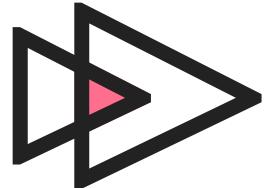
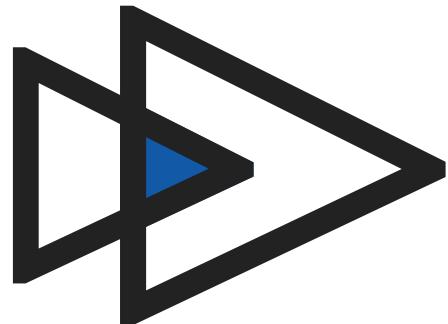


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PoDoCo concept – tohtoreita yrityksiin

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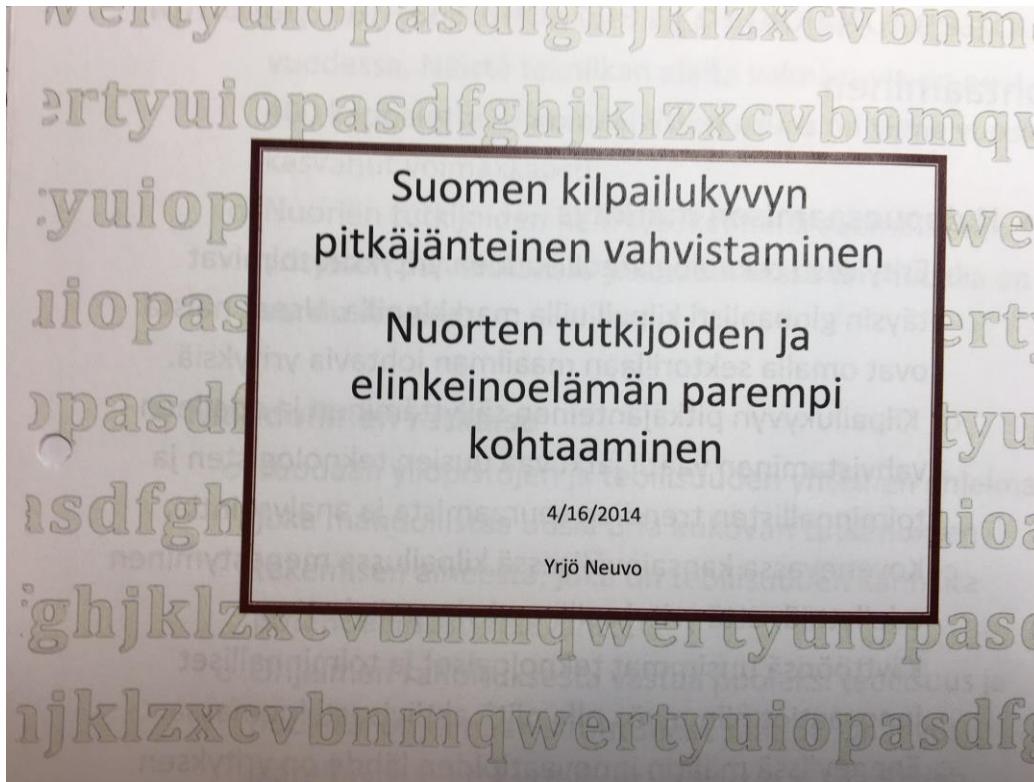
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Yrjö had some profounding questions:

- *In what ways could the cooperation between the foundations be promoted?*
- *Would it be possible to broaden the operations such as in the Post doc pool?*



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- Finnish universities
- Industry & business
- Foundations



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Three founding foundations:

- The Finnish Foundation for Technology Promotion TES (Tekniikan Edistämissäätiö)
- The Finnish Science Foundation for Technology and Economics KAUTÉ (KAUTE-säätiö)
- The Finnish Cultural Foundation (Suomen Kulttuurirahasto)

and

- The Technology Industries of Finland Centennial Foundation (Teknologiateollisuuden 100-vuotissäätiö)



PoDoCo – PostDocs in Companies today

- 11 member foundations
- The PoDoCo management group chaired by **Yrjö Neuvo**
- DIMECC Ltd for the practical implementation of the programme
(DIMECC Ltd: Digital, Internet, Materials & Engineering Co-Creation: The leading innovation platform in the Finnish manufacturing industry)



Thank you, Yrjö,
for the
PoDoCo initiative!

