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GUIDE TO ENTREPRENEURSHIP

THE VALUE OF ENTREPRENEURIAL ASPIRATIONS

According to "Agenda for Europe for Sustainable Competitiveness, Social Equity and Resilience" of 1 July 2020" a significant number of people in Europe demonstrate entrepreneurial aspirations, with a growing interest in social entrepreneurship. Both entrepreneurship in general and social entrepreneurship promote job creation and contribute to economic growth by increasing competition, productivity and innovation.

To achieve these aspirations and increase the attractiveness of entrepreneurship and interest in this area, it is necessary to:

- develop entrepreneurial skills;
- make proper use of career guidance systems and practices;
- support social inclusion and the green transition.



ENTREPRENEURIAL EDUCATION



The European Union already several years ago identified the "spirit of initiative and entrepreneurship" as one of the 8 key skills necessary for a knowledge-based society and has then insisted over the years in promoting this competence.

THE REQUIREMENTS OF A SUCCESSFUL ENTREPRENEUR

MOTIVATION

PERSEVERANCE

ADEQUATE TRAINING TO ACQUIRE TECHNICAL, MANAGEMENT, MANAGERIAL SKILLS ENTHUSIASM AND COURAGE

ATTITUDE

PROPENSION TO CHANGE AND RISK

THE WINNING IDEA

It must be:

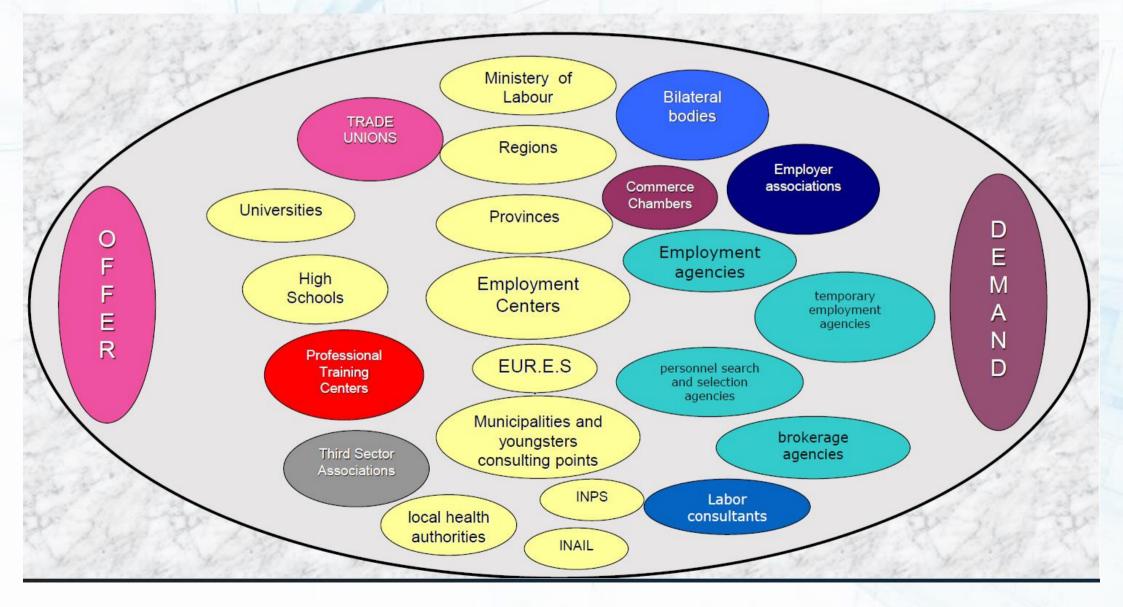
Innovative
Attractive
Competitive
Achievable
Profitable





To identify the winning idea, you need to observe the market, the competitors and the other actors operating in the same area.

IDENTIFYING THE ACTORS OF THE LABOR MARKET



THE CHOICE OF A PROPER LEGAL FORM

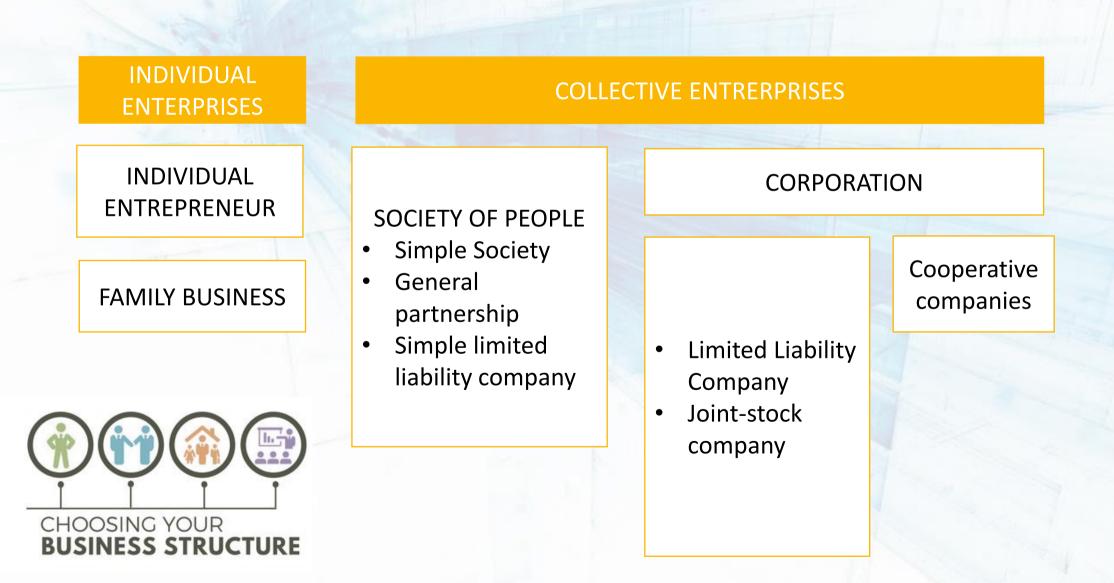
It is made at the initial stage and depends on a series of factors that must be analyzed in order to make a convenient choice.



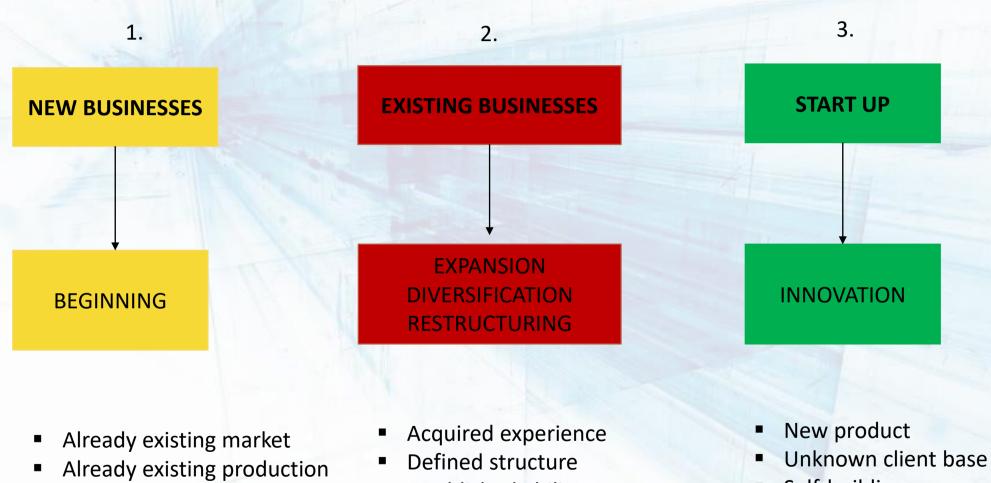
It is necessary to know the characteristics of each specific legal form and to consider:

- The probable size that will characterize the company in its first years of life (it is still possible to change legal form at any time);
- > the actual degree of risk associated with entrepreneurial activity;
- > the number of people who will be involved in the business project;
- The establishment costs and annual management costs: the total amount increases with the increasing complexity of the legal form.

THE CHOICE OF THE BUSINESS STRUCTURE



BUSINESS IDENTIFICATION

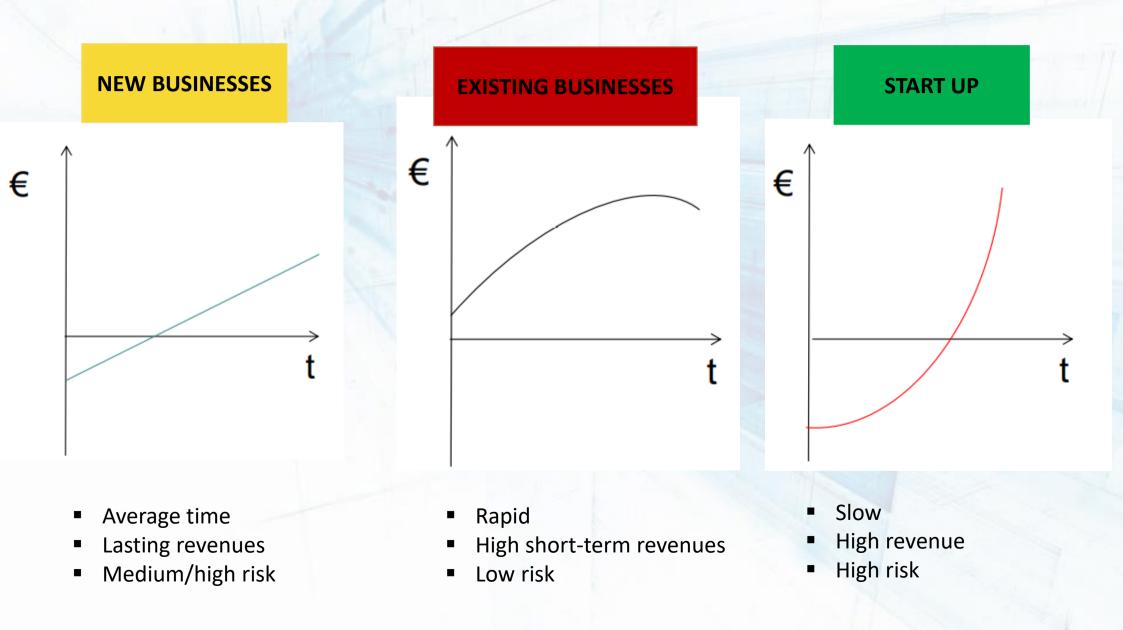


Defined client

Established ability

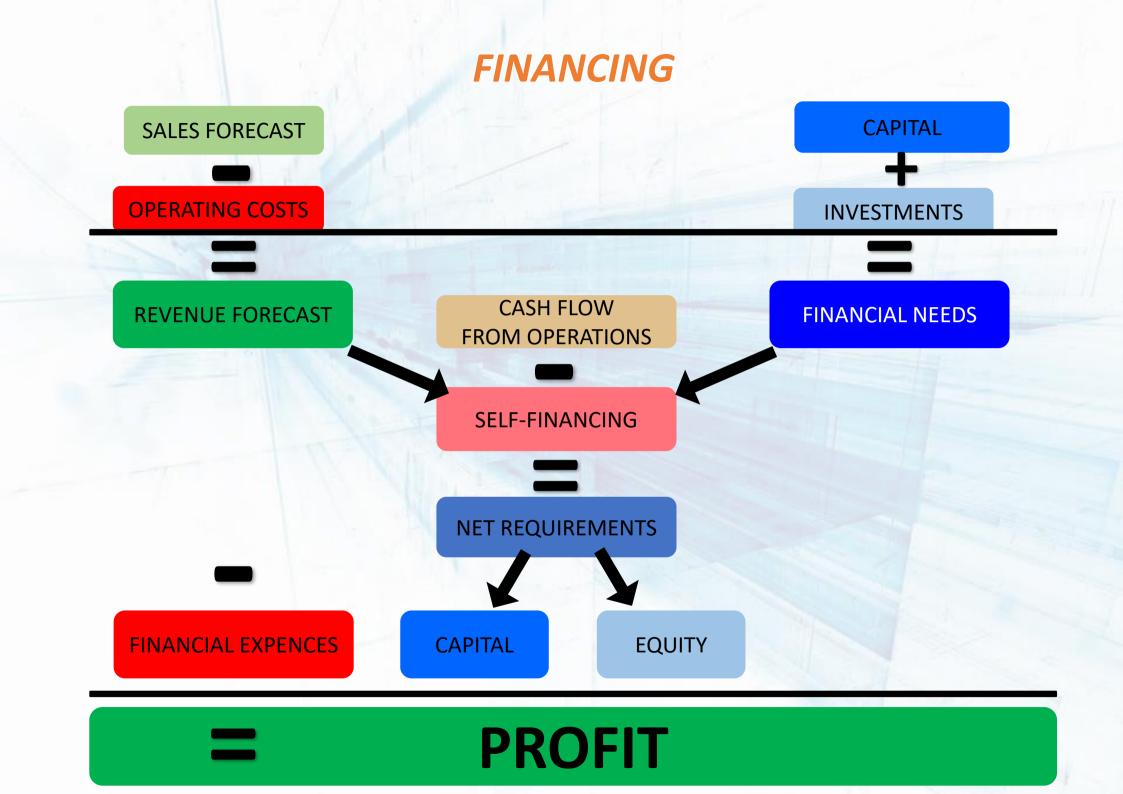
- Self-building

STRATEGIC MODELS



THE RAISING OF FUNDS FOR THE COMPANY

- In order to find the financial resources necessary for starting a business, the entrepreneur usually makes use of the direct and indirect financial resources of the promoters of the initiative, thus mostly affecting his/her own savings in several cases.
- Subsequently, when the business is started, the financial resources come from:
- the different forms of self-financing: e.g. reinvestment of undistributed profits in the company, increase in share capital;
- ordinary finance, i.e. all the operations useful for obtaining financing to cover liquidity requirements or investments such as mortgages, the purchase of capital goods, the purchase of stocks, advance payments on invoices, bank guarantees and insurance policies, signing of real estate and instrumental leasing contracts;
- from alternative finance, available on the banking and capital markets.







TAXES

The entrepreneur is required to pay taxes, which differ in:

- direct taxes that directly affect the income or the assets of the entrepreneur in relation to his/her ability to pay.
 - indirect taxes that affect the acts of production, the exchange and consumption of goods and the services through which the entrepreneur indirectly manifests his/her ability to pay, using and/or transferring income and assets. They affect wealth under the form of transfers and purchases. The main indirect tax is VAT.

What is a BUSINESS PLAN?



A <u>written document</u> that describes business's operational and financial objectives and the strategies for achieving its goals

A Business Plan is a:

- <u>STRATEGY</u>: in order to PLAN, you must have a GOAL
- <u>DOCUMENT</u>: the plan must be FORMALIZED and COMMUNICATED
- <u>ANALYSIS</u>: the plan must be FORECAST and SUMMARISED



What is a Business Plan USED for?

• External Use: introduces the business to others, eg. banks, investors, institutions

 Internal Use: examines the effect and possible results of a business opportunity or project





What is the PURPOSE of a Business Plan?

Business idea Market research **SMART objectives** • To identify: **S** pecific The business idea M easurable Aims and objectives A greed Target market (market research) **R** ealistic Time-bound • To forecast: Revenue Cash flow **Costs and profit** Revenue Cost and profit Sales Cash-flow PEEDY To analyse • Sources of finance **Overheads** Location • Marketing mix Sources of finance Location Marketing mix • To **examine** achievability of: Overdraft P roduct • Technical, P lace • Financial, P rice

Loan

P romotion

• And Economic goals

CONTENTS of a Business Plan



Qualitative Part



Quantitative Part

QUALITATIVE PART I

- 1. Executive Summary
- 2. Description of the Business Idea and/or Project
- 3. Management & Organisation Description
- 4. Sales Plan
 - Market Analysis & Strategy
 - Competitor Analysis
 - Products & Services Strategy
 - Marketing Plan
- 5. Operating Plan



Qualitative

QUANTITATIVE PART II

- 6. Investment Plans
 - Tangible Goods
 - Intangible Goods
 - Depreciating Goods
- 7. Financial Plans
 - Capital
 - Debts to others
 - Interest Payable



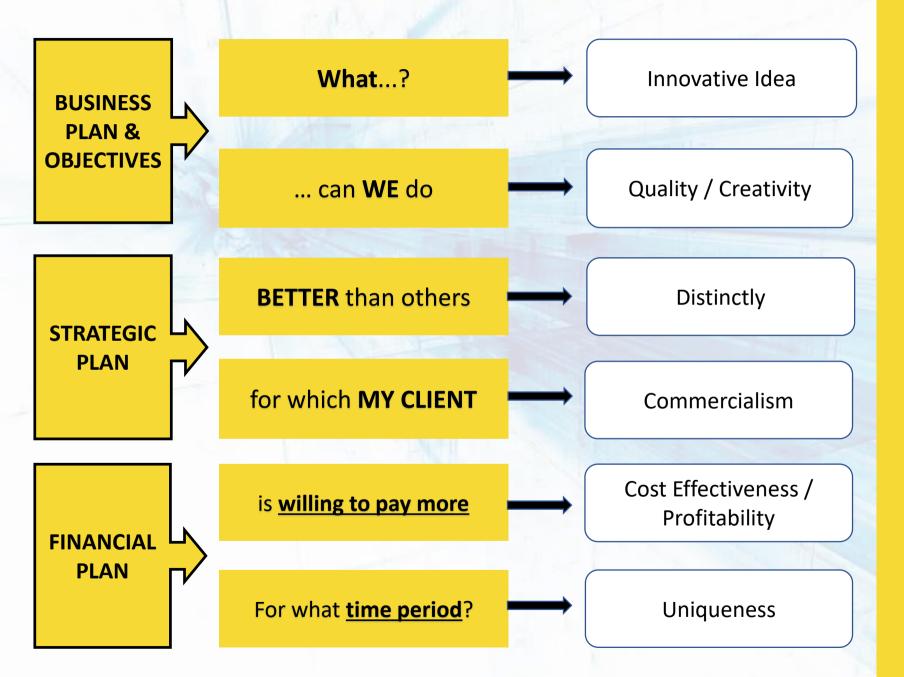
Quantitative Data

QUANTITATIVE PART III

- 8. Budget & Financial Forecasts
 - Balance Sheet
 - Profit & Loss Statement
 - Cashflow Statement
- 9. Evaluation of Investments
 - Benchmarks & Metrics
 - Financial Statements
 - Analysis & Evaluations



AN IDEA FOR A BUSINESS...





THE COMPONENTS OF A LIKELY IDEA

1. PARTNERS



3. PASSION

4. MARKET



- Diversity
- Experience
- Culture



Technique

- Technology
 - Competence





- Consistency
- Motivation
- Reliability

- Clients
- Competitors
- Distribution

ASSESTS

EFFICIENCY

Optimising the use of available resources

EFFECTIVENESS

Generating output in the quantity needed, in the required time and with the level of quality that satisfies clients

GOOD WORKING ENVIRONMENT

Obtaining contribution from all resourses of the business

SUPPLIER

INPUT

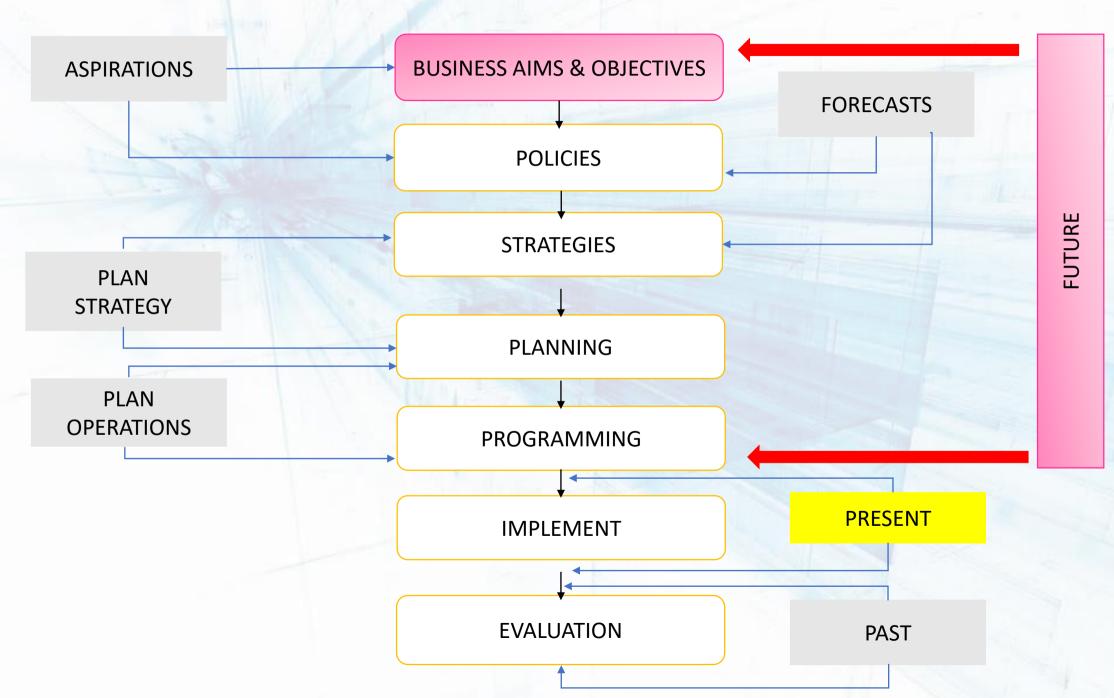
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PURPOSES

BUSINESS OPERATIONS: THE PROCESS OUTPUT

CLIENT

MANAGING A BUSINESS: PLANNING



PLANNING & PROGRAMMING

Planning is a process by which objectives and policies are defined

Development of medium- and longterm objectives and plans



Allocation of strategic resources to different business areas



Layout of organisational requirements

The **programming** processes assign organizational units (employees) to objectives so that they can be achieved in a set time

Short-Term Assessment (usually one year) An important reference for evaluation of results and reward systems



It implies an active attitude

WORKFORCE

Is of social and cultural relevance

is not an anonymous commodity, but an inalienable attribute of men

Workforce

has an economic value which is not defined ex ante, but depends on the will of the worker who can differently graduate his commitment and his productivity

is a commodity that "thinks" because it never separates from its seller

ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

It is arranged according to the function and the role of the involved people in the entrepreneurship.

The Employment Contract

Individual Agreement

It is stipulated between the individual worker and the employer

Collective Agreement

It is stipulated between Workers' Trade Unions and Employers' Associations

OBBLIGATIONS OF THE EMPLOYER



Paying salary and severance pay



Protecting physical and moral integrity and providing safety in the workplace



Guaranteeing insurance and social security protection



Respecting trade union organizations rights

BUSINESS ORGANIZATION

A board of directors is an elected group of individuals that represent shareholders. The board is a governing body that typically meets at regular intervals to set policies for corporate management and oversight

Chief Financial Officer (CFO)

Also reporting directly to the CEO, the CFO is responsible for analyzing and reviewing financial data, reporting financial performance, preparing budgets, and monitoring expenditures and costs.



Human resource manager overseer the human resources department and supervises the functions and tasks carried out by the HR team. He is the link between an organization's management and his employees, providing consultation on strategic planning with top executives to recruit, interview, and hire new staff.

CEOs are the highest-ranking executive at a company. They make major corporate decisions, manage the company's overall resources and operations, and communicate with the board of directors, management team, and corporate operations.

The chief operating officer of a company is second in command. This professional reports to the chief executive officer (CEO) with a focus on operationalizing strategy. While a CEO is concerned with long-term business goals, the COO is tasked with implementing daily operations, aligned with the company's strategies. His or her individual role depends largely on the company itself and on the CEO's personal directives

The Chairman Is responsible for running the board smoothly and effectively. His duties typically include maintaining strong communication with the chief executive officer and high-level executives, formulating the company's business strategy, representing management and the board to the general public and shareholders, and maintaining corporate integrity. The chairman is elected by the board of directors.

Marketing, public relations and funding manager

Public relations manager plans and directs the creation of material that will maintain or enhance the public image of the employer or client. He coordinates campaigns that bring in donations for thei organization.

Executive Team







A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS

Align employees' social and technical skills with business objectives

Reporting & Anaylsis BUSINESS

Intangible Goods Tangible Goods

