Applying Institutional Work to Facilitate and Improve Value Cocreation

S-D Logic

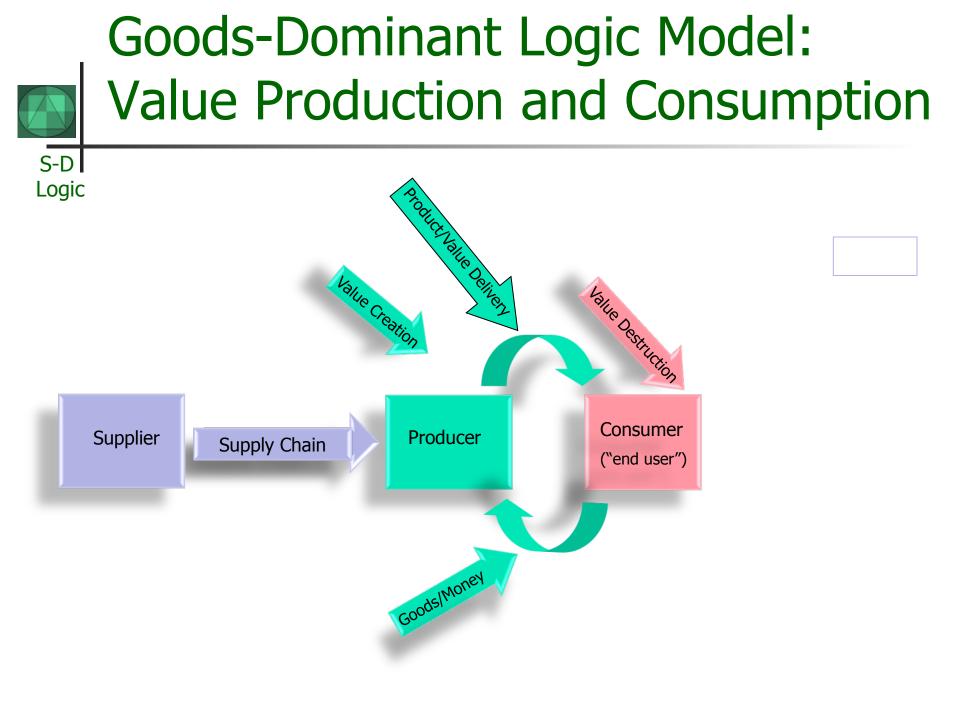
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Rethinking Goods and Service(s)

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Wrong Thinking about Goods: Good are not why we buy goods

- Service (benefits) they provide
- Intangibles (brand, self image, social connectedness, meaning)
- Inputs into holistic experiences

Wrong Thinking about Service: "Services" Stated as types of Goods

- Value-enhancing add-ons for goods, or
- A particular (somewhat inferior) type of good: intangible output

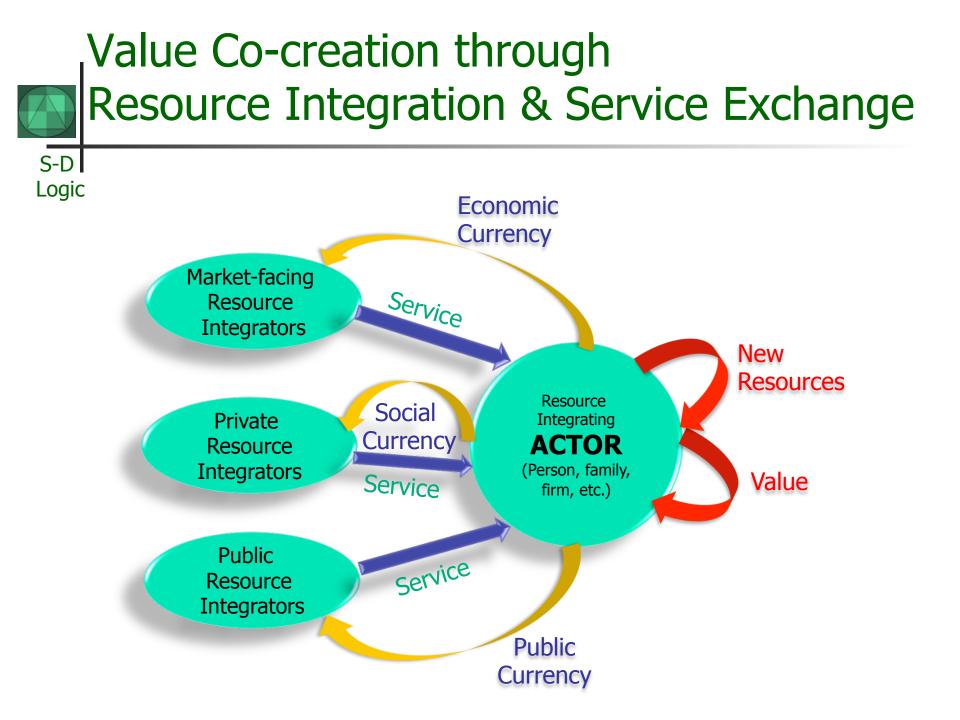
Right thinking About Service

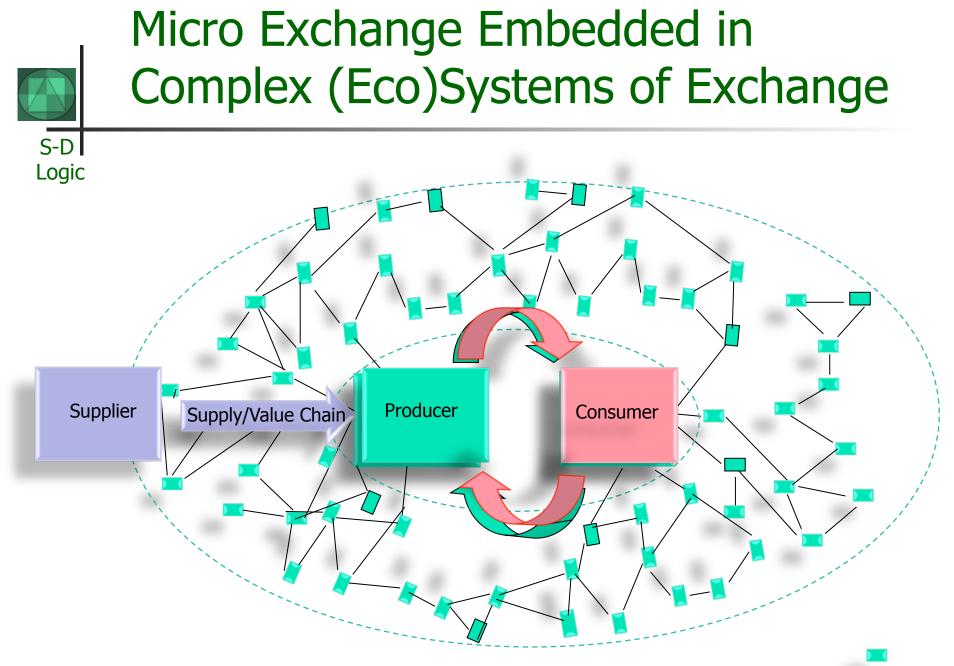
- Service is a process, not a unit of output
 - Using one's resources for another's benefit
- Goods are delivery mechanisms for service
- Customers are not "end users"
 - just other service providers (employees, parents, CEOs, etc.)



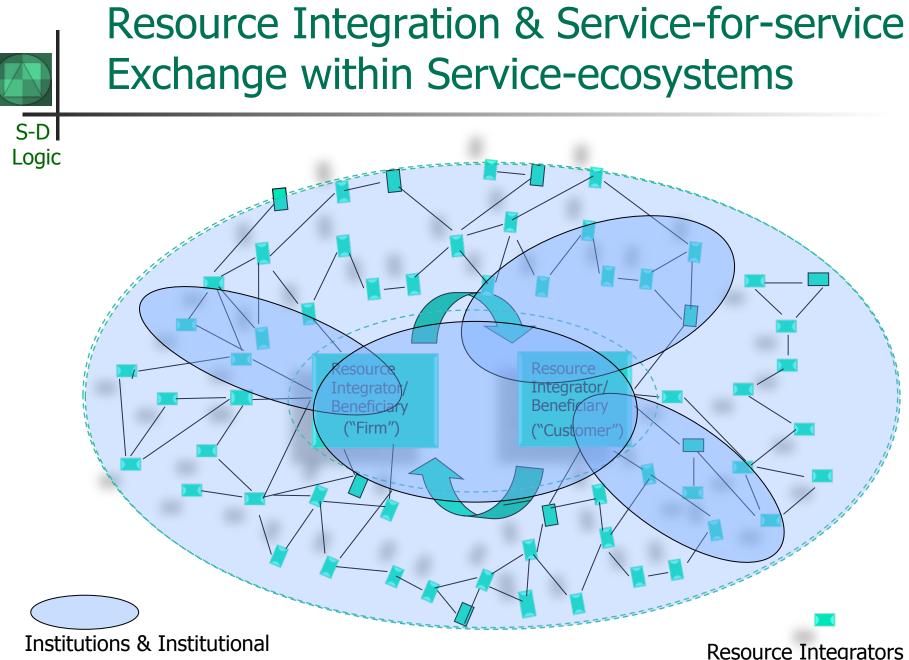
Axioms of Service-Dominant Logic

S-D ₋ogic	Premise	Explanation/Justification				
A1	Service is the fundamental basis of exchange.	The application of operant resources (knowledge and skills), "service," is the basis for all exchange. Service is exchanged for service.				
A2	Value is always cocreated by multiple actors, including the beneficiary	Implies value creation is interactional and combinatorial.				
A3	All economic and social actors are resource integrators	Implies the context of value creation is networks of networks (resource-integrators).				
A4	Value is always uniquely and phenomenological determined by the beneficiary	Value is idiosyncratic, experiential, contextual, and meaning laden.				
A5	Value cocreation is coordinated through actor- generated institutions and institutional arrangements	Institutions provide the glue for value cocreation through service-for- service exchange				





Resource Integrating actors



arrangements/logics

Resource Integrators

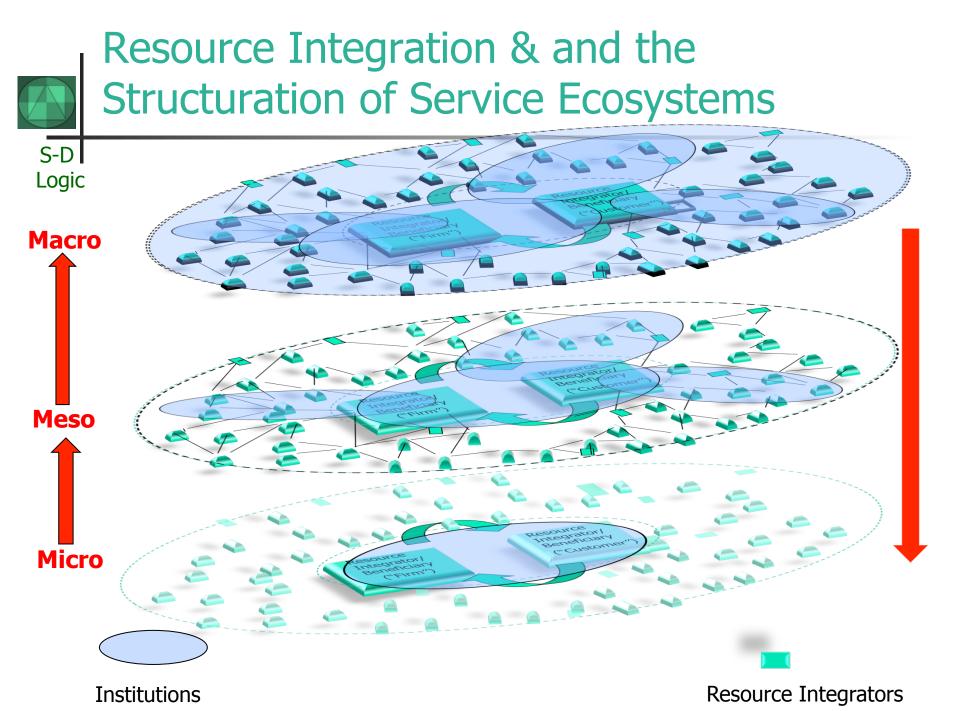
The Structure and Venue of Value Creation: Institutions & Service Ecosystems

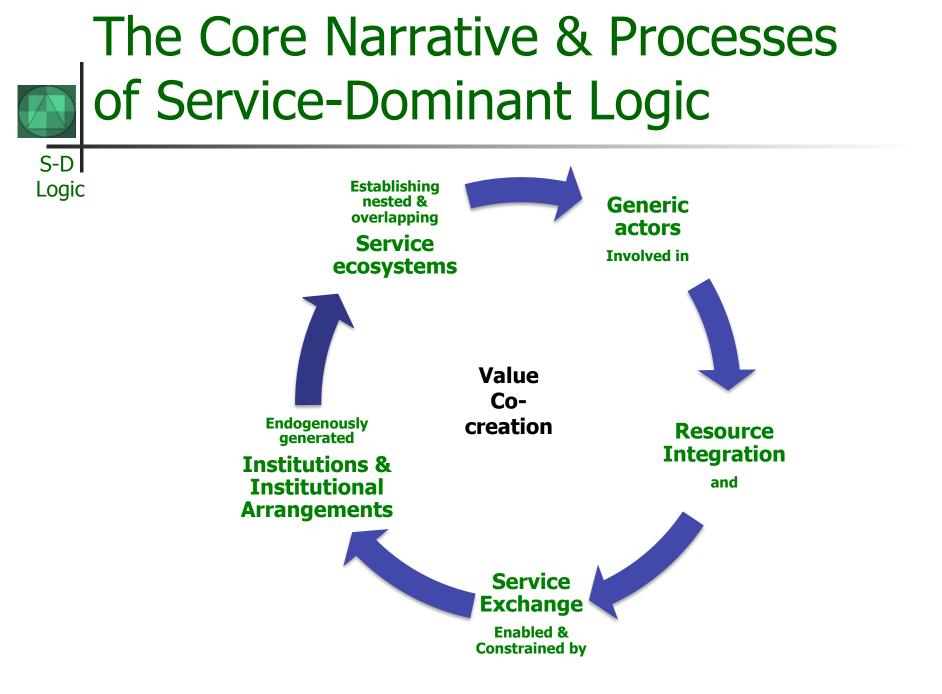
S-D I Logic Institution

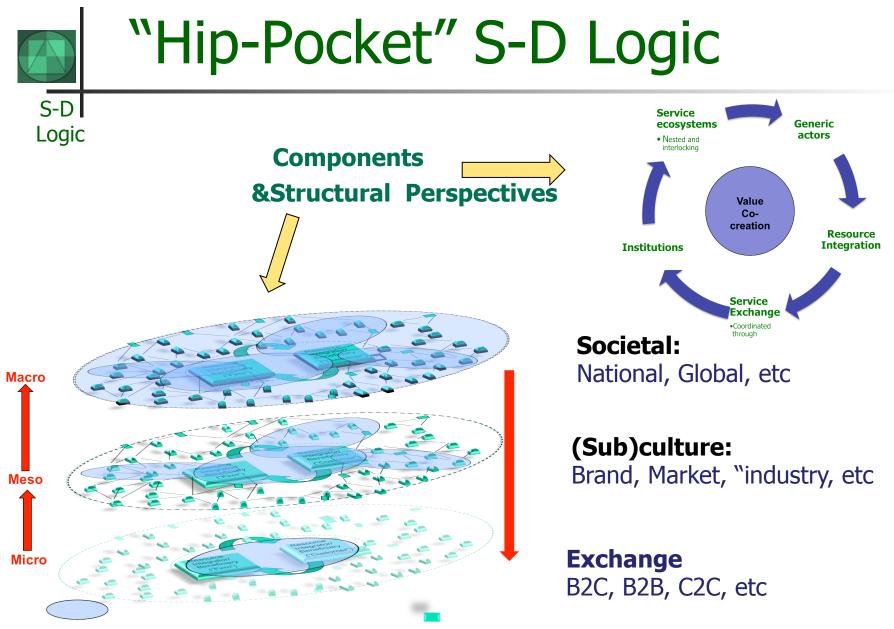
- "any structure or mechanism of social order and cooperation governing the behavior of a set of individuals within a given human community.
- (Stanford Encyclopedia of Social Institutions)

Service Ecosystem (S-D logic)

 relatively self-contained, selfadjusting systems of resourceintegrating actors connected by shared institutional arrangements and mutual value creation through service exchange.







Institutions

Resource Integrators

Levels	Aggregation			
		Macro Level	Meso Level	Micro
		(e.g., societal,	(e.g.,	Level
		community	"industry"/ma	(e.g.,
		national,	rket, cartel)	transaction
		global, local)		s, sharing,)
Theory/	Meta-theoretical	Primary Focus to Date		
Abstraction	(e.g., S-D logic,			
	cocreation of			
	value)			
	Midrange	T I Ass st		
	theoretical Increasing Attentio		tion,	
	(e.g., engagement, coproduction)			

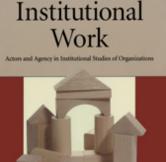
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Innovation: The S-D Logic Perspective

Continual creation of new markets by:

- Leveraging existing service ecosystems
- Dynamically reconfiguring service ecosystems
- Creating new ecosystems
- In short: doing "institutional work'



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Institutional Work

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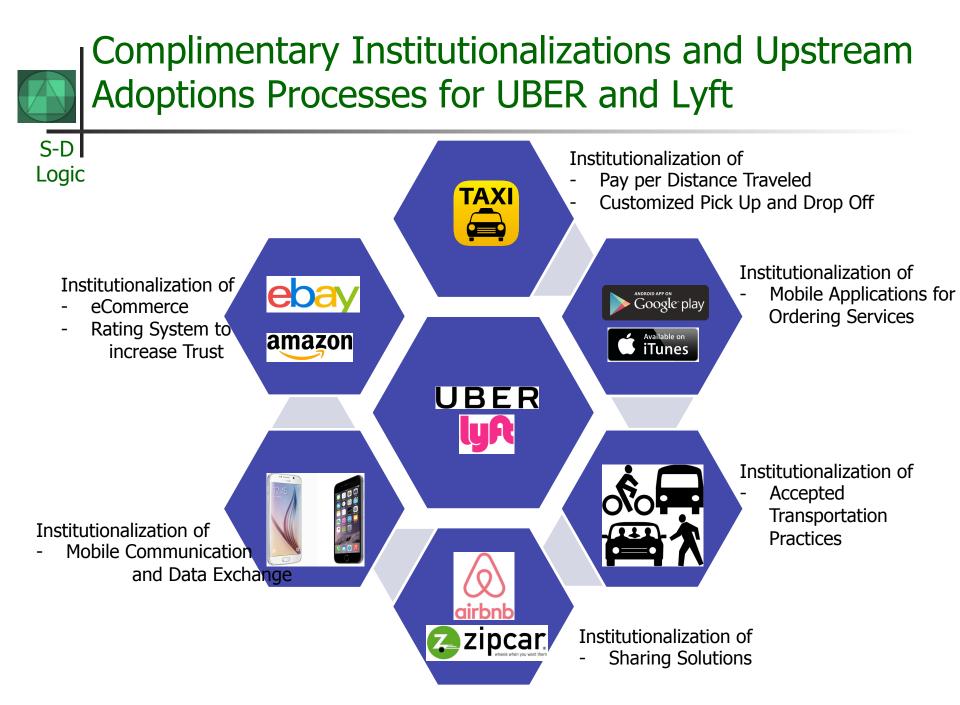
Interplay of Actors, Agency, & Institutions

Development

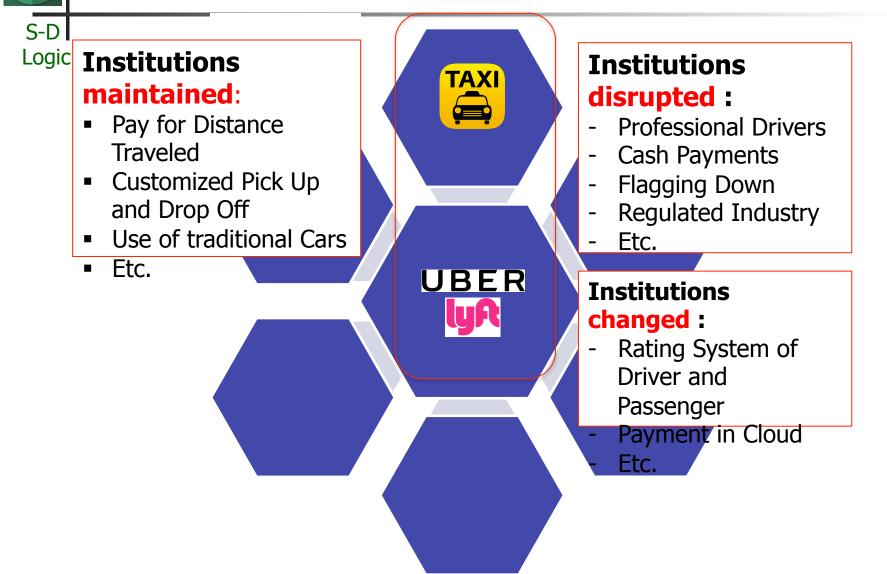
- Isomorphism institutional dominance
- Agency Individual intention
 - Especially specialized: "intuitional entrepreneurs"
- Structuration: Duality of agency and structure

Institutional work = intentional form of structuration

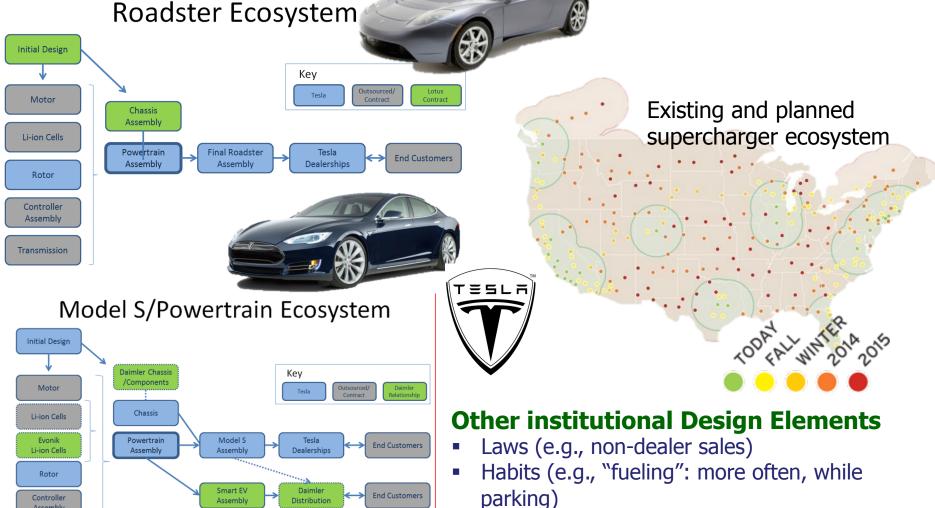
- Maintenance of institutions
- Disruption of institutions
- Creation of institutions



Select Institutional Work by Uber/Lyft: Maintenance, Disruption and Change



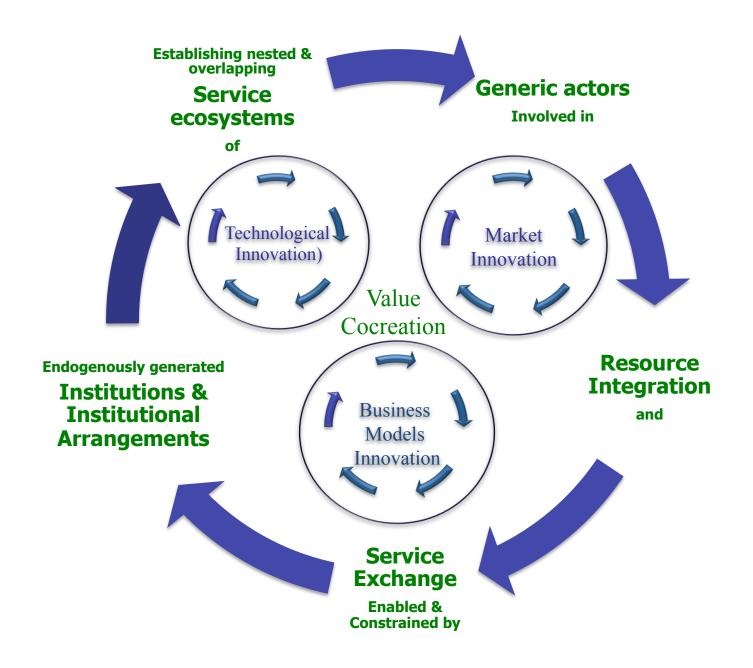
Tesla Institutional/Ecosystem Innovations



Assembly

Transmission

- Regulations (e.g., preferred parking spots)
- Business model: Open patents to cocreation





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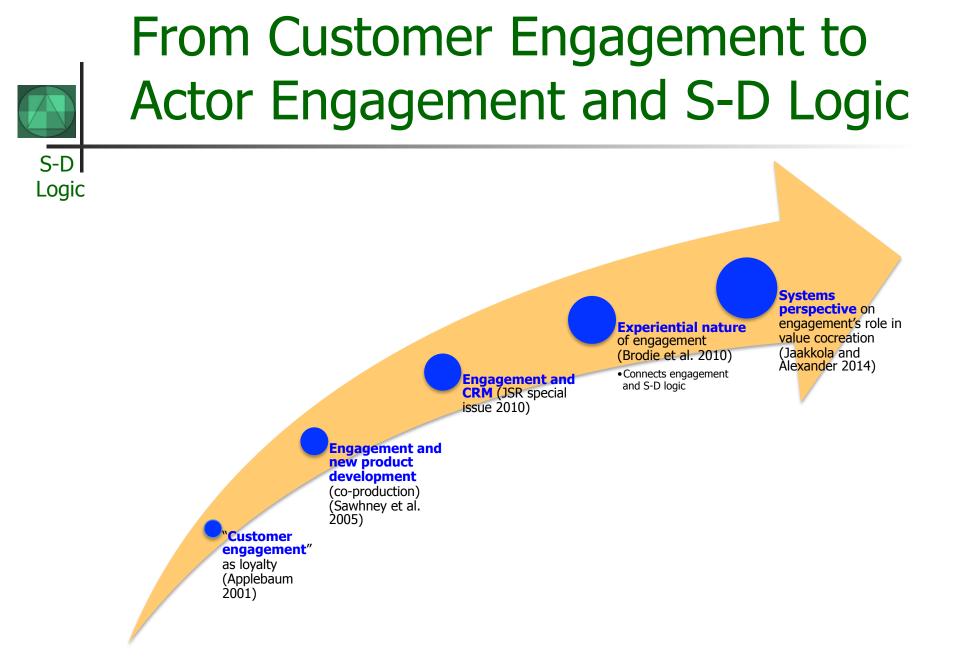
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Institutional Work and Engagement

Institutional work = agency related to institutionalization

Agency = "a temporarily embedded process of social engagement, informed by past, but oriented toward present, and future"

(Battilana & D'Aunno 2009)

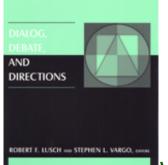




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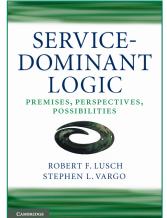
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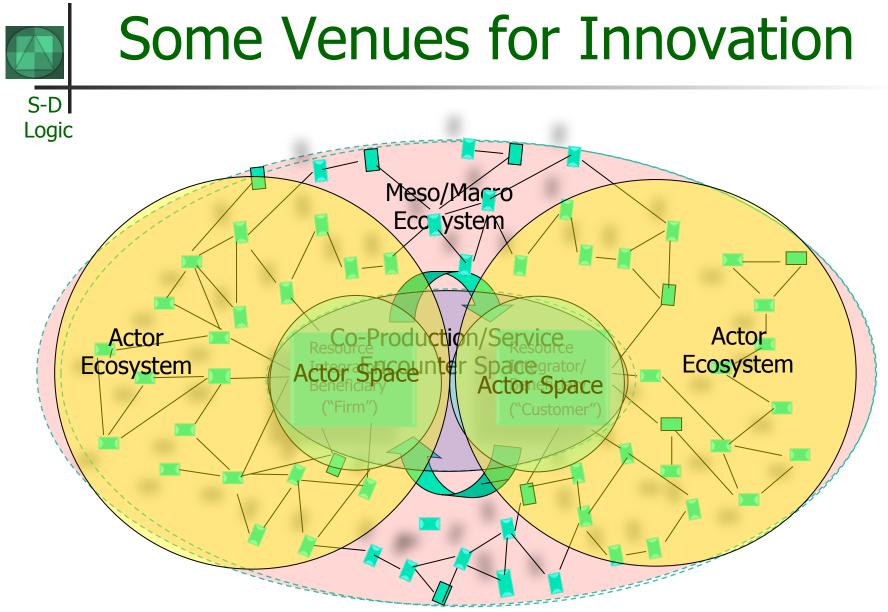
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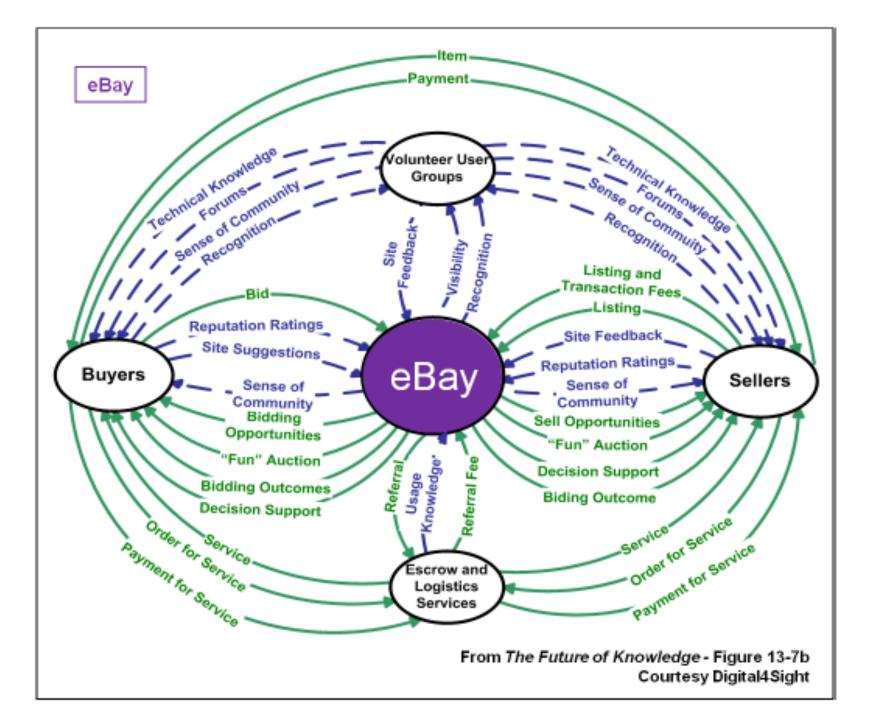
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- Working papers
- Teaching material
 - Related Links

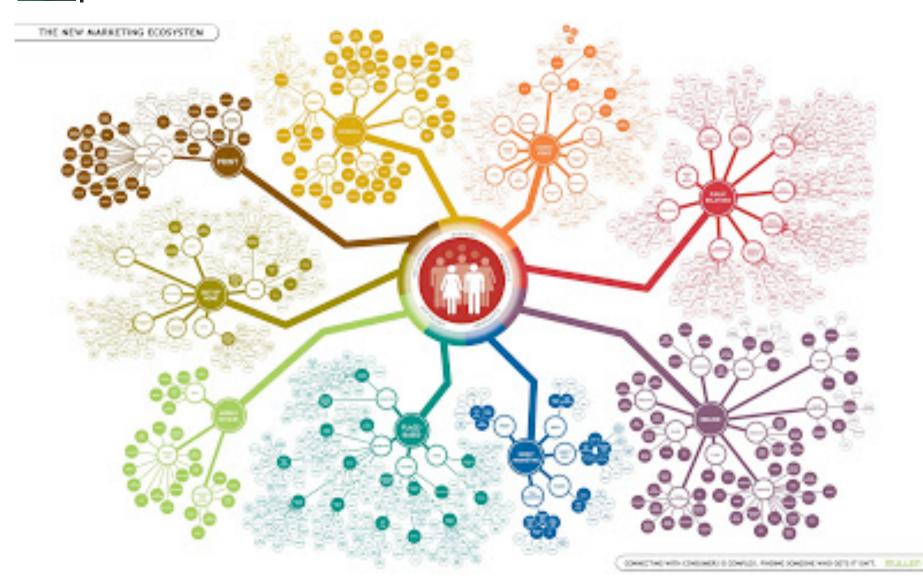
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Resource Integrators



Actor-Centric (Marketing) Ecosystem



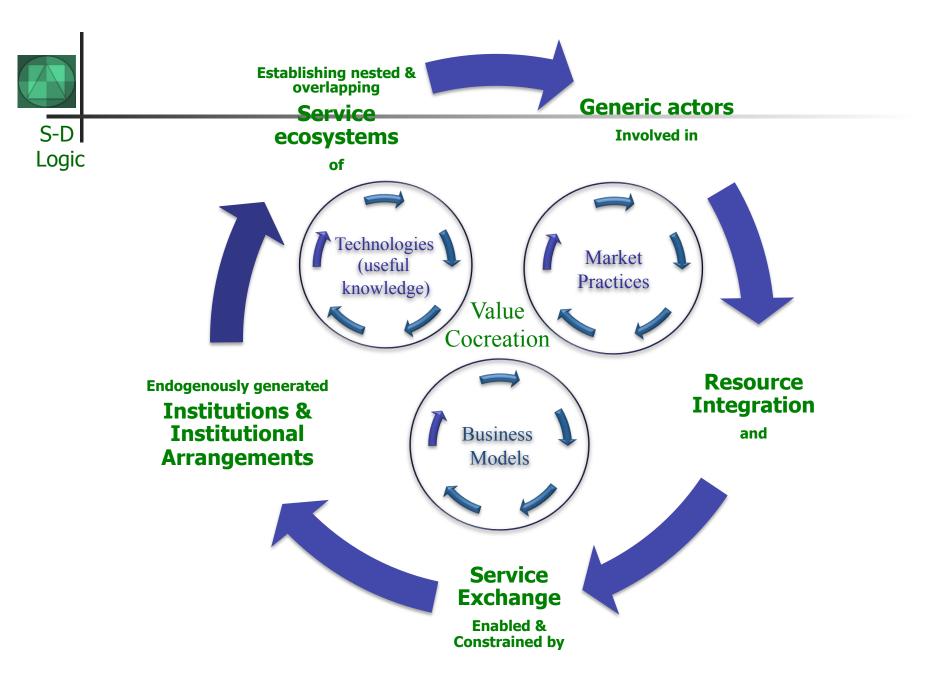
Forms of Intentionality

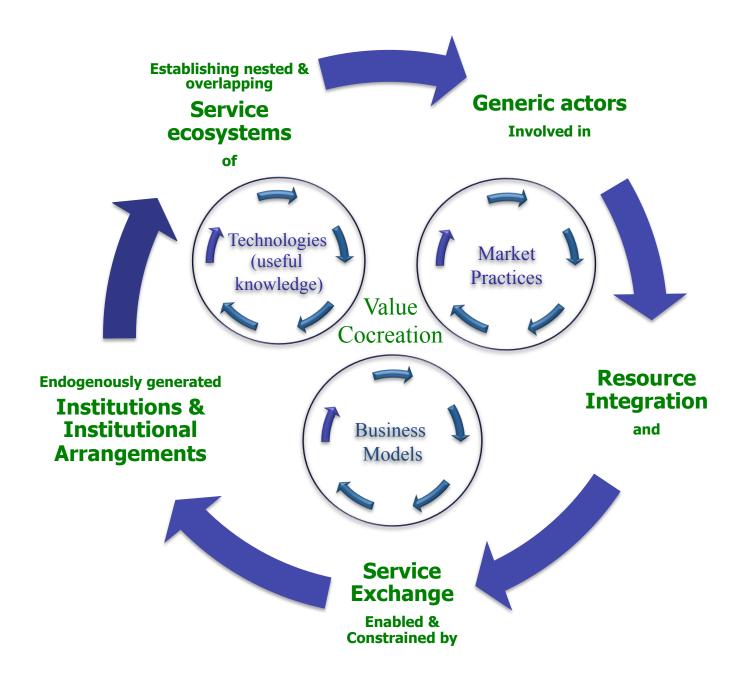
Battilana & D'AunnoEmirbayer2009 & Miche 1998; Lawrence, Suddaby, & Leca 2009)

Iteration (past oriented)

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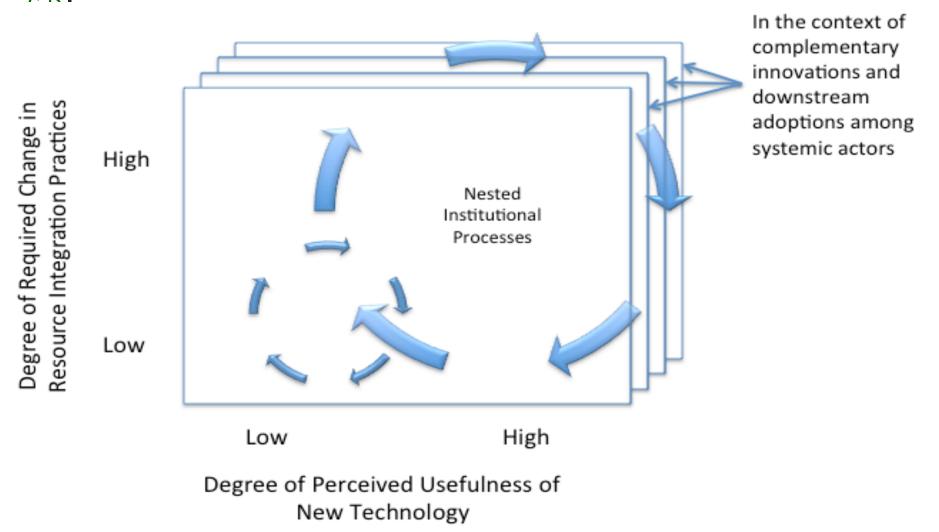
- Taken for granted schemas
- Implies habitual activity is intentional
- Practical-Evaluative (past oriented)
 - Contextualization of social experience
- Projective (future oriented)
 - Hypothesization of experience





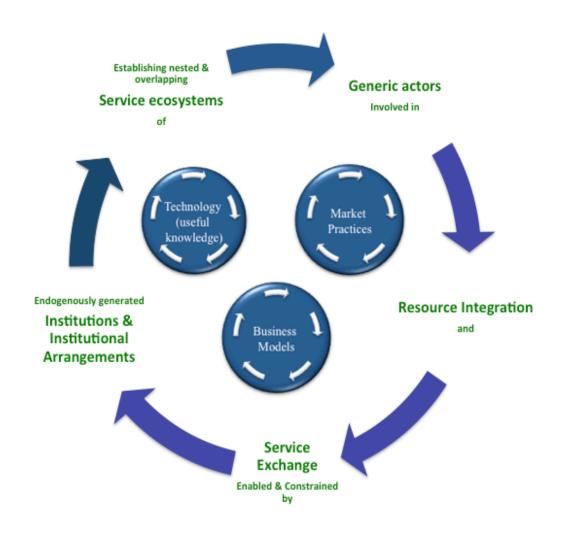


Systemic and Institutional View of Business Models





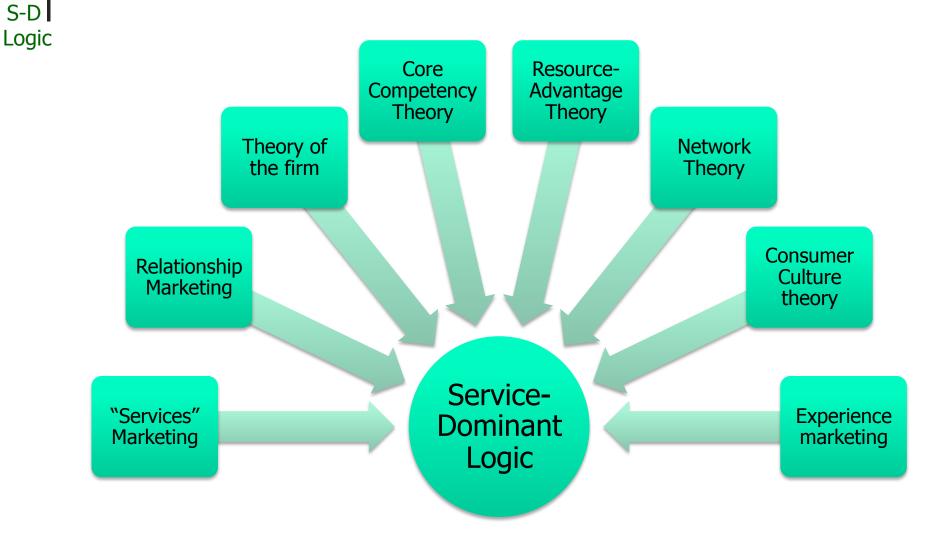
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The Importance of the Right Logic

- S-D Logic
- Without changing our pattern of thought, we will not be able to solve the problems we created with our current pattern of thought
 - Albert Einstein
- The greatest danger in times of turbulence is not the turbulence: it is to act with yesterday's logic.
 - Peter F. Drucker
- The main power base of paradigms may be in the fact that they are taken for granted and not explicitly questioned
 - Johan Arndt
- What is needed is not an interpretation of the utility created by marketing, but a marketing interpretation of the whole process creating utility.
 - Wroe Alderson

A Partial Pedigree For S-D Logic





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