

The Role of Social Innovation and Cooperatives in the Energy Transition

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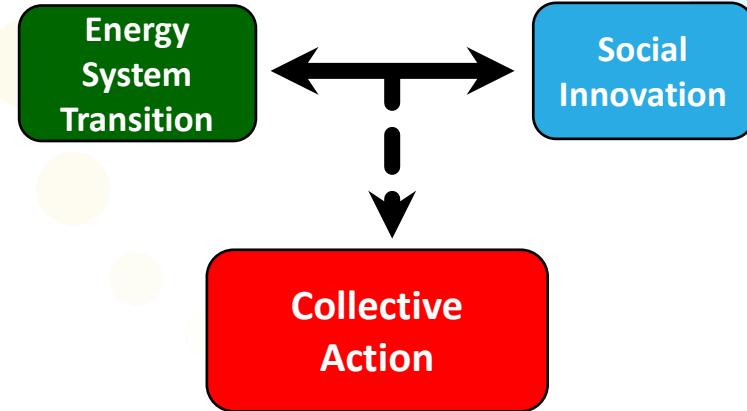


COMETS PROJECT

Collective Action Initiatives (CAIs)-
(e.g., energy cooperatives)

Mobilization of CAIs results from changing combinations of:

- interests,
- organization,
- resources,
- and opportunities.



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Collective action Models for Energy Transition and Social Innovation

SOCIAL INNOVATION

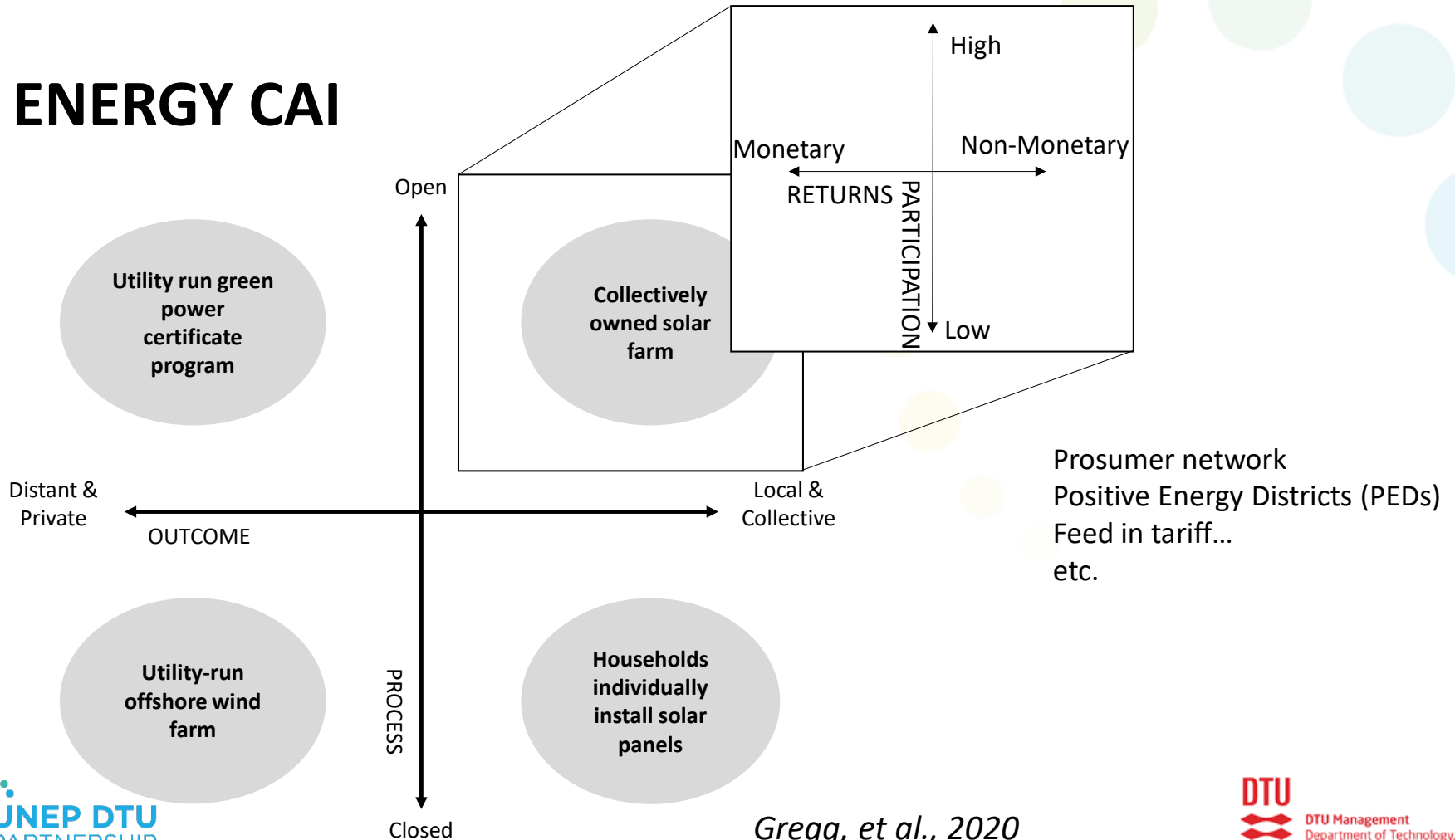
Technological Innovation: Development of technologies to meet specific ends

Business/ Market Innovation: Development of activities to gain market share and maximize profits

Social Innovation: Development of activities and services to meet a social need

Social innovations are social both in their ends and means

ENERGY CAI



MASTER'S PROJECT

Possible Questions

- Why do communities form CAIs?
- Why do CAIs succeed or fail?
- What impact to CAIs have on local communities?
- What is the role of CAIs in developing countries?

Possible Methods

- Comparative literature study
- Case study analysis
- Local site visits and interviews



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