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## **Enhancing Quality of Doctoral Education**

-Fostering Innovative Leaders for Sustainable Development-博士課程教育の質の向上を目指して

~持続可能な発展を牽引するイノベーションリーダーの育成を~

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Innovation: Creation of new socioeconomic value <u>combining new</u> <u>discovery and inventions coupled</u> <u>with social systems.</u>

- The Innovation every country should pursue in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century
  - 1.National & Regional Sustainable Innovation
  - 2. Global Sustainable Innovation

## Issue1: To nurture human resources for the sustainable innovation eco-system

Need to enhance higher education including doctorial course based on the design concept of "Integrating education, research and innovation"

## Issue2: To build up global sustainable innovation networks

Need to enhance the competence of post-graduates with "Meta-national capability" in higher education including doctorial education

Tracking Careers of Doctorial Graduates should be conducted coupled with these issues and competence the doctorial graduate has.

#### Learning from the Innovation of the Solar Battery

#### Contribution to the World

#### Renewable Energy

砂漠での発電 地下水の汲み上げ 海水の真水化

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携帯用電源



Creation of Innovation in 21st C.

**Application R&D with integration of** wide range of science and technology knowledge creation (Sun-shine Pj Japan, 1979)

Incubation of diversified seeds & technologies

Basic Research

Nano-Science

Chemical

**Knowledge Creation** 

**Material** 

**Basic Tehnologies** 

**Electical Engineering** 

Micro Machining

Invented at Bell Laboratory USA.1954

## Lesson learned from the innovation history

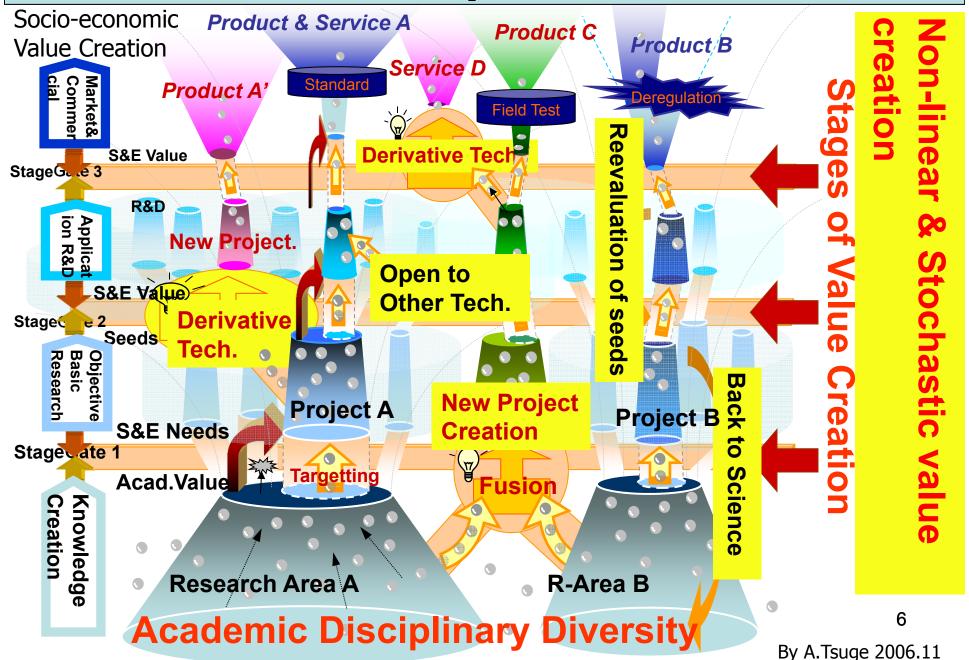
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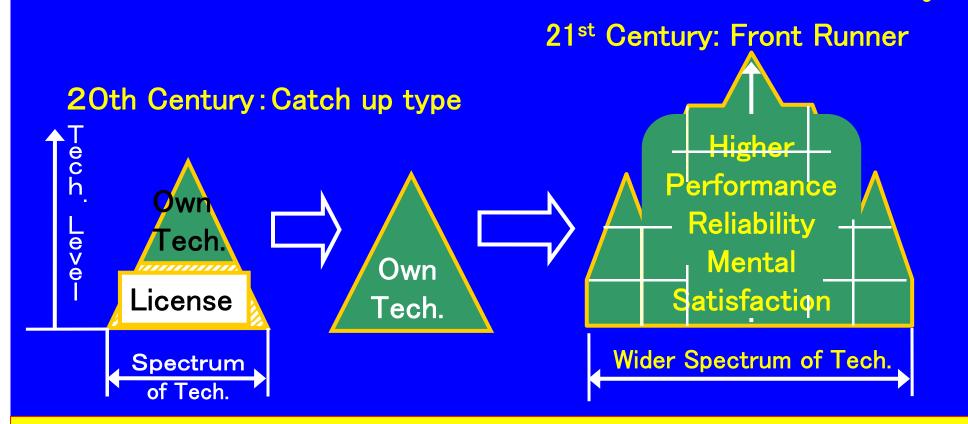
"Integration of various knowledge through Innovation Pipeline Network" connecting academia, industry & government are the key to the sustainable innovation eco-system.

Innovation needs <u>multi-disciplinary PhDs</u> with the base of own speciality!

"Their social mission is to form the Innovation Pipeline Network domestically and globally"

## **Innovation Pipeline Network**

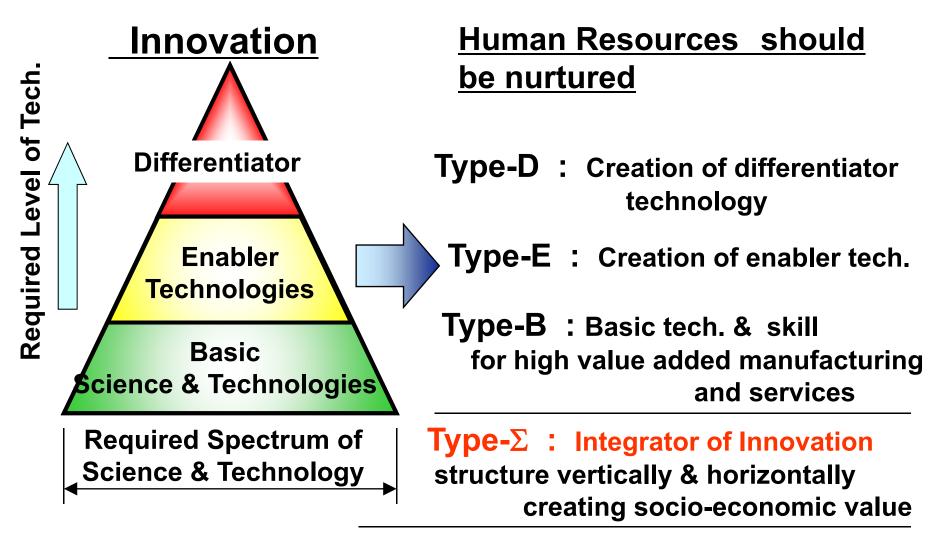




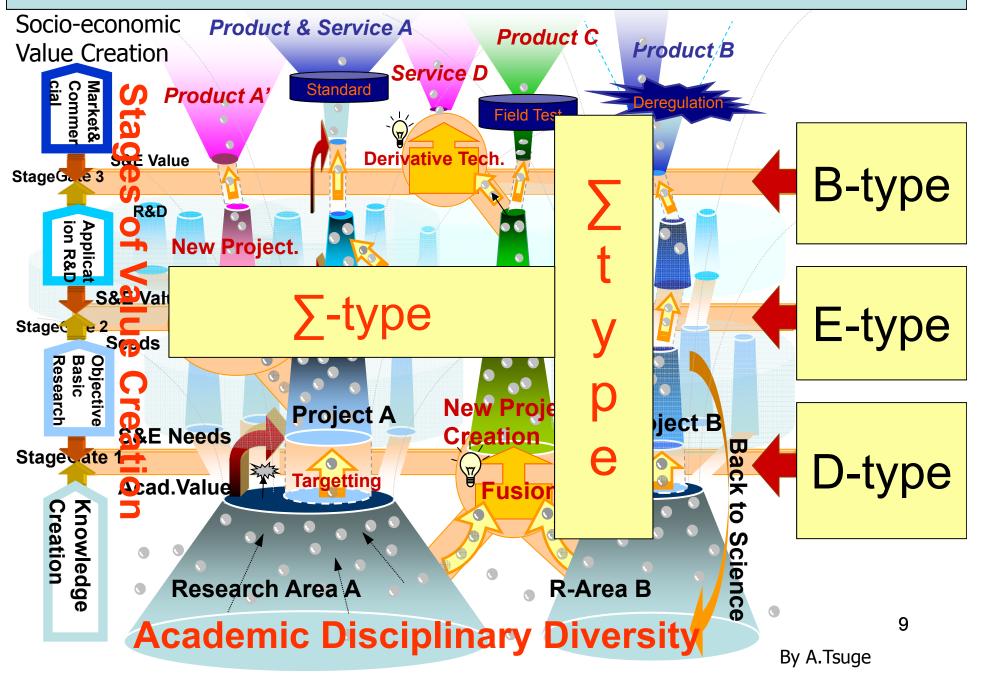
**Required Capabilities for Innovation** 

- 1.Creation of Knowledge and Core Technology
- 2. Integration of the knowledge and technologies Creating Socio-economic new Value

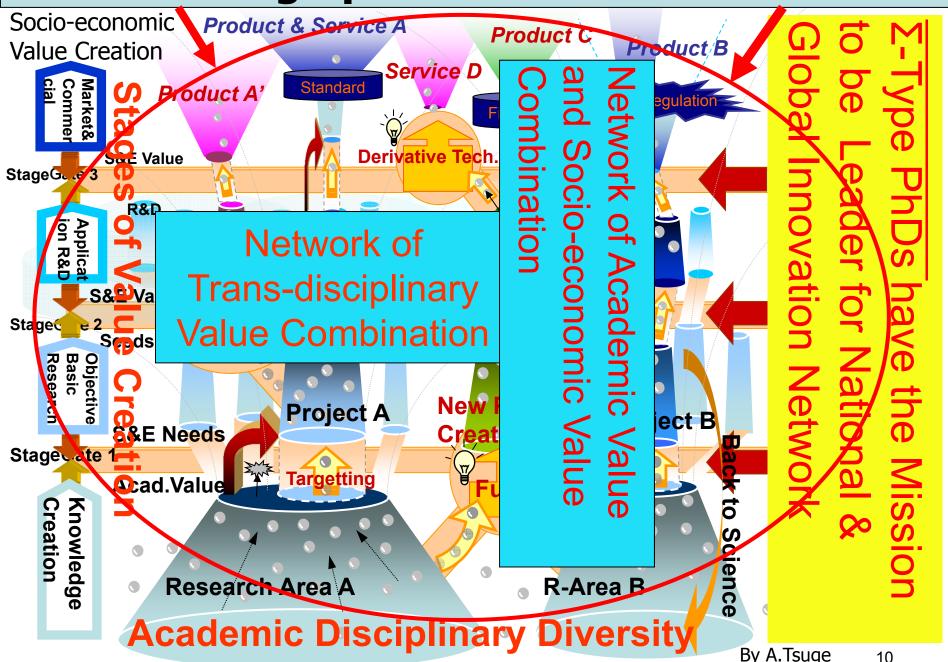
#### **Human Resources Required for the Innovation**



#### **Human Resources Creating Innovation Pipeline Network**



## **Building up Innovation Networks**



# ∑-type Human Resource is indispensable for the Innovation

## Meta-national Capability

(The capability of thinking & acting globally keeping the based on his/her nationality)

**Liberal Arts** 

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Management Capability

Wide Range of S&T competency with own Speciality

Direction of enhancing doctorial education!

# Nurturing Σ-type Capability

PhD has mission to be leader of innovation

Leader of University/Government

Leader of Innovative Industry and Business world



Base-3:The Capability of Global Communication, Team Working and Collaboration

Base-2:The Capability of Defining the Issues and Designing Approach for the Solution

Base-1:Wide Spectral Knowledge with One or More Specialtis (Natural, Social Science)

#### **Enhancing Quality of Doctorial Education**

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#### **Summary**

- 1.Innovation is not a simple technological revolution, but the creation of socio-economic value with the new combination of technological & social breakthrough
- Learning from INNOVATION case studies
   (1)Non linear & Multi-disciplinary Uncertain & Stochastic process
   (2)10-30 years incubation
- 3. Importance of National & Global innovation pipeline network, being integrated by Σ-type human resources
- 4. Importance of nurturing Σ-type human resources for the innovation eco-system with the base competency Type-D or Type-E or Type-B

Tracking Careers of Doctorial Graduates must cover these aspects with eyes what are missing!