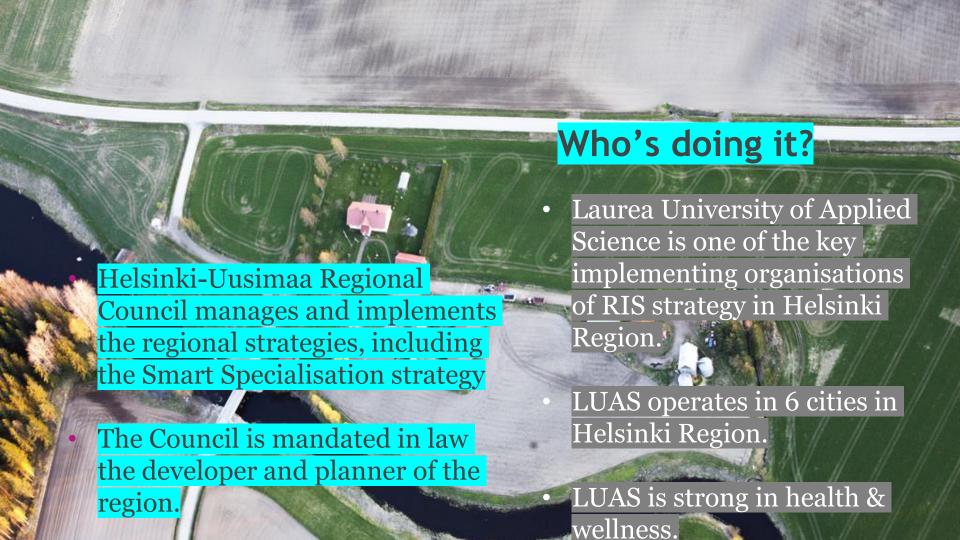
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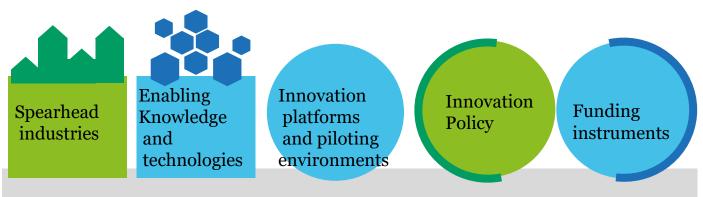
Where we operate? The Helsinki Region

- The capital region of Finland
- 26 municipalities
- 1,6 million people
- · Share of GPD 38 per cent
- Fastest growing population, 15 000
- Innovation ecosystem located here



- Ecosystem development what is required in the future?
- to double the regional impact of research and innovation?
- to be a forerunner in the use of innovative products and services?
- How do we implement strategy in practice?

Smart Specialisation in Helsinki Region



Strenghtening strenghts
New combinations and digitalisation
Active co-operation

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So how does the strategy help us?





We spin out projects with other EU regions

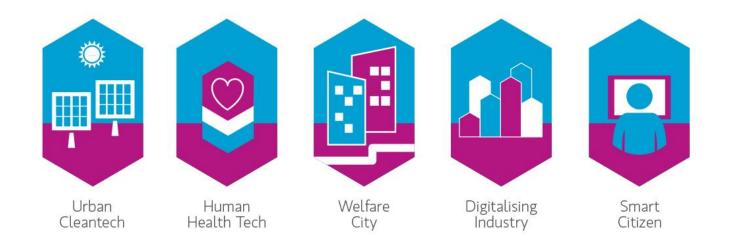


We connect actors around Helsinki region



We develop new solutions

RIS3 Helsinki SMART Region priorities 2014-2020



Digitalisation as a crosscutting driver of Change



Towards open ecosystem policy



- Know-how

- Research

Entreprenuer ecosystem

- Ideas

- Start-ups

- Process:

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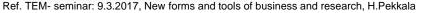
Innovation ecosystem (incl academia)

Business ecosystem

-Competent workforce

-Solutions by co-operation





Strategic level co-creation





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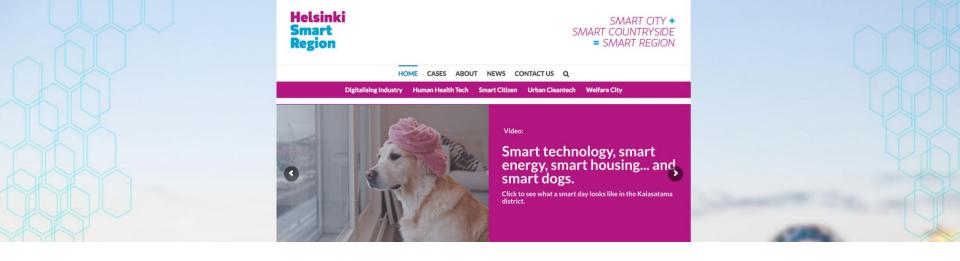


The Brand: Helsinki Smart Region

- Helsinki Smart Region strategy is part of EU-wide Research and Innovation strategy of smart specialisation.
- As part of an on-going process, we have branded RIS more attractively as 'Helsinki Smart Region'.







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A way of implementing and showcasing the Helsinki Smart Region strategy.



Case examples





CO-CREATED HEALTHIER UUSIMAA

Laurea coordinates "Co-created Healthier Uusimaa" project which implements Helsinki-Uusimaa region's Smart specialisation strategy's priority of Human Health Tech.

Project is funded by Helsinki-Uusimaa regional council (1.12.2015- 30.9.2017). The Co-created Healthier Uusimaa -project focuses on promoting innovative health tech services developed for active and independent health promotion and self-care supported by the professionals when needed.

The project will organize workshops for enterpris-

the region and forms a nety co-operation.

Users will have bigger role technologically advanced in products and services in he in different phases of the dev This will help to collect new i processes from user communi ture professionals. New hea business with innovators, lished companies are expect during and after the project



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- It is a strategic choice to be part of an ecosystem
- We need the will in the EU-level & in the national level to be the same as in the regional level to embed ecosystem in society

Thank you!

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