

How can a corporate  
build a winning

# Hackathon Strategy?

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A telco with a history of 135 years



# Value to customers with new services



Elisa Viihde



Elisa Kirja



Elisa Live



Video conferencing services



Digital signage



Virtual healthcare



Omnichannel customer services



Remote measurement



Watson



Pilvilinna



Elisa Perhe



Virtual datacenter



Povari cloud services



Elisa IoT™



Elisa Kassa



Elisa Ring mobile switchboard



Omaguru and Yritysguru



EpicTV



Habbo



Elisa Aisti situational awareness



Elisa Kilpi security service



Elisa Dialogi Interactive SMS



Elisa Mobile certificate



Elisa Ohjaaja



Fanseat



Elisa Smart Factory

# Big-Bang disruptions change the business



As % of total US retail sales

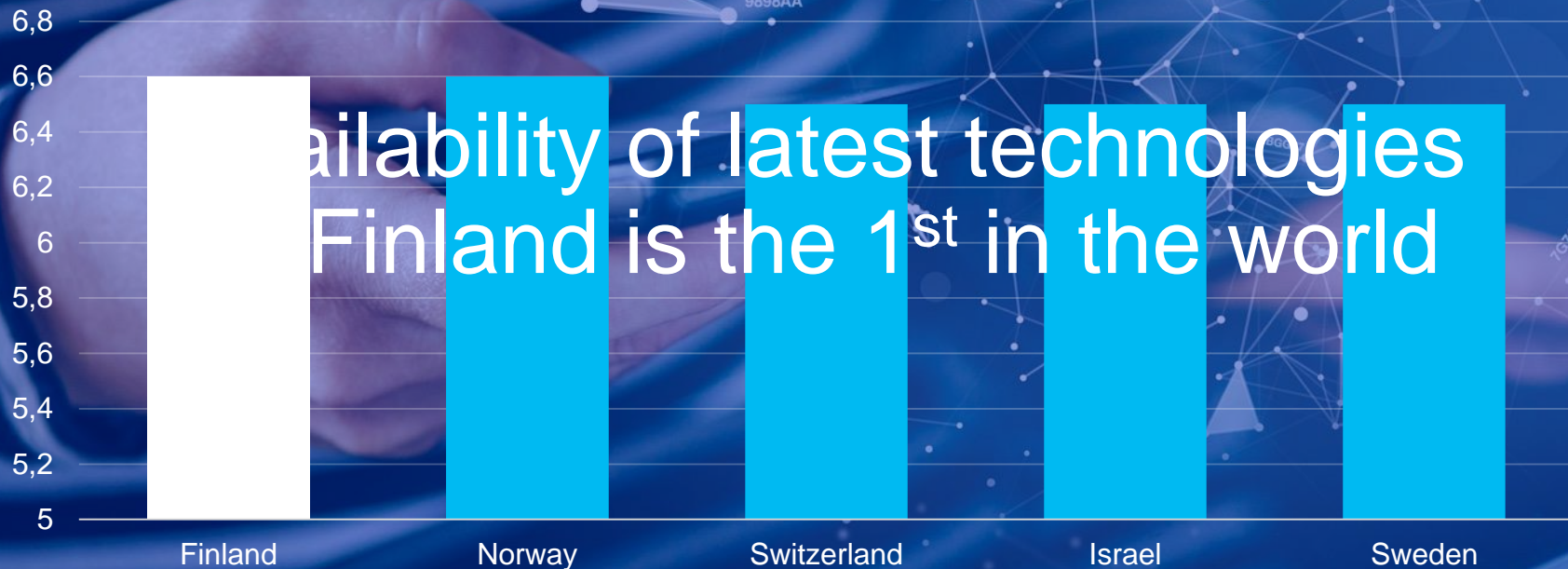


# Innovation – Finland is the 4th in the world

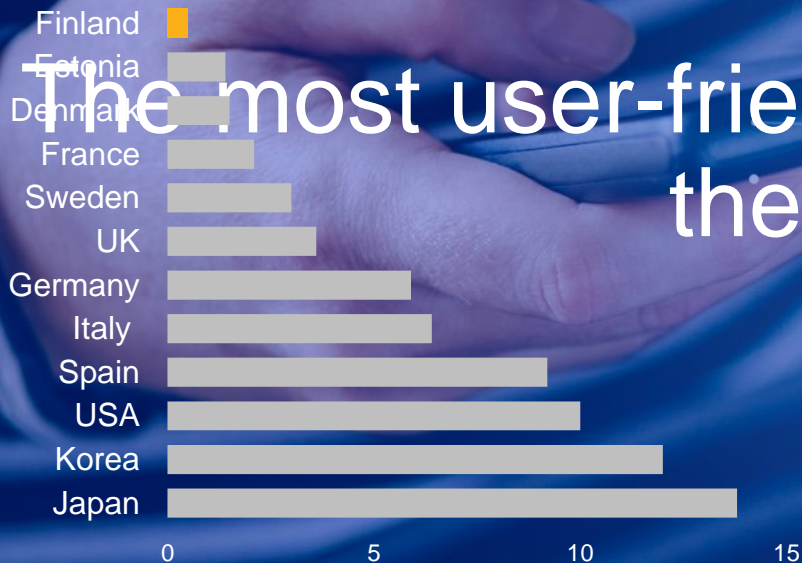


# University-industry collaboration in R&D





Lowest prices with unlimited mobile data



Mobile data price, EUR/GB

Rewheel, DFMonitor-PRO service. Prices from September 2016

Highest mobile data usage in the world



Mobile data (Gbyte) any SIM and month 2016

Tefficient AB, Industry analysis # 1 2017

# Digital success

Creating technology insight and crowdsourcing innovation

BUSINESS

ECOSYSTEM

80+ PARTNERSHIPS

STRATEGY

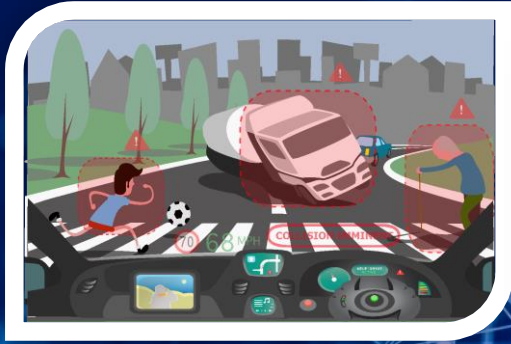
RESEARCH  
NETWORK

1300+  
SCIENTISTS

VISION

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# Four disruptions emerging from science



Context-aware  
computers



Brain-machine  
interface



Computers replacing  
white-collar workers



Digital ecosystems  
based communication  
networks

# Utilising machine learning, deep learning

49%

of the current work activities in global economy can be automated, but adoption will take decades and there is significant uncertainty on timing\*

\*Forty-six countries used in this calculation, representing about 80% of global labor force. Source: McKinsey Global Institute analysis, published in a report "A Future that works: Automation, employment, and productivity", January 2017.





- 20 million chat lines daily
- Reduced over 50% of manual work and approximately 50% of OPEX



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# How to get more from our network?



Hackathons –  
innovating and  
learning together  
with startups &  
researchers

The prize for  
startups is to do  
business with us.

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

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**HACKATHON**



# Elisa Way

Intimate, small internal hackathons. We value quality over quantity. And we pick the best talents for the particular problem.

- 1) We cherry pick the very best Startups and researchers from our network.
- 2) Pair them with a key stakeholders and bright talented Elisians.

To create products, services and business models or solve big Elisa problems.

The background is a deep blue with a faint, dotted world map. Overlaid on the map are numerous red circles of varying sizes, some connected by thin red lines, suggesting a global network or data flow. Vertical blue bars of different heights are also present, adding a sense of depth and structure.

To learn & experiment fast in collaboration  
with the best startups and researchers.

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To form partnerships with exciting startups  
and researchers that we invite.

*Go ahead,*  
**MAKE MY DAY**

*My perfect personal*  
**MOVIE XPERIENCE**

BUILD THE COOLEST ENRICHED  
VIDEO EXPERIENCE APP

*elisa* HACKATHON

**9TH NOVEMBER / 8AM TO 8PM**

TO ENTER EMAIL IN TO  
**WILLIAM.HAMMERSLEY@ELISA.FI**



1) Find a stakeholder to sponsor the challenge

## Preparation and Planning

2) We spend time creating awesome teams

3) We prepare the data and tools well in advance

2) Provide a technical guru to teams

Thursday 9th November – 08:00 Elisa HQ

08:00 – Networking and Breakfast. Teams announced.

09:00 – Autumn Hackathon Opening Words.

09:05 – API's, Tools and tricks for hacking the future of entertainment.

09:20 – Introduction to startups and researchers.

09:35 – Q&A

09:40 – Teams go to their dedicated rooms to Hack.

17:30 – Food & drink to be delivered to your meeting rooms.

20:00 – You can continue to hack as late as you decide.





1) We explore continuation with every team

**We follow up**

2) We carry out experimentations

3) We kill them quick, pivot, experiment or build

4) Share the learnings!



# Promising Results

1/3 of projects proceeding

4/9 invited startups in negotiation



CAPTURE VALUE FROM DATA

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JUNE 15, 2017  
2PM TO 7PM

FOR A CHANCE TO WIN €500  
AND THE OPPORTUNITY TO  
BUILD NEW INNOVATIONS

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ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

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AUGUST 31, 2017  
8:15AM TO 8PM

FOR A CHANCE TO WIN €1000  
AND THE OPPORTUNITY TO  
BUILD NEW INNOVATIONS

TO ENTER, EMAIL 'IN' TO  
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**HACKATHON**

NOVEMBER 2, 2017  
8AM TO 8PM

FOR A CHANCE TO CREATE  
INNOVATIONS THAT WILL DISRUPT  
THE TELCO BUSINESS. WIN €1000

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- 1) Utilize your networks. Seek Quality.
- 2) Prepare well and offer lots of support.
- 3) Failing is success if we learn from it.  
Share the learnings.



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