



# What does Future Internet means for Enterprises?

FI Socio-Economic Challenges for Enterprises

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# Organization

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- 1 of the 3 Knowledge cafes
  - Visions and Policy aspects
  - Socio-Economic aspects
  - Technology aspects
- Initial position statement: To what extent will FI affect the enterprises and how?
  - Internal structure
  - External relationships



# Topics discussed (I)

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- First need to understand the actual needs of enterprises and SMEs; then we should evaluate which technologies are the most appropriate.
- Long-term vs. Short-term goals of FI and Enterprises respectively.
- Ways of working
- Trust is very important, going further than the current technological PoV.
- Innovation should not only be technological.



# Topics discussed (II)

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- Reasons for non-adoption of (F)I technologies
  - Non-awareness
  - Profit-driven decisions impede initial investments on FI technologies.
  - Constantly changing technological landscape does not offer any assurance.
  - High costs for operation and maintenance.
- Heading to more “fluid” structures
  - Blurry boundaries between “inside” and “outside” of an enterprise
- What can the SE aspects of enterprises offer to FI?
- New business models to make new technologies viable.



Thank you for your attention!

