

Innovation With & In China



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Realities, Opportunities & Innovations for the Next Decade

- Continued fiscal difficulties
- Sorting out of the capital markets
- More opportunities for entrepreneurship
- China as a potential market if consumers spend
- Reshaping of manufacturing
- New tech frontiers (e.g., alt energy, climate change)
- Continued growth of open innovation
- Workforce issues among the U.S. and global populations
- INNOVATION is essential to remain competitive



Why Is Innovation Essential?



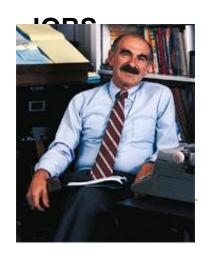
INNOVATION IS THE SPECIFIC INSTRUMENT OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP. THE ACT THAT ENDOWS RESOURCES WITH A NEW CAPACITY TO CREATE WEALTH."

-PETER F. DRUCKER

INNOVATION DISTINGUISHES BETWEEN A LEADER AND A FOLLOWER."

-STEVE





"JUST AS ENERGY IS THE BASIS OF LIFE ITSELF, AND IDEAS THE SOURCE OF INNOVATION, SO IS INNOVATION THE VITAL SPARK OF ALL HUMAN CHANGE, IMPROVEMENT AND PROGRESS!"
-TED LEVITT

Knowledge Economy: Definitions & Terminology

- Knowledge is the confident understanding of a subject, potentially with the ability to use it for a specific purpose
- Knowledge economy is based on creating, evaluating, and trading knowledge
- Innovation is the creation and transformation of knowledge into new products, processes, and services that meet market need



Goals of Innovation-Based Economic Development

Intervene at the margins of private sector investment flows of capital (financial and intellectual) to:

- Address economic transition
- Capture the benefit of investments in research and development, higher education
- Build entrepreneurial cultures
- Help existing industries modernize
- Diversify both rural and urban economies
- Develop global innovation network



Implementing a New Innovation Paradigm

- Willingness to deviate from traditional and parochial perspectives
- Encourage public investment and risk taking
- Developing trust through collaboration
- Ensuring the paradigm is responsive to partners' missions
- Building consensus of all constituents through education, participation, and positive outcomes
- Move from technology-based economic development

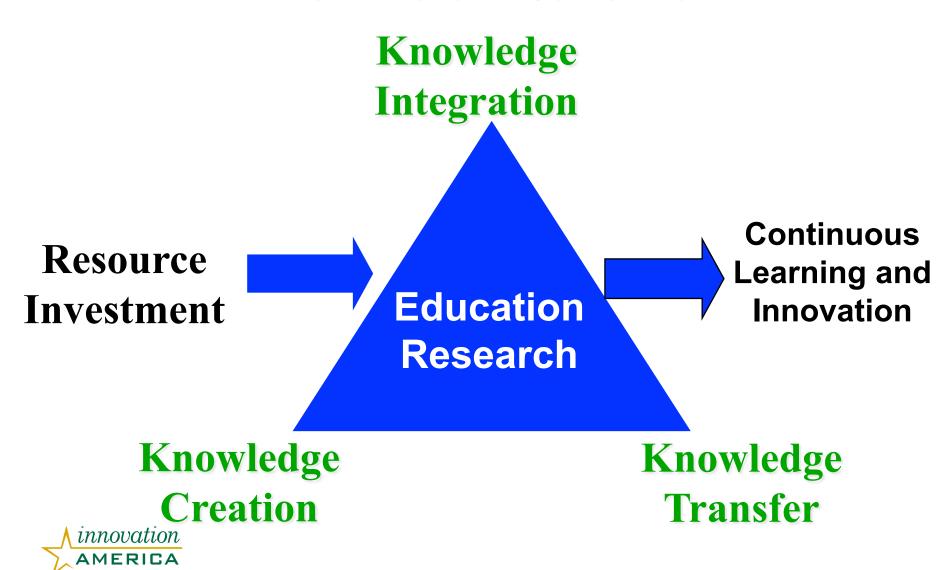


Government's Role in S&T

- Long term vision and planning
- Identify gaps and trends in science, technology and innovation
- Be a catalyst through strategic investments and partnering
- Develop a balanced and flexible innovation capital investment portfolio
- Encourage private sector innovation
- Establish performance-oriented innovation-based economic development strategy and implementation



The Role of Academia



The Role of Industry: Wealth Creation

Capitalism is a Process of Creative Transformation

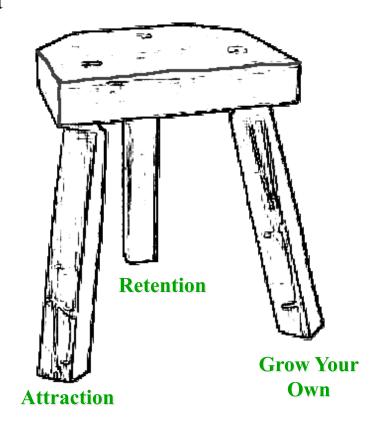
"The interaction of technological innovation with the competitive marketplace is the fundamental driving force in capitalist industrial progress."

Joseph A. Schumpeter, 1942



Economy Building

- Economic Development is like a three-legged stool:
 - Attraction
 - Retention
 - Grow Your Own
- IBED requires patience and persistence, continuity and consistency.
- Working with early-stage companies takes time.
- Balanced portfolio economic development strategy is best!

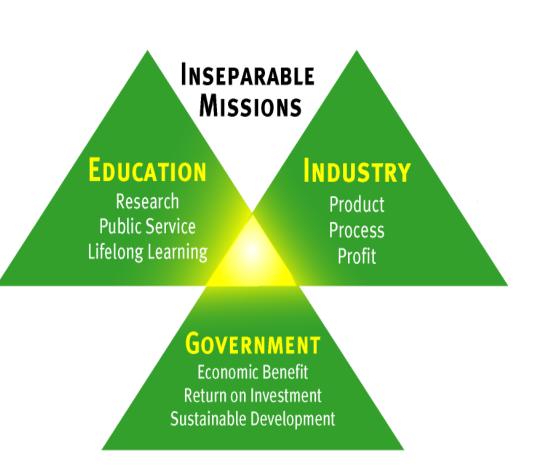




Public/Private Partnership

- Progress is promoted by strong industry, government and university leadership
- Sustained by dynamic public/private partnerships
- These leaders create new, responsive models of governance





Traditional ED vs. Innovation-Based ED

Traditional ED

Innovation-based ED

• Competitive Basis

Natural resources Highways / Rail Proximity Costs



Specialized talent
Networks, information
University research / professors
Market understanding

i.e. PHYSICAL

i.e. KNOWLEDGE

• Key values / offerings

Business parks Incentives



Access to research Workforce competencies Lifestyle

• Lead Organization

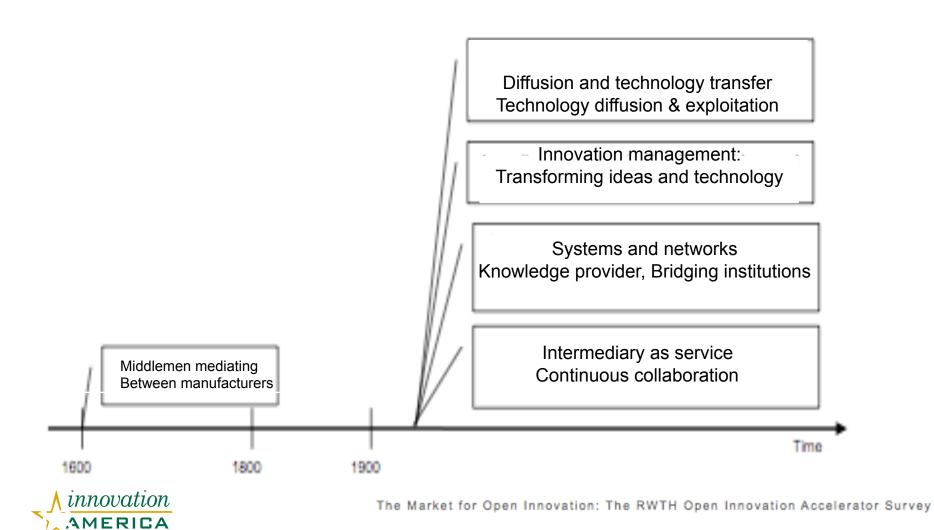
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Innovation intermediaries,



Evolution of Intermediaries

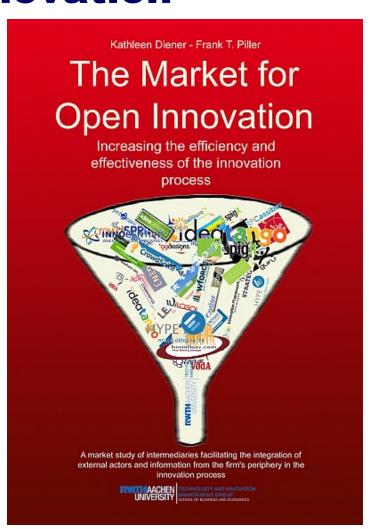


Market for Open Innovation

The First Study
Comparing More Than 50
Brokers, Intermediaries,
and Consultancies for
Open Innovation

Kathleen Diener & Frank Piller





What is an Innovation Intermediary?

 An Organization at the Center of the region's, state's or country's efforts to align local technologies, assets and resources to work together on advancing Innovation.





21st Century Innovation Intermediary

Connectivity of Key

Human & Institutional Players

Leverage & Alignment of Funding & Resources



Research &
Marketing of the
Strengths of the
Innovation Economy

Programs

Commercialization

Direct Investment

Angel Capital

SBIR Programs

Technology Mining / Intellectual
Property Programs



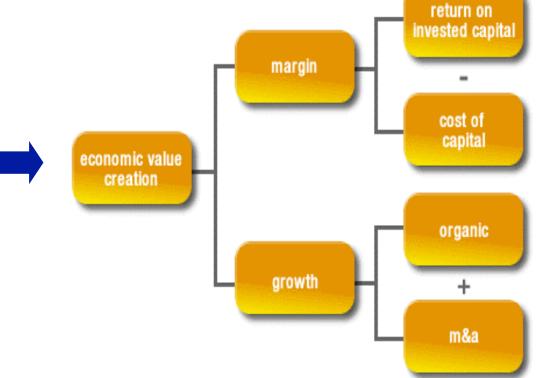
Innovation Paradigm Shift

PROOF OF CONCEPT
(Technological Feasibility)
"It Works!"

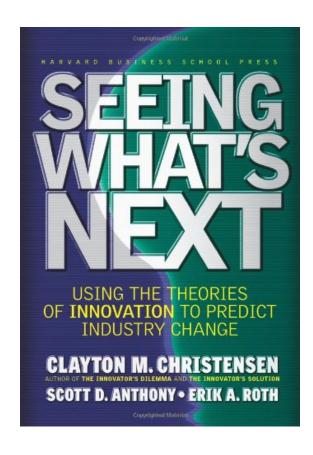
PROOF OF RELEVANCE
(Market Pull)
"I'll Buy It!"

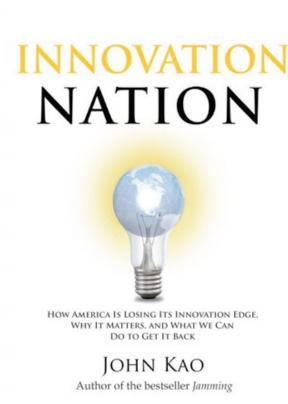


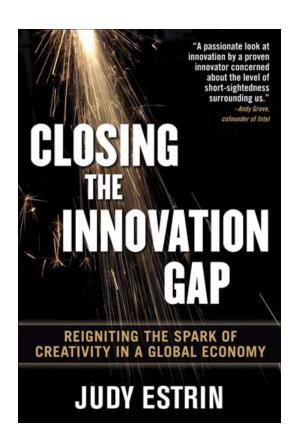
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More Reading on Innovation









China's Science & Technology Outline (2006-2020)

•Identified innovation as the new national strategy, placing innovation capability strengthening as the strategic basis for S&T development and the core of industrial restructuring and growth mode transformation.

·Goal:

- Driving China into an innovative nation by 2020
- •Key indicator = Gross expenditure on R&D (GRED) will exceed 2.5% of GDP with the contribution rate of S&T progress to economic development reaching above 60%.
- •The Outline has drawn the blueprint for future S&T innovation in China with an emphasis on creating a favorable policy environment for innovation.

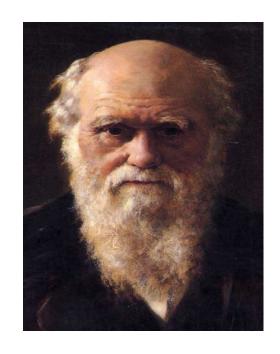


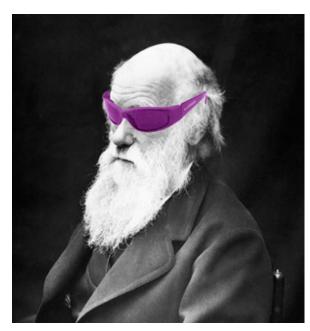
Source. Dr WAN Gang, Minister of Science and Technology, China

Change Is Inevitable

"It is not the strongest of species that survive, nor the most intelligent, but the ones most responsive to change."









China's Improving Innovation Metrics

Last 20 years...

- •150,000 private high-tech enterprises in China recruited more than 1.8 million personnel involved in innovation activities
- •90% of the 40,000 high-tech enterprises in the 54 national high-tech industrial development zones are private-owned, such as Lenovo and Huawei.
- •Incubation China boasts the second largest number after the U.S., with 534 incubators established with government support.



China's Innovation Strategy

- •Across China, universities are minting new graduates at record rates, half of them majoring in science or engineering.
- •This has doubled the number of people working in science and technology over the past two decades and tripled the number working in R&D.
- •China is also pouring money into R&D to the point where it is now the third-biggest spender, behind the U.S. and Japan.
- •Only one in 10 of China's R&D workers has a master's degree or higher.
- •R&D money is not generating a commensurate volume of new patents. Taiwan manages five times as many a year and Japan 30 times. Most significantly, China isn't commercializing its inventions, a result of top-down-driven allocations of R&D money, not naturally innovative state-owned companies and a lack of a system of venture funding.



Goal of China's Innovation Strategy

- Encourage enterprises including private enterprises to become the major players in innovation activities
- Accelerate the formation of an enterprise-led, market-oriented technology innovation system featured by industry-university -research institute collaboration.
- •Encourage universities and research institutes to establish diversified innovation partnership with enterprises to promote technology transfer and startups as well as create more job opportunities.



China The Need for Innovation as the Engine for Growth

- •Underpinned by economic reforms and the "open door" policy, the Chinese economy has performed extraordinarily over nearly three decades.
- China's re-emergence as a major power in the world economy is one of the most significant developments in modern history.
- •The Chinese economy is now the fourth largest in the world and its macro-economic performance remains strong.



Sustainable Economic Growth In China

- •High rates of economic growth, industrialization and urbanization are putting increasing pressure on the sustainability of economic growth and social development owing to:
- •High consumption of energy and raw materials.
- •Environmental degradation which also leads to damage to human health.
- Uneven distribution of the benefits of economic development across regions, & between urban and rural populations.
- •Large migration flows that contribute to rapid urbanization and strain the social fabric and the environment.



China's Innovation Advantages

- Abundant human resources and their innovation capability
- S&T personnel reaching 38 million
- •1.2 million are involved in R&D activities, ranking 2nd in the world after the U.S.



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China - A Major Destination for FDI

•China has become a major destination for foreign direct investment (FDI) and a trading nation of global rank, with an increasing share of high-technology products in its export structure.

 A significant and continuing increase in income per capita and an impressive reduction in poverty levels imply huge domestic

Japan's Exports to China, 2003

demand for goods and services.





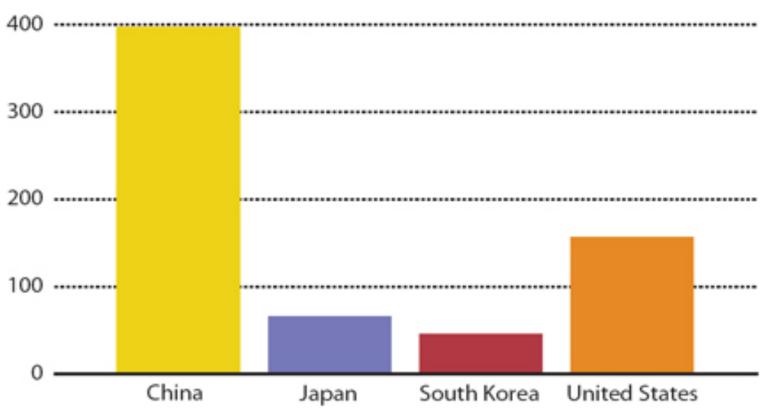
Priority Fields for S&T Innovation in China

- Technological development of clean energy and environment protection
- Improvement of nutrition and public health as a major S&T innovation mission and strive to reduce the threat of major diseases.
- •Encourage the development and application of pre-competition common technologies to upgrade industrial structure and provide technological support for SMEs.
- •Reinforce basic and frontier researches.



Rising Tigers, Sleeping Giant

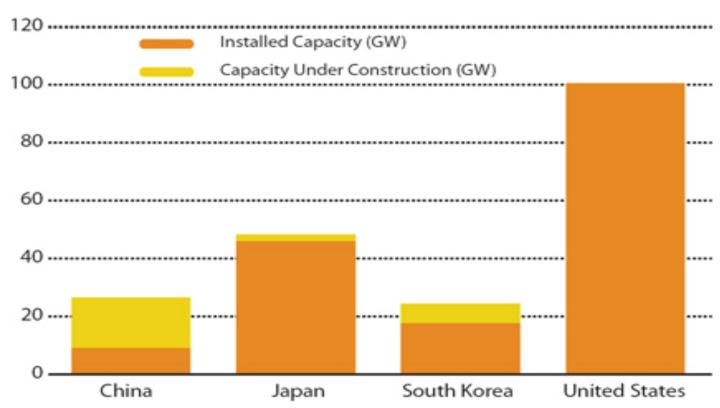
Public Investments in Clean Energy Technology (US \$ Billion)





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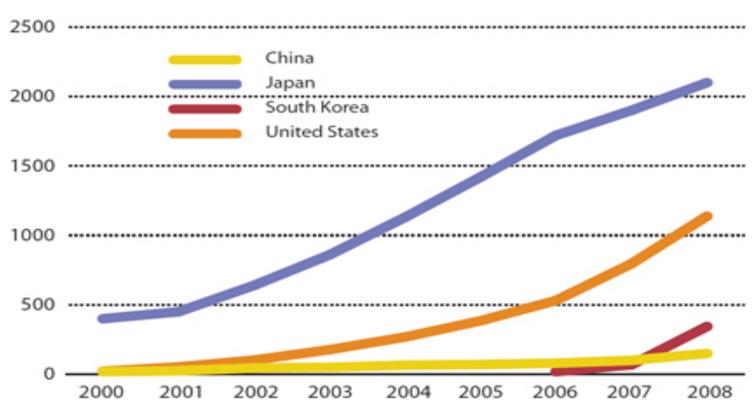
Domestic Nuclear Markets (Gigawatts)





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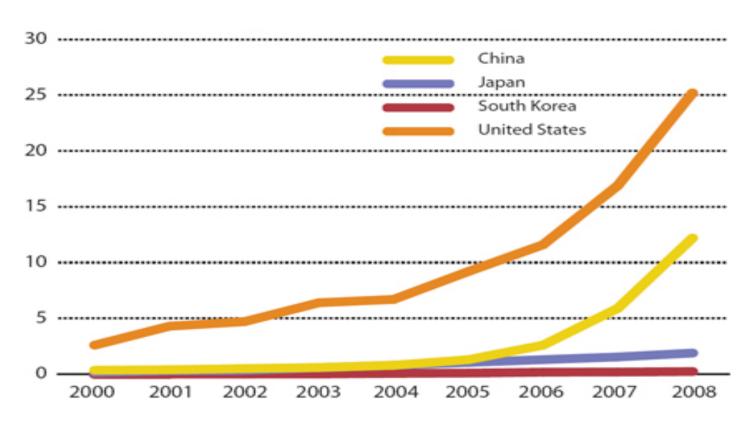
Domestic Solar Markets, 2000-2008 (Cumulative Installed Megawatts)





Rising Tigers, Sleeping Giant

Domestic Wind Markets, 2000-2008 (Cumulative Installed Gigawatts)





China and the US Cooperative Programs

- •Promote joint R&D in key areas with common interests, including clean energy, natural resources, environment protection, public health, agriculture, disaster prevention and mitigation, basic research, etc. Efforts should be made breakthroughs based on the existing efforts and intensify technology transfer for public welfare.
- •Enhance bilateral cooperation in innovation policy-making and technology standard setting by jointly holding various seminars.
- •Facilitate academic cooperation and exchanges between scientists of the two countries.
- •Establish partnership between universities and laboratories of the two countries.



Institutional Barriers that Inhibit China..... Despite Tremendous Growth in Science & Technology.

Ineffective public funding.

•Ministry of Science and Technology (MoST) and other public sources of R&D funds have traditionally done a poor job of distributing these resources to those who might best realize innovation returns. Peer review panels can incline to favoritism, collusion or even incompetence. MoST's brief move towards blind review panels to address issues of collusion and favoritism has been reversed.

Public procurement.

•The procurement process favors firms with strong government connections and thereby hinders efficient allocation of public resources to support domestic innovation.



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Source: Forbes.com



VC Capital Surges into China

- •VC and PE firms invested US\$418 million in 46 businesses through March, compared with US\$292 million in 18 cases a month earlier
- •Investments in information technology sector totaled US\$192 million, accounting for 46.2 percent of the total
- •Total of US\$69.13 million was invested in eight businesses in traditional industry and US\$35.2 million in six healthcare industry projects.
 - •Beijing ranked the first among all provinces by attracting US\$148 million investments from private equity and venture capital firms,
 - •Shanghai was 2nd with US\$112 million.
- •Shanghai will launch a pilot program in Pudong New Area to facilitate foreign investors to access domestic private equity funds to push the city toward its goal to become a global financial hub.



Venture Capital Returns By Investment Stage

Historic Venture Capital Returns

Early stage VC funds historically out-perform the overall venture asset class:

	<u>1 Yr</u>	<u>5 Yr</u>	<u>10 Yr</u>	<u>20 Yr</u>
Early Stage VC	-20.6	3.7	36.0	21.8
Balanced VC	-26.9	8.4	13.5	14.5
Late Stage VC	-6.8	8.7	7.5	14.5
All Venture	-20.9	6.4	15.5	17.0
S&P 500	-36.1	-4.0	-3.0	6.1

Data Source: Thomson Reuters' US Private Equity Performance Index, National Venture Capital Association, April 2009

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IBED Best Practices, Common Attributes

- Longevity
- Bipartisan Support & Champions
- Independent Organizations
- Continuous Reinvention
- Private Sector Involvement
- Understand Return On Investment
- Sustainability In Funding
- Accountable
- Innovative
- Effective Leadership



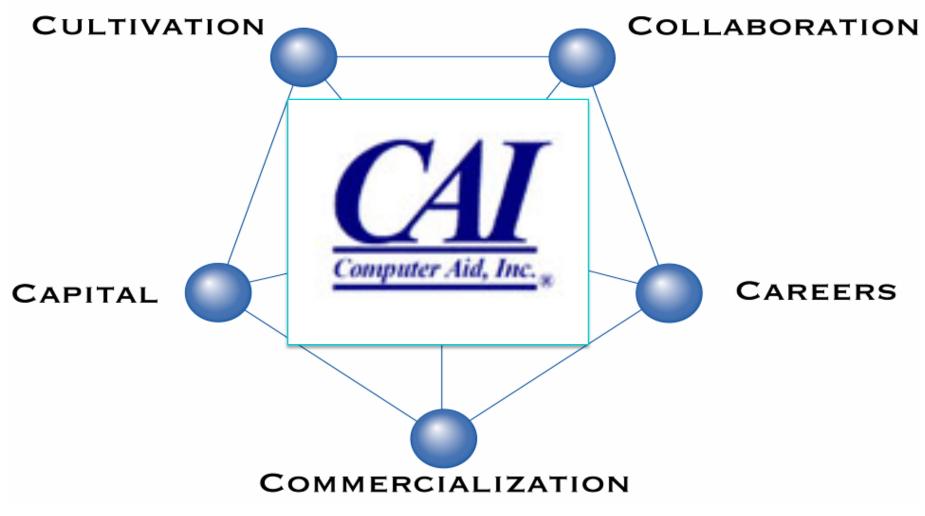


Innovation Road Map Elements China Needs

- 1. Asset Mapping
- 2. Cluster analysis
- 3. Innovation Benchmarking (Peer 2 Peer)
- 4. Innovation and Entrepreneurship resource identification
- 5. Innovation Economic Development organizational analysis and matrix
- 6. Gap Analysis (programs & services)
- 7. Public policy recommendations
- 8. Recommended organizational structure, governance, budget, and funding sources (Private Public Partnership)
- 9. Organizational leadership and staffing
- 10. Program portfolio/implementation
- 11. Economic Impact Analysis

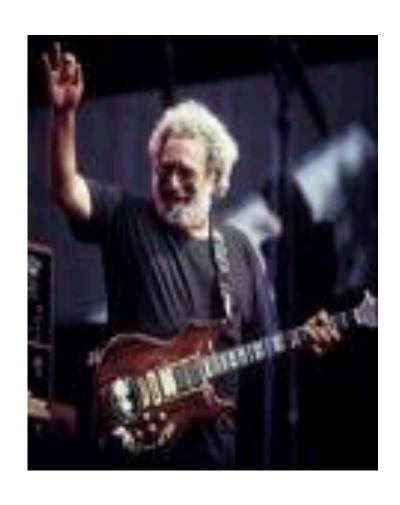


China's Innovation Paradigm





A Call to Action



"Somebody has to do something, and it's just incredibly pathetic that it has to be US."

--Jerry Garcia of the Grateful Dead

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Innovation vs. "Awesomeness"

This "Awesomeness Manifesto" by Umair Haque hinges on a rather narrow definition for "innovation" so as to draw a contrast, but lets undermine the whole thing by highlighting the most glaring weakness."

Obsolescence is what's obsolete" means what? For nothing to ever be made obsolete, nothing new and better may be created. Haque appears to dislike the concept of creative destruction becomes some peoples' wealth is destroyed in the process of making new people wealthy... but what's the alternative? Those who are presently rich and powerful must be allowed to stay that way? Societal calcification. Stagnation. Creative destruction isn't perfect, but generally, over time, what is destroyed is less valuable than what is created. That's not a waste of our seed-corn, that's how it's supposed to be used. Seeds are consumed when you plant them, but the resulting crops are worth more than the seed. Then you collect more seed and start the next round, peoples

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Can an 'Innovation Economy' Save the U.S.?

We need more political leaders like John F. Kennedy. He envisioned going to the moon and inspired the innovation to make it manifest.



I have got to be honest. I didn't have any idea of what an "innovation economy" had to do with me until yesterday. True, I don't cover business issues normally, sticking to what I know best, which is politics, with the primary focus of foreign policy. But when I was offered the opportunity to attend the Innovation Economy Conference held in Washington, D.C. yesterday, I jumped at the chance. (I tweeted the conference as well.) Because if ever there was a time we need some out of the box thinking on our economy this is it. The event, hosted by The Aspen Institute, Intel, Democracy (a journal of ideas), and The News Hour with Jim Lehrer, I went to check out, expecting to stay for a couple of hours, but ended up staying all day. I by no means caught every speech or break-out session, but what I did witness proved one thing to me. If the U.S. doesn't get moving we're going to be in even more

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