https://www.youtube.com/watch?list=PLKfWL8IXg KBte4TfD53pLaHONfSYCX0RH&v=VcP4vht8bho

http://bottomsupbeer.com/howitworks





# PLANNING



## WELCOME BACK



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#### **INTERNAL ANALYSIS:**

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#### ANALYSIS OF THE VALUE-CAPTURING MODEL:

How are we going to make more than what we spend? (is it worth playing at all?)



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## Value Proposition Canvas

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#### http://www.peterjthomson.com/2013/11/value-proposition-canvas/





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A three sentence pitch:

"For <target customers> who are dissatisfied with <the current offering of the market> my idea/product is <describe the idea/product> that provides <describe key features>. (Unlike <the competing product>, my idea is <describe key features>.) It's <make it stick!>"

> G. A. Moore (2002), *Crossing the chasm*, HarperCollins O. Klaff (2011), *Pitch anything*, McGrawHill Last sentence: Prof. R. Dew



## CUSTOMER ADDED VALUE IN 1 SENTENCE: e.g. #1



#### **CUSTOMER VALUE PROPOSITION**



For young <u>winemakers</u> who want to avoid the risk of spoiled production...

...we have developed a <u>portable microscope</u> for *at-line* control of yeast cells. It's an insurance against disaster!



PORTABLE / EASY TO USE





LARGE FIELD OF VIEW (6 mm x 6 mm)

LOW PRICE (BoM < 1,000 €?)









# "It's Jaws, in space"



Dan O'Bannon, screenwriter of Alien

(see, for example:

http://web.archive.org/web/20080905074007/http://www.montrealmirror.com/ARCHIVES/2003/102303/film1.html)



## CUSTOMER ADDED VALUE IN 1 SENTENCE: e.g. #3





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## INTERNAL ANALYSIS



## **RESOURCE BASED THEORY OF A FIRM**

B. Barney (1991), Journal of Management 17, 99

**RESOURCES:** "the stocks of available factors that are owned or controlled by the firm" CAPABILITIES: "the firm capacity to deploy resources [...] to effect a desired end" R. A. Amit and P. J. H. Shoemaker (1993), Strategic Management Journal 14, 33

NOUNS (thing that you have) VERBS (things that you do)

> Human Social

**Financial** 

**Technical** 



...and don't forget to keep an eye on your liabilities!



## INTERNAL ANALYSIS IN EFFECTUATION THEORY





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## **EXTERNAL ANALYSIS**



Market segments Market size

Market trends

You should already know from your customer value proposition... ...but it is a good time to check!

**Competition** landscape

(Cooperation landscape; will be discussed later)

Can we reach a SUSTAINED COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE?

...that will last while and after competitors try to imitate it. Equilibrium position!

(not necessary infinitely long; external non competitive factors may play a role: change in trends, laws, social and political conditions...) The company is able to deploy a strategy (rephrase it: a customer value proposition) that cannot be implemented by any of the current or potential competitors

B. Barney (1991), Journal of Management 17, 99

EXTERNAL ANALYSIS: SUSTAINED COMPETITIVE ADV.



Can we reach a SUSTAINED COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE?

<u>?????</u>

Yes, if we have resources and/or capabilities that are:

V: Valuable (they serve the purpose) R: Rare (very few competitors have it) I: Inimitable (competitors cannot reproduce it as is) **nS:** non-Substitutable (competitors cannot make something that does the same thing)





### ADAPT TO CONTINGENCIES OVER PREDICTION:

**Entrepreneurs:** 

- not looking for an ex-ante equilibrium position (maybe it does not even exist!)
- but more to move the boundary where they want them to be!

#### FIRST-MOVER COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE!

Get the lead in geographic space, human resources, customer perception space.

M. B. Lieberman and D. B. Montgomery (1998), *Strategic Management Journal* <u>19</u>, 1111 D. G. Sirman, M. A.Hitt, J.-L. Arregle, J. T. Campbell (2010), *Strategic Management Journal* <u>31</u>, 1386



## EXTERNAL ANALYSIS: TEMPORARY COMPETITIVE ADV.



	Pace of mark slow	et evolution fast
Pace of technological trends fast slow	CALM WATERS:	THE MARKET LEADS:
	No short-lived first-mover advantage is expected, but longer term first-mover advantage is very likely. No specific resource, capability is required.	Both short-lived and long-lived first- mover advantage are expected, but only if the company has large-scale marketing, distribution, and production capacity.
echno	THE TECHNOLOGY LEADS:	ROUGH WATERS:
Pace of t fast	No first-mover advantage is expected; only those with strong R&D and deep pockets will survive.	No long-lived first mover advantage is expected. Shorter term first-mover advantage is likely, but only if the company has large-scale marketing, production, and strong R&D.

Find the right segment

F. Suarez and G. Lanzolla (2005) Harvard Business Review, April, 121

## EXTERNAL ANALYSIS: DISRUPTIVE TECHNOLOGY





C. M. Christensen The Innovator's Dilemma (Harvard Business Review Press, 1997)



## IS FIBER-TOP TECHNOLOGY DISRUPTIVE?

### YESTERDAY:

Could have been an AFM (but probes were not competitive);

decided to focus on indentation (niche market)

#### TODAY:

30 instruments sold worldwide

Probes are much more competitive, and the instrument can be transformed into an AFM

Can we disrupt the AFM market?







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#### WHO PAYS ≠ WHO BUYS ≠ WHO USES

Example:Master student: "I need a new microscope"PhD student: "I will look for the best one"Professor: "If I am convinced, I will buy it for you"Funding agency: "You are allowed to"

ANALYZE THE VALUE CHAIN: WHO GETS THE MONEY? YOU, YOUR SUPPLIERS, THE RETAILER?

### SOMETIMES THERE ARE OPPORTUNITIES FOR NON-OBVIOUS REVENUE STREAMS!

Example:

"Entrepreneurship for Scientists" a course (for free) a book (for pay) a ticket to get keynote speaker invitations









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YOU KNOW EVERYTHING ABOUT IT BY NOW!

**INTERNAL ANALYSIS:** 

Do we have what is needed? (can we play?) RESOURCES AND CAPABILITES

**EXTERNAL ANALYSIS:** 

Who is against us and who can we team up with? (can we win?) VRINS / or FIRST MOVER ADVANTAGE

ANALYSIS OF THE VALUE-CAPTURING MODEL:

How are we going to make more than what we spend? (is it worth playing at all?) NOT AS TRIVIAL AS IT MAY SOUND

**NEXT STOP: BUSINESS CANVAS**