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#### AN ENTREPRENEURIAL MISSION-ORIENTED GREEN STATE: implications for public funds Mariana Mazzucato

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# **Rethinking the 'direction' of growth**

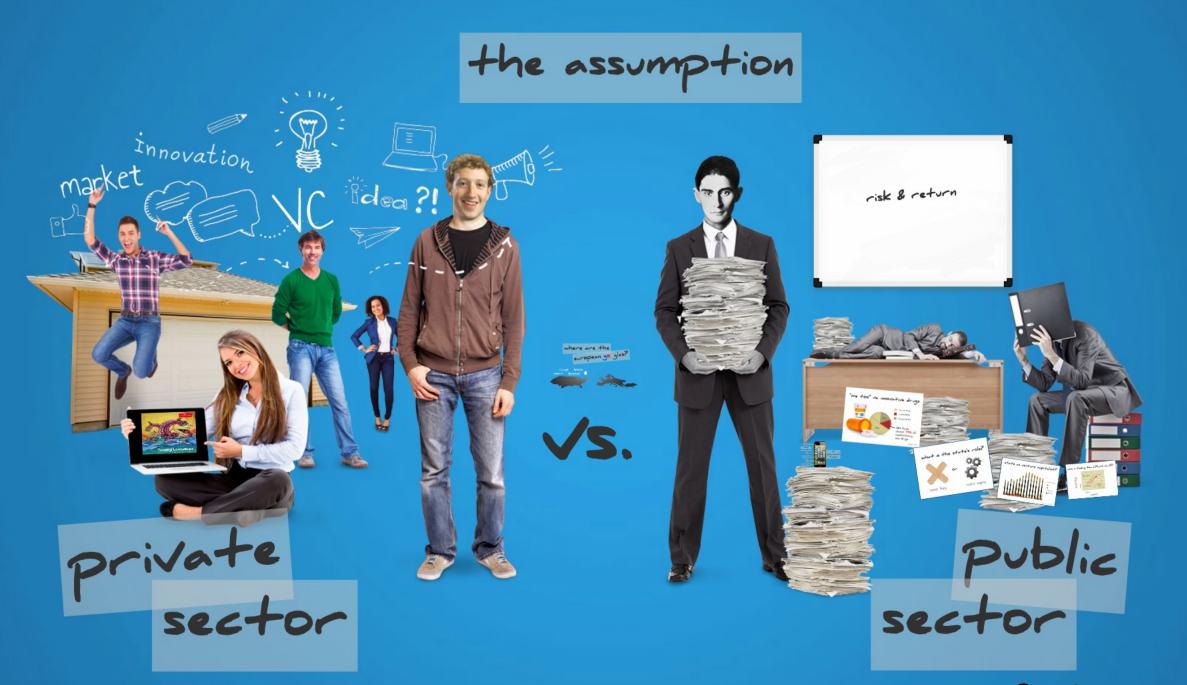
- Green New Deal
- Smart sustainable inclusive growth
- Sustainable Development Goals
- Return of 'industrial strategy'
- Building back "better"



# By simply "levelling the playing field"?

- Set rules of the game
- De-risk, enable, incentivise, 'facilitate' private sector
- Fix market and system 'failures'
- Lender of last resort





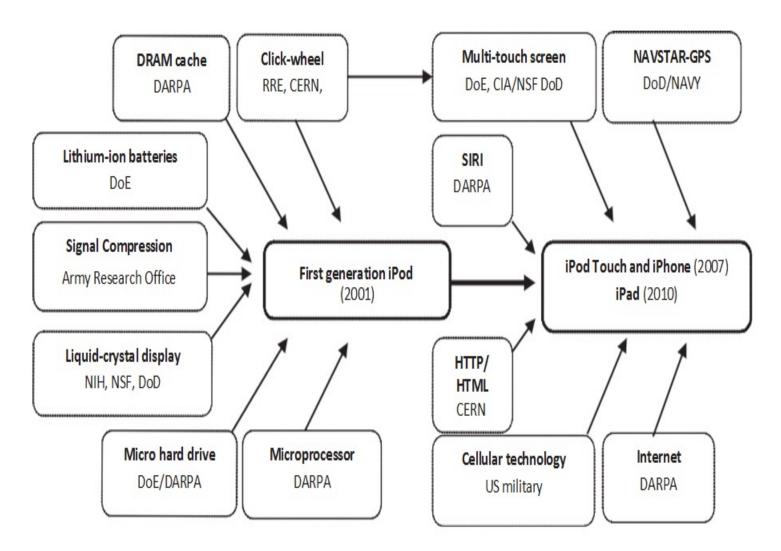
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# Market fixing policies didn't get us GPTs

- 'mass production' system
- aviation and space technologies
- IT and internet
- nuclear power
- nanotechnology and AI
- green technology

### What made the iPhone so 'smart'?

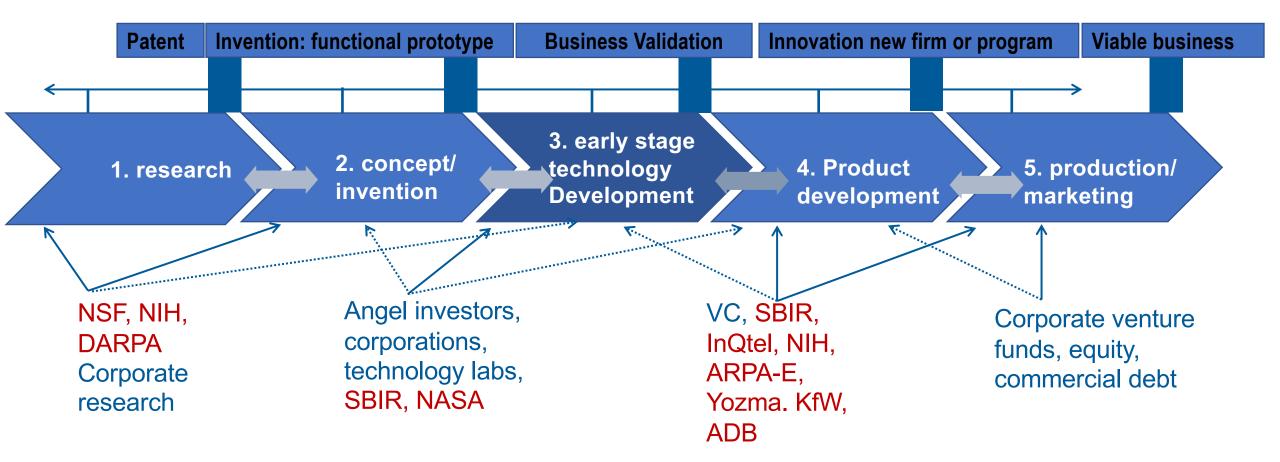




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Source: Mazzucato (2013), p. 109, Fig. 13

# Public investment across the entire innovation chain



# **Co-creating** <u>missions</u> not fixing markets

**NASA's mission** is to *"Drive advances in science, technology, aeronautics, and space exploration to enhance knowledge, education, innovation, economic vitality, and stewardship of Earth."* NASA 2014 Strategic Plan

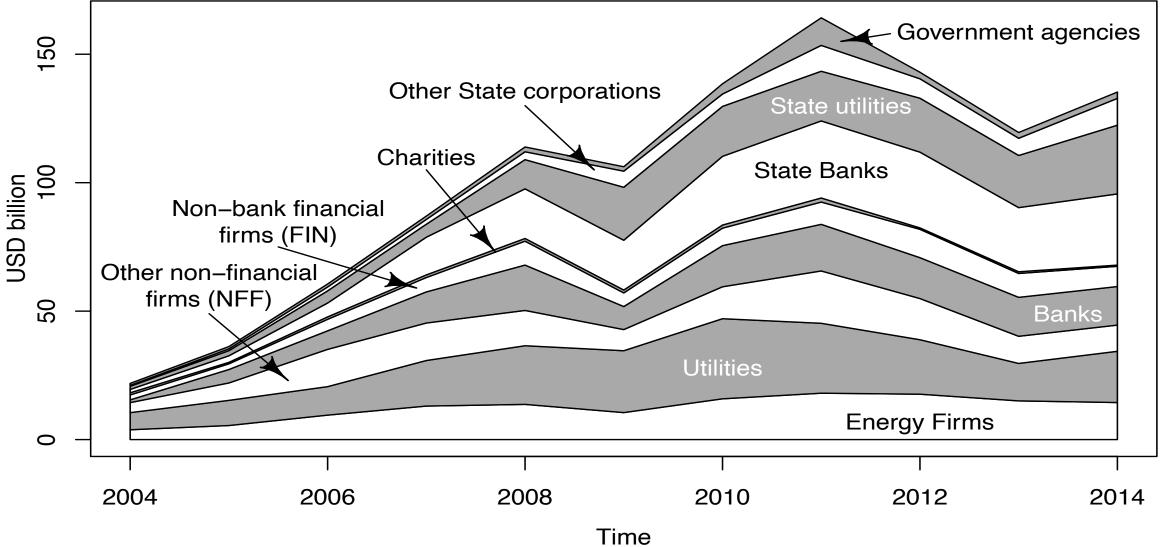
"*Creating* breakthrough technologies for national security is the mission of the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (**DARPA**)."

"The **ARPA-E** mission is to *catalyze* the development of transformational, high-impact energy technologies."

"**NIH's** mission is to seek fundamental knowledge about the nature and behavior of living systems and the *application* of that knowledge to enhance health, lengthen life, and reduce illness and disability."

"The mission of the KfW Group is to support change and encourage forward-looking ideas – in Germany, Europe and throughout the world."

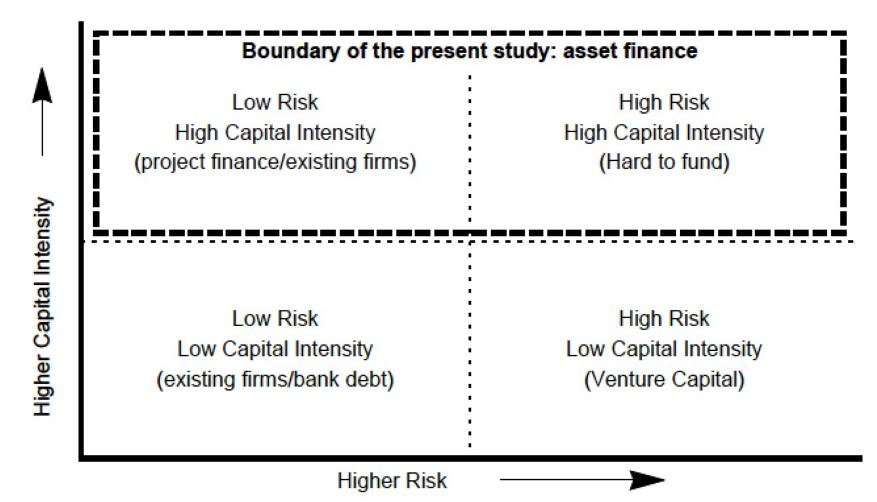
### Heterogeneous actors in renewables



Source: Mazzucato and Semieniuk (2016), based on data by Bloomberg New Energy Finance.

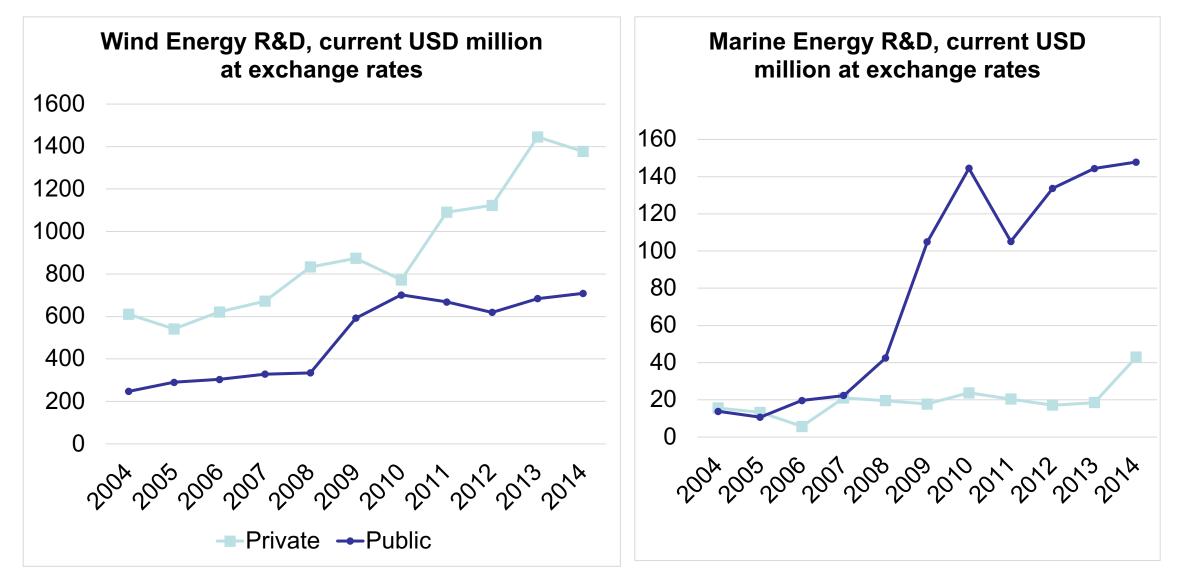
## **Green tech: government leads business follows**

Figure 4: Risk-capital intensity classification of RE finance



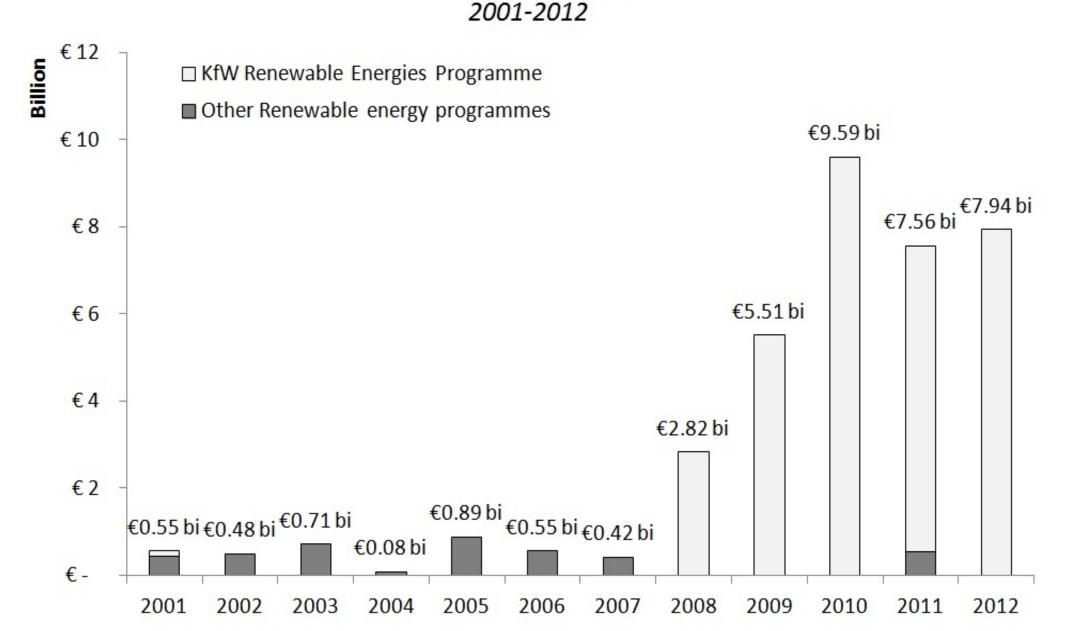
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# **Global R&D: wind & marine**

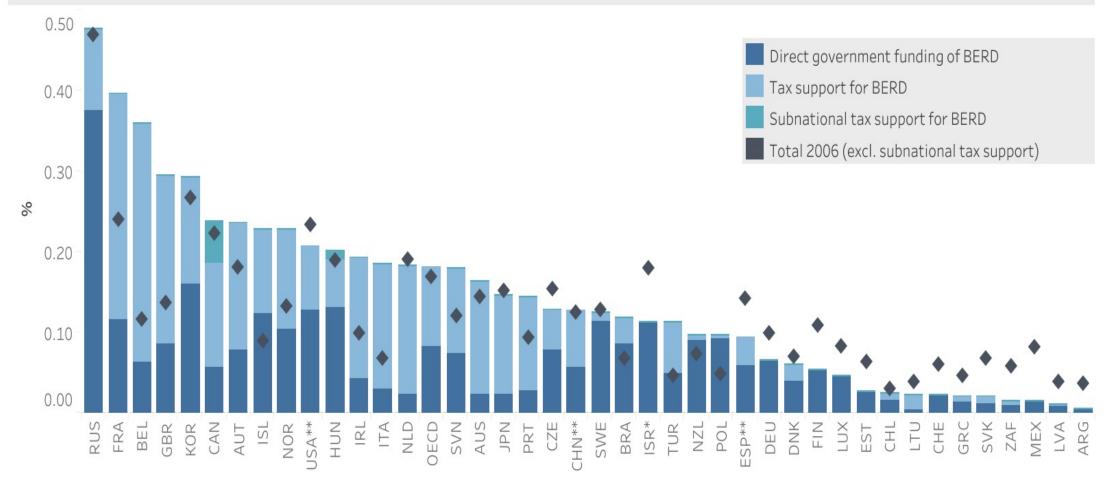


(Source: IEA 2014, BNEF 2015)

#### KfW funding for industrial environmental and climate protection projects in Germany



#### Direct government funding and government tax support for business R&D, 2017 and 2006 As a percentage of GDP



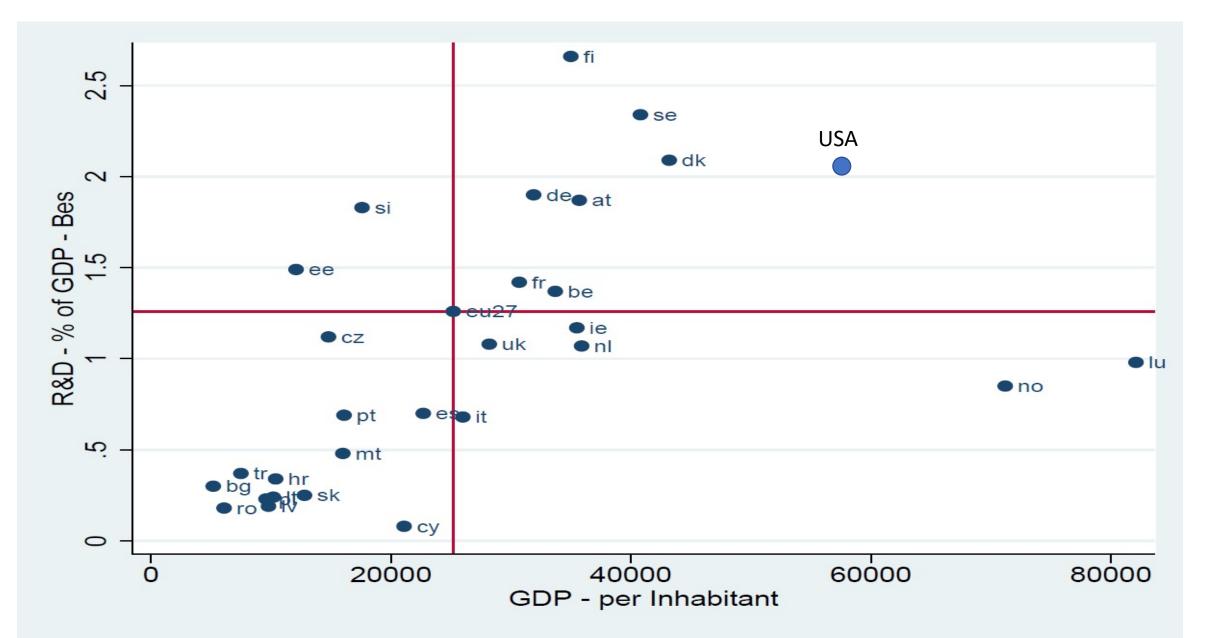
\*: Data on tax support not available

\*\*: Data on subnational tax support not available

Source: OECD, R&D Tax Incentive Database, http://oe.cd/rdtax , June 2020. Data & notes: https://oe.cd/ds/rdtax

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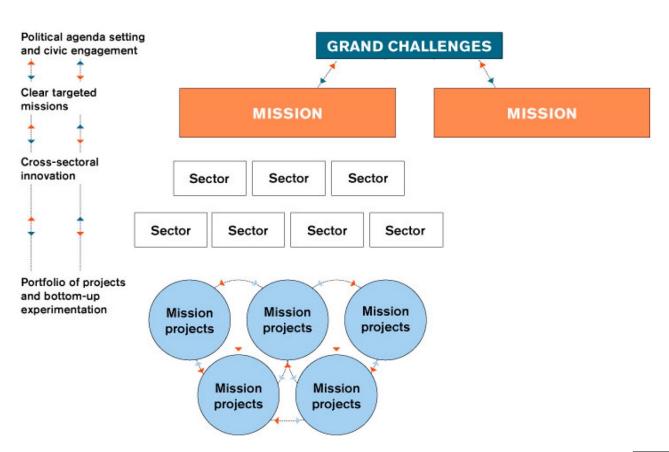
### Business R&D spending (BERD)





# From challenges, through missions, across sectors, to projects







#### Five criteria for missions

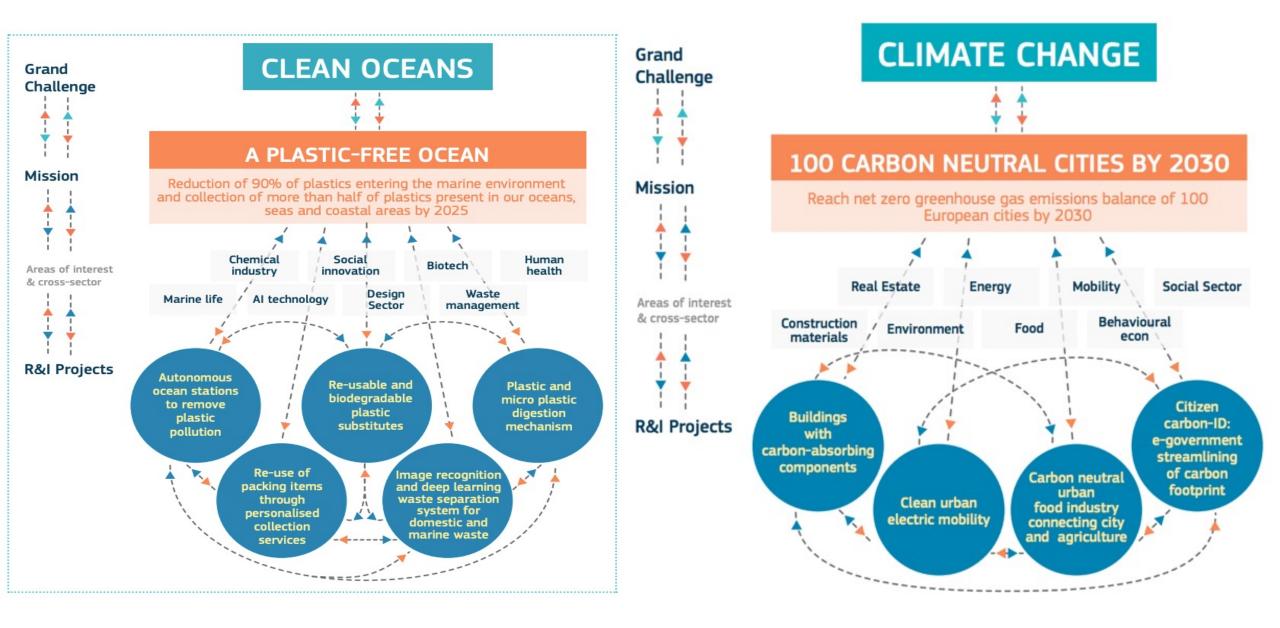
- Be bold, inspirational, with wide societal relevance
- Have a clear direction: targeted, measurable, and time-bound
- Be ambitious but realistic with research and innovation actions
- Be cross-disciplinary, cross-sectoral, and crossactor innovation
- Drive multiple, bottom-up solutions.



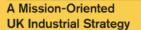


#### **SDG 14**

#### **SDG 13**



# UK Industrial Strategy



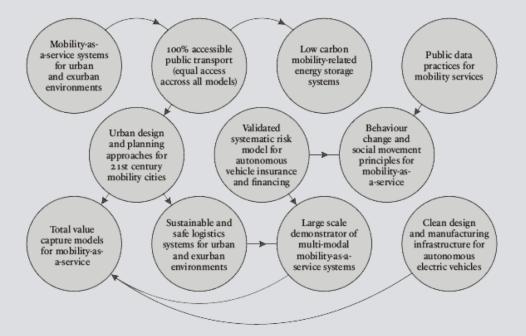
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## A new mission-oriented public bank for Scotland

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Scotland plans £2bn national investment bank

Sturgeon welcomes proposal that would help fund SMEs and strategic projects



Scottish first minister Nicola Sturgeon: 'The time for debating whether or not this is a good idea has passed, it is now time to get on with making it happen' © EPA

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Scotland has announced plans for a £2bn national investment bank to support smaller businesses and strategic projects with "patient" long-term funding.

Nicola Sturgeon, first minister, welcomed proposals on Wednesday for a government-owned bank to be in operation by 2020.

"The time for debating whether or not this is a good idea has passed, it is now time to get on with making it happen," Ms Sturgeon said. "We are determined now to move at pace." Institute for Innovation and Public Purpose

#### A mission-oriented framework for the Scottish National Investment Bank

by Mariana Mazzucato and Laurie Macfarlane

March 2019



Figure 2: Scotland's National Performance Framework



## The European Investment Bank

Missions take directionality of innovation head on and consider how to govern the process so as to develop dynamic capabilities of public institutions. This means redesigning instruments like grants, loans and procurement policy to fuel bottom-up innovation to target challengeoriented missions, across a multitude of economic sectors and firm sizes. Such directionality is also enabled by a strategic take on financing policies. Missions require patient, long-term finance, but also finance that is willing to take on higher risks: while some innovations are successful, many are not.

Asking what forms risk finance should take, in order to steer a transition towards mission completion is key.

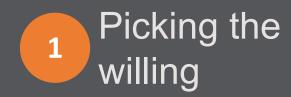
#### The EIB and the new EU missions framework Opportunities and lessons from the EIB's advisory support to the circular economy By Mariana Mazzucato and Olga Mikheeva November 2020 IIPP Public Purpose European Investment Bank

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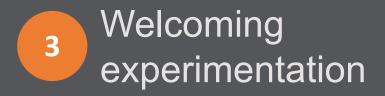
#### Key lessons for missions (Mazzucato 2018)

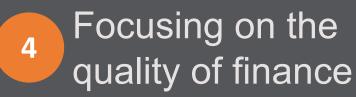
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#### Missions should be:









Conducting proper engagement



Sharing risks and rewards



#### Walk the talk of stakeholder value

The New York Times

#### Shareholder Value Is No Longer Everything, Top C.E.O.s Say

Chief executives from the Business Roundtable, including the leaders of Apple and JPMorgan Chase, argued that companies must also invest in employees and deliver value to customers.

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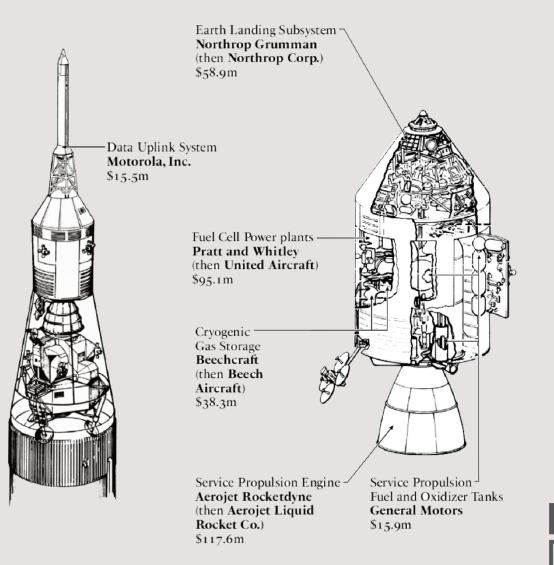
"Without a sense of purpose, no company, either public or private, can achieve its full potential." — Larry Fink.

# Partnership with a common purpose

NASA sought to work in partnership with innovative businesses, showing relevant capabilities and experience, searching for the best partners possible not just the least expensive ones

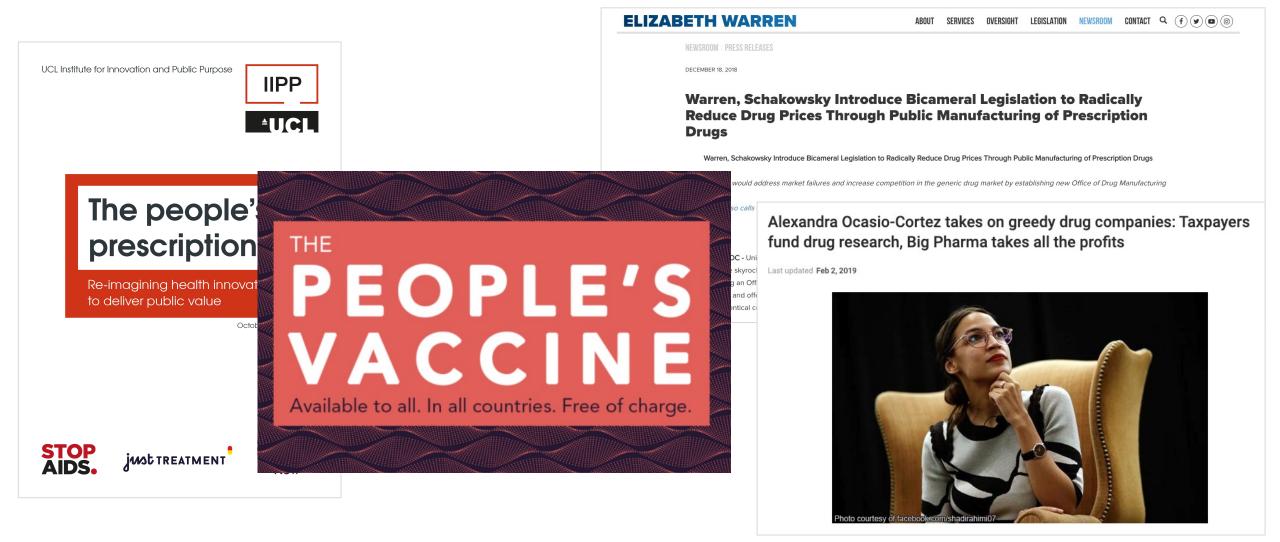
Procurement: from cost-plus contracts (easily gamed) to fixed price with incentives.

"No-excess profits" clause.





# **Putting public VALUE** at the heart of health innovation



## The COVID19 moment for bold conditionalities

American Airlines, United, and other carriers have agreed to bailout terms with the US Treasury that will avoid layoffs until October







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Scotland bans Covid-19 support to firms based in tax havens

# A new vocabulary for governments and institutions

FIXING MARKETS

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LEVELLING THE PLATING FIELD

TILTING TOWARDS A DIRECTION DICKING WINNERS

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Changing how public value is imagined, practiced and evaluated to tackle societal challenges





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### Thank you!

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