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**PILLAR 2**

**Session 2.4**

**Education and Training Resources from Collaborative Projects:  
SUSCHEM Educate to Innovate and Project SPRING**

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## Education and Training Resources from Collaborative Projects: SUSCHEM Educate to Innovate and Project SPRING

**Project SPRING** – SPIRE-11-2017 Coordination and Support Action  
(Support for the enhancement of the impact of SPIRE PPP projects)

[www.spire2030.eu/spring](http://www.spire2030.eu/spring)



**Educate to Innovate** – SusChem 2012 pilot programme to exploit innovation outputs from SusChem’s Research and Innovation projects to enhance the innovation skills of future generations of scientists and engineers

<http://www.suschem.org/initiatives/educate-to-innovate>



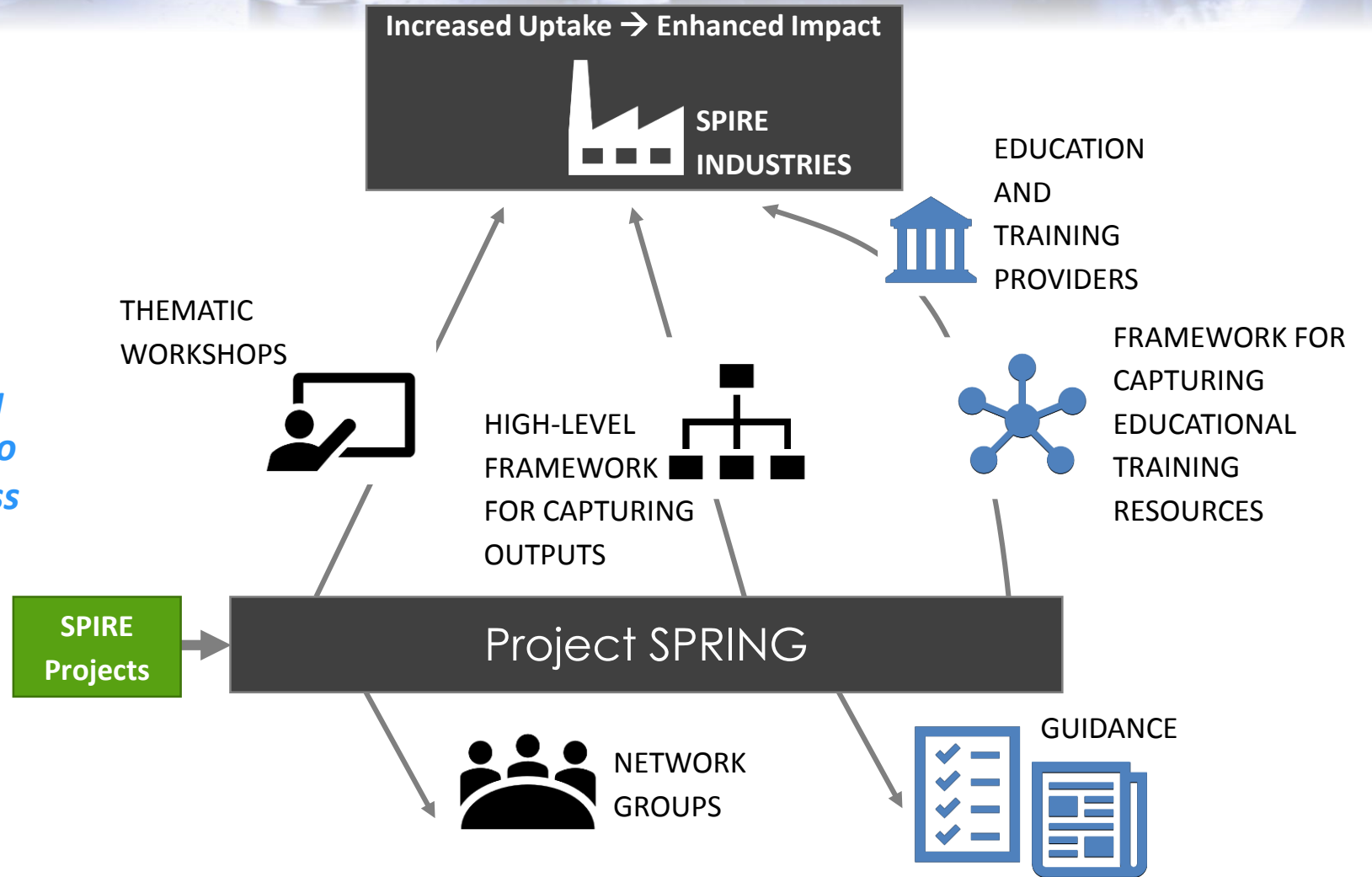
**Britest** – Not-for-profit SME, spin-out from research project in 2001. How to translate *knowledge* into process *understanding*.

[www.bristest.co.uk](http://www.bristest.co.uk)

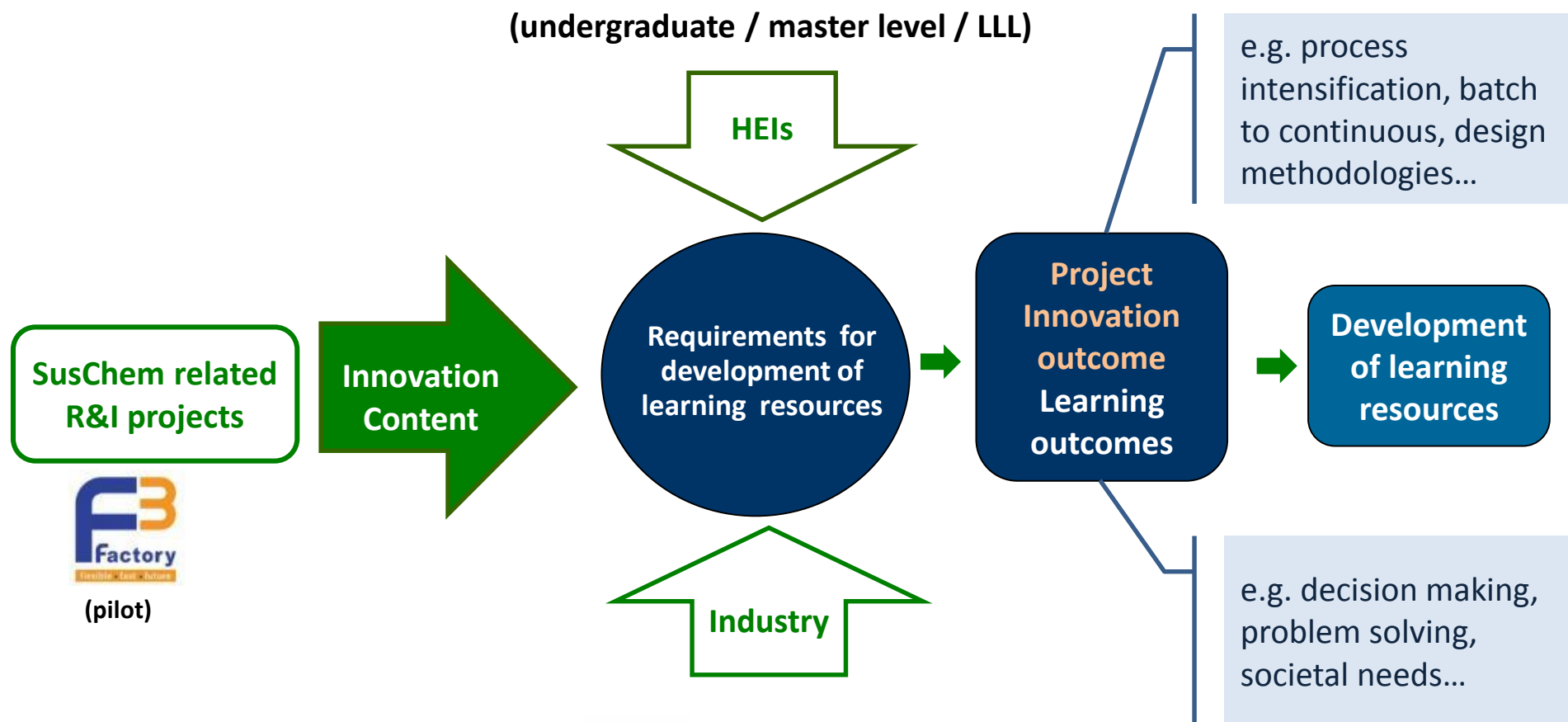


# SPRING

Project SPRING's objective is to increase progression towards the SPIRE goals and enhance project return on investment by *addressing the needs and barriers of those who make the decisions to adopt process innovations in industry.*



## Educate to Innovate – Developing Learning Resources Pilot



## Educate to Innovate – Requirements of Learning Resources

- **Rich in content** from industrial case studies
- **Flexible** in use: easy to integrate in existing curricula, adaptable to different learning styles, approaches
- **Appeal** to a broad community: undergraduate, master level, and Life Long Learning
- **Accessible** across different media platforms

## General themes across collaborative projects

### **Learning from the things that didn't work**

Involvement of more 'teaching' academics earlier in research projects

**Structuring knowledge capture to allow collective upskilling and contributions across disciplines and organisations**

Structuring collaborative projects to get students working within industry firewalls

Integrating educational outputs into project exploitation plans

**Learning from the process of *how* innovations are developed**

Making resources easy to find after projects have completed (via topics/ problems rather than project acronyms)