

Building a Culture of Innovation: A Malaysian Perspective

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ABOUT ALPHA CATALYST CONSULTING









- Boutique innovation consulting company established in year 2000, with offices in Singapore and Malaysia
- Specialises in innovation strategy, capability development, and innovation analytics
- Guided many PLCs, GLCs and MNCs innovate
- Developed in-depth innovation strategy and roadmap for several Malaysian government agencies
- Multiple publications and research on innovation



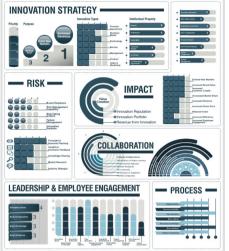
Published a book on Leading Innovation (2010) from an Asian perspective, with indepth data from Malaysia organisations.



Published a report on Innovation in HR across Malaysia, Singapore and Indonesia (2014)



Foresight Magazine - 2011













Developed the National Corporate Innovation Index (NCII) for AIM (Agensi Inovasi Malaysia) between 2012 up to 2014, together with NESTA (UK innovation foundation), Inngot & ACCA. The NCII was piloted by top public listed companies in Malaysia, measuring a company's innovation management, performance and return on investments in innovation.

































What is Innovation?

Invention

Technology

Patents (IP)

R&D

Business Model

Blue Ocean

Creativity

Mindset

Risk

Culture
Design

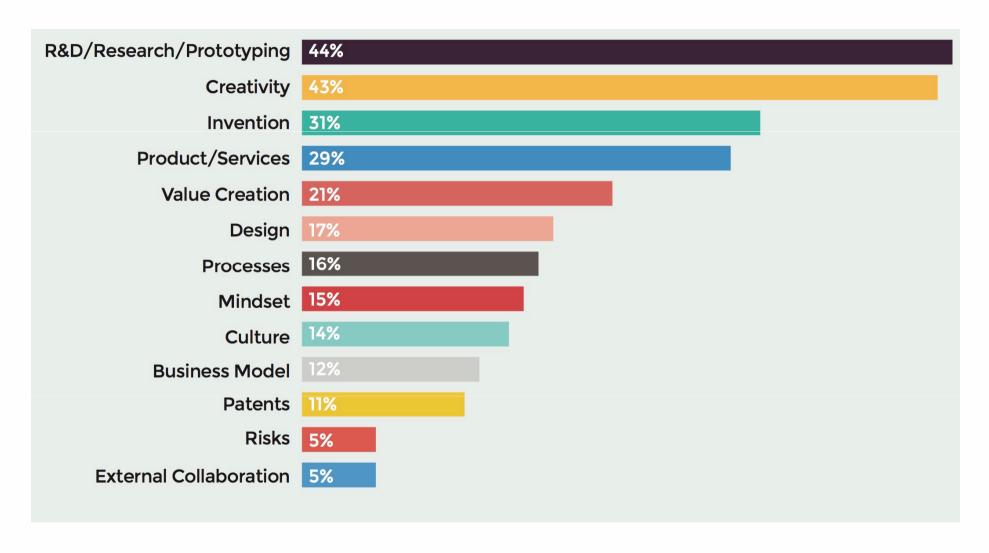
Services

New Products





Innovation associations



Source: InnovAsian Survey (2014)









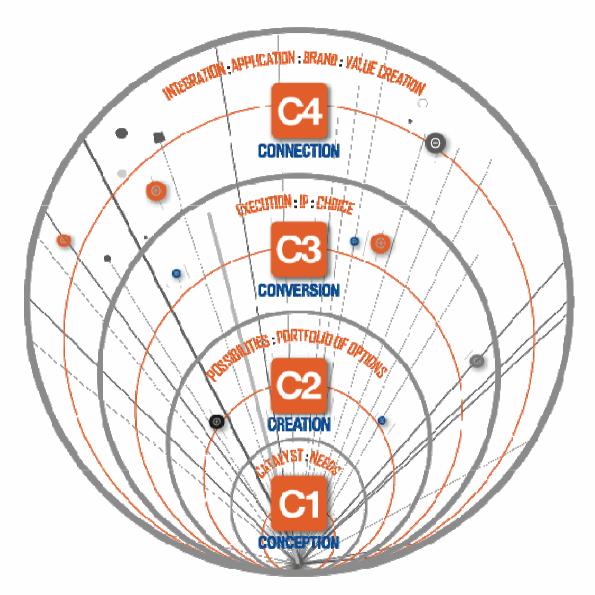










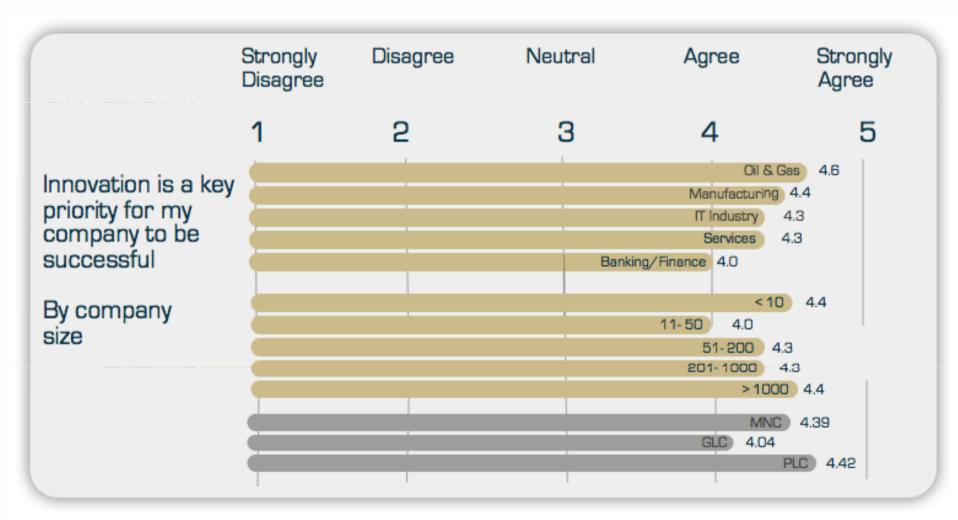


InnovAsian® Process





Do we really need to innovate?

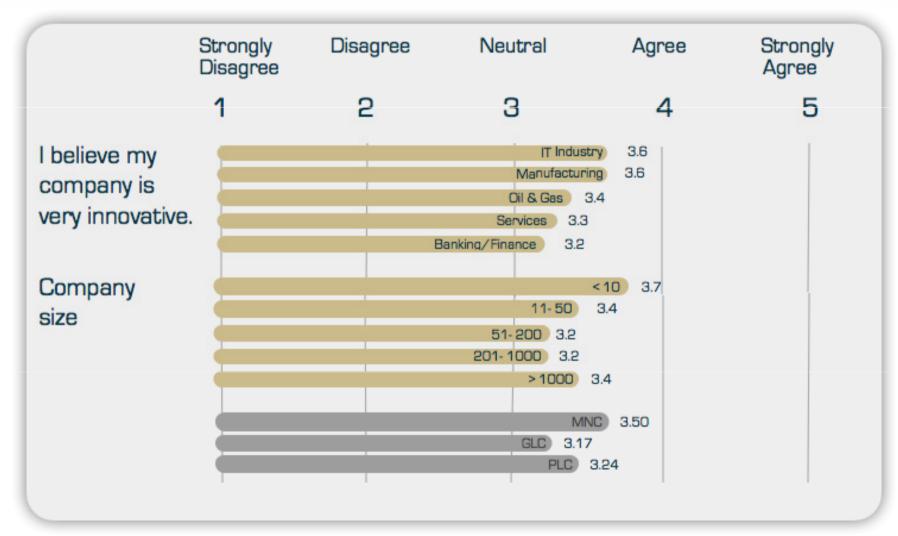


Malaysian Innovation Climate Survey (2010)





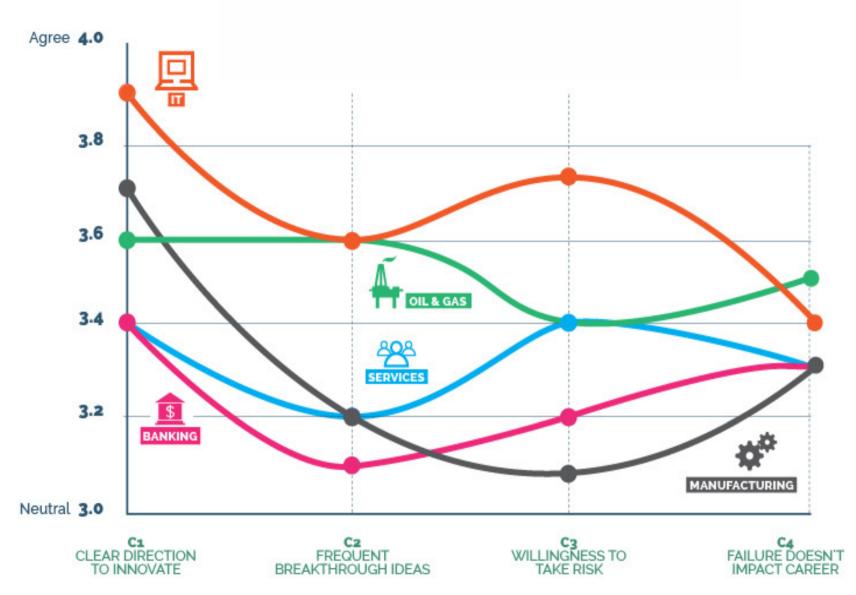
Innovation: Where are we now?



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THE INNOVATION CHALLENGE

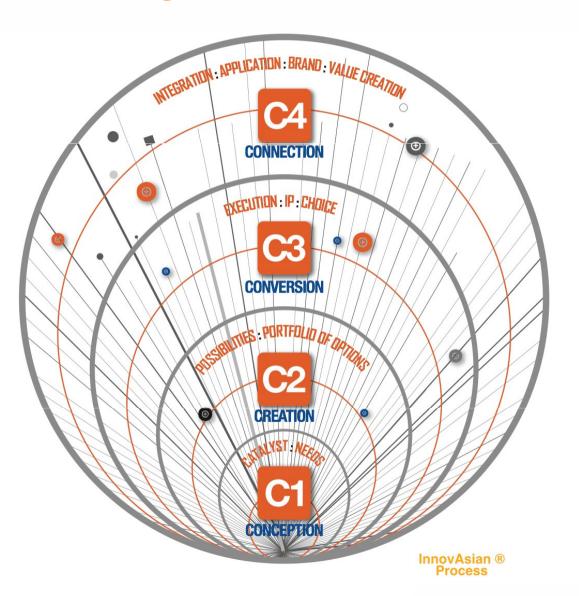


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Building a Culture of Innovation



C4: Connection (Innovation)

CREATE VALUE &
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EXPLORE

C1: Conception (Insight)

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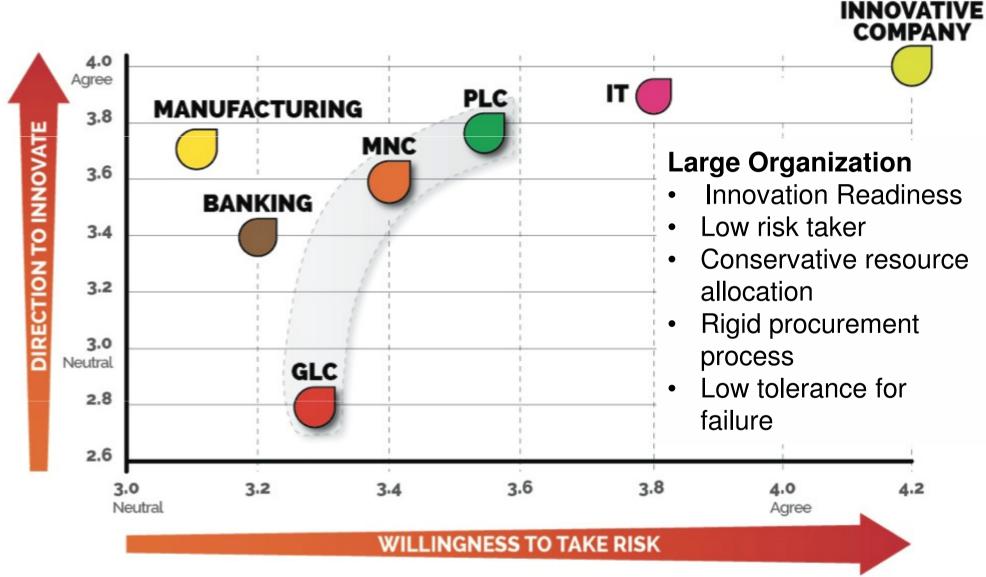




CHALLENGES EMPLOYEES FACE IN INNOVATING



Challenge #1: Innovation Readiness of large organization.



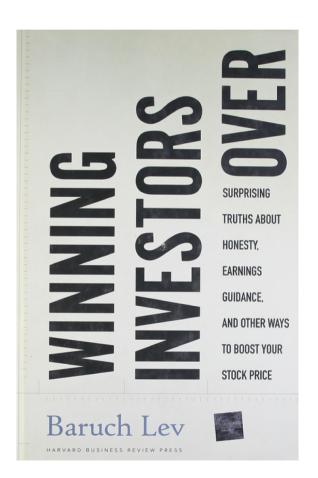
Source: Malaysia's National Innovation Strategy Study (2011) and Malaysian Innovation Climate Survey (2010)

Challenge #2:

Investors/Analyst readiness to embrace investment into innovation (challenge of short-termism and risk appetite).

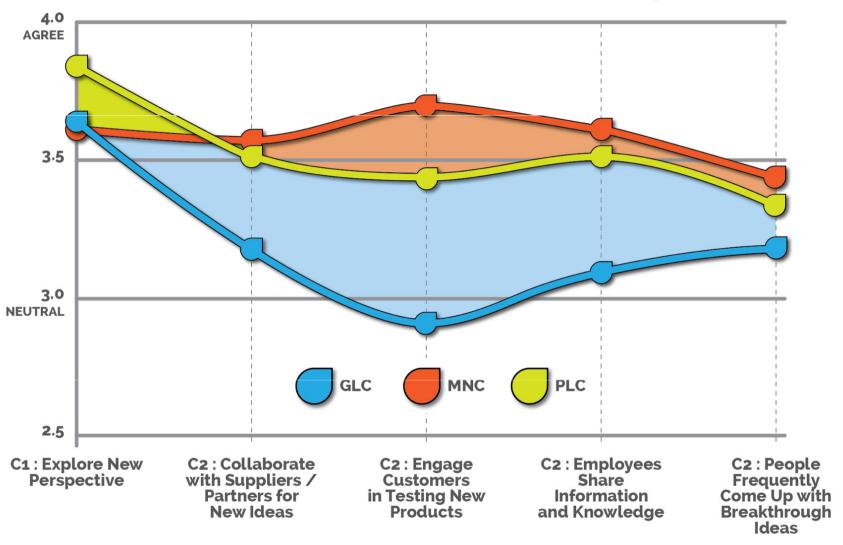
"Most investments in growth – R&D, brand enhancement, software, employee training – are immediately expensed in the income statement, thereby understating corporate earnings and asset values. Not just growth investments are expensed; the value of stock options, a staple of growth companies, is expensed too. And the intangible assets built up during the growth process – patents, trademarks, unique business processes – are absent from the balance sheet. Investors are, therefore, in the dark regarding much of the value creation of growth companies, until it's finally reflected in sales and earnings."

Prof. Baruch Lev (NYU's Stern School of Business)



Challenge #3:

In Malaysia, many corporate doors remain closed to start-ups/SMEs



Source: Malaysia's National Innovation Strategy Study (2011) and Malaysian Innovation Climate Survey (2010)





TOP DRIVERS FOR EMPLOYEES TO INNOVATE



Source: InnovAsian Survey (2014)





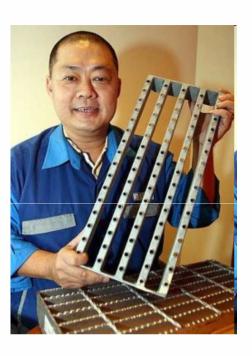
Need to innovate the way we innovate





Innovation 1.0

- Focus is on invention and products
- Solo Inventor with limited resources
- Biggest challenge is access to market
- Driven by inventors and technopreneurs

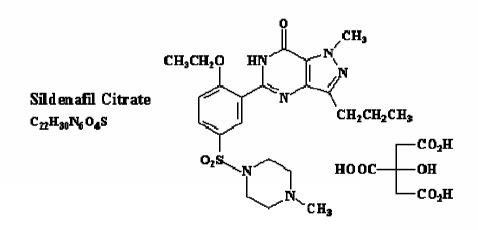






Innovation 2.0

- Focus is on technology, R&D and IP
- Big budget and team
- Long term and high risk
- Driven by scientist and engineers



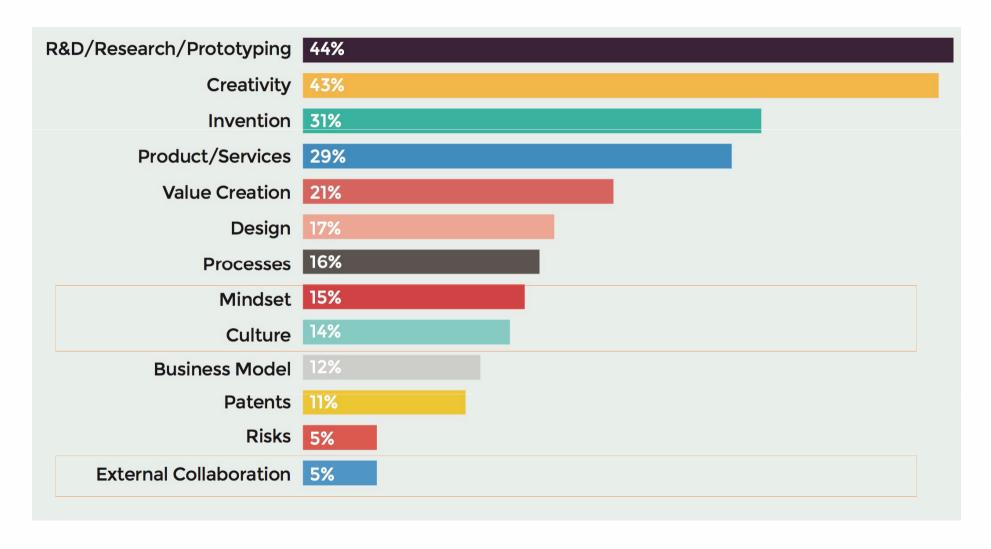








Innovation associations



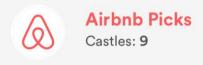
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Innovation 3.0

- Mindset & Culture
- Constraint Driven
- Open and Market Oriented
- Web Enabled
- Driven by Leaders





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OVERCOMING THE FEAR OF CRIME THROUGH CROWDSOURCING

ABOUT THIS PROJECT

PEMANDU in collaboration with Alpha Catalyst Consulting is embarking on a crowdsourcing exercise to garner constructive feedback from the public on the level of fear of crime in Malaysia. This is part of a broader open innovation initiative, which is aimed to ultimately source for pragmatic and cost-effective solutions for crime prevention, from the public. We will leverage on technology and social media for the collective good of the community. We would like members of the public to express their issues and ideas.











This survey is conducted to measure the fear, and its roots, of potentially being a crime victim in Klang Valley. We are reaching out to you to share your experience and ideas, to help us collectively better understand and address the fear of crime.

The survey will take about 5 minutes. Responses will be anonymous.

Bahasa Malaysia









Innovation Partner















Resident's Association









The Challenge:

Create growth opportunities for IT SMEs/startups in Malaysia through innovation.



The Scenario

- Limited resources
- Limited track record
- Lack innovation opportunity



The Process







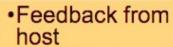


- Host identification
- Identification of strategic challenge
- Identify suitable MSCcompanies- filter using SCORE+ assessment
- Participant briefing

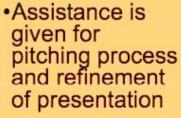
- Host share challenges
- Immersion of MSC-Companies to host scenario



- MSC-Companies express understanding of host's needs.
- Host refines & feedback



 Identification of areas for improvement (MSC-Companies) •MSC-Companies pitch to top management of host





 MSC-Companies develop outline of solution (over 14 days)









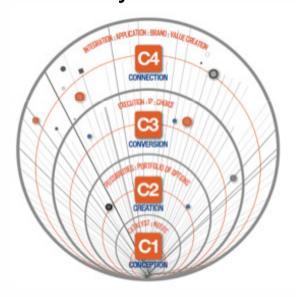




Our Role



Provide a framework for idea generation, evaluation and analysis of ideas. The model used:



C4: Value Creation Potential

C3: Execution Potential

C2: Freshness/Uniqueness of Solution

C1: Understanding of Host's needs









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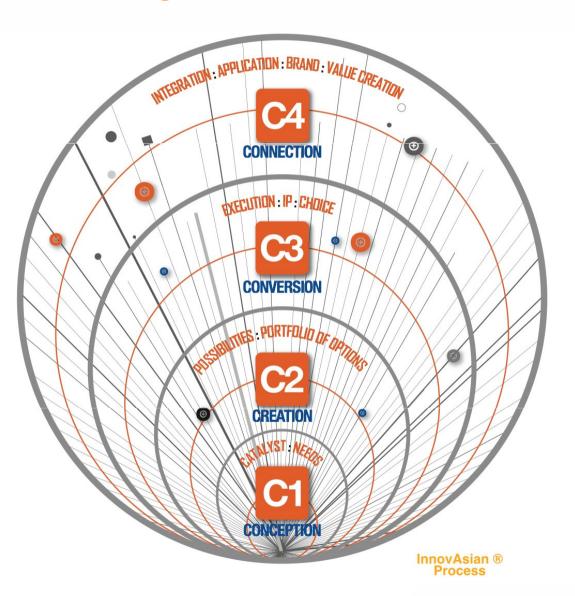
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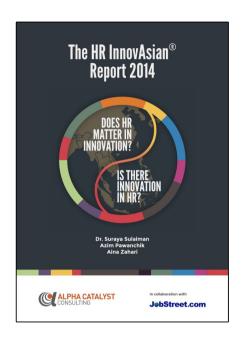
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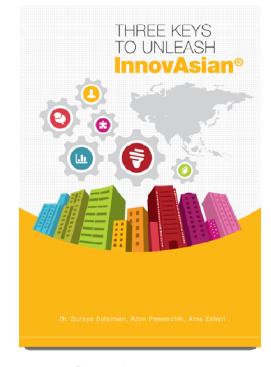
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