



# Welcome

**...public sector innovation...**

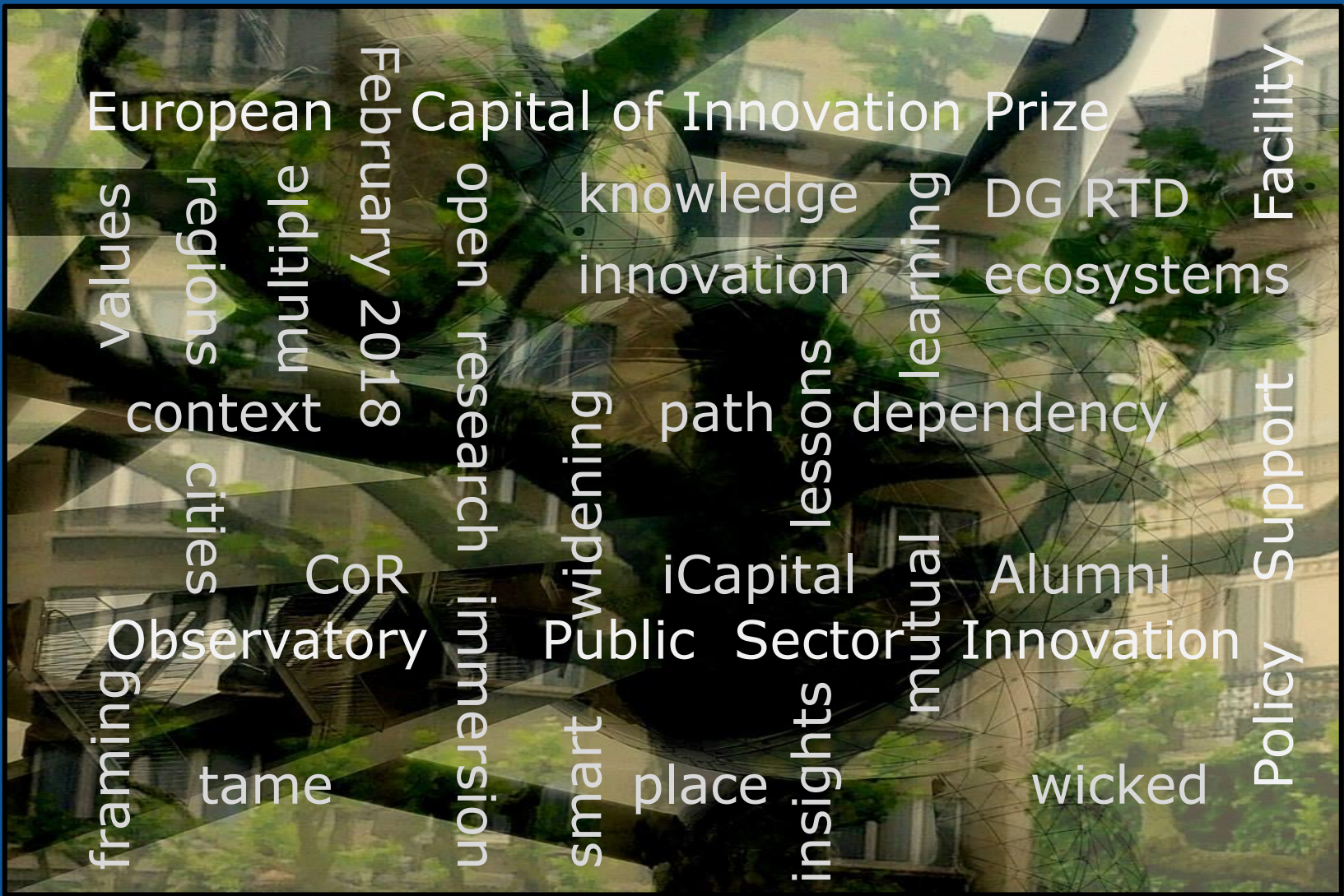
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open research immersion  
values regions multiple knowledge innovation DG RTD Facility  
context cities CoR widening path lessons dependency ecosystems  
framing Observatory Public Sector iCapital Alumni  
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My reflections...

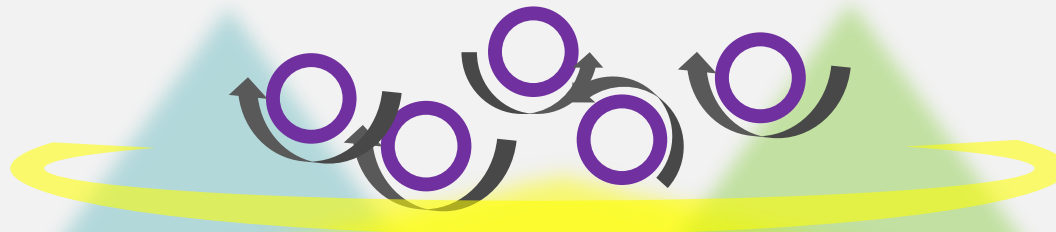
...to learn "from here" for R&I management.

Create high local density of:

different People, multiple Infrastructures & various Competences

**Receipt:**

**\*Culture**  
that keeps  
**\*Drivers**  
in good  
balance to  
closely bundle  
**P, I & C.**



*A strong local \*Culture of entrepreneurial cooperation & alert volunteering*

- \*Chiefs offer:**
- influential bearing
  - agile orchestration

- \*Grass Roots:**
- two-way citizen immersion
  - international & local networking



**top down measures**



**bottom up processes**

The Local Bowl – the Espoo Innovation Garden & Aalto University Experience



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Our Expectations:

To learn and share practices and experiences, to do better.

*Welcome to all participants, and thanks to initiators and organisers of this event, also on behalf of DG RTD.*

*p.s. "In the beginning there were the swamp, the hoe - and Jussi."*

