



A Platform for International Cooperation

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The begin



- Established in 1985
- Started with 18 countries
- Introduced the concept of “European Council of Innovation”, having once a year all the ministers,

giving a distinguish seal to important and innovative European projects.

- The Dolly sheep;
- The xenon lights in cars
- The “simcard” ...

EUREKA supports projects which are:

Transnational Cooperation

At least two
countries involved

Innovative

Producing a new
product, process
or service

Bottom-Up

No thematic
restrictions, open in
continuous

Market- oriented

Reflect market
demands

Participation in EUREKA Projects



- EUREKA member country
- Associated country (may lead projects but it must include a full EUREKA member; 1+1 rule)
- Country has participated as a 'third' country (may contribute to projects with two EUREKA members; 2+1 rule)



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A thematic network covering all areas of food technology, composed by technical experts from the supporting member states.

- **Clusters & Umbrellas are EUREKA thematic tools to increase**

**The accuracy in
partner search**

**The knowledge
of the
technological
and market
trends**

**The
synchronization
of the national
funding
schemes**

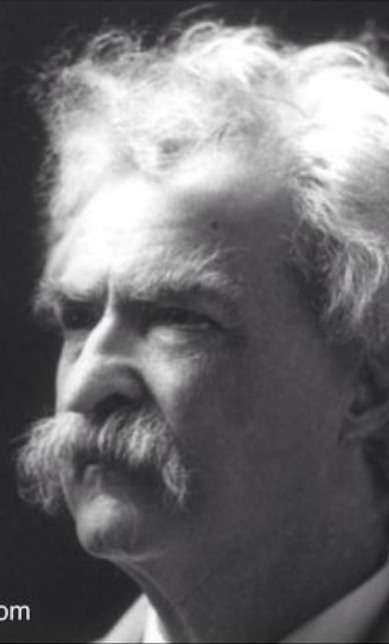
decreasing the risk of the project unsuccess

Who we help?

**"What gets us
into trouble is
not what we
don't know, it's
what we know
for sure that
just ain't so."**

-Mark Twain

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THEY WANTED, THEY
WOULD HAVE SAID A
FASTER HORSE.**

- Henry Ford



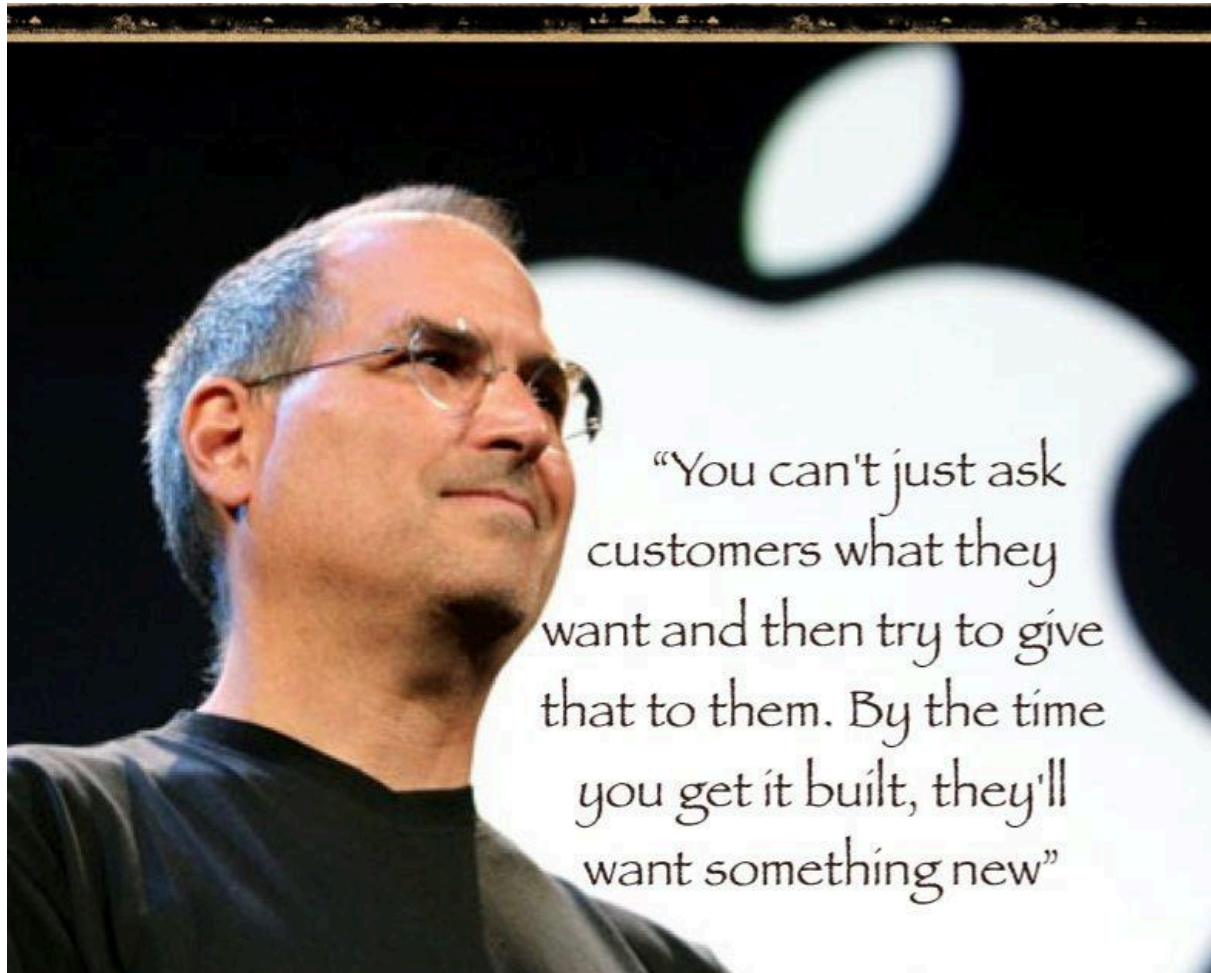
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TECHNOLOGICAL TRENDS  BOTTOM-UP PROJECTS



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