Potential future ideas – Are they 'KIC-ABLE?'

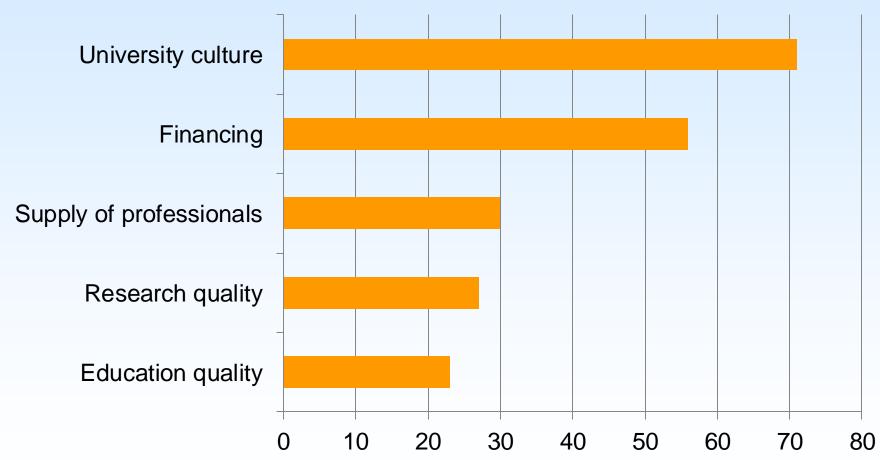
Richard L. Hudson
CEO & Editor



The media network for research, industry and policy www.sciencebusiness.net

Obstacles to innovation

Percentage of respondents



Source: Science|Business conference survey for CEPT, Warsaw, 2010

Expanding the range of KICs

Year: 2010 2014 2020

1st lot: 3 KICs

InnoEnergy, Climate Change, ICT

2nd lot: 3 KICs New call to come

3rd lot: 6 KICs
To be decided

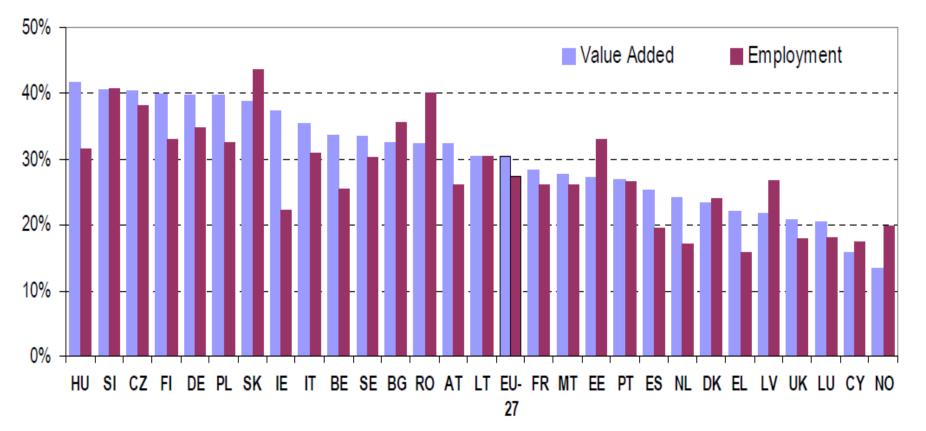
What makes a good KIC theme?

For discussion:

- 1. Scope Broad enough for creativity, focused enough for results?
- 2. Social utility Can it solve a real problem? A Grand Challenge?
- 3. Competitiveness Does Europe have an edge, or can it gain one?
- 4. EIT relevance Could a 'knowledge triangle' approach help?
 - a) What is the business case?
 - b) What are the educational benefits?
 - c) What are the research and technology challenges?
 - d) Would collaboration among the 3 sectors help?

Theme: Added value manufacturing

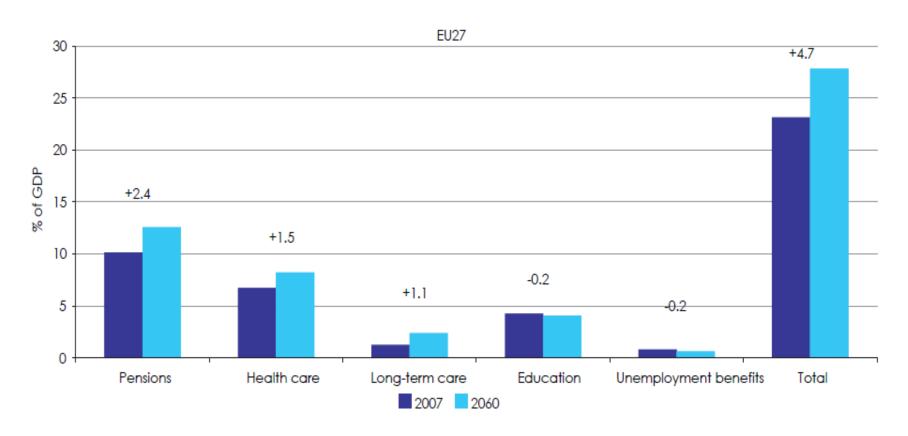
Fig.1 Value added and employment in manufacturing (NACE D), 2005 % of the non-financial business economy (NACE C to I and K)



2004: CZ; NL; 2002: MT Source: Eurostat, SBS

Theme: Ageing population

Graph 86 – Cost of Ageing in EU27, % point change of GDP

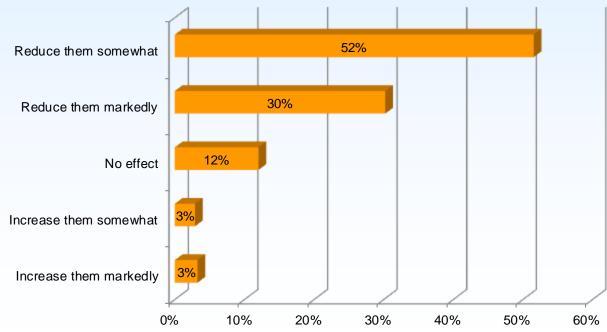


Source: Commission services, EPC.

Theme: Biotechnology

- Scope: >100K workers in Europe, 1.4% to 1.7% of 'Economic Value Added' in Europe
 - Diverse: Biopharmaceuticals, Agro-Bio, industrial bio
- 2. Social utility: Better healthcare and food supplies; solving the 'Healthy Ageing' challenge

Survey: Over 80% believe that personalised healthcare will reduce medical errors

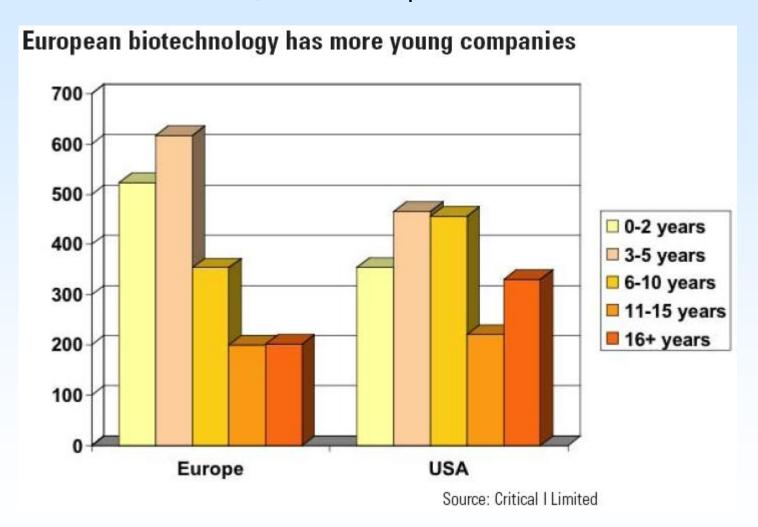


Source:

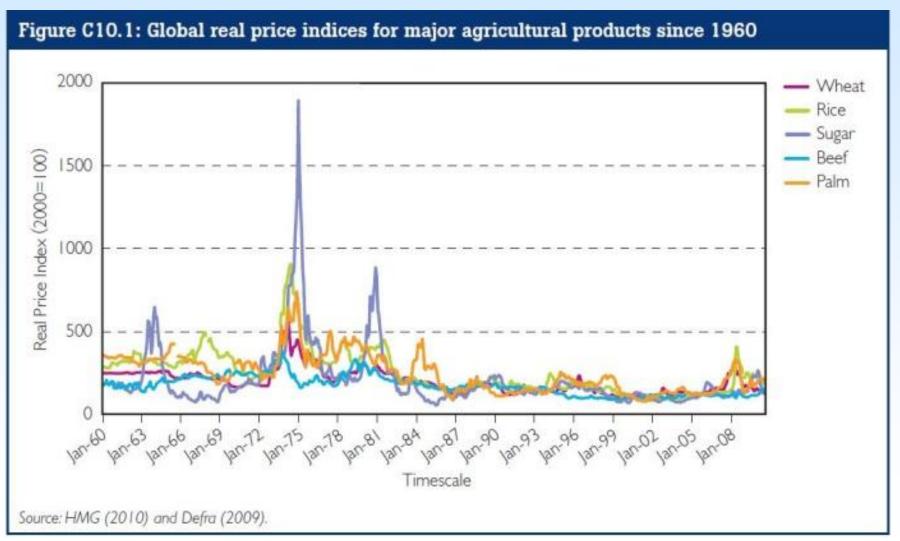
Karolinska-Science|Business survey of EU doctors, regulators, researchers, industry 2010

Theme: Biotechnology (cont.)

3. Competitiveness: Good science, difficult competition

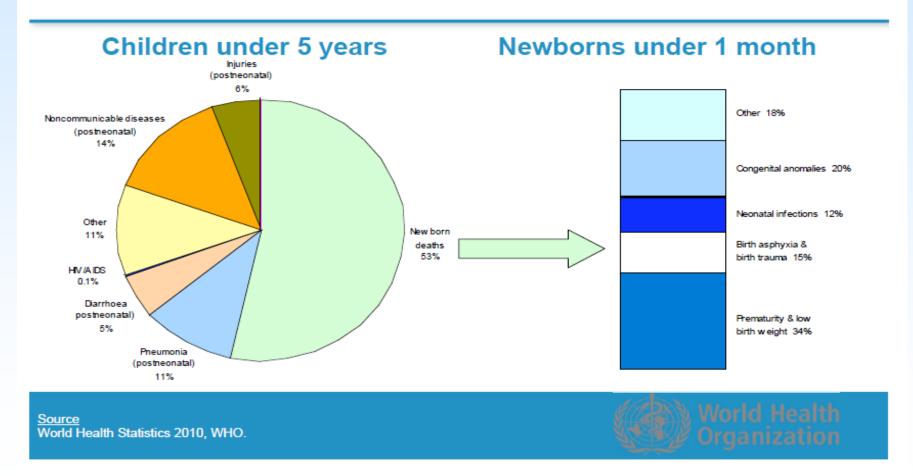


Theme: Food4Future

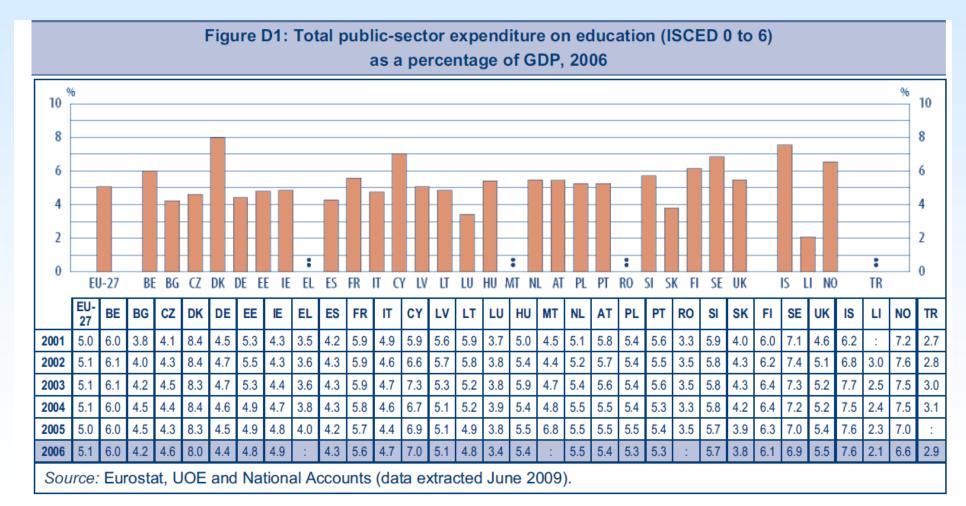


Theme: Healthy childhood

Major causes of death in newborns and children, EUROPEAN REGION - 2008



Theme: Human learning and learning enhancements



Theme: Security/Safety

Table 1 Relative market size of the global and European security industry markets (indicative € estimates by sector)

Sectors	EU security market (low estimate)	EU security market (high estimate)	Global security market estimate
Aviation security	€ 1.5 bn	€ 2.5 bn	€ 5.2 bn
Maritime security	€ 1.5 bn	€ 2.5 bn	€ 6.7 bn
Border security	€ 4.5 bn	€ 5.5 bn	€ 9.9 bn
Critical infrastructure protection	€ 2.5 bn	€ 3.5 bn	€ 12.6 bn
Counter-terror intelligence	€ 4.5 bn	€ 5 bn	€ 19.4 bn
Physical security protection*	€ 10 bn	€ 15 bn	€ 39.2 bn
Protective clothing (first responders)	€1.5 bn	€ 2.5 bn	€10 bn
TOTAL MARKET SIZE	€ 26bn	€ 36.5 bn	€ 103 bn

Source: ECORYS (2009)

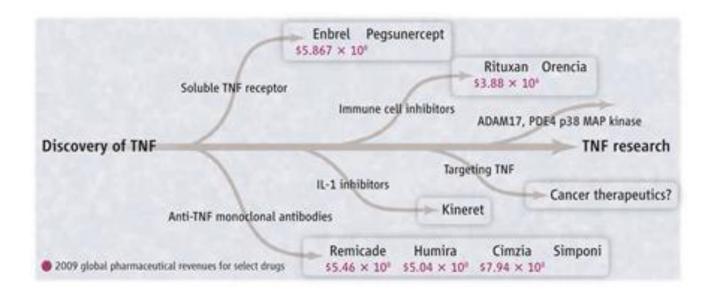
Theme: Territory & smart cities

'Smart City' Plans in the EU



Required: Patience

An example of research investments.



J Lane, S Bertuzzi Science 2011;331:678-680



KIC themes: the line-up

- InnoEnergy
- Climate Change
- ICT
- Added value manufacturing
- Ageing population
- Biotechnology
- Food4Future
- Healthy Childhood
- Human learning and learning enhancements
- Security/Safety
- Territory and smart cities

The challenge: PICK 3

To consider:

- Scope
- Social utility
- Competitiveness
- Relevance of EIT model
 - To business
 - To research
 - To education
 - •Collaboration helpful?