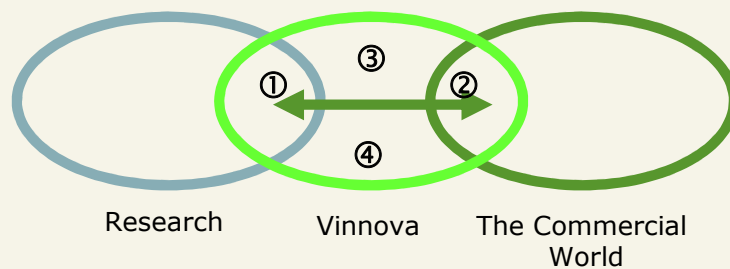
- Swedish government agency under the Ministry of Enterprise and Innovation
- During 2016 the funding distributed for Research and Development is approx. SEK 2,6 Billion
 - Grants to universities, companies and public authorities
 - Co-operation between stakeholders is central
- About 200 people work at Vinnova's offices in Stockholm, Brussels and Palo Alto, CA
- Charlotte Brogren is Director General



Three roles



Research and Innovation for Sustainable Growth



- ① Support the creation of new market inspired research results
- ② Support the creation of "bridge heads" on the market for research based innovations
- ③ Stimulate the creation of networks between industry, finance, academia and public org.
- ④ Support the adaptation of R&D results for commercial exploitation



Why is cooperation central in Vinnova's portfolio of initiatives?

- Cooperation between academia, business and public sector is a powerful tool to transfer knowledge and to exploit research findings
- Cooperation gives new important input from industry or public sector to academia, often helping to (re-) define the scientific research agenda of the field
- Cooperation helps changing the behavior of actors involved, thus paving the way for renewal and innovation

"An interesting observation about economic impacts is that the effects of collaboration – take-up and use of knowledge from the centers by the companies involved – dwarf university income from patents and licensing, suggesting that cooperation is a far more powerful means than the Technology Transfer Office function to obtain societal and economic returns for the taxpayer"

From: p. 120 in "Long Term Industrial Impacts of the Swedish Competence Centres", Peter Stern et al. – Technopolis Group; VINNOVA Analysis VA 2013:10

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Societal Challenges as Drivers for Innovation and Growth



Societal Challenges

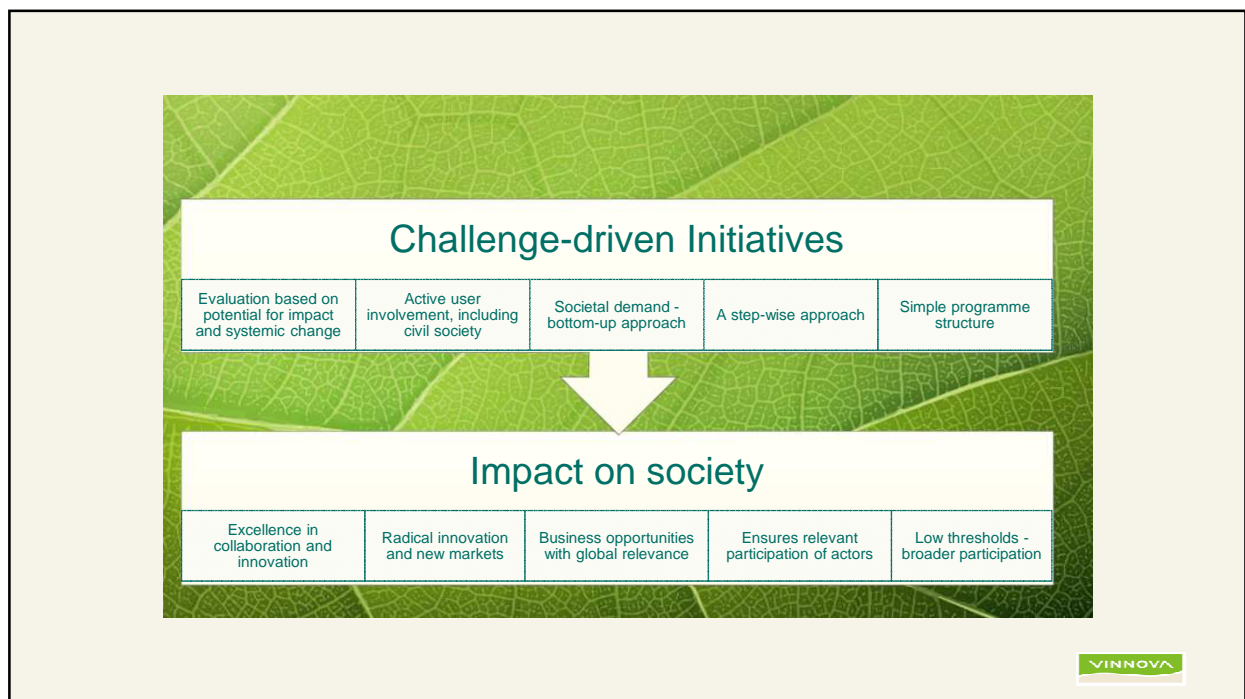
- Threats if not addressed
- Global challenges have been identified as a strong driver of demand for innovations by EU 2020, OECD...
- The Lund declaration, 2009

Demand for solutions create business opportunities for innovative new products, services and processes

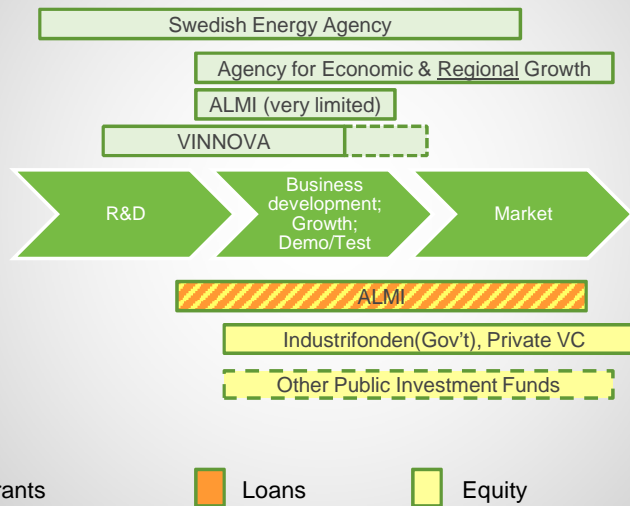


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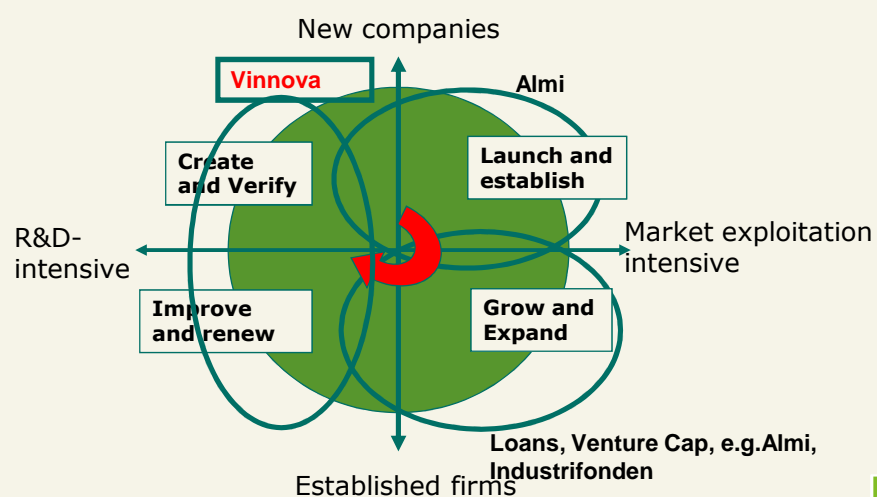
Public Grants, Loans and Equity for SME:s in Sweden



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The Support System for Commercialisation



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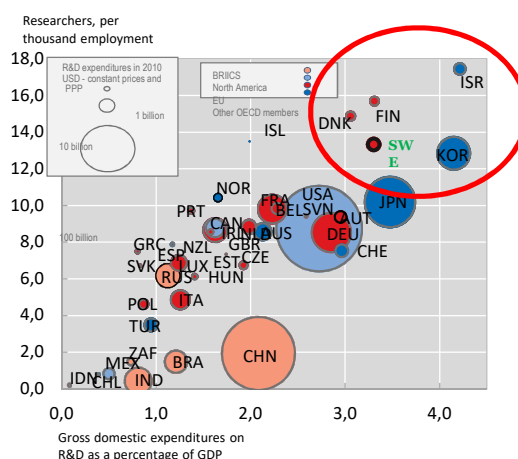
OECD REVIEW OF INNOVATION POLICY: **SWEDEN 2016** MAIN RESULTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Andrew Wyckoff,
Director of Science Technology and Innovation



Main conclusions of the 2012 Review

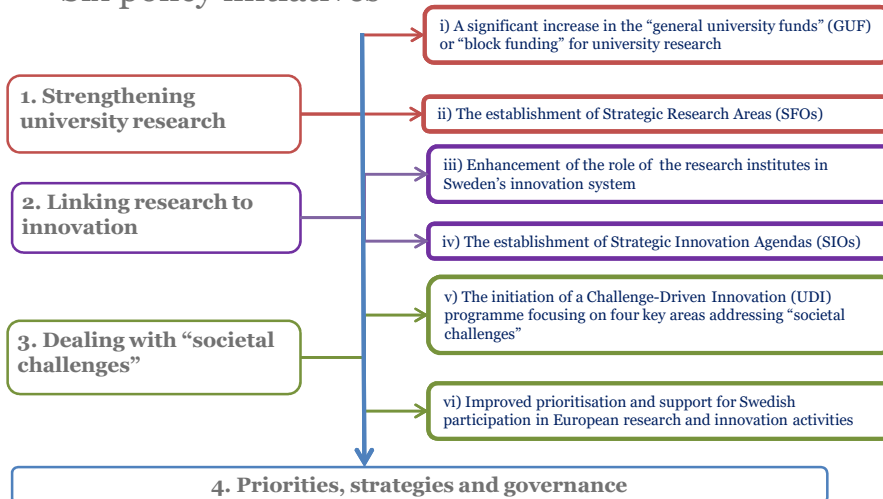
- a highly successful economic and social development
- well prepared for globalisation
- a strong Swedish innovation system
- but new initiatives to tap “new sources of growth” needed





The 2016 Review

- Six policy initiatives



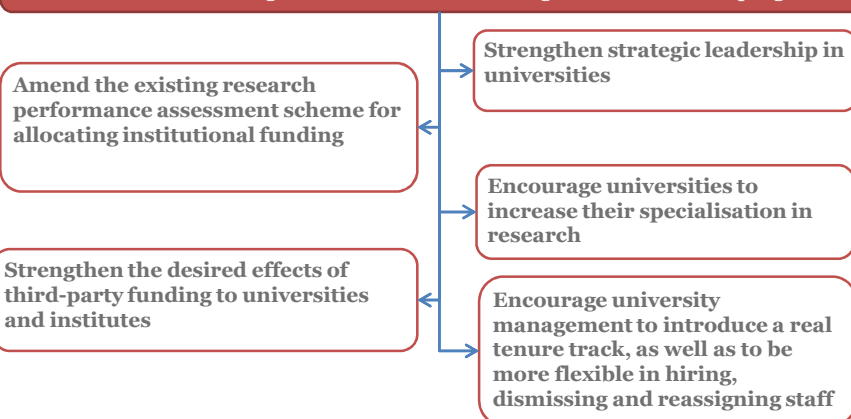
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Recommendations

1. Strengthening university research

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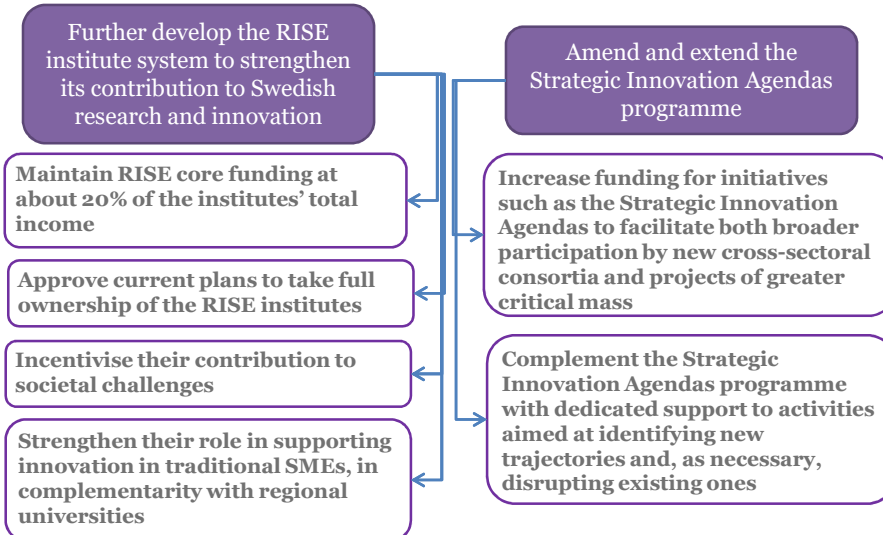


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Recommendations

2. Linking research to innovation



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Recommendations

3. Dealing with “societal challenges”

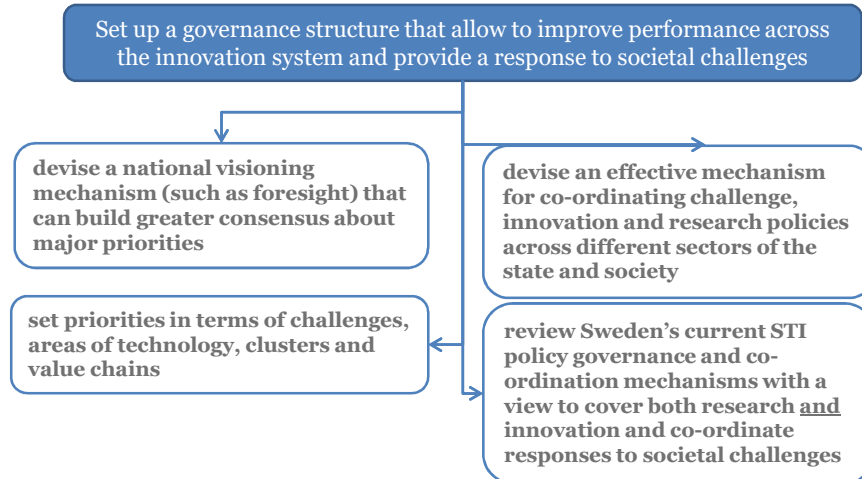


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Recommendations

4. Priorities, strategies and governance



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Recommendations (examples)

- 1. Strengthening university research
 - Enable universities to act in more flexible and strategic ways before any new increase in block funding or extension of the Strategic Research Areas programme
- 2. Linking research to innovation
 - Further develop the RISE institute system to strengthen its contribution to Swedish research and innovation
 - Amend and extend the Strategic Innovation Agendas programme
- 3. Dealing with “societal challenges”
 - Take actions to address societal challenges at systems level, not only at programme or project levels
- 4. Priorities, strategies and governance
 - Set up a governance structure that allow to improve performance across the innovation system and provide a response to societal challenges

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Swedish innovation strategies at national and regional level

KTH, 2017-06-01



Maria Lindqvist, County Administrative Board of Stockholm

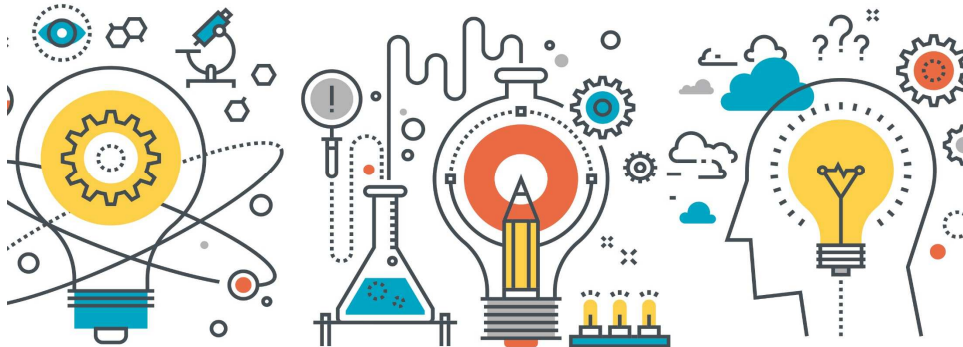


The governmental investigation on innovation and entrepreneurship



Entreprenörskap i det tjugoförsta århundradet

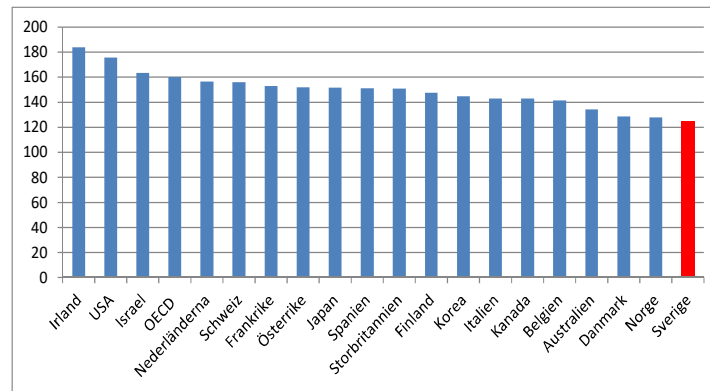
(SOU 2016:72)



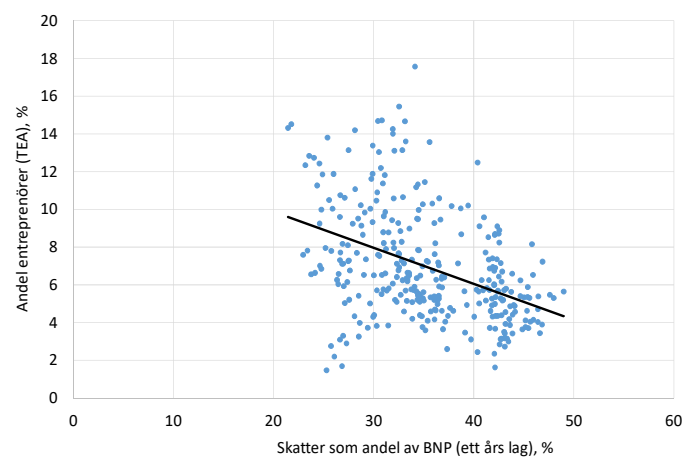
Framework conditions

- Labor market
- Social insurance
- Access to competence
- Competition and productivity
- Legal frameworks
- Housing and infrastructure
- Taxes

High education income in comparison to average income level



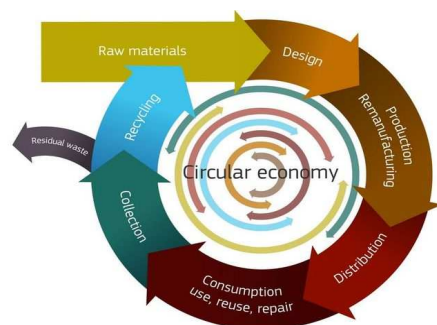
Taxes as a share of GDP and entrepreneurship, 2001-2015 in innovation driven countries



Meeting social challenges

- Focus on areas where Sweden has a global competitiveness
- Aging population, increased privatisation, need for research innovation and digitalisation in health and hospital care
- Global migration, flows of refugees and urbanisation
- Increasing ecological footprints, global pollution, sharing economy and circularity

A circular economy from a broad perspective



Vs

Linear economy



Need for initiatives

- Incentives for innovation in health and hospital care,
 - E.g. result based funding, evaluations and access to open data
- New ways into Swedish society
 - E.g.. fast track at universities and HEI, exchange of experience (e.g. Germany), innvaotion competitions, entrepreneur brokers, access to second hand rental apartments
- More climate friendly and resource efficient production
 - Harmoniserd frameworks, evaluation and monitoring, producer responsibility regulations, stimulate climate friendly support
 - Incentives for a more circular economy, e.g. taxes, research, testbeds, industrial symbiosis, sharing of knowledge
 - More transparent national priorities
- Public procurement, innovation competitions an crowd-sourcing

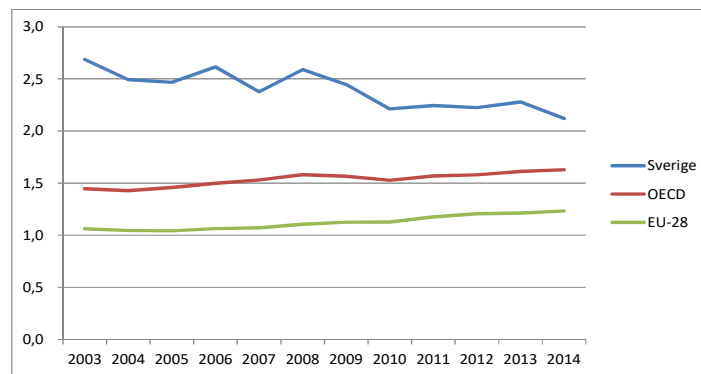


Threats to research and innovation in Sweden

- Top-level ranking in innovation index – but more input than output (economic effects)!
- Low ranking in the PISA-study
- Lack of competence in the business sector
- Ambitious investments in the last research bills (innvoation offices, startegic research programs, strategic innvaotion programs, development of Swedish research institutes, etc) but uncertain effects on research quality and cooperation accordin to OECD
- Private investments in R&D are going down



Private research as a share of GDP



Need to focus quality in research and education

- Develop research and education in higher education (competition, leadership, research funding, international experts)
- Develop access to competence (fair judgement of national exams, more digital competence development, life-long-learning, facilitate the potential to attract global talents)
- Increased collaboration between academia, business and public sector (national programs, mobility, campus based meeting places, access to innovation advisory services, support to use testbeds, etc)
- Other suggestions (R&D-deduction for private firms, support in patent processes)

Public support to entrepreneurship and innovation

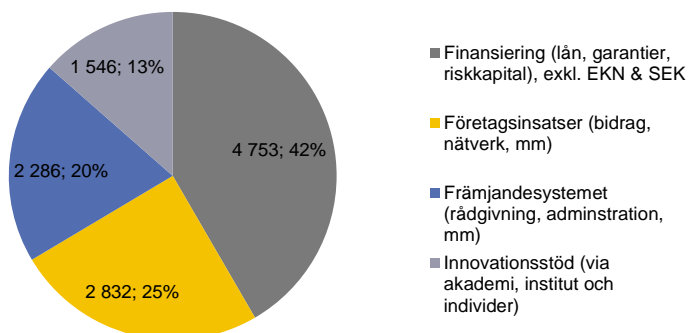
- Fragmented with many actors and overlapping initiatives
- Limited coordination – pipelines in agencies and ministries, unclear division of responsibility between national and regional level
- Weaknesses in monitoring and evaluation – measuring societal effects, weak goal formulations
- Unclear volumes - depending on definitions!

Business support to various policy areas (about SEK 38,2 billions)

Policy area	MSEK	Share
Labor market policy	13 790	36 %
EU funding	10 463	27 % ¹
Business development	5 222	4 %
Research and innovation policy	3 293	9 %
Farming etc	2 287	6 %
Regional business support	1 624	4 %
International policy	770	2 %
Environment and climate policy	397	1 %
Cultural policy	316	1 %
Total	38 161	

Source: Data 2014-2015

Different types of growth support initiatives (total about SEK 11,3 billions)



More efficient public support systems

- Better national co-ordination
- More transparent regional responsibilities and access to resources
- Develop the prerequisites for better evaluations (goal setting, measuring societal effects, stronger evaluation capacity, consolidate funding)
- Develop access to digital information (verksamt.se)
- Support m innovative public procurement
- Focus early stage funding for innovation

The County of Stockholm

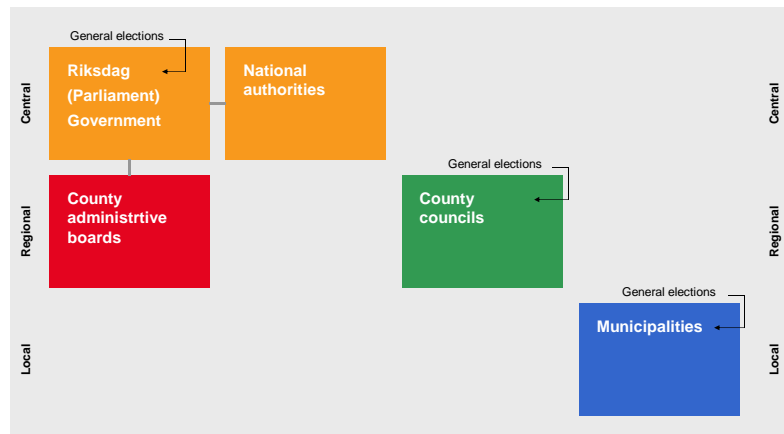


Facts about Stockholm County

- 2 percent of Sweden's area
- Most densely populated county in Sweden with over 2,1 million inhabitants
- 20 percent of Sweden's population, growing with 30,000–40,000 new inhabitants per year
- 30 percent of Sweden's gross domestic product
- 30 percent of new businesses
- Half of the county consists of forest
- Archipelago with 30,000 islands



The County Administrative Board's position in the Swedish public authority system

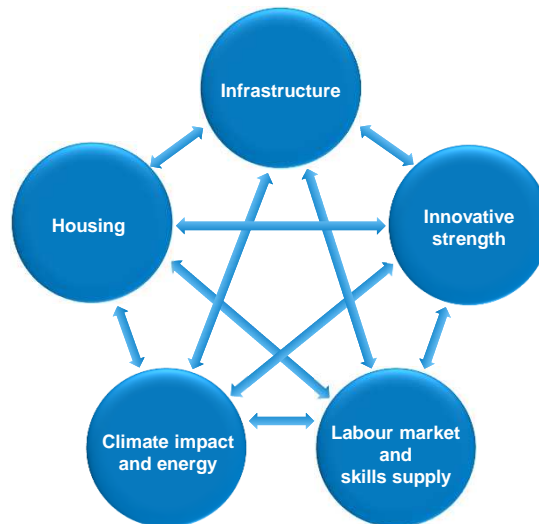


Government representatives in Stockholm County

The County Administrative Board's charge:

- ensure that national policies and national goals have a regional impact
- coordinate state activities
- follow and promote the county's development ("growth responsibility")

Five crucial development areas for the Stockholm region



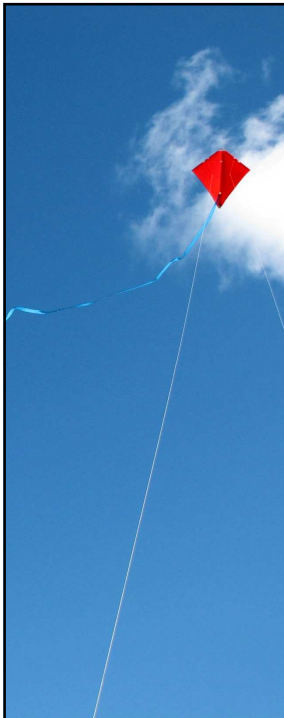
Functional housing market

- A rapid increase in the population and insufficient construction of homes have led to a housing shortage.
- Up to 20,000 new homes need to be built each year. Flexible solutions for a wider range of student accommodation are urgently required.
- This also necessitates considerable expansion and improvement of the infrastructure.



Functional infrastructure

- The traffic and transport system has reached its maximum capacity.
- Major investments must be made in water supply, sewage systems and waste management.
- The expansion of broadband – particularly in rural areas – is important.
- Expansion must occur in parallel with the planning of new housing and workplaces, and it must take place in an eco-friendly way.



Sustainable environmental & energy development

- Key areas comprise reduced climate impact, secured supply of drinking water and stimulated development of environmental technology.
- Using the innovative ability of the region we can both develop the business sector and lead the environmental field.



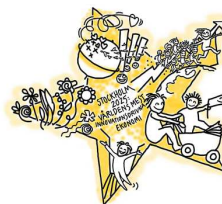
Functional labour market & skills supply

- The need for a highly qualified workforce is rising rapidly.
- A secured skills supply, better matching and faster establishment in the labour market are prioritised measures.



Greater innovative strength

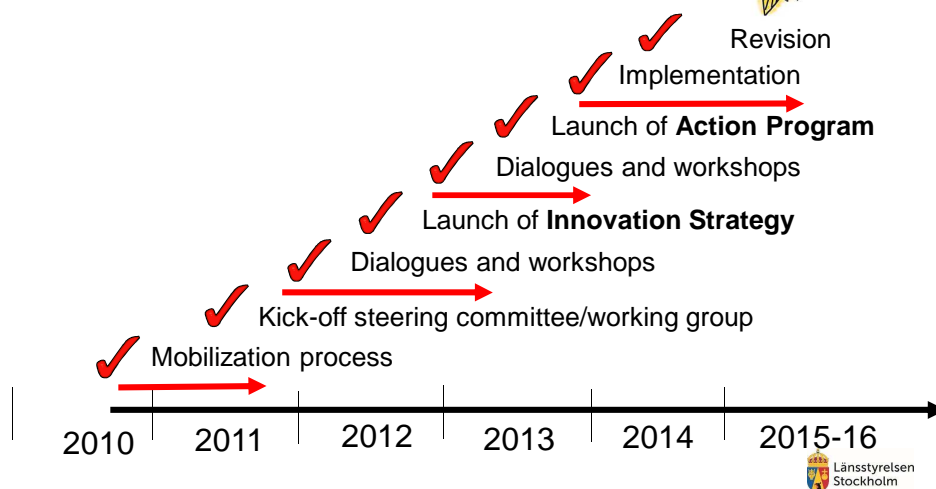
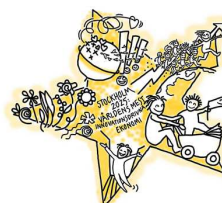
- Stockholm County is described as the most knowledge-intensive region outside the USA.
- But international competition is intense and measures to promote innovation are required – especially to secure cutting-edge expertise.



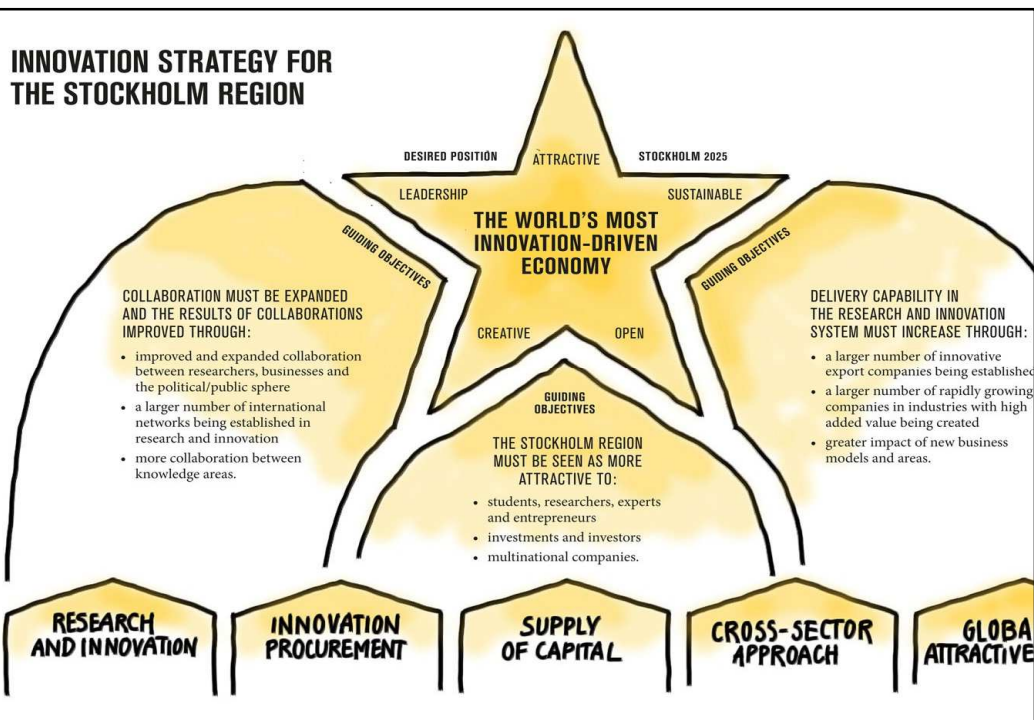
Innovation Stockholm Regional Innovation Strategy



A Regional Mobilisation Process

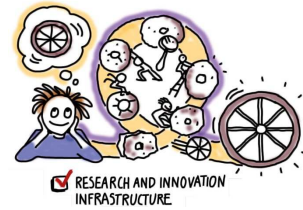
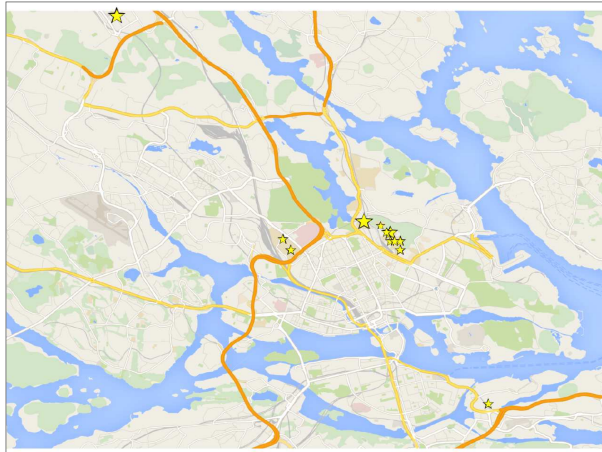


Strategic Triple Helix Partnership



Mapping of research and innovation infrastructure in Stockholm

90 laboratories, test & demo sites in SU, KI, KTH och RISE

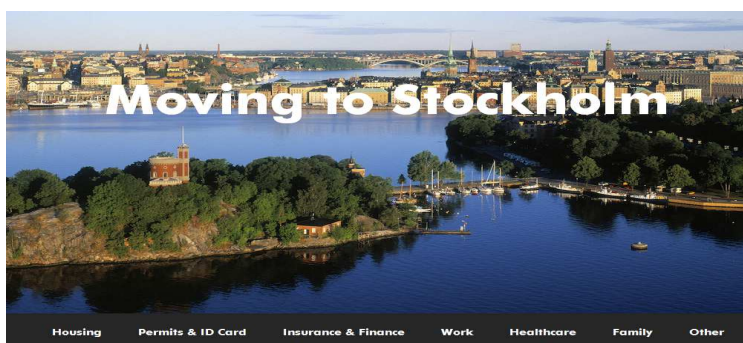


Example - KTH

- 1 Electrum Lab
- 2 SciLifeLab
- 3 PDC Center for
- 4 Odqvistlaboratoriet
- 5 Sjöstadverket
- 6 Nano Lab, AlbaNova Nanofabrication facility / Myfab
- 7 AlbaNova Laser Laboratory
- 8 AlbaNova Mesoscopic Measurements Lab
- 9 VIC Visualization Studio
- 10 SAPC - Centrum för flyg och rymdfysiologi / Swedish Aerospace Physiology Center
- 11 XPRES Lab
- 12 KTH Transport Labs
- 13 Bygghälsan Mätlaboratoriet ABE
- 14 Highway and Railway Engineering Laboratory (Väg- och bantekniklaboratoriet)
- 15 Greenhous Labs



Home page for talent attraction

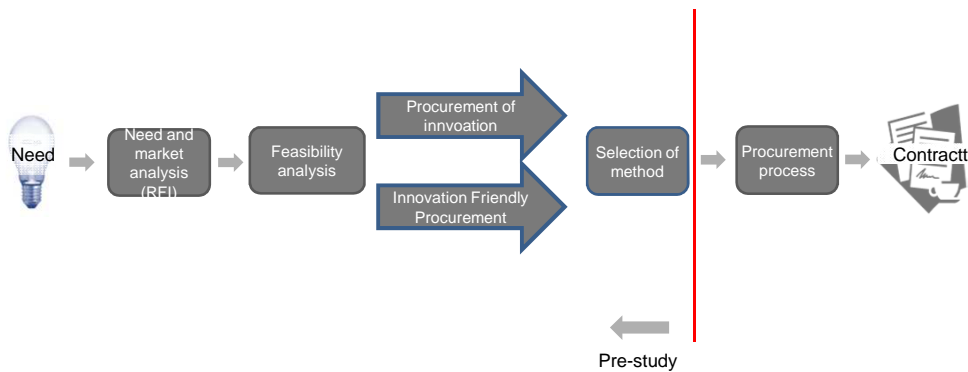
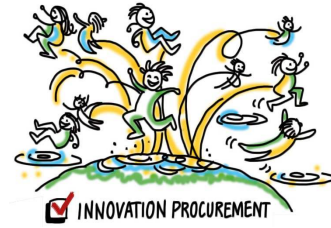


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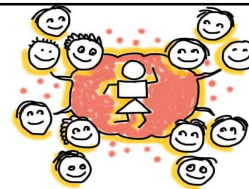


Handbook for innovation procurement



Länsstyrelsen
Stockholm

OpenLab



- Center for students, teachers and researchers from KI, KTH, SU och SH working with challenges provided by Stockholm city, the County Council or the County Administrative Board
- Develop concepts of solutions to complex societal challenges for a growing region by inter-disciplinary collaboration

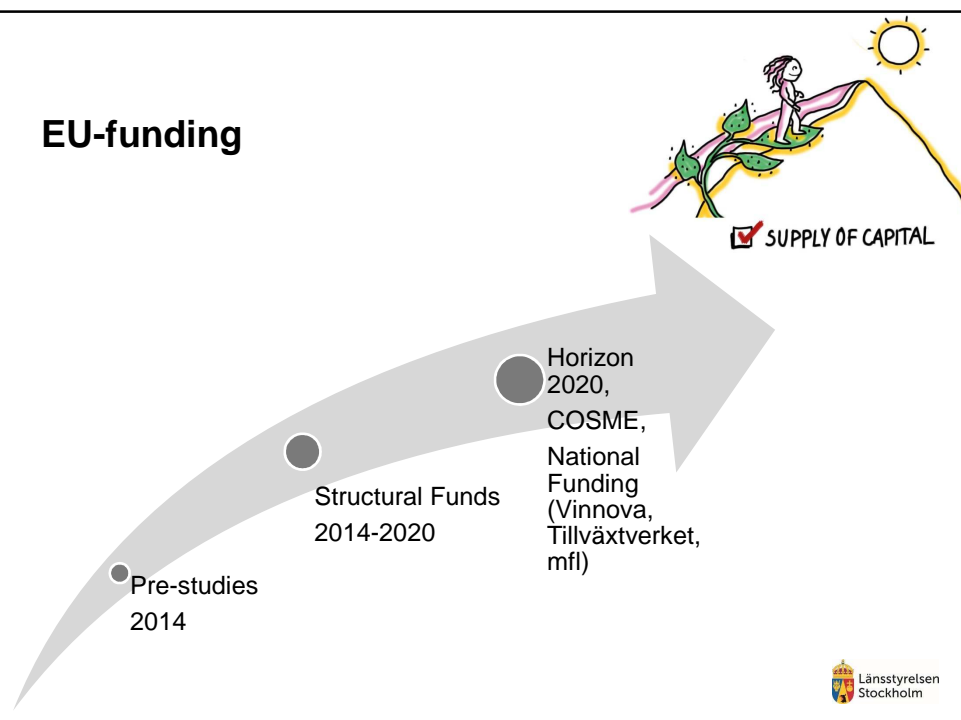


New creative locations in January 2015

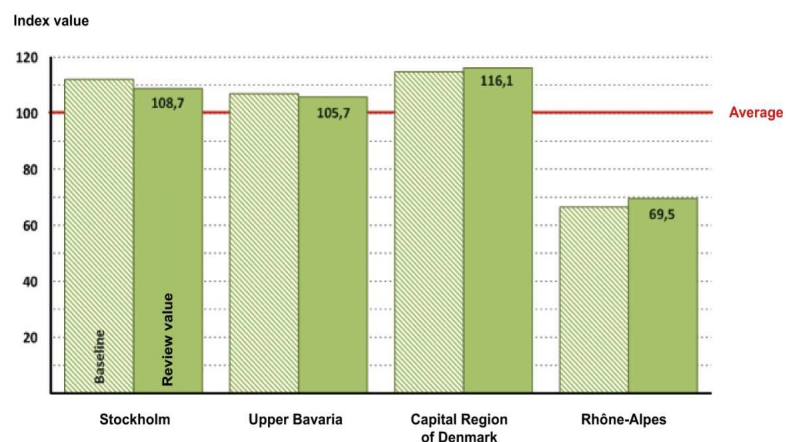
- 1300 kvm creative, learning environment and meeting place, supporting innovative solutions for regional challenges
- Unique café concept
- Creative environment for students, researchers and business
- Ateljéer/studios for prototyping
- Conference area
- Exhibitions

Länsstyrelsen
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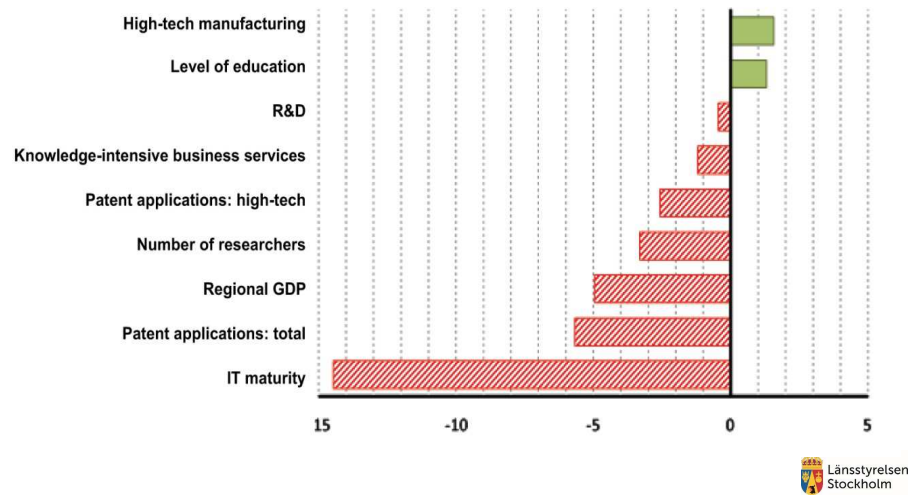
EU-funding



Innovation index values of the four regions: baseline and review



Changes in Stockholm compared to baseline



Process for smart specialisation

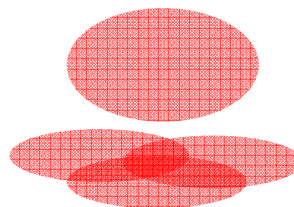
EU Structural Funds in Stockholm

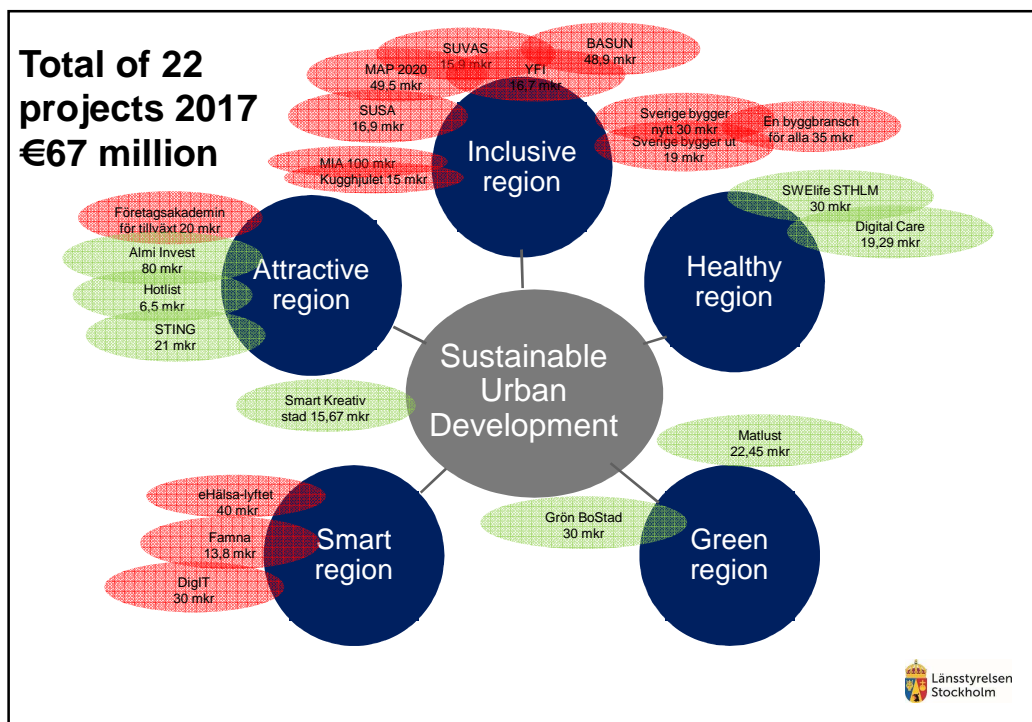
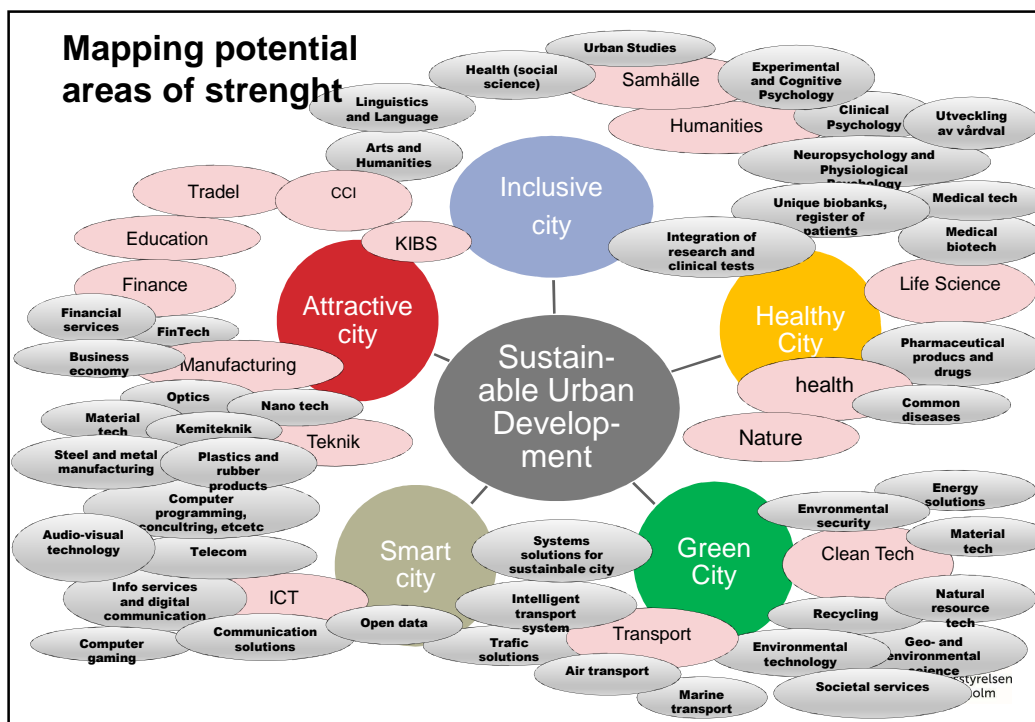
- Budget European Regional Funds (ERDF)
 - About 300 miljoner SEK (€30 million) 2014-2020
 - One priority area: Sustainable Urban development
 - TG 1 Research, technology and innovation (45%)
 - TG 3 Competitive SME (40%)
 - TG 4 Low carbon economy (15%)
- Budget European Social Funds (ESF)
 - PA 1 (Competence) 463 miljoner SEK (about €46 millions)
 - PA 2 (Increase transfer to work) 622 miljoner SEK (about €62 millions)



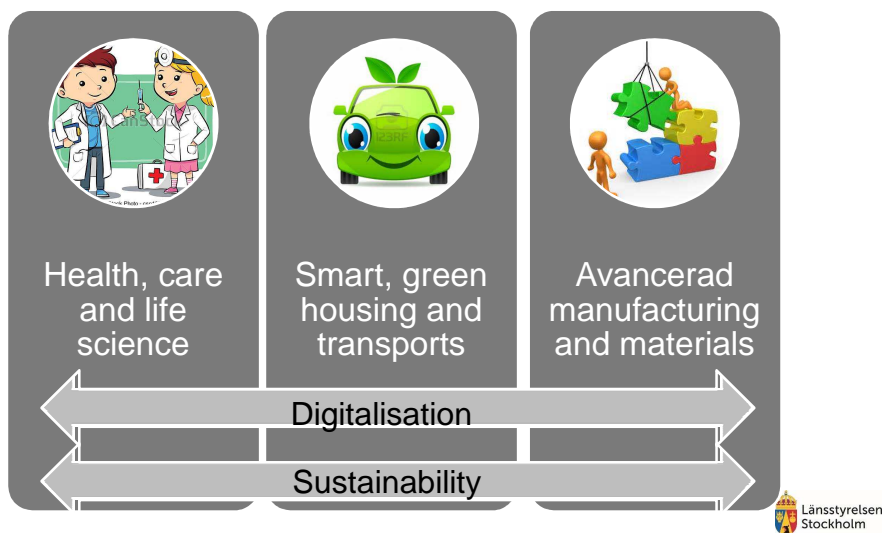
Main principles for implementation

- Concentration of resources
- Existing companies and employees in focus
- Collaboration between funds
- "Stockholm Model"
 - Large collaborative projects between strategic partners (preferably interdisciplinary initiatives)
 - A strategic effort with several participating projects, contributing to regional learning





On-going discussion on smart specialisation



Meeting several national collaboration programs

- Next generation travel and transport
- Smart cities
- Life Science
- Connected industry and new materials
- Circular and bio-based economy

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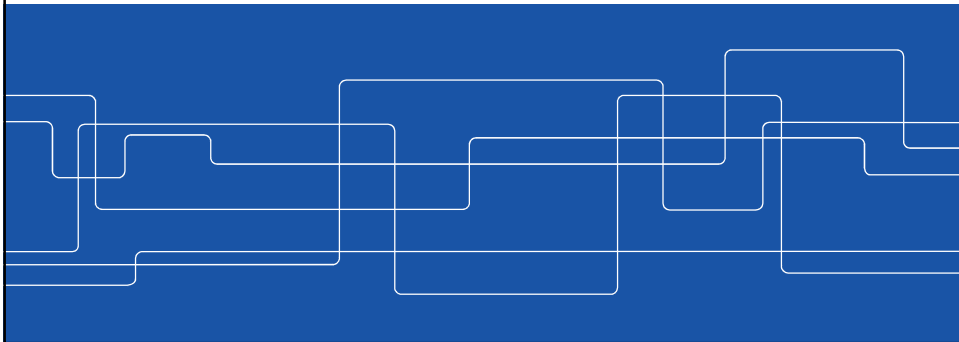


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Collaboration for Innovation



KTH Vision 2027

KTH works for a brighter tomorrow. KTH wishes to enhance society and identify smart solutions to the grand challenges of today, and of tomorrow.

*KTH works in the service of humankind
for the society of tomorrow.*

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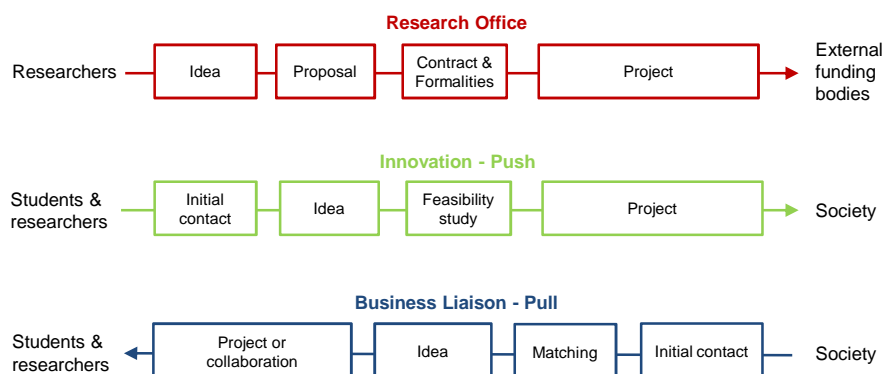
IMPACT THROUGH COLLABORATION



Business Liaison Office

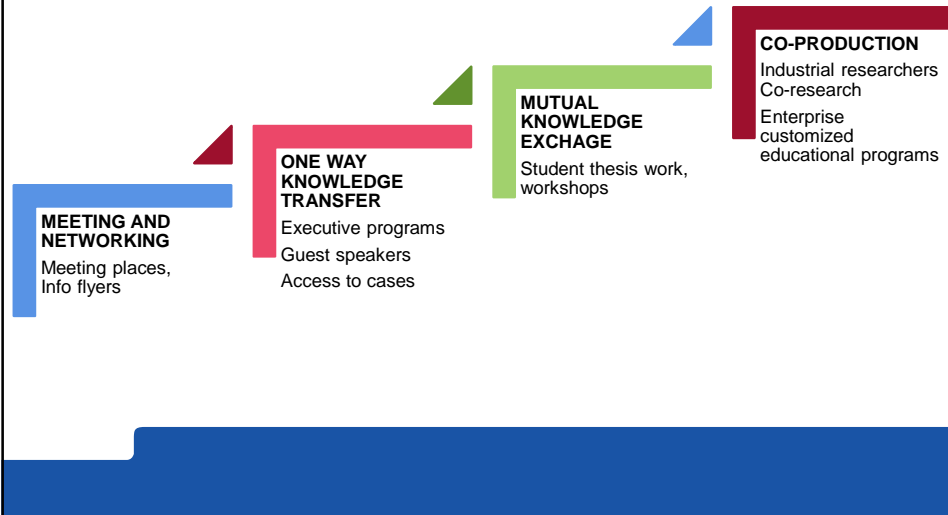


Tech Transfer and Innovation support





Collaboration development stair



Means for enhanced value creation through collaboration with society





KTH model of collaboration

STRATEGIC
PARTNERSHIP
PROGRAM

PERSON MOBILITY

*Goal: Adjunct Professors, Affiliated
Faculty, Industrial PhD*

ARENAS

> OpenLab

IMPACT

Logging of indicators to
measure Impact



Collaboration possibilities for SME



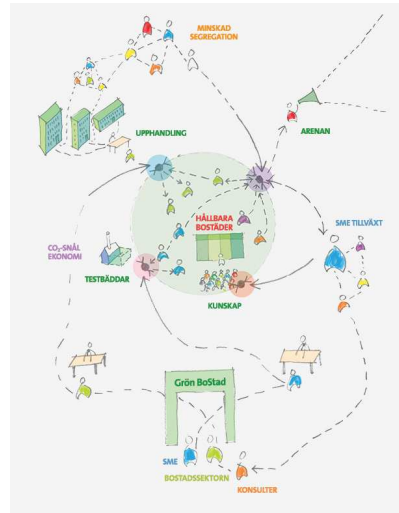
Grön BoStad Stockholm

Developments for habitations can be the driving force in making Sweden even more robust, climate neutral and socially forward looking.

To achieve that vision, Grön BoStad Stockholm operates in four interconnected subprojects: **test beds**, **procurement**, the **arena** and **knowledge**.

Grön BoStad Stockholm is funded by the European Regional Development Fund, and the project will help small and medium-sized enterprises in the housing sector to grow.

The target is growth, reduced segregation, and an economy characterized by low carbon emissions.



Regional collaboration for growth

Organisations

- County Administrative Board
- City of Stockholm
- Other Universities (KI, SU)
- Foundations and institutes

Present projects

- Innovation Strategy for the Stockholm Region
 - The worlds most innovation-driven economy





KTH's strategic partners



Collaboration that creates mobility between KTH and industry

From partner to KTH

- Adjunct Professor
- Affiliated Professor
- Affiliated Faculty
- Industry-employed doctoral students

From KTH to partner

- Industry-employed doctoral students
- Affiliated experts
- Degree projects and student jobs





Indicators for Collaboration

Quality measures for evaluation

- Adjunct professors
- Affiliated professors/affiliated faculty
- Industrial PhD students/Industrial Licentiate students
- Co-published papers with industrial partners
- Affiliated KTH experts
- Research funding from industry and public sector
- Commissioned Research
- Income from Contract education
- Patents, License agreements and Start-ups
- Incoming questions



Alumni – our top ambassadors

18 000 outside of Sweden
30 in your countries
25 formalised networks





Fundraising

In order to compete on a global market we need to produce world leading research and education

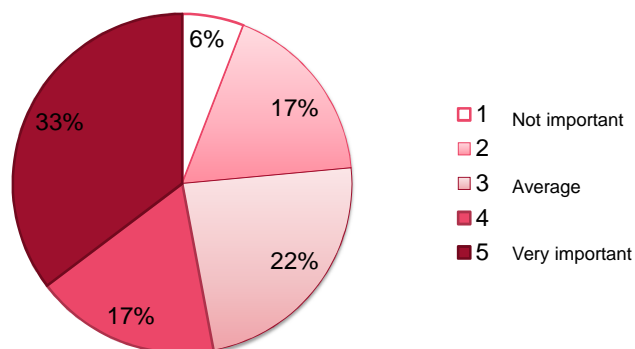
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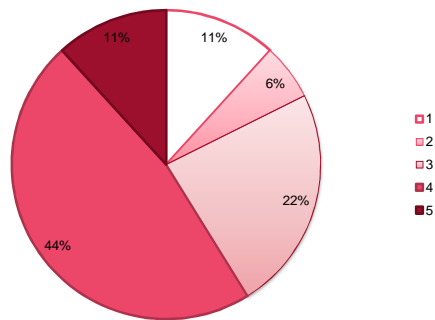


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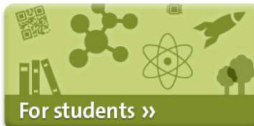
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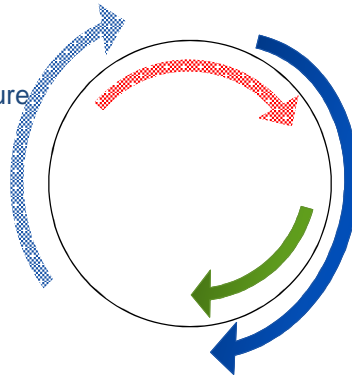
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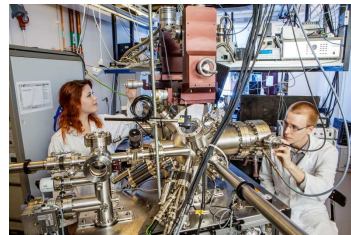
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- Performs tests, demonstrations and verifies concepts



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Entrepreneurship, social capital and rural development in Sweden

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The Swedish countryside

- 1945: Half the population lived on the countryside
- 2017: 12% live on the countryside
- 1945: About 70% of countryside's population were farmers or forestry workers
- 2017: 2.5% of the rural population work in agriculture and forestry

Industrial structure

- The service sector – mainly run by the municipalities – dominates both cities and countryside in Sweden
- The knowledge economy (high-tech sectors and education and research) is concentrated to metropolitan and university regions

Not one uniform countryside

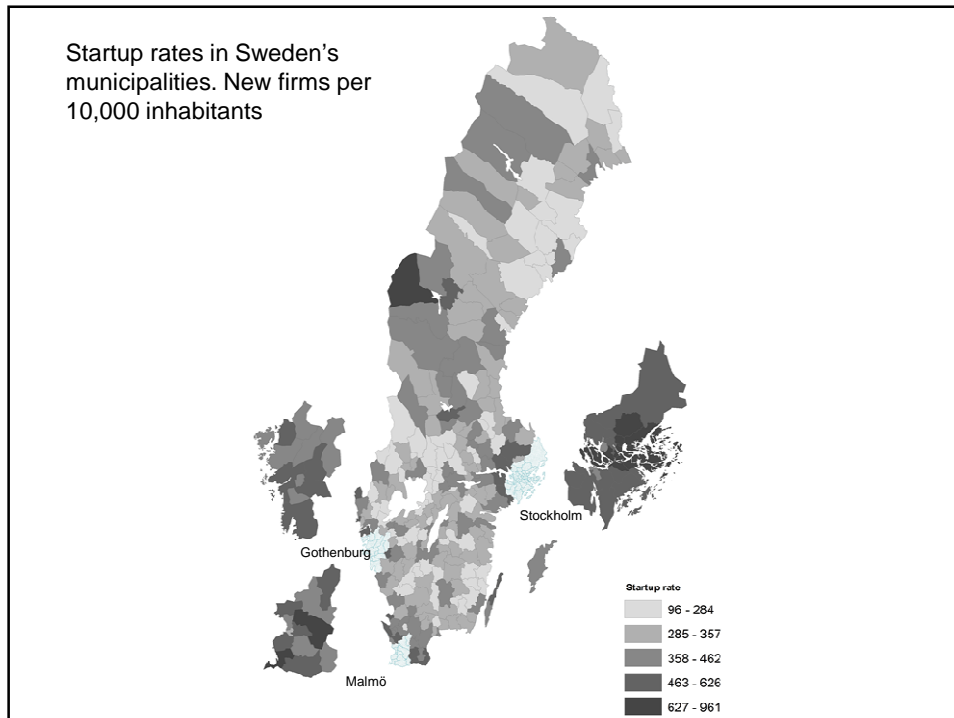
- Metropolitan-close countryside experiences high growth
- Rural areas close to regional centers increase
- The peripheral countryside (most of Sweden) loses population
- The more remote from centers – the larger are the population losses (with some interesting exceptions)

Entrepreneurship – a popular concept

- "To discover (or create) opportunities, to evaluate them, collect resources, in order to exploit the opportunities"
- Economic e-ship (starting new firms, etc)
- Social e-ship (new solutions for society's welfare)
- Political/policy e-ship (new methods in government, governance, planning, etc)

Entrepreneurship in the form of startups

- Strong entrepreneurship in metropolitan regions – not least among immigrants
- Low level of entrepreneurship in former manufacturing industry regions
- Strong entrepreneurship in rural tourism regions and certain other rural regions
- E-ship is highest in new, knowledge intense industries (metro regions) and low in traditional manufacturing (small urban places and rural areas)



Regional Policies in Sweden

- Established 1965
- Mainly directed towards firms for job creation
- The great expansion of the public sector in the 1970s created much more jobs in rural areas
- Today, most jobs in the cities. Rural dwellers commute to the jobs

Sweden member of European Union 1995

- Partly new systems for regional and rural policies:
 - New possibilities to apply for support
 - More resources for active villages that make applications, no extra resources to passive areas.

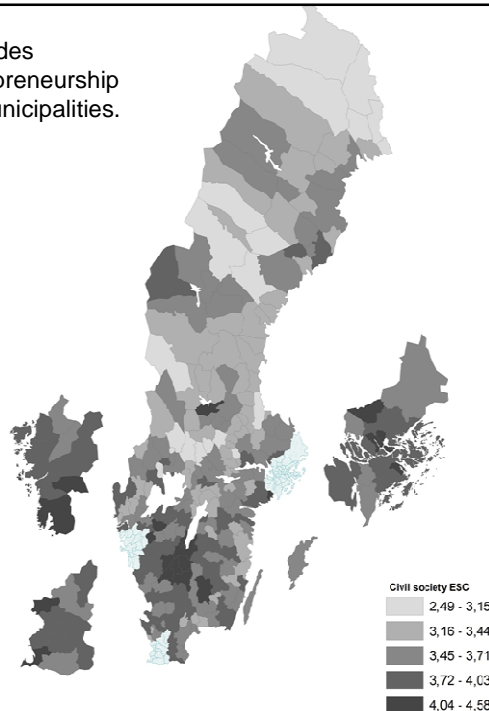
Social Capital

- Social Capital: Relations and norms necessary to collaborate and accomplish things
- Trust and membership of voluntary associations? (civil society)
- Social capital of companies and government
- The relationships between companies, municipalities and associations

Important measures of social capital that promote e-ship

- Citizens' *attitudes* towards local entrepreneurship (startups)
- The share of small firms of the total number of firms in the municipality – reflects small firm traditions, a long-term business-related social capital
- These two factors are strongly correlated with startup rates in Sweden

Citizens' attitudes towards entrepreneurship in Swedish municipalities.
Scale: 1-5



Three Swedish Examples 1/3

- Gnosjö – a legendary entrepreneurial village
- Unique informal collaboration among small manufacturing companies
- Entrepreneurship is encouraged by existing companies – lending of capital and equipment

Three Swedish examples 2/3

- Åre: Not only a ski resort
 - A great example of tourism as base for local development
 - Entrepreneurship: Top ranking in new companies per inhabitant
 - Substantial regional policy support – and successful
 - Many entrepreneurs from Stockholm being active in Åre

Three Swedish examples 3/3

- Trångsviken: The most companies per inhabitant in Sweden
- EU membership gave new opportunities
- The Village House: the village's node
- The Development Company
- Important indigenous actors with extensive networks

Common features of the three examples

1. Cooperating enterprises
2. Cooperation between firms, municipality and local associations
3. Firms' good customer relations and high quality products
4. Contacts and relations to regional and national politicians and officials, and to big companies

Why are the good examples just a few?

- Former industry might have counteracted entrepreneurship
- Most people lack knowledge on how to run a company
- The often necessary cooperation between firms, public sector and third sector is missing
- The important external contacts for getting capital, ideas, know-how etc, are missing

Are enterprises the crucial power in rural development? 1/2

- Yes, but local policy can have an impact too!
- Survey to municipal directors about:
 - Cooperation with local industry
 - Measures for strengthening local business climate
 - Co-financing of development projects with local industry
 - Cooperation with other municipalities
 - Development projects (co-financed by EU and state)
 - Benchmarking, learning and competence development
 - Marketing

Results

- In the metropolitan regions and regional centers, local policy had no impact. Growth is market-led
- In rural municipalities, those that scored high in benchmarking, learning and competence development had better population and employment development
- Entrepreneurial policy seems to have an impact in rural municipalities!

Are enterprises the crucial power in rural development? 2/2

Yes, but successful development demands cooperation between three actors:

- The enterprises
- Local associations
- The Municipalities

All experiences point in the direction that the three actors must help each other to achieve local development!

The traditional view			
	Actor		
	Ec. E-ship	Pol. E-ship	Soc. E-ship
Activity	Company	Municipality	Associations
Production and sales	O		
Administration and service		O	
Culture and leisure activities			O

The necessary cooperation			
	Actor		
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Administration and service	(o)	O	(o)
Culture and leisure activities	(o)	(o)	O

The countryside is changing...

- New knowledge and a new way of thinking is necessary
- Those villages where nobody dares to take initiatives will fade away
- The villages that form a new social capital for cooperation, entrepreneurship and renewal will prosper

Are these results of any relevance for other countries?

- Sweden East European are far from each other and have different histories, but have also much in common – both opportunities and problems
- In all countries, the countryside needs new strategies to survive
- In all countries, collaboration between the leading local actors is decisive for successful entrepreneurship and local development

Finally...

I hope that at least something of what I said
has been of some interest for you

Thank you for your attention!



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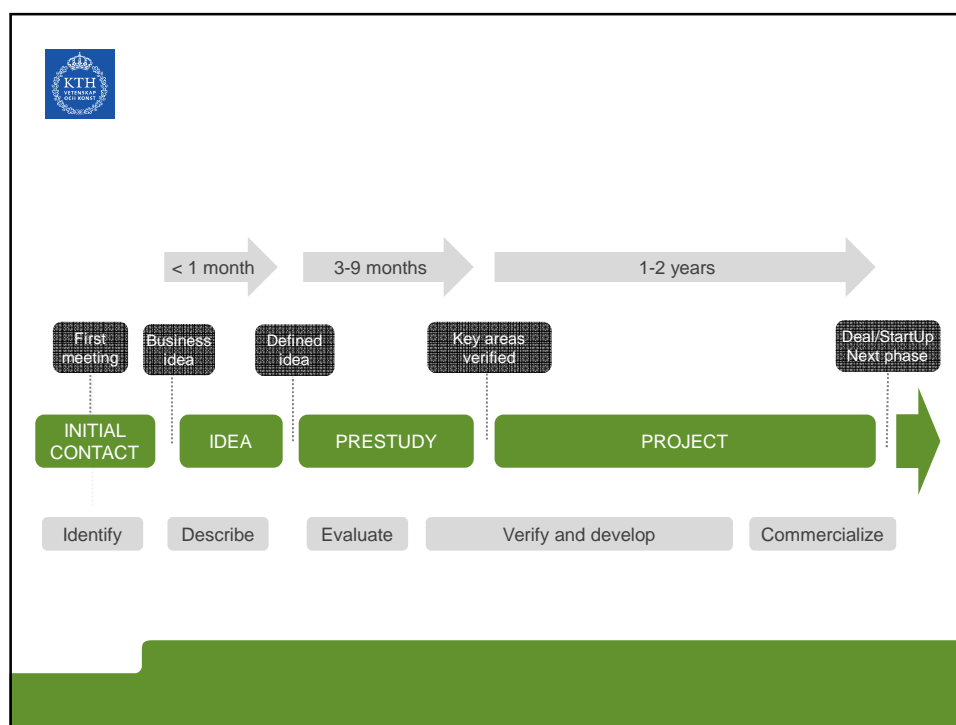
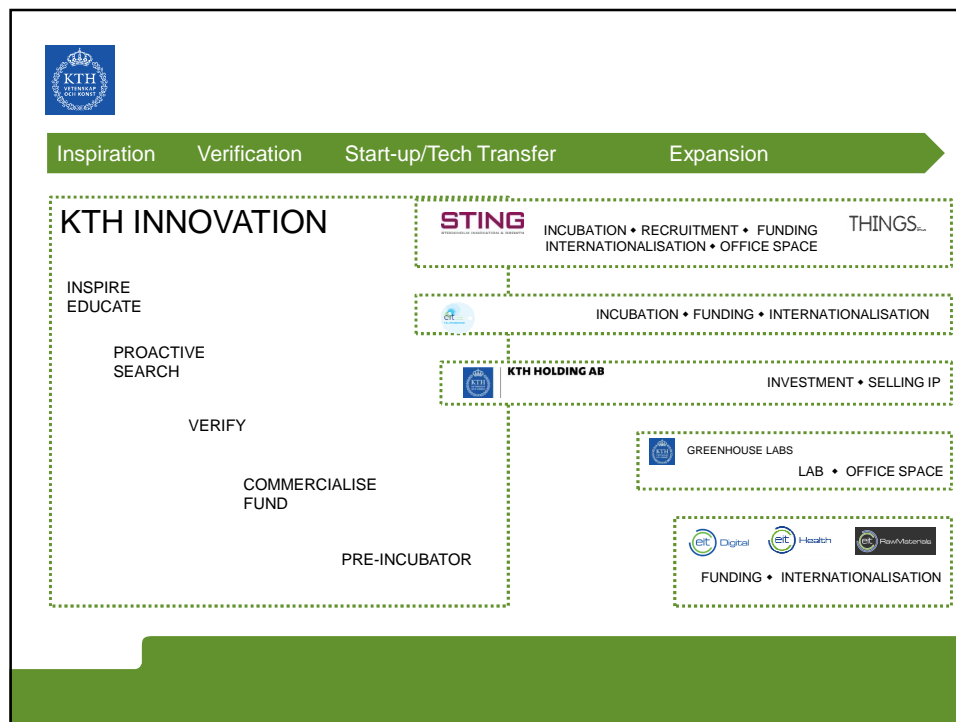
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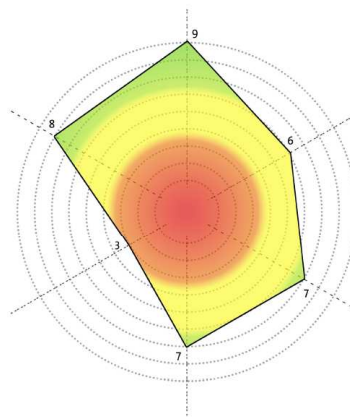




TECHNOLOGY READINESS LEVEL
From observing basic principles and formulating concept to actual technology system qualified through successful mission operations

FUNDING READINESS LEVEL
From initial business idea with vague description to term sheet discussions with interested investors

CUSTOMER READINESS LEVEL
From hypothesizing on possible needs in the market to widespread product sales



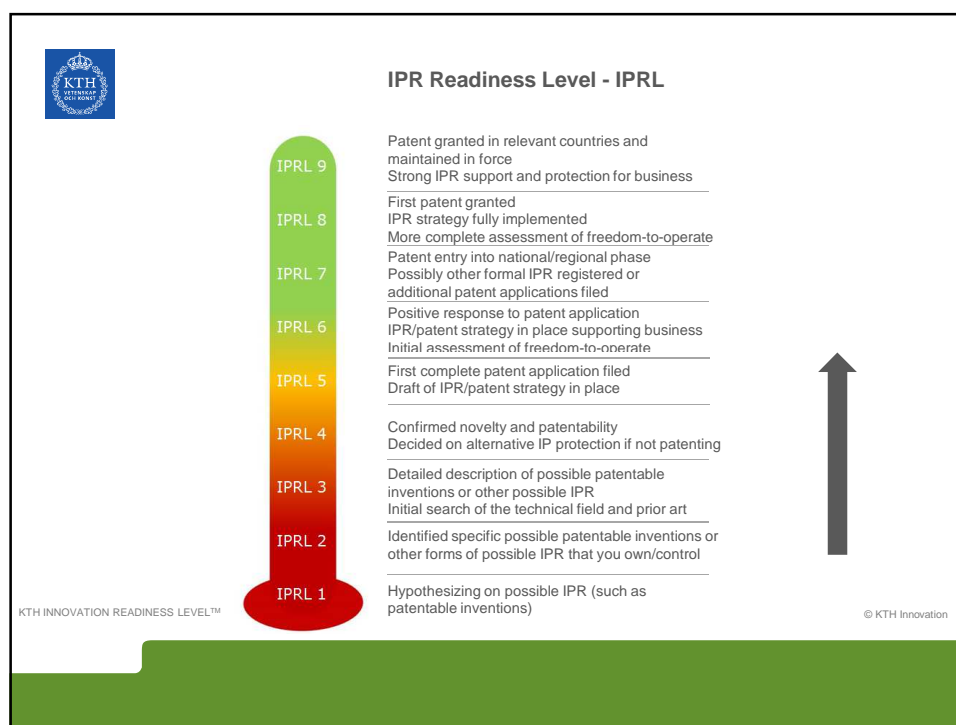
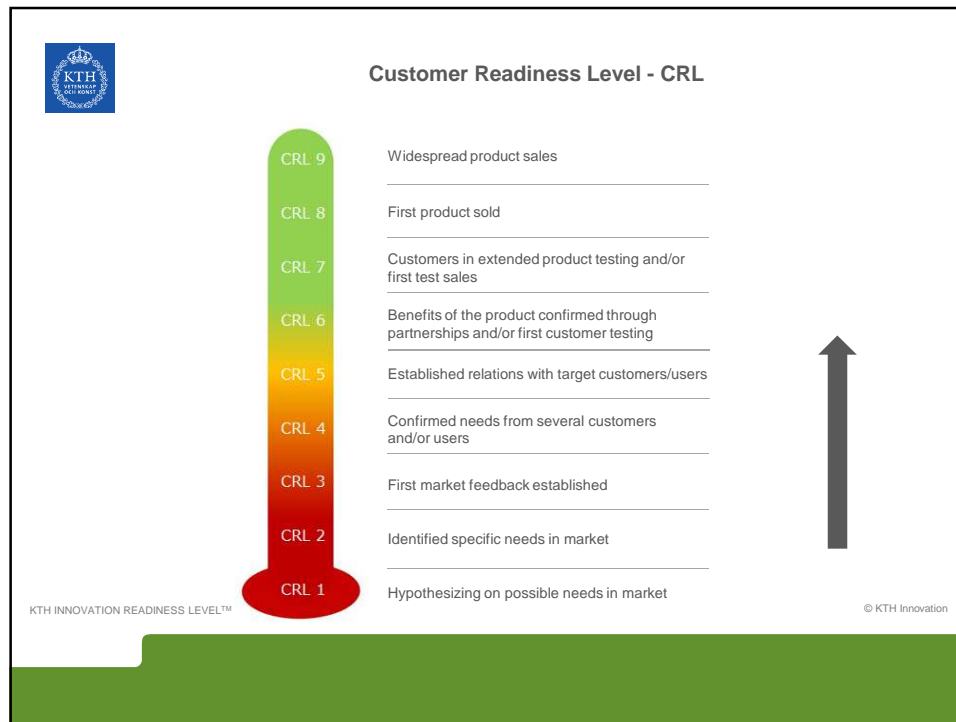
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MARKET OPPORTUNITY READINESS LEVEL
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Technology-based Entrepreneurship

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Who am I?



- Terrence E. Brown is Associate Professor of Entrepreneurship and Innovation. My research area is – **Value creation through the formation, management, rapid growth and rejuvenation of business enterprises**. Currently his main research interests are:
- Business Model Innovation
- Opportunity Development Process
- Open and User Driven Innovation
- Translating theory into action techniques for managers and entrepreneurs
- Former Daen, Stockholm School of Entrepreneurship
- I am the founding Editor-in-Chief of the international, double-blind, peer-reviewed journal, [International Journal of Entrepreneurial Venturing \(IJEV\)](#).
- I have been published in academic journals such as the *Strategic Management Journal*, *Journal of Business Venturing* and *Journal of Small Business Strategy*.
- I am on the editorial boards of journals such as *Journal of Small Business Management*, *International Journal of Internet and Enterprise Management*, *International Journal of Industrial Ecology*.

Our course

- 7.5 ECTS
- Approx. 7 weeks
- 50 students
- Projects
- Teams
- Business simulation (Marketplace LIVE)

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How is tech-based entrepreneurship different?

- Level of technology risk
- Time to market
- Resource requirements
- Scalability
- Leadership requirement

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Characteristics that may give high tech ventures high potential

- Create new value for customers
- Have some type of tech IP that is hard to replicate
- First mover advantage
- Scalable
- Barriers to entry
- High level of initial risk

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The Technology Innovation Life Cycle

- Stages in the technology innovation lifecycle:
 - **Diagnose:** identify and evaluate new ideas for products and processes
 - **Develop:** the idea is transformed through planning and developing into a viable product or process
 - **Deploy:** planning the migration and roll-out.
- **Roll out:** the process of introducing the new product to the market or employing the new or improved process in particular areas of the business.

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What is Innovation?

- **Innovation:** the whole process from the inception of an idea through developing and testing to successfully putting the innovation in use – whether commercially in a market or as part of improving a business.
- **Innovation vs Invention**

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Defining Innovation

- ***Creative destruction*** (Shumpeter, 1942): when innovative solutions are introduced by entrepreneurs, undermining the current practice in the economy, and thereby moving existing products, production methods and even companies of business.
- Entrepreneurial practices of **supporting innovation** serve as catalyst for **building the economy**.
- Frequency or infrequency of **innovative ideas** – **ups and downs of economic waves** and cyclical nature of economic development.

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Disruptive Technology

- A new technology that gets its start away from the mainstream of a market and then, as its functionality improves over time, invades the main market
- Revolutionizes the industry structure and competition, often causing the decline of established companies because they listen to customers who say they do not want it
- Causes a **technological paradigm shift**

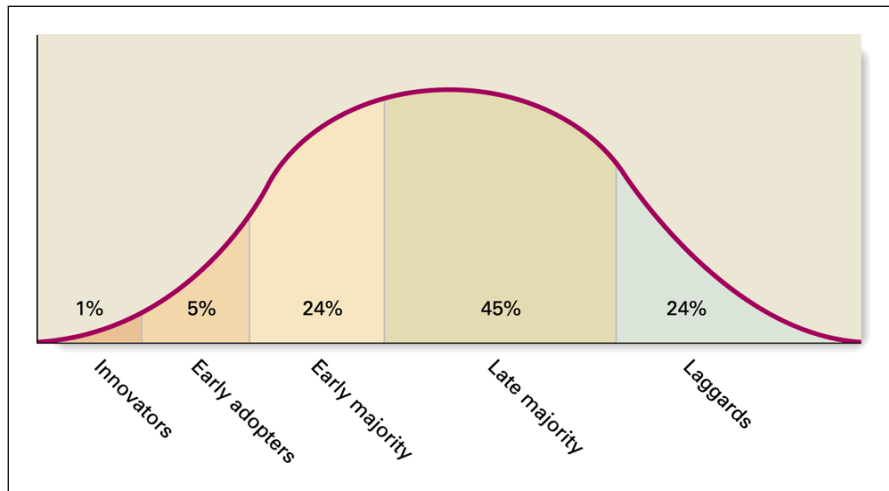
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Diffusion of Innovations

- The Roger's Diffusion of Innovation Paradigm
 - **The Individual Innovativeness Theory:** the rate of adoption depends on the degree of innovativeness of an individual or other unit.
 - **The Theory of Perceived Attributes:** there are five attributes of the innovation that determine the rate of adoption and success: relative advantage; compatibility; complexity; trialability; observability.

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Diffusion of Innovations and the Technology Adoption Life Cycle

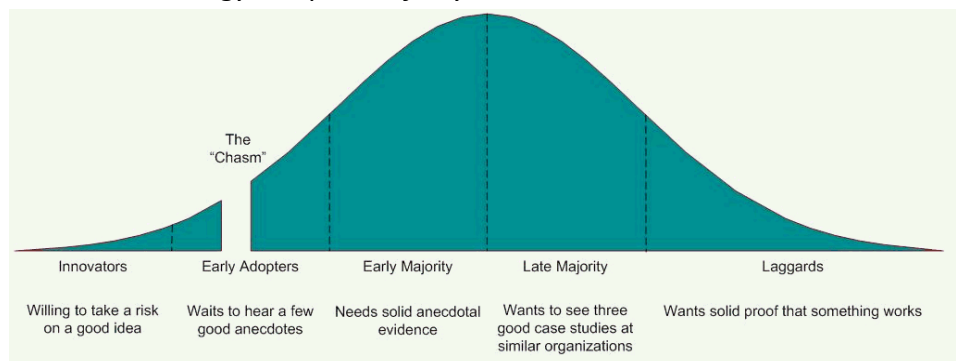


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Diffusion of Innovations

The Revised Technology Adoption Life Cycle.



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Crossing the Chasm

- Correctly identify the needs of the first wave of early majority users
- Alter the business model in response
- Alter the value chain and distribution channels to reach the early majority
- Design the product to meet the needs of the early majority and so that it can be modified and produced or provided at low cost
- Anticipate the moves of competitors

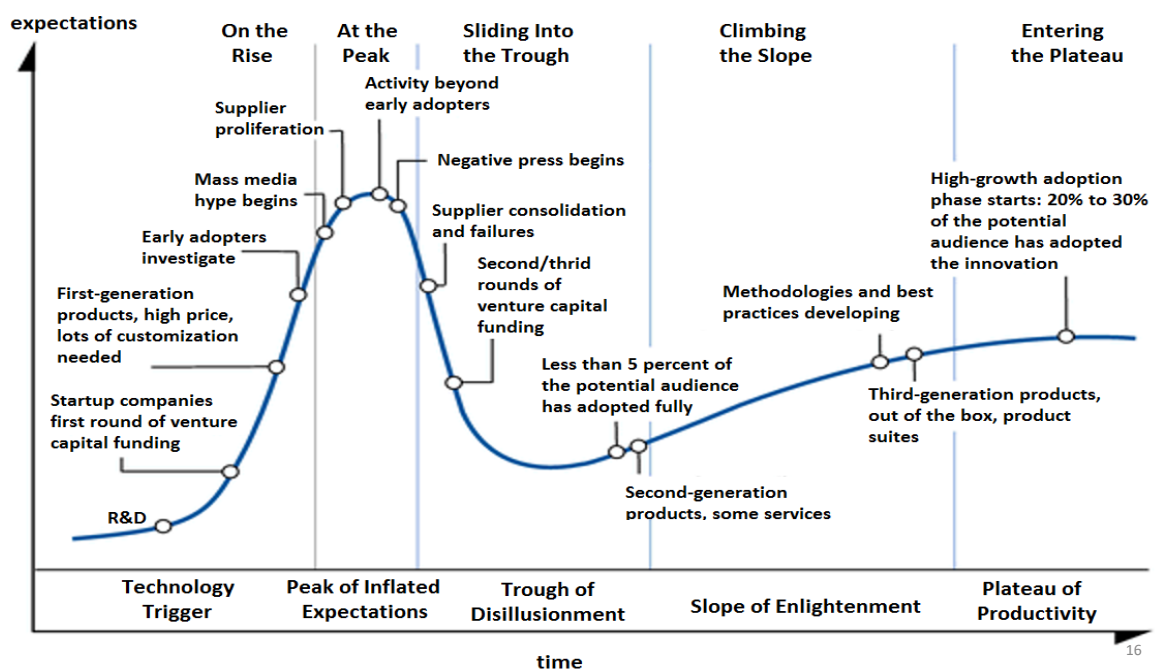
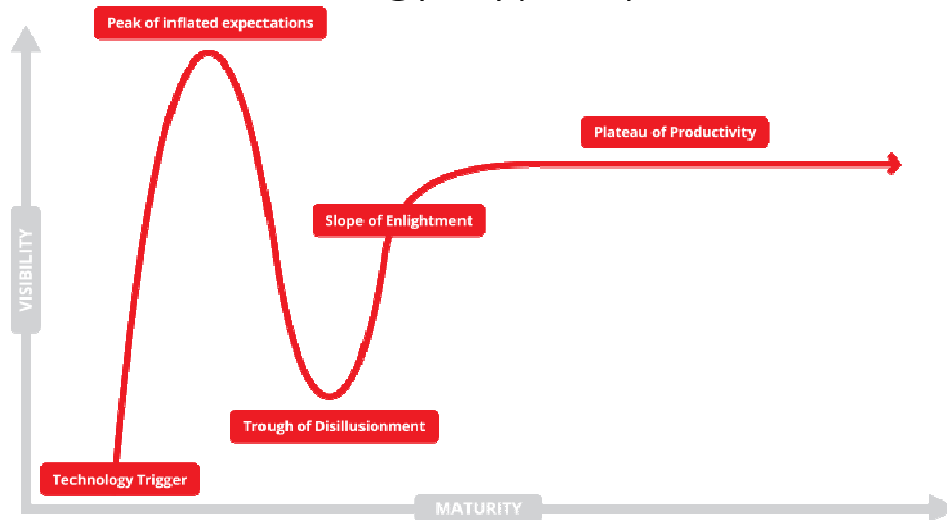
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Strategic Implications: Crossing the Chasm

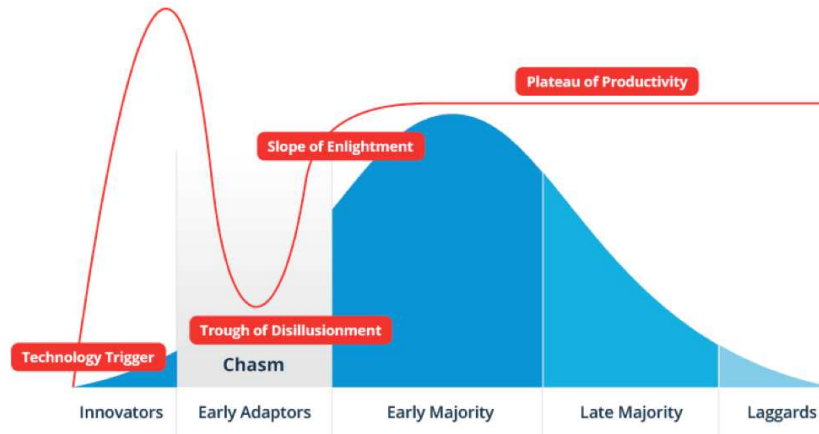
- Crossing the chasm between early adopters and early majority
 - Innovators and early adopters are **technologically sophisticated** and will tolerate engineering imperfections - the early majority are not
 - Innovators and early adopters are typically reached through **specialized distribution channels** - the early majority are not
 - Innovators and early adopters are relatively few in number and **not particularly price sensitive** - the early majority are not

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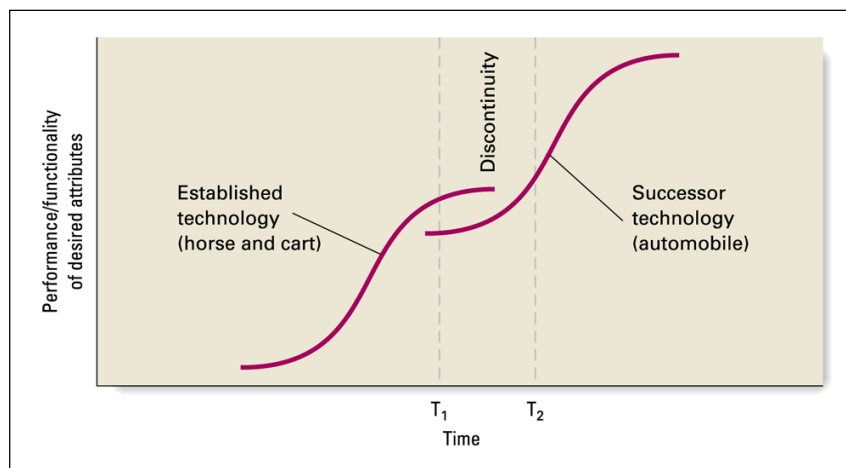
Gartner's Technology Hype Cycle



Tech Hype Cycle & Crossing the Chasm



Established and Successor Technologies



Sources of Innovation

Innovation management methodology

(O'Sullivan and Dooley, 2009):

1. Understand requirements and define goals
2. Engage users and model processes
3. Create actions and empower teams
4. Develop migration plan
5. Implement actions and monitor results

Introduction to Technology Transfer

- **Universities** play a significant role in the development, support and shaping of **technology entrepreneurship**.
- Universities as catalysts of new venture formation and regional development (Markman et al., 2005).
- **Technology entrepreneurs** are key actors both in the creation of new knowledge and its exploitation within and outside university boundaries.
- Nations with strong research systems and capacity to leverage the commercial opportunities will prosper economically and socially.

Third-mission Activities

- Third-level institutions – drivers of knowledge that impact the economy and society through technology and knowledge transfer.
- Technology Transfer Offices - protect IP and support innovation and entrepreneurship
 - Student internships
 - Jointly sponsored symposia
 - Joint research projects
 - Guest speakers
 - Executive development workshops
 - Roundtables
 - Joint curricula development
 - Alumni associations
 - Research commercialisation

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Technology Transfer and Mechanisms

- **Technology transfer:** the process whereby invention or intellectual property from academic research is licensed or conveyed through use rights to a for-profit entity and eventually commercialised (Friedman and Silberman, 2003, p. 18)
- **Commercialization** of university-discovered technologies is a driver of economic growth.
 - University-industry Technology Transfer Process
 - Specific Mechanisms for Technology Transfer in Third-level Institutions

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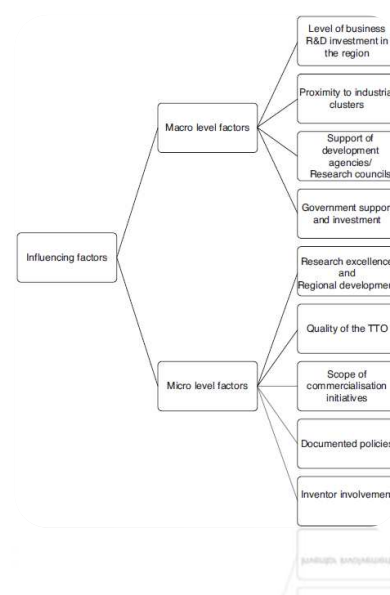
Third-mission Activities

- **Technology Transfer Offices (TTOs)** serve to protect the IP of the university and seek the best uses for research; transfer knowledge and technology from the research labs to Technology Entrepreneurs:
 - University research sponsored by companies
 - Academic consulting
 - Licencing of university-owned IP to companies
 - University support for start-up companies
 - “Mega agreements”
 - Research centres
 - Industry consortia to support university research.

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Stimulants and Barriers to Technology Transfer

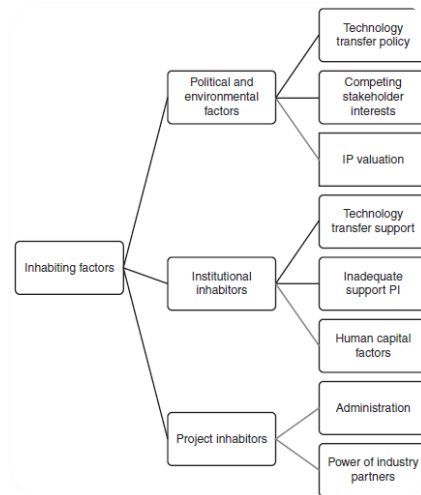
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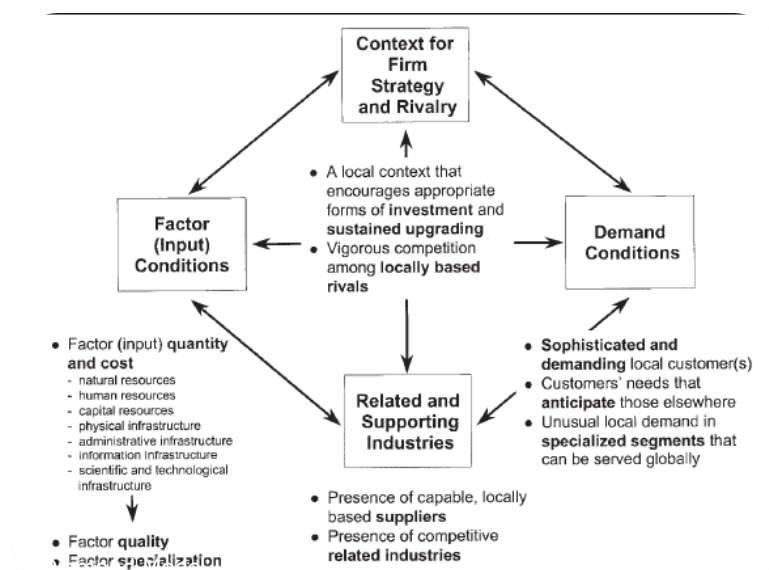
Inhibitors to commercialisation

Figure 2.4 Inhibitors to commercialisation, p. 51



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Clusters/Regional Innovation Systems



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Questions & Discussion?

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Entrepreneurship for Engineers

Our course

- 6 ETCS
- Approx. 16 weeks
- Designed for (currently) EIT Digital
- First part of two part sequence
- 75 students

Concept, Theory and Practice

- Management
- Business
- Entrepreneurship focusing on Ideation

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Flipped classroom

- Learning Management System (LMS)
- Videos
- Interactivity
- Content creation
- Diagnostic exam

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Are engineers different?

- Yes
- Hard vs soft
- Solution vs problem
- Technical skills

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Context

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Questions & Discussion?

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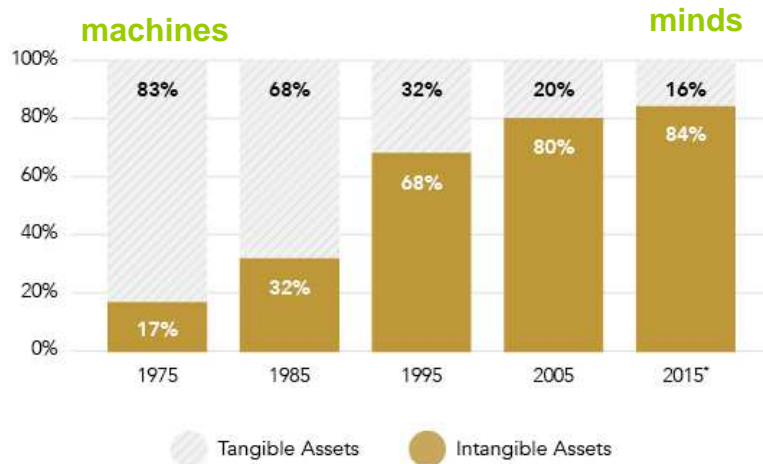
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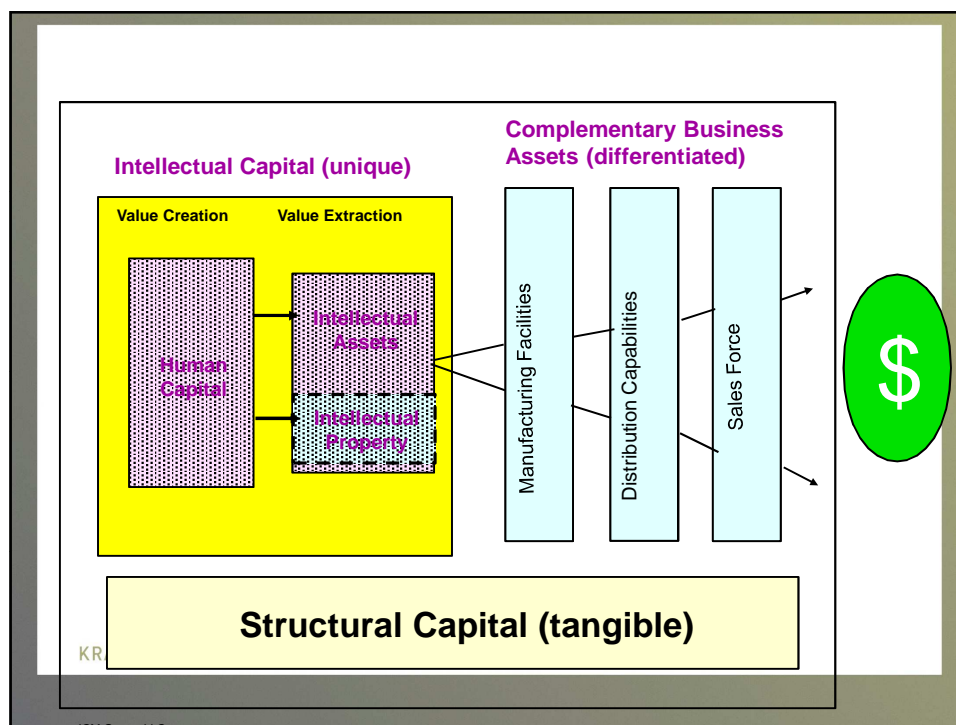


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Challenge:

How to identify, capture, grow and sustain these intangible assets that make up over 80 % of the value in a company?

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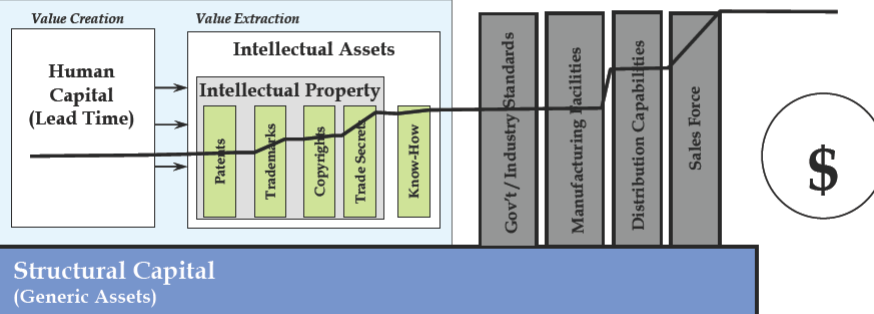


Knowledge Based Company Model

Beverage Companies

Intellectual Capital (Unique Assets)

Complementary Business Assets (Differentiated Assets)



- Lines Show the Percentage of Company Value (Market Capitalization) That is Protected By This Asset
- Most value is in Trademark, Trade Secret, Distribution and Sales

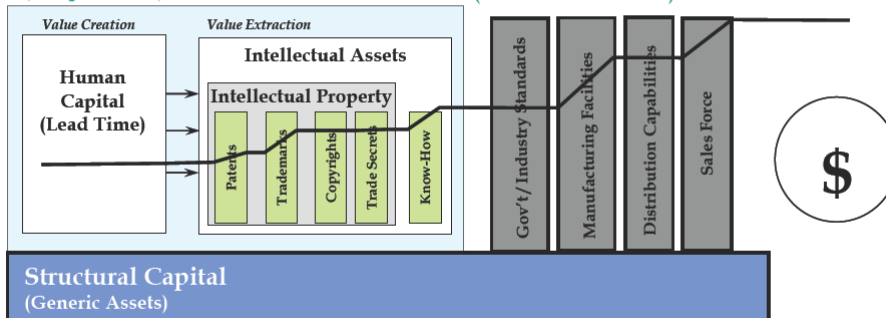
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Knowledge Based Company Model

Paper Companies

Intellectual Capital (Unique Assets)

Complementary Business Assets (Differentiated Assets)



- Most value is in Trademark, Know-How, Manufacturing and Sales
- Some value in Patents

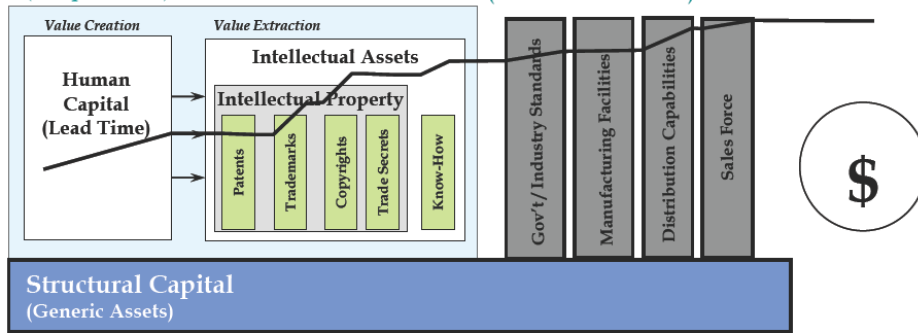
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Knowledge Based Company Model

Software Companies

Intellectual Capital (Unique Assets)

Complementary Business Assets (Differentiated Assets)



- Most value is in Human Creativity, Trademark, Copyright, and Distribution

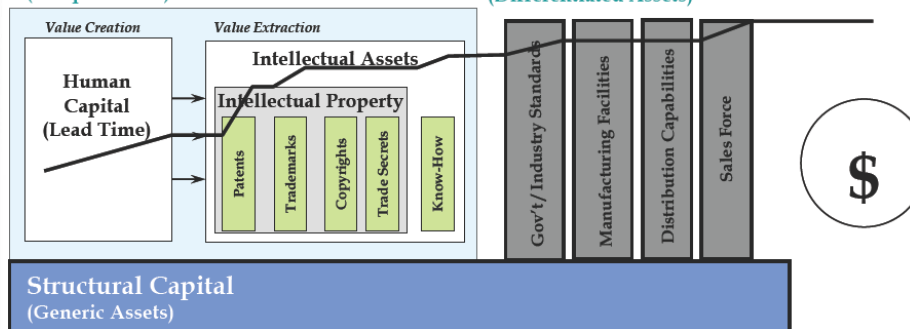
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Knowledge Based Company Model

Pharmaceutical Companies

Intellectual Capital (Unique Assets)

Complementary Business Assets (Differentiated Assets)



- Most value is in Human Creativity, Patents, and Trademarks
- Some value in Know-How, and Sales

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Basic concepts

- An invention is a solution to a technical problem
- Patents are granted for inventions that are novel, inventive and industrially applicable
- National/regional scope
- Valid for 20 years from filing
- A patent is a negative legal right

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A granted patent...

...only gives you the right to prevent others from commercializing your patented invention.

You may stop them from:

- manufacturing
- selling
- importing
- using
- renting...

You may of course grant them a license to use your patented invention.

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Why apply for a patent?

Patents create exclusivity:

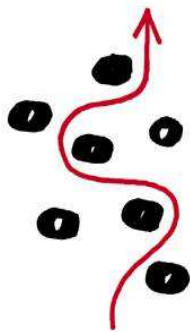
- preventing competitors from introducing a similar product
- blocking competitors from patenting

Patents:

- are assets with legal rights associated
- build substance in a company
- encourages inventiveness and builds the company image internally and externally

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Safety

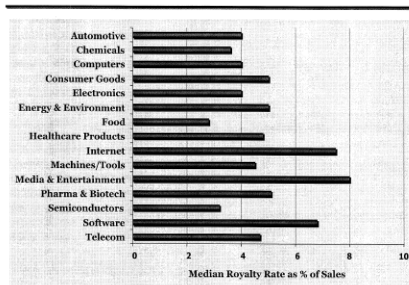


- Analyze “freedom to operate”
- Create “freedom to operate”
 - Design around
 - Invalidate
 - Negotiate
 - Cross licenses

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Royalty rates

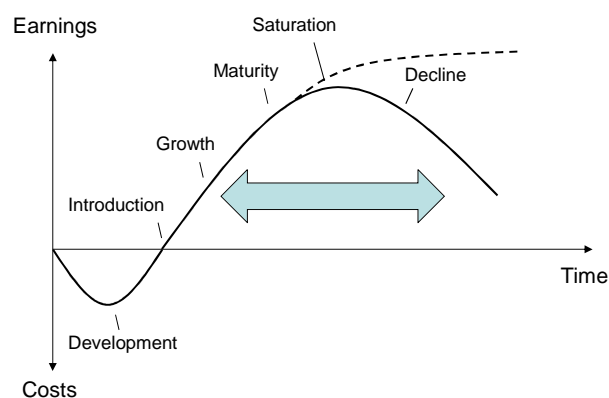
Royalty Rates – Royalty Source



- A typical royalty is 25 % of the gross net margin
 - Example:
A gross net margin of 20 % results in a royalty of 5 % of the sales value
- Minimum (and maximum) levels are common

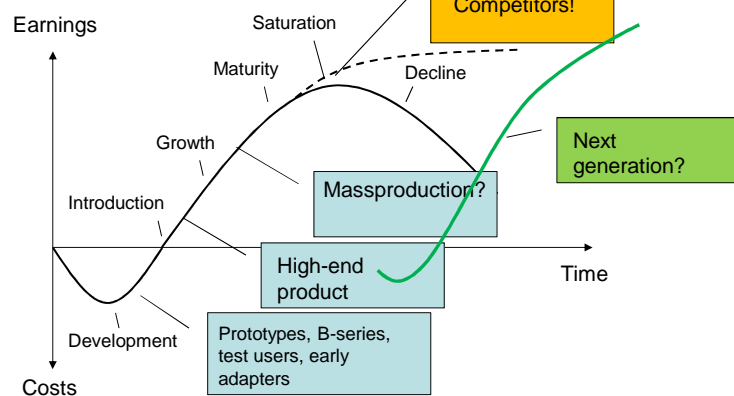
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Product Life-Cycle



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Timing is everything!



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Strategic models

"Revenue"

Increase revenues by
licensing
or selling IPR

"Assets"

IPR as an asset in the
company
Boost company value
Attract investment

"Safety"

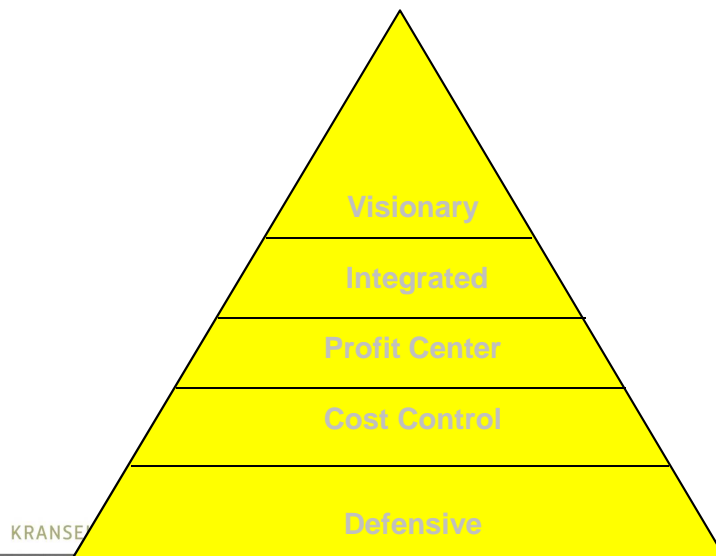
Use the system
Stay informed
Freedom to operate
Possibility for cross licensing

"Exclusivity"

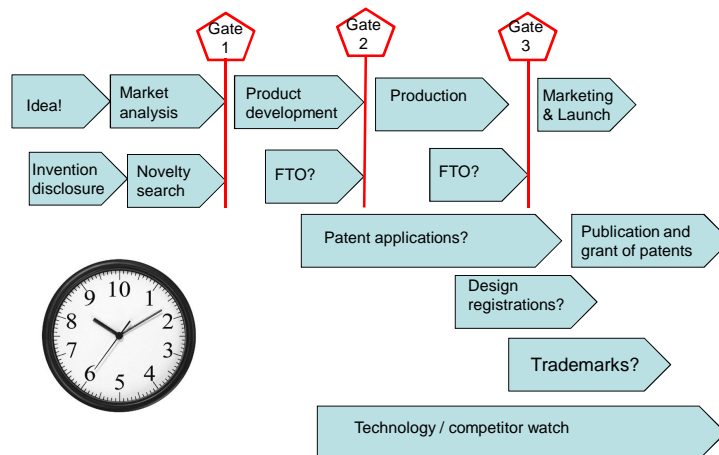
Create an exclusive market
position
Maintain high margins

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IP Value Hierarchy



Managing Intellectual Assets



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Managing Intellectual Assets

When should you file your patent application? Well, as early as possible since...

- The risk of being blocked by others is reduced
- Earlier revenues are possible
- The chance of obtaining a granted patent increases
- The chance of obtaining broad scope of protection increases
- An obstacle for others to patent is created earlier

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Managing Intellectual Assets

Where should you file?

- Where are the customers?
- Future markets?
- Where are the competitors?
- Where is the product manufactured? Where could it be manufactured?
- Where can IPRs be enforced?

N.B. "Global" coverage is neither possible nor financially defensible, make strategic choices!

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Different routes to a patent

- Swedish patent applications – fast, cheap
- European patent applications – high quality search, greater coverage
- International patent applications (PCT) – slow, global coverage
- Priority year enables further filing within 12 months

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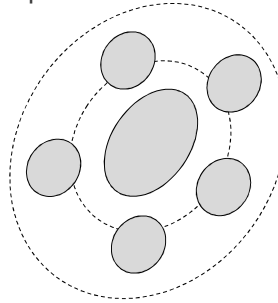
Competitor / Technology Watch

- Input: competitor names/ fields of technology / keywords / inventors
- Keep track of your competitors!
- Oppose and invalidate disturbing patents
- Identify copy-cats and possible infringers
- Business intelligence, share data within the company

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Managing Intellectual Assets

- Supplementary filing for highly ranked ideas
- Create patent fence around the new product
- Different forms of protection
 - patents
 - trademarks
 - designs
 - utility models
 - trade secrets



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Managing Intellectual Assets

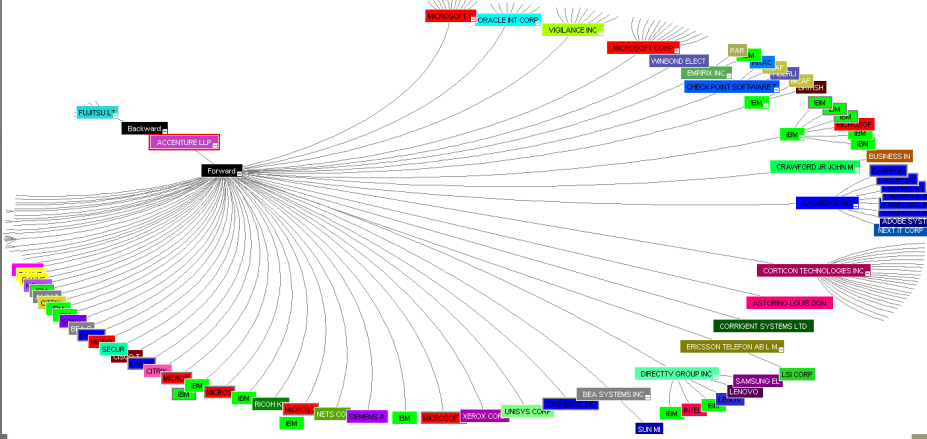
- Patent landscapes – a strategic planning tool



Source: ThomsonReuters

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Question: Who are citing this specific patent, and why?
What are they developing and how close are they?

Managing Intellectual Assets

Alternatives to patenting?

- Prophylactic publication
- Trade secrets, in case of
 - substantial technology lead
 - reverse engineering difficult or impossible
 - infringement monitoring difficult
 - numerous possibilities to work-around

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Licensing

- Highly established in some fields
- Requires considerable administrative capacity
- Can be very profitable
- An alternative / shortcut to acquire IP
- A possibility to monetize non-core assets
- Applicable to patents, trademarks and designs

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Examples

- In 2016, ERICSSON had license earnings of 10 000 MSEK (14 400 MSEK in 2015, 9 900 MSEK in 2014)
- Ericsson holds > 42,000 granted patents according to their Annual report 2016 (compared to 39,000 in 2015)
- Quote: “As IPR licensing margins are above the Company average, they have an accretive impact on profitability.”
- NASA offers non-exclusive licences to start-up companies with no up-front payment , and on May 5, 2016 NASA released 56 formerly-patented technologies into the public domain

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You are accused of infringement – what to do?

- Invalidate patent
- Work-around
- License in
- Negotiate
- Ignore – continue infringement
- Wait until patent expires
- Stop R&D (and/or commercial activities)

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Infringement by competitor

- Intellectual Property rights are business tools, and tools must be used to give maximum benefits
- A slow escalation:
 - Initial contacts / Warning letter
 - Offer to license
 - Infringement action
 - Settlement?
 - Judgement
 - Damages

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Damages awarded 1995 - 2014

Figure 4. Top ten largest initial adjudicated damages awards: 1995-2014

Year	Plaintiff	Defendant	Technology	Award (in \$M)
2009	Centocor Ortho Biotech Inc.	Abbott Laboratories	Arthritis drugs	\$1,673
2007	Lucent Technologies Inc.	Microsoft Corp.	MP3 technology	\$1,538
2012	Carnegie Mellon University	Marvell Technology Group	Noise reduction on circuits for disk drives	\$1,169
2012	Apple Inc.	Samsung Electronics Co.	Smartphone software	\$1,049
2012	Monsanto Company	E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Co.	Genetically modified soybean seeds	\$1,000
2010	Mirror Worlds LLC	Apple Inc.	Operating system	\$626
2005	Cordis Corp.	Medtronic Vascular, Inc.	Vascular stents	\$595
2004	Eolas Technologies Inc.	Microsoft Corp.	Internet browser	\$521
2011	Bruce N. Saffran, M.D.	Johnson & Johnson	Drug-eluting stents	\$482
2014	Masimo Corporation	Philips Electronics N. America Corp.	Device measuring blood oxygen levels	\$467

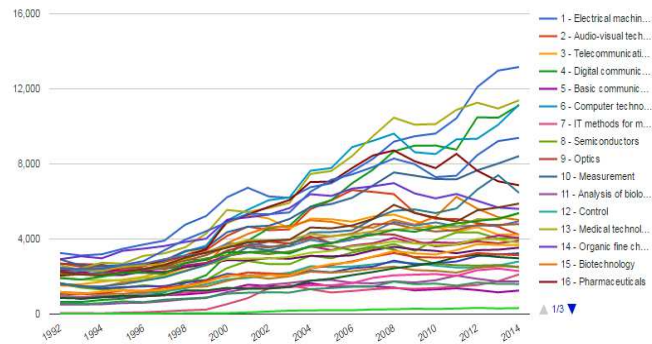
Source: 2015 Patent Litigation Study, PWC

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THANK YOU!
Please feel free to ask questions!

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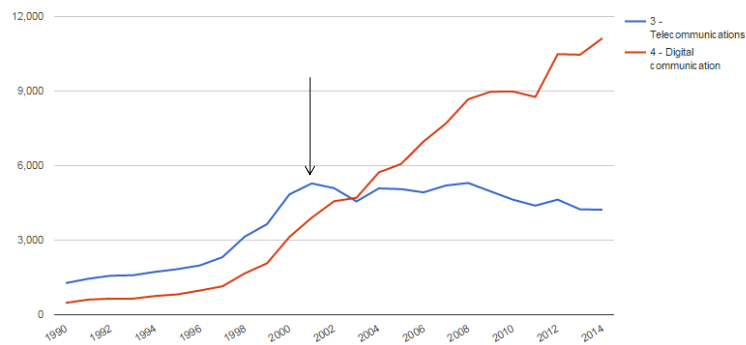
Trends in patenting



Source: WIPO IP Statistics Database, <http://www.wipo.int/ipstats/en/>

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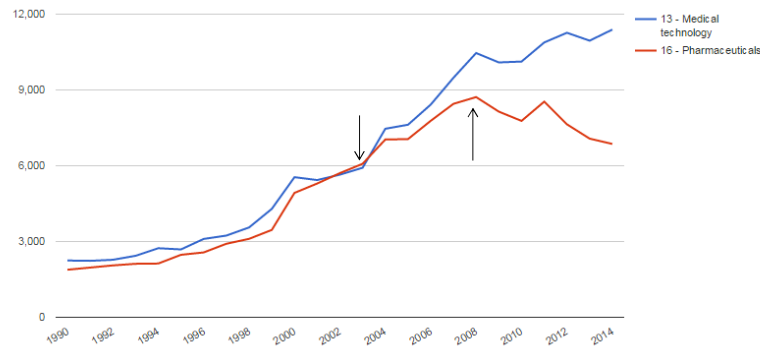
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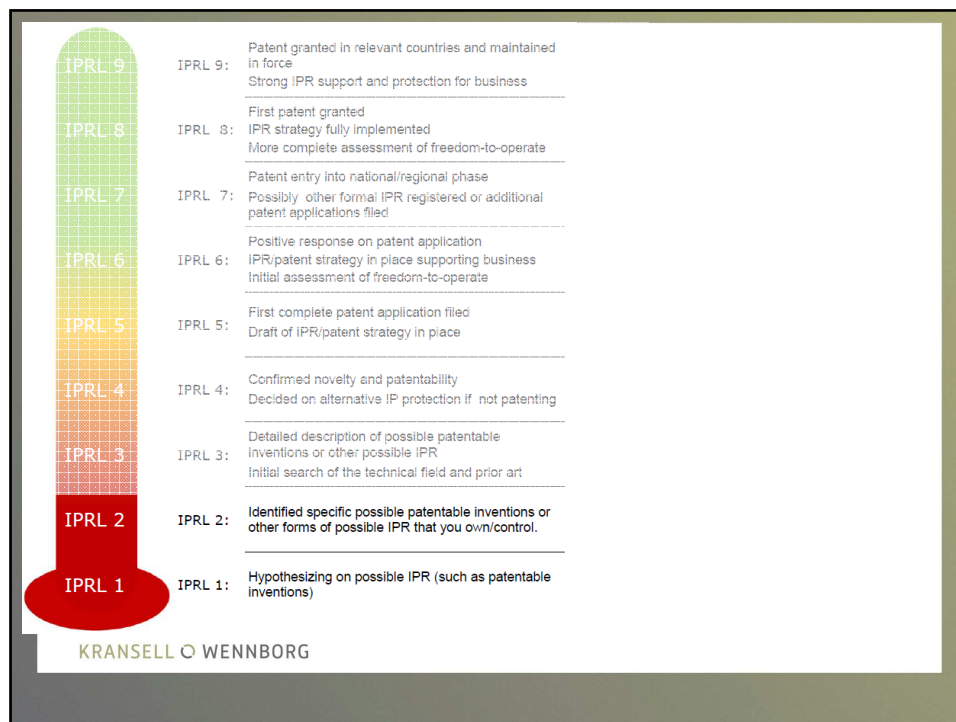
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Patent strategies

Model	Description	Suitable for
"Exclusivity model"	Creates an exclusive market position. Enables high margins for innovative products.	R&D-intensive companies selling innovative products and aiming for high gross margins.
"Revenue model"	Revenues from licensing or selling of IPR.	Companies unable to capitalize on their innovations in all possible fields of technology.
"Asset model"	IPR regarded as an asset in the company. Boosts company value.	Companies facing an exit or a major investment.
"Safety model"	Enables freedom-to-operate.	Companies fearing or experiencing problems commercializing products due to competitor's patents.

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Partnering Opportunities

Bruce Lyne, KTH

Options in technology exploitation:

✓ Build a business internally or externally

✓ Partner (JV, alliance, other)

✓ License

✓ Discard

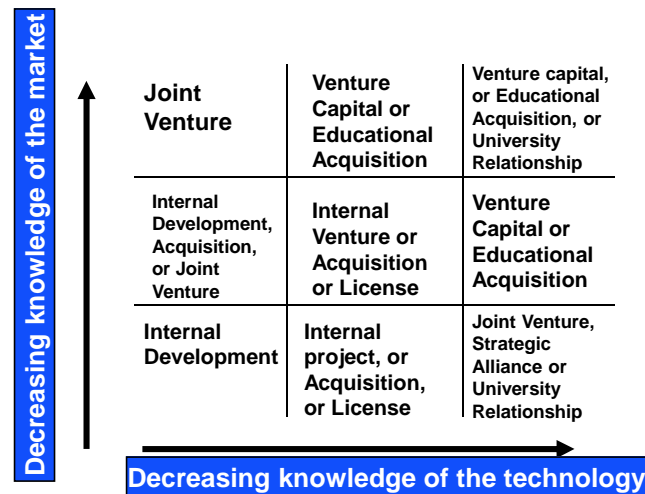
Trends into the 21st century...for many emerging technical companies:

- Cost of technology development and product introduction is growing
- Capital is more difficult to raise, particularly “early stage”
- Market success requires global strategy perspective
- Product development and life cycles are becoming increasingly shorter
- Market credibility is greatly enhanced with endorsement of large corporation alliance
- Larger share of market leads to greater efficiency and better price stability

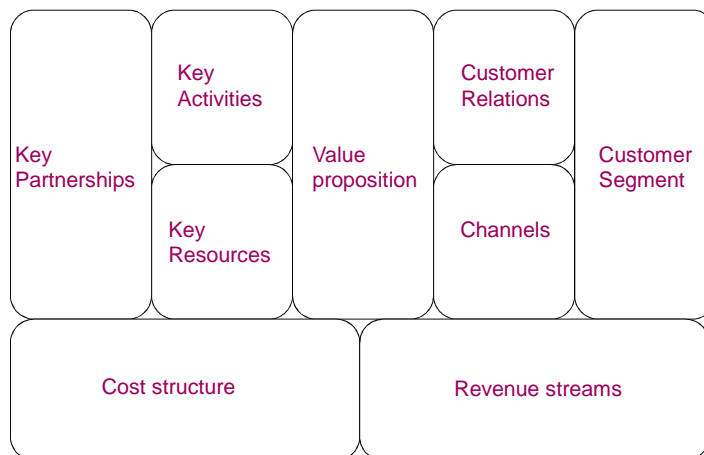
Motivations for partnering

- Access to complementary technology, technology synergy, cross fertilization of fields of technology
- Capturing partner’s tacit knowledge of technology, market experience, thereby leapfrogging competitors
- Minimizing and sharing of costs and uncertainty in R&D
- Reducing time to market to keep up with shorter product life cycles
- Globalization, entry into foreign markets, knowledge of international environment and opportunities

Finding others who know more about the markets or the technology (Berry and Roberts)

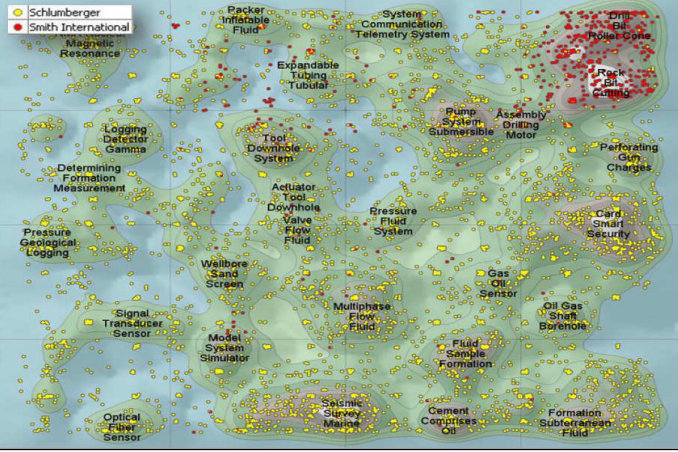


Business model Canvas



After Alexander Osterwalder

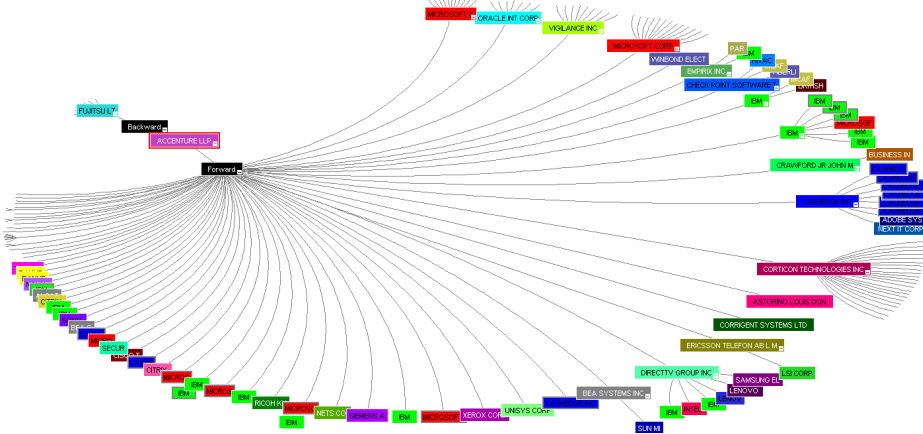
How Can you Find Them?



Question: Why may Schlumberger have decided to acquire Smith International?

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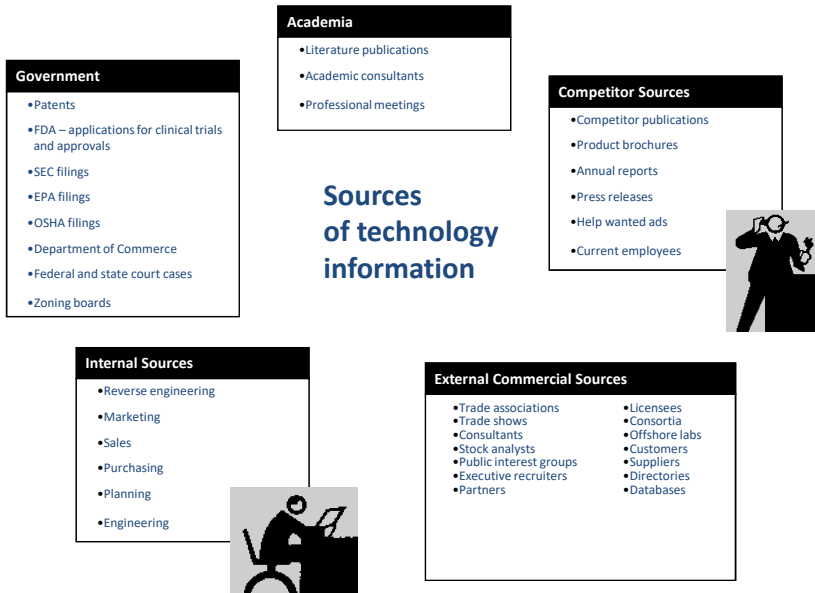
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Ethics and Sources of Information



017 Medalist Address: The Future of Open Innovation

Open innovation

The slide illustrates the concept of open innovation using a funnel diagram. The funnel represents the flow of ideas between an organization's internal technology base and the external technology base. The internal base is shown as a cluster of blue circles, and the external base as a cluster of red circles. The funnel has multiple holes, indicating that ideas can flow in and out. Arrows show the flow of ideas from the internal base through the funnel to the external base, and vice versa. The funnel is labeled with 'Internal technology base' and 'External technology base'. The funnel's output is directed towards two target areas: 'Our new market' and 'Our current market'. The funnel is also labeled with 'Other firm's market', 'Licence, spin out, divest', 'Internal/external venture handling', and 'External technology insourcing'. The slide includes a small logo for SCA in the bottom right corner.

Slides with pride from Prof Henry Chesbrough, UC Berkeley, Open Innovation: Rethinking Growth from Industrial R&D, 10th Annual Innovation Convergence, Minneapolis Sept 27, 2004

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The diagram illustrates a strategic innovation process, structured around a funnel and a circular feedback loop.

Strategic Innovation Funnel:

- Inputs (Left):** Hypes, Technology features, Needs, Wishes, Ethnographics, Jobs to be done.
- Process (Center):** The funnel narrows into a central area containing a **Spin-in** box and a **Test-out** box.
- Output (Right):** The process leads to a **Spin-out** box.

Feedback Loop (Right):

- Lead-customer** and **Lead-product** are central to the loop.
- Learning** and **Feedback** loops connect the customer and product.
- Final Goal** is the ultimate outcome.

Handwritten Annotations:

- Daring to Search outside the comfort zone* (Red)
- Daring to act without knowing!* (Red)
- Daring to fail early with Lead-customers* (Blue)

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Connect & Develop Vision

“We will source 50% of our technologies and products from outside P&G.” – A.G. Lafley



VISION

P&G has turbo charged its innovation engine by creating capabilities to leverage external assets of all types – suppliers, science communities, entrepreneurs, contract manufacturers, commercial partnerships – to create rapid growth and deliver consistently higher return than our competitors.



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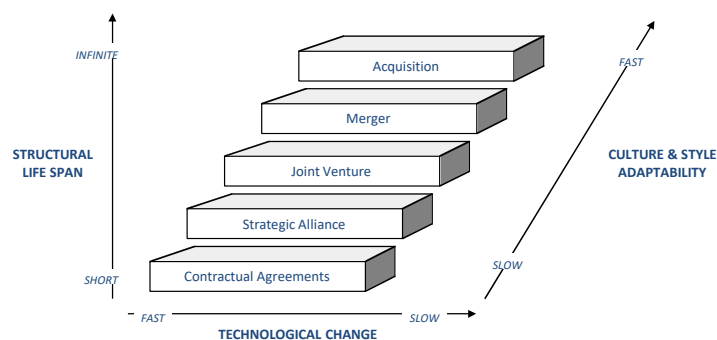
RfP OI Service Suppliers

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- ☐ IdeaConnection
- ☐ TechScout
- ☐ Sqore
- ☐ Inpama.com
- ☐ IXL Center
- ☐ Innocentive
- ☐ SpecialChem
- ☐ Nottingham Spirk
- ☐ Harryson Know Who
- ☐ Yet2.com
- ☐ YourEncore

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Erik Runne, Head of Open Innovation



Several forms of cooperative linkage can be adopted by a corporation for executing its globalization strategy.



The choice will not only depend on evaluating the current situation but on management's view of the future.



**Partnering Opportunities for Commercializing
iPack-Developed Technologies**

Prof. Bruce Lyne
iPack project
TC1.3 Business Innovation in Printed Electronics

Conclusions from Market Report:

- The probability of successful commercialization increases with the use of existing, well-proven technologies and decreases with the number of new components introduced into the system. Trying to build an entire system from scratch and get it to market is virtually impossible, as each new component introduces uncertainty in manufacturability and performance.
- Partnership with companies that have proven track records in RFID and who work closely with customers in designing RFID solutions would also bring easy acceptance...
- Several interviewed companies who are in the market with RFID solutions see value-added applications of their RFID technology base in printing sensors for smart packages and tags.

Partner in printing inks

- **BASF** for the development of polymeric inks for printed electronics by virtue of strong financial commitment to research in this area.
 - dedicated lab in Singapore
 - membership in three important academic/industrial partnerships devoted to printed electronics:
- MaDriX - PolyIC, BASF, Evonik Industries, ELANTAS Beck and Siemens, with matched financing from German Federal Ministry of Education and Research
- Forum Organic Electronics excellence cluster - PolyIC, BASF, SAP, University of Heidelberg, Robert Bosch, Roche Diagnostics, Karlsruher Institut für Technologie, and the University of Stuttgart, Philips, Merck, Max Planck Institute for Polymer and Solid State Research....
- Holst Center -(open-innovation R&D centre that develops generic technologies for Wireless Autonomous Sensor Technologies and for Flexible Electronics, located at the University of Eindhoven)

Partner in chip and sensor technology



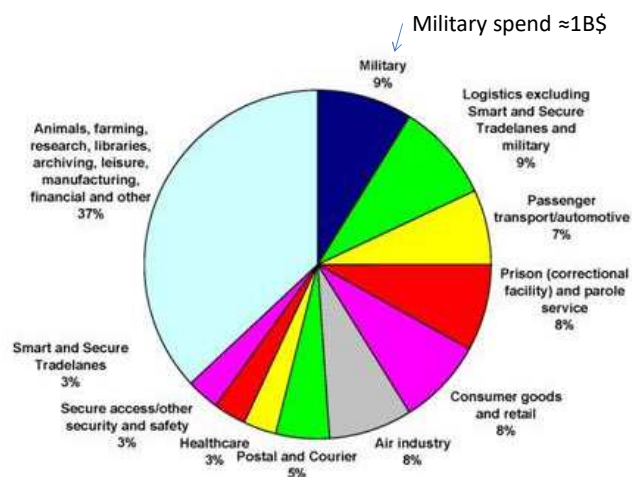
- **Impinj** for the joint development of RFID/sensor chips and circuits.
 - This is the most trusted supplier of UHF Gen 2 RFID solutions with applications across numerous vertical markets, including apparel, inventory management, asset tracking, authentication, and serialization
 - they would like to expand into more complex RFID/sensor systems like those being developed at iPack.

Commercialization of RFID/Sensor Systems



- **Avery Dennison** as the best established and equipped manufacturer of intelligent tags who is interested in extending their reach with sensors for gases, temperature, sugar content in blood, etc.
- offers a wide variety of RFID products covering asset tracking in the HF and UHF RFID spectrum
- Four RFID tag manufacturing plants USA, Europe and Mexico
- AD work with an array of industry leaders in tag converting, printer and reader hardware, software and systems integration
- RFID design center is in Baddow, just East of London (formerly Marconi's RFID center which AD acquired)

Military are biggest single user of RFID





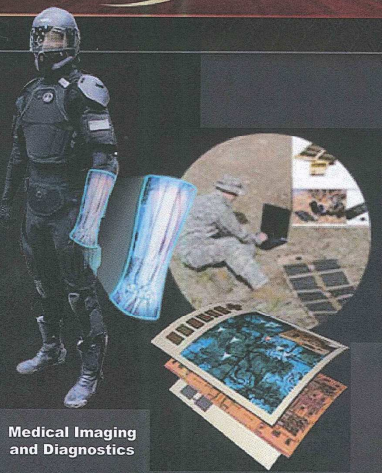
Application of iPack low-energy solutions to RFID communications and positioning

- The US Army Research Laboratory

- Research, Development and Engineering Command (RDECOM) is centrally responsible for developing and integrating technology-enabled solutions for soldiers
- World's biggest user of RFID - inventory is meant to be visible all of the time (including during transport in aircraft) via RFID tags
- pursuing flexible displays to be worn by soldiers and used in mobile outposts
- want to couple their RFID network to sensors to monitor soldiers' physiological vital signs as well as detection of pathogens, explosives, etc
- want to reduce weight and make electronics more robust
- interested in iPack low-energy RFID/sensors, and in food tracking system



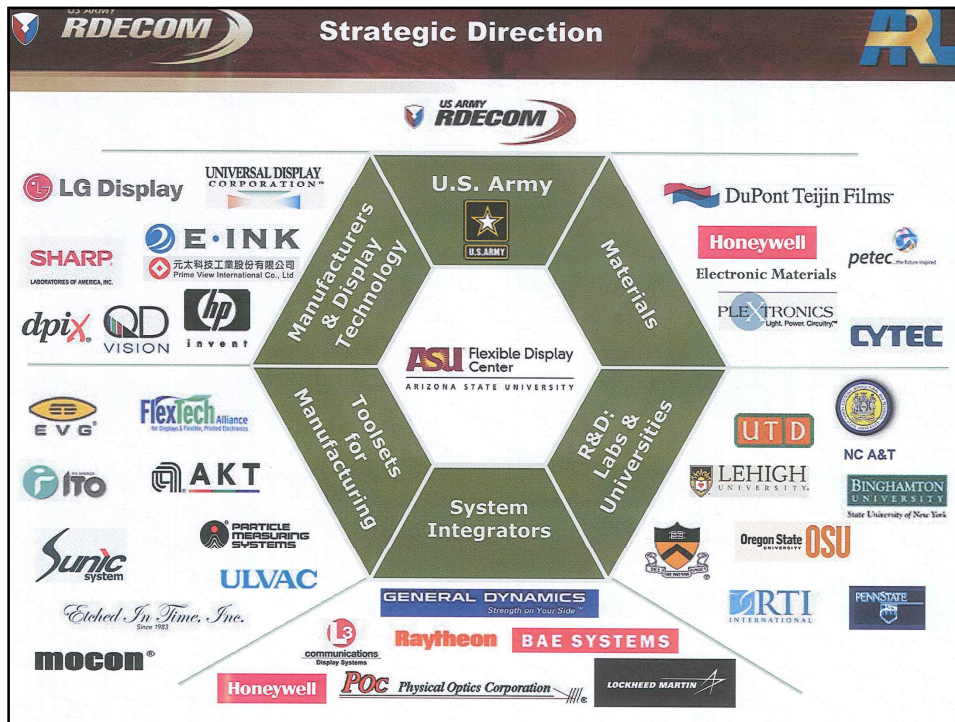
**Emerging Flexible Electronics**



Medical Imaging and Diagnostics

- **Emerging Flexible Electronics: *Displays, Electronics, Sensors, Energy***
- **Enabling Large-Area, Rugged Applications**
- **New concepts for Security and Defense**
- **Expanding US-Based Manufacturing and Jobs**

The CAMM's Unique Capabilities have an opportunity to solve critical manufacturing and packaging challenges for the emerging Flexible Electronics Industry



Cautions in Partnering

- Studies show 50% of all strategic alliances fail within three years
- Mismatched expectations are the principal cause of failures
- There are no “merger of equals”
- Successful alliances MUST make good business sense
- Successful alliances MUST meet individual needs
- Weak + weak = weaker !

Note: An Industrial Research Institute survey of 2010 reports that 47% of companies expect increases in alliances and joint ventures tied to R&D.

Partnering is a people process: Implementation

- Carefully organize teams
- Prepare for trauma
- Define success
- Move swiftly & decisively

—Maintain morale

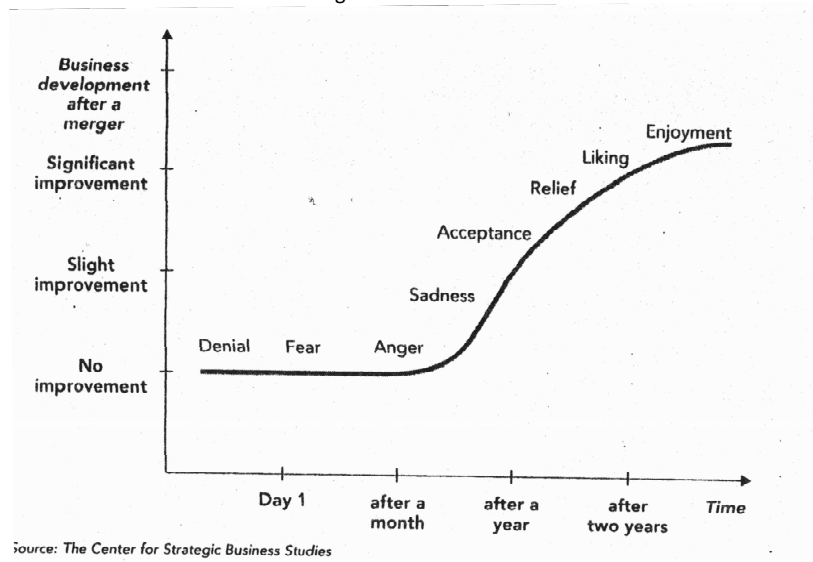
—Minimize rumors

—Minimize loss of key personnel

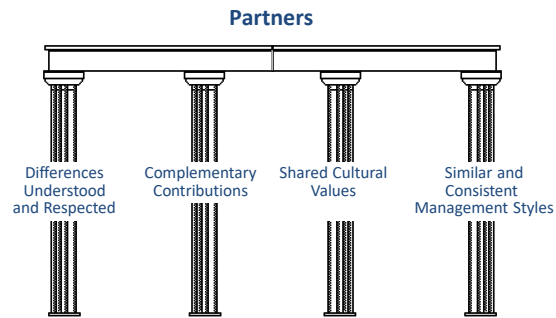
—Eliminate uncertainty

Strategic Alliances - Partnering is a people process

The individual's reaction in a change situation



Successful joint ventures and strategic alliances exhibit similar characteristics.



Partners understand differences:



Transferring Rights: Intellectual Capital Components

- Human Capital
 - Know-how
 - Creativity
 - Skills
- Intellectual Property
 - Patents
 - Copyrights
 - Trademarks
 - Trade secrets
- Intellectual Assets
 - Programs
 - Inventions
 - Documents
 - Processes
 - Drawings
 - Designs

Intellectual Capital Risks in Strategic Alliances

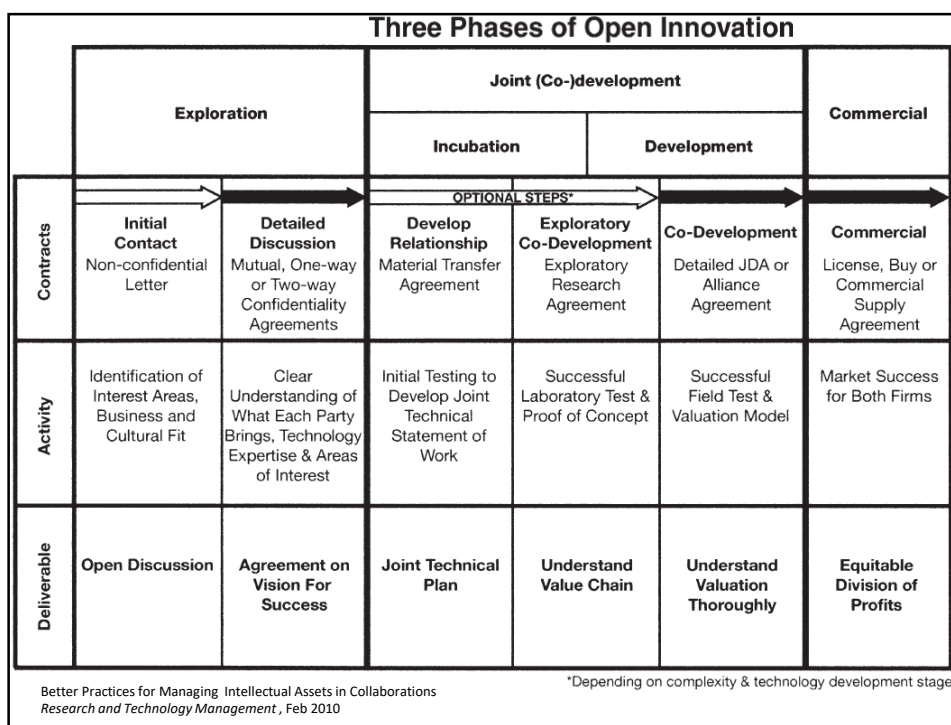
- Shared Facility:
 - Exposed Trade Secrets and Sensitive Technologies
 - Access to Confidential Information
 - Unintended Transfer of Technologies
 - Inconsistent Judicial Decisions or Enforcement Favoring a Country
- Conflict of Interest for Personnel
 - Question of Employee Loyalty (e.g. to JV or partner)
 - Potential Future Competitor
 - Information Shared with JV, Partnerships, or Suppliers
 - Individual risk Issues
 - Mobility of personnel

Some of the top reasons TO partner:

- Hands: Extra R&D capacity – hands
- Brains: Expertise
- Access to key technology/market
- Localized products for local markets
- Lets you focus on your competencies
- Speed to market
- Reduce costs

Some of the top reasons NOT TO partner:

- Loss of strategic control of your business
- Loss of in-house expertise
- Confidentiality of Intellectual Property
- Loss of project control
- Stability of partner



Trends into the 21st century...for the larger companies

- Lack flexibility to respond rapidly to technological and market changes
- Need to look outside for innovation
- Rapid market shifts and fragmentation motivate selection of small companies
- Partnering allows large company to respond to emerging technology risks



Some numbers on startups...



- 1958 the average life span of the companies in S&P 500 was 61 years. 2012 it was only 18 years. (70 % less)
- Between 2009-2014 70% of all new employments in the US were created in startups.
- Startups are 16 times more productive than large companies regarding number of patents per employee
- The patents from startups are cited 2,5 times more often than the ones of the large companies, indicating a higher degree of originality and inventiveness





Asymmetric Collaboration – What can we get?



- Credibility
- Branding & PR
- Distribution & Market access
- Supplier Network
- Funding



- Speed of innovation
- Innovative image
- Innovations
- Culture

Insead & #500Corporations, How do the worlds biggest companies deal with the startup revolution, 2016

Combining the DNA of dinosaurs and fruit flies

- Fruit flies are tech start-up companies that react at lightning speed to changes in the technology or business environment
- Dinosaurs are the large well-established companies that are bureaucratic, risk-averse, rife with internecine politics, hobbled by government regulations and stockholders' concerns
- Dinosaurs are very robust and have been around for a long time, but lack the agility to adapt to major shifts in climate like that associated with a comet impact
- The fruit flies create Internets, killer-app software, and breakthroughs in fields like biotech, semiconductors, and nanoscience
- While dinosaurs can easily squish fruit flies, they need to somehow combine their DNA in order to be responsive and adaptable
- The result is that companies like Intel and Pfizer are forever monitoring small companies as potential fast-paced suppliers or as acquisition targets so they can remain competitive



Inspired by *Clockspeed : Winning Industry Control in the Age of Temporary Advantage* by Charles H. Fine

Why great companies fail

1. Corporate arrogance and hubris
2. Leadership fails to anticipate a reality different than what they are prepared to see
3. Insufficient attention to weak signals
4. Biases of internal decision-making processes
5. Lack of vision and risk taking
6. Wrong incentives: short-term & risk adverse
7. Trapped in yesterday's business models
8. No large-scale technology company does partnering especially well. (Business Week)

Triple helix model can drive transitions



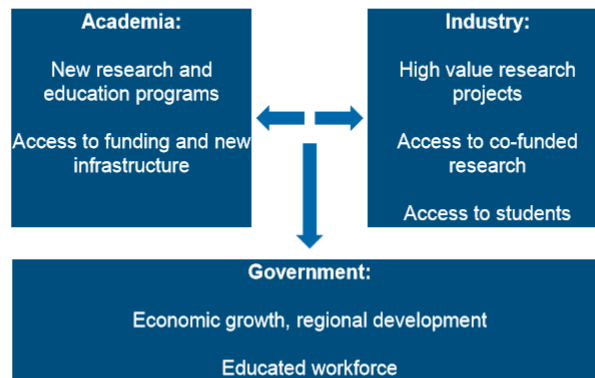
The triple helix

- consists of **3 components**:
 1. industry
 2. academia
 3. government
- stimulates **innovation in innovation** through institutions taking non-traditional roles
- requires a **prominent role for university** in innovation



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Results of academia – industry – government partnerships



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Economics of innovation and growth

Motivation for the program

Innovation and entrepreneurship are prime factors behind value creation, economic prosperity and employment growth. The growing awareness of the importance of innovation among knowledge-based firms, financial markets and policymakers has created a demand for a program which integrates aspects of technology, economics, financing and other related areas.



Economics of innovation and growth

Started in 2005, one intake a year

2-year master's program (120 ECTS)

Economics with a focus on innovation and growth

Highly attractive for both students and employers

- ~ 10 qualified applicants per available seat
- Swedish and international students
- Many are offered employment before graduation



Entrance requirements and selection criteria

Special admission requirements

- ≥ 30 ECTS in economics/statistics/mathematics
- Bachelor degree in economics/engineering/mathematics

Selection criteria

- Motivation
- University ranking
- Quantity of relevant courses
- Quality in relevant courses



Top ten countries of origin in 2017 (65.4 %)

Country	Percent of qualified applicants 2017
Sweden	38.4
Germany	5.7
China	3.4
Greece	3.2
Indonesia	3.2
Pakistan	2.9
Azerbaijan	2.3
Bangladesh	2.3
Russia	2.0
USA	2.0



Program structure

Each study year comprises 40 weeks (60 ECTS) divided into four periods

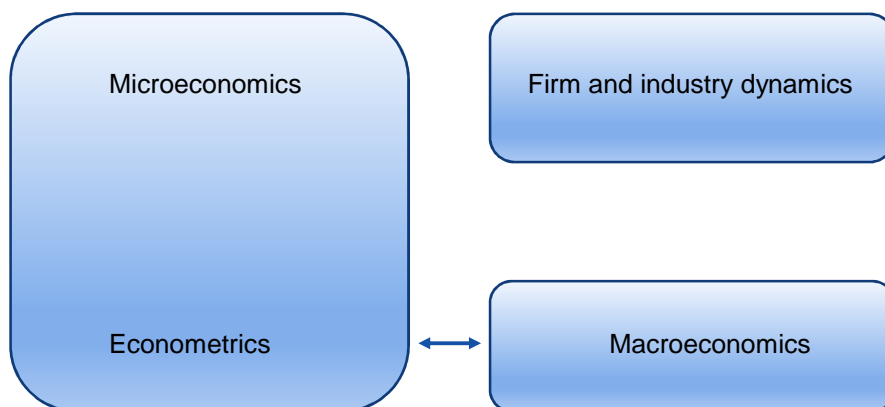
Two 7.5 ECTS courses per period except last term which is entirely devoted to the degree project 30 ECTS

First year all courses compulsory

Second year mainly elective courses

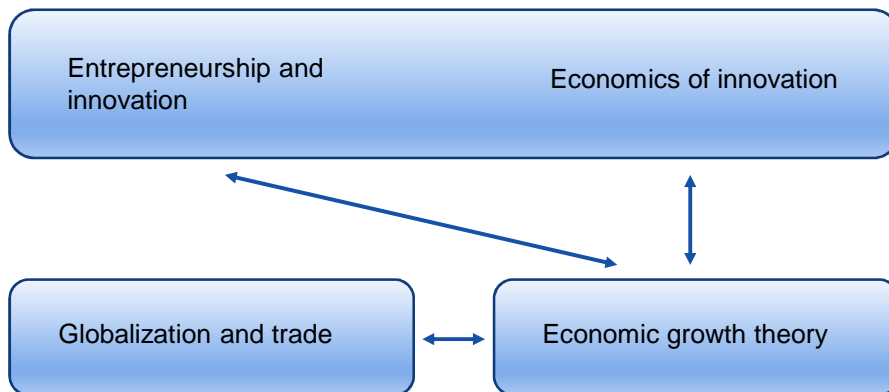


Courses year 1, period 1 and 2

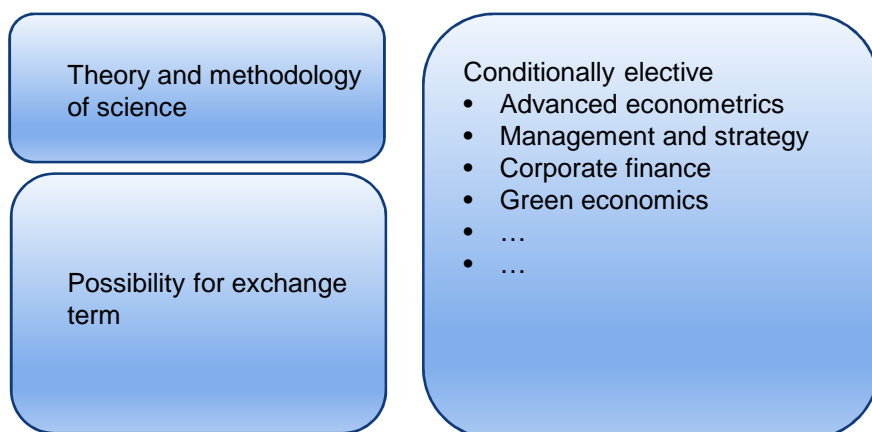




Courses year 1, period 3 and 4



Courses year 2, period 1 and 2





Courses year 2, period 3 and 4

Degree project



Exchange term 2017

- Iowa State University, **USA**
- Queensland University of Technology, **Australia**
- Singapore Management University, **Singapore**
- Nanyang Technological University, **Singapore**
- Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (KAIST), **Korea**
- Technische Universität Berlin, **Germany**
- Keio University, **Japan**
- Tokyo University, **Japan**



Alumni

The program allows for a broad spectrum of career opportunities within the private and public sector. Previous students can be found in banking, large multinational corporations, governmental agencies, consultancy companies, academia and entrepreneurial ventures



Alumni

- Business Analyst at a Russian subsidiary of **Air Liquide**
- Associate Account Strategist at **Google**
- Sales Manager Financial Services at **Tieto**
- Business developer at the Department for Household Strategy and Development (HSD) at **Nordea**
- Project Manager at **Nordicstation**, an IT consultant company
- Capital and Risk Analyst at **Nordea**
- IT specialist in the IT department at **Aviva**
- Manager at the market intelligence and research department at **ALB-telecom**
- Research team leader at **Nepa**, a research company
- Analyst within the Global Marketing team at **Oriflame**
- Analyst at the Swedish branch of **The Royal Bank of Scotland**



Microeconomics

Intended learning outcomes

- Be able to use and derive advanced microeconomics theory to analyze market competition, technological change and productivity growth, with mathematically formalized models.
- Be able to describe and apply formal mathematical models to prognosticate how supply and demand for specific goods will develop.
- Have knowledge of duality and optimization for modern applied economical analysis.
- Have knowledge and tool to analyze welfare economics effects of technical and commercial development.
- Be able to use game theory for the analysis of strategic decisions.
- Be able to use advanced microeconomics theories and models
- Have knowledge how these can be applied for decision making in company, for example by engineers in managerial positions.



Microeconomics

Main content

- Consumer and producer theory
- Competition
- Theory of general equilibrium
- Welfare analysis
- Strategic behavior and game theory
- Information asymmetries



Firm and industry dynamics

Intended learning outcomes

- Be able to explain and analyze the importance of firm and industry dynamics for economic development.
- Be able to explain, compare and analyze the importance of firm and industry dynamics according to different economic theories.
- Have knowledge about and discuss critically empirical research results about firm and industry dynamics.
- Be able to explain the importance of institutions and industrial policy for firm and industry dynamics.
- Be able to compile, analyze critically and present an empirical case study of the development of an industry sector.



Firm and industry dynamics

Main content

- Innovation and economic development
- Firm and industry dynamics in economic theories
- Start-up and close-down of companies
- High-growth companies
- Institutional aspects of industry dynamics
- Company localization and industry clusters
- Business policy



Macroeconomics for business

Intended learning outcomes

- Relate theoretical macroeconomic models to policy issues
- Show a broad expertise in macroeconomics
- Use macroeconomic theory and empirical data to generate decision support
- Independently and in groups analyse, reason and communicate on issues related to macroeconomic variables, both in writing and verbally
- Select relevant macroeconomic models and empirical methods for analysing macroeconomic phenomena
- Reflect over how economic shocks influence the aggregate economic development in a short and long perspective



Macroeconomics for business

Main content

- How the different components of the macroeconomics stick together
- Exchange rates, deflation, inflation and prices
- Focus on empirical macroeconomics
- Technical development, innovation, competitiveness and growth
- Monetary and fiscal policy
- Financial markets, labour and product market
- Compile, analyse and report on macroeconomic data, verbally and in writing



Basic econometrics

Intended learning outcomes

On completion of the course, the student should:

- have understanding of why econometrics is necessary and which tools that can be used for an empirical analysis
- apply econometric tools for modelling, estimation, conclusion and forecasts in connection with real problems from different parts of the society
- critically evaluate results and conclusions from others that use basic tools for quantitative analysis
- have a basis and an understanding of further studies of econometrics/quantitative analysis
- have an understanding the range of more advanced technologies that are available and that can be covered in later econometric courses/courses in quantitative analysis



Basic econometrics

Main content

- Statistical probability theory and mathematics
- Simple and multivariable models for linear regression analysis
- Models for simultaneous equations
- Estimations with time series data
- Models for panel data
- Models for quantitative variables
- Hypothesis testing, prediction and model adaptation



Economics of innovation

Intended learning outcomes

- Understand the meaning of concepts such as R&D, technology, technology dispersion, markets for technology, invention, innovation, productivity.
- Understand the importance of the innovation processes of the companies and the leverage effect that can be created by utilizing industrial, regional and national innovation systems.
- Show ability to understand the often complex nature of the innovative activities
- Understand why funding of innovative activities can be a problem
- Understand why the private return on investment on innovative activities is often lower than the social return on investment
- Understand how innovative activities can be converted to new knowledge, technical changes and economical growth.
- Understand the importance of the globalization for innovative activities.



Economics of innovation

Main content

- Creation and dispersion of technology and knowledge
- Risk and funding of innovative activities
- Innovation and technology policy



Entrepreneurship and innovation

Intended learning outcomes

- Be able to explain and analyze the role of entrepreneurs for economic development.
- Be able to explain, compare and analyze the importance of entrepreneurship and innovation according to different economical theories.
- Have knowledge of the empirical results within entrepreneurship research.
- Have knowledge of the process of turning an innovation into a business.
- Have knowledge of different financing options for entrepreneurs.
- Be able to explain the importance of institutions and entrepreneurship policy for innovation and entrepreneurship.
- Be able to compile, present and critically analyze empirical research within entrepreneurship and innovation.



Entrepreneurship and innovation

Main content

- The process from innovation to business; entrepreneurship in economic theories; measuring entrepreneurship; determinants of entrepreneurial activities and success; financing entrepreneurship; institutions and entrepreneurship policy.



Globalization and trade

Intended learning outcomes

- Describe the processes of globalization and demonstrate knowledge of the political, social and economic impacts
- Describe the development of international trade and the relevant trade policy institutions
- Describe and assess the relevance of various trade theories
- Analyze the effects of various forms of trade
- Apply fundamental macro-, micro-, and international economic theory to analyze globalization
- Describe and analyze multinationals importance to globalization and localization of economic activity
- Identify factors that promote or hinder globalization
- Assess the implications of globalization for economic growth
- Critically review and reflect on the ideas in the academic literature dealing with globalization



Globalization and trade

Main content

- Static and dynamic comparative advantages
- Spatial preferences and specialization
- One-and two-way trade
- Spatial price equilibrium
- Barriers
- Specialization, agglomeration and regional/national growth
- International and regional migration patterns
- FDI



Economic growth

Intended learning outcomes

- Understand the relationship between technological development and economic growth
- Use basic theoretical and mathematical tools to analyze long-term economic growth
- Understand and reflect on the four main growth paradigms' implications for economic policy
- Use mathematical models to analyze the role of physical capital, human capital, R&D, institutions, entrepreneurship and innovation for economic growth
- Analyze the role of natural resources in sustainable economic growth
- Read, interpret and assess both basic and highly technical theoretical and empirical research on economic growth



Economic growth

Main content

- The aim of the course is to give students both broad and deep knowledge of the facts and the theories of economic growth. A special emphasis is placed on the relationship between technological development and economic growth.
- The course starts with presenting facts about economic growth and then the four main growth paradigms are introduced: the neoclassical model, the Romer product variety model, the Schumpeterian model and the AK model.
- The study of economic growth requires highly theoretical models in order to understand how different factors affect the development of the economy and a large part of the course is devoted to develop students' ability to use mathematics in solving these models. Group work and seminars are essential parts of the course, where students will develop good working skills in using relevant mathematical tools for analyzing economic growth and designing growth policies.