# Why do we need civil initiatives in the development of innovation ecosystems

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| Decade | Market & Social<br>Requirements   | Enterprise's Ways To Meet Requirements   | Type of<br>Enterprise                                |
|--------|---|--|--|
| 1945-  | Covering of post-war conditions of scarcity, rebuilding, etc.   | Supply of anything; supply does not yet exceed demand  | Supplying<br>Enterprise                              |
| 1960-  | Suitable price (as judged by customers)   | Internal efficiency, i.e. cost management  | Efficient<br>Enterprise                              |
| 1970-  | Suitable price X quality (as judged by customers)   | Efficiency X technical & commercial quality management   | Quality<br>Enterprise                                |
| 1980-  | Suitable price X quality X range (as judged by customers)   | Efficiency X technical & commercial quality X flexibility management   | Flexible<br>Enterprise                               |
| 1990-  | Suitable price X quality X range X uniqueness (as judged by customers)  | Efficiency X technical & commercial quality X flexibility X innovativeness management  | Innovative<br>Enterprise                             |
| 2000-  | Suitable price X quality X range X uniqueness X contribution to SD (as judged by customers)                         | Efficiency X technical & commercial quality X flexibility X innovativeness X SD  | Sustainable<br>Enterprise                            |
| 2010-  | Suitable price X quality X range X uniqueness X contribution to SD (as judged by customers) X social responsibility | Efficiency X technical & commercial quality X flexibility X innovativeness X SD X honesty reaching requisite holism and wholeness beyond legal demands | Socially responsible requisitely holistic enterprise |

#### From a supplying to a socially responsible requisitely holistic enterprise

- and a new definition of the concrete contents of requisite holism

### Civil initiatives – social responsibility - 1

2008- global socio-economic crisis ← limitation to technological innovations only

Non-technological innovations = business program, organization, mgt style, mgt process, methods, business process, values/culture/ethics/norms → room for technological innovations & requisite holism of approach → chance for success

## Civil initiatives – social responsibility - 2

Ecosystem = requisite holism about nature and humans (= a small part of nature, depending on healthy nature for survival)

Business = one-sided rather than requisitely holistic; short-term criteria of success

Politicians = the same

Civil initiatives (NGOs etc.) = pressure and action for requisite holism → survival of the current civilization of humankind

## Civil initiatives – social responsibility - 3

Social responsibility = end of abuse of power holders' influence over people & nature Why:

- Until 1820 GDP: 3% per 1000 years
- After 1820 GDP: 5500% in 190 years
- After 1945: 2,5x 7x 0 further growth of production: for who & from which nature?
- 4 mil., 1,7 mil., 1.500 per hour
- CO2, methane → survival? Civil initiative with SR

#### Some conclusions

Survival of humankind ← requisite holism ← involvement of many in interdisciplinary cooperation ← businesses and politicians alone = not enough

Civil initiative = the way out from the blind alley → ecosystems approach = requisite holism → survival

THANK YOU FOR WORRY & ACTION!