



Workplace Innovation

Harnessing the intelligence from within

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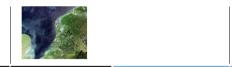
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My proposal to you ...

- Is to first see how resilient you are! ☺
- And only then show my view on multi-level resilience to generate workplace innovation.



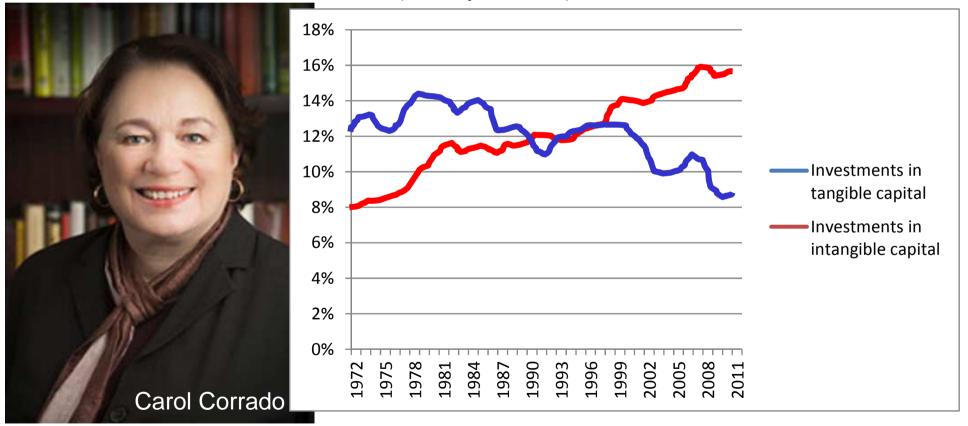




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Why are we so unsure of our (organizational) thinking?: shifting perspectives from companies



Investment (% of adjusted GNP)







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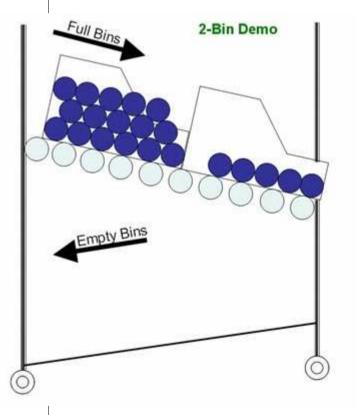
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The Battle of Fads?

From Lean









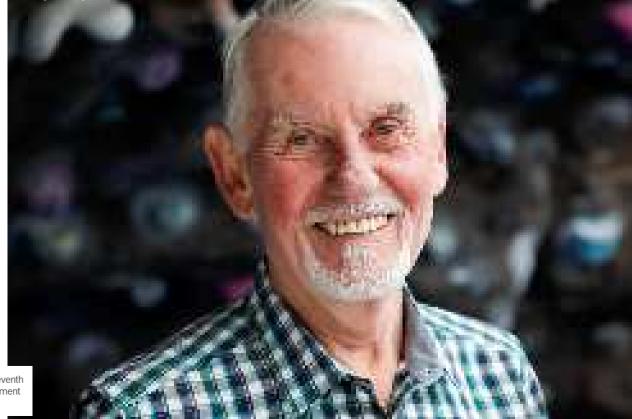


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The confession and conversion of Ralph Stacey

Organisational life is the game people are invested in. Organising is the politics of everyday life.







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But what works today, may not work tomorrow

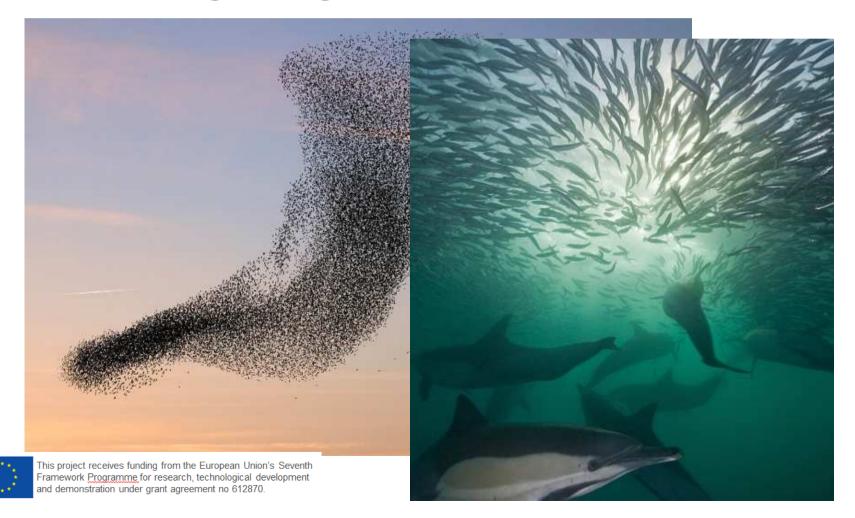




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Does CAS really help us to understand behaviour and organizing? Sometimes not ...







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And what does this mean for organizing and organization? And how do we look at resilience in organizations?

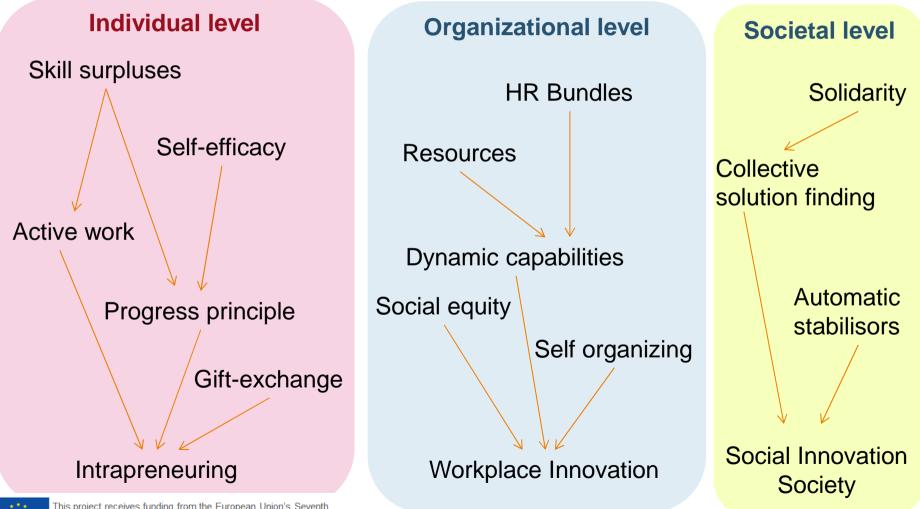




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Building blocks for resilient and adaptive organizations



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So, resilience is a multi-level concept ...

- > ... but not based on parallels between levels
- ... not based on one-direction influences
- ... requiring a clear view on <u>where</u> you want to have 'redundancy'.







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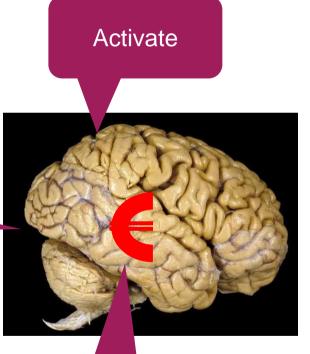
If an organization is to be resilient: which redundancy is then needed?











Negotiate and deal

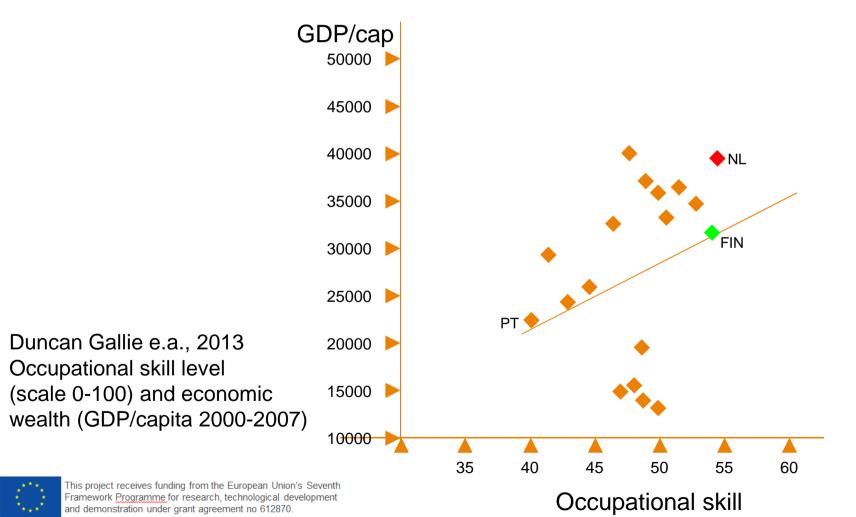




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Brains matter: company-produced higher skills deliver more GDP

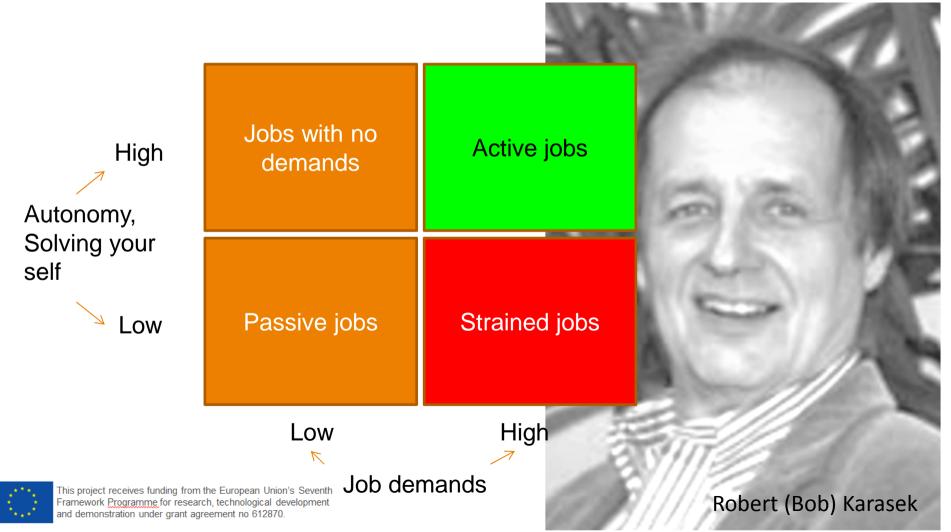




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Making individuals resilient in organizations: active jobs







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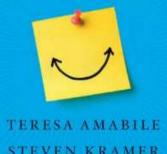


Making individuals resilient in organizations : progress principle

BASED ON THE #1 BREAKTHROOGH THEA FROM HARVARD BUSINESS REVIEW

THEPROGRESS PRINCIPLE

USING SMALL WINS TO IGNITE JOY, ENGAGEMENT, AND CREATIVITY AT WORK



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Teresa Amabile







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Making individuals resilient in organizations: gift-exchange



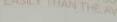




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Making resilient organizations: stimulating risk taking behaviour



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Making resilient organizations requires intention...

 Organizations do not 'morph' to their environment, they need managerial direction (Bloom / Van Reenen)

> Three axis:

- Resources deliver redundancy → HR-Bundles: integrated approach needed (Barney / Sheehan)
- Dynamic capabilities → leveraging the skills of employees (Teece / Volberda)
- > Social equity or companies-as-communities (Croucher)

Leading to:

> Ambitious Intrapreneurship (Stam / Dhondt)







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To round-up: organizational resilience for what?

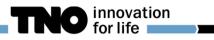
- Should we organize for speed? → slower innovation is good (look at Apple)
- Should we aim for sustainable solutions?→ Lean is in the business of continuous destroying solutions
- Should we aim for known measures? → Organize for the unexpected advantage
 - > More employee representation gives economic advantage
 - > More knowledge investment gives more economic advantage
 - More solidarity gives more economic advantage







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And how does Finland fare?

- Should we be pessi mistic how Finnish organizations are doing?
 - > Demise of Nokia?

- But: continuing investment by TEKES
- But: see the WPI-map







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