The grant funding game:

Strategies that might help your funding applications

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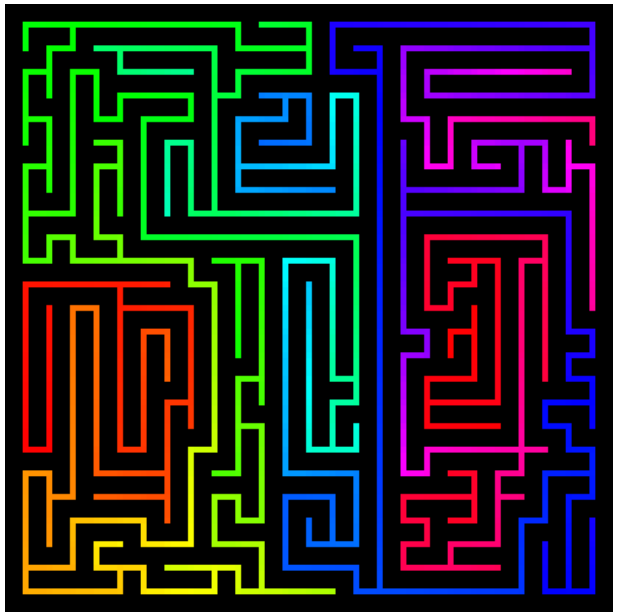
Overview

- CIHR – general points
- Special competitions vs. open grants
- Choosing a committee
- Priority announcements
- Agencies other than CIHR
- Progress pages
- Response to reviews
- Renewals & rolling of grants
- External reviewers
- Main proposal: miscellaneous suggestions
- U of C internal peer review



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The grant resubmission game:

Strategies that might help you tap in the rebound

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Strategic considerations relating to your grant budgets

Strategies that might help your applications (and/or avoid hurting your applications)

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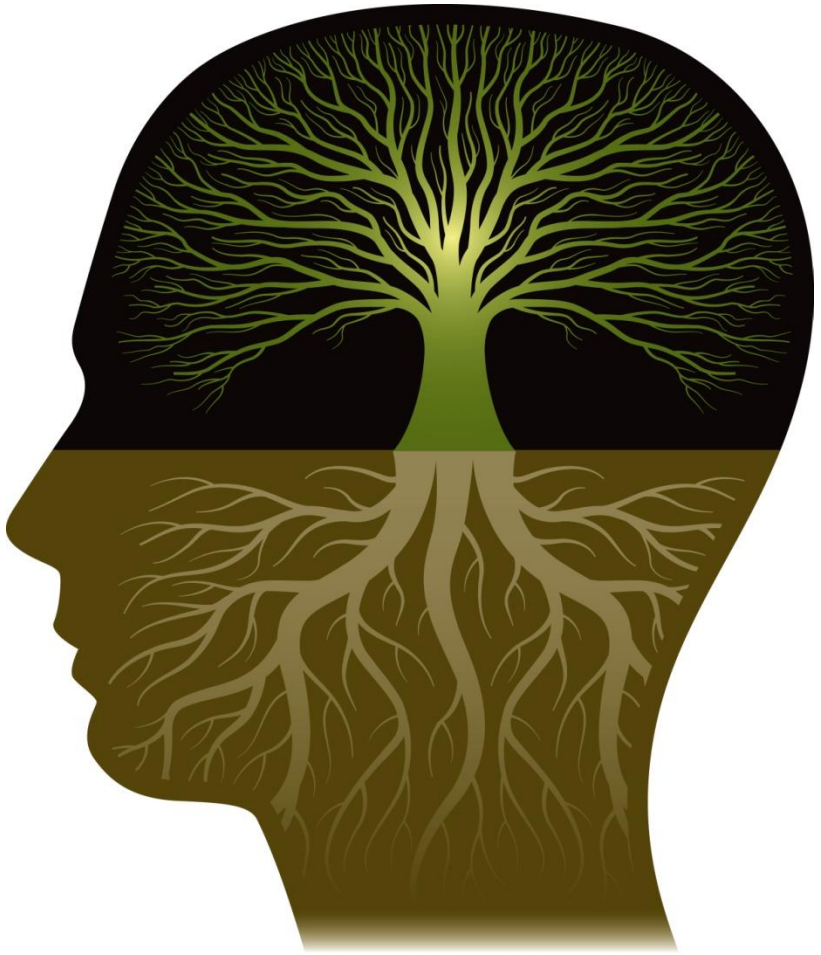
Successful knowledge translation for grant applications

Overview

- The big picture (impactful knowledge?)
- The ‘KT section’
- Demonstrating partnerships
- KT science/theory
- KT in your budget and timeline
- The KT context



Reflecting on the big picture

- Impactful knowledge?
- (vs. simple curiosity?)
- Your research enterprise
- Deciding:
  - Go for a grant?
  - (vs. just do it and produce a paper)
- Potential to score a 4.9?

The KT section?

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It's not just a section….

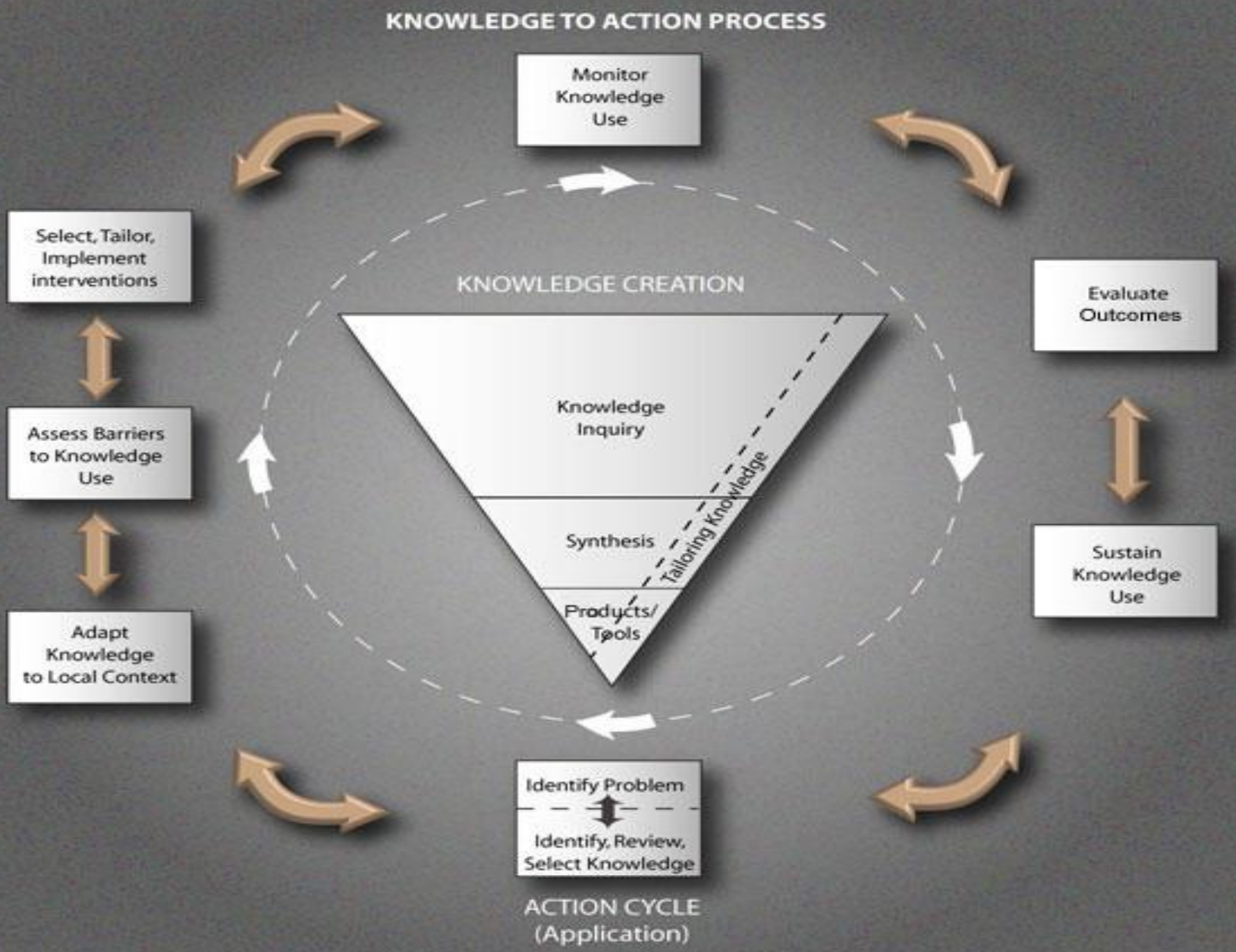
The KT ‘fabric’

- Weaved through the grant
- Partnerships apparent
- Bidirectional dialogue
- An institutional context
- A societal issue or challenge calling for knowledge
- A multi-faceted dissemination strategy
- And yes…

The KT section

Partnerships

- Establish them
- The IPH is here to help
- Consider a formal steering group
- Letters of support
- Decision-maker co-applicants
- Avoid being too local
- Think nationally
- Or globally


KNOWLEDGE TO ACTION PROCESS
Monitor Knowledge Use
Select, Tailor, Implement interventions
KNOWLEDGE CREATION
Evaluate Outcomes
Knowledge Inquiry
Assess Barriers to Knowledge Use
Synthesis
Tailoring Knowledge
Sustain Knowledge Use
Products/ Tools
Adapt Knowledge to Local Context
Identify Problem
Identify, Review, Select Knowledge
ACTION CYCLE
(Application)

KT reflected in budget and timeline

- KT is a priority
- Work not done until KT complete
- Think of Knowledge Dissemination Grants
- Or applications to the KT committee (Open Grants)

Institutional Context

- Describe your base
- The framework
- The opportunities
- The resources
- The relationships
- The communications team
- The capacity to host forum events

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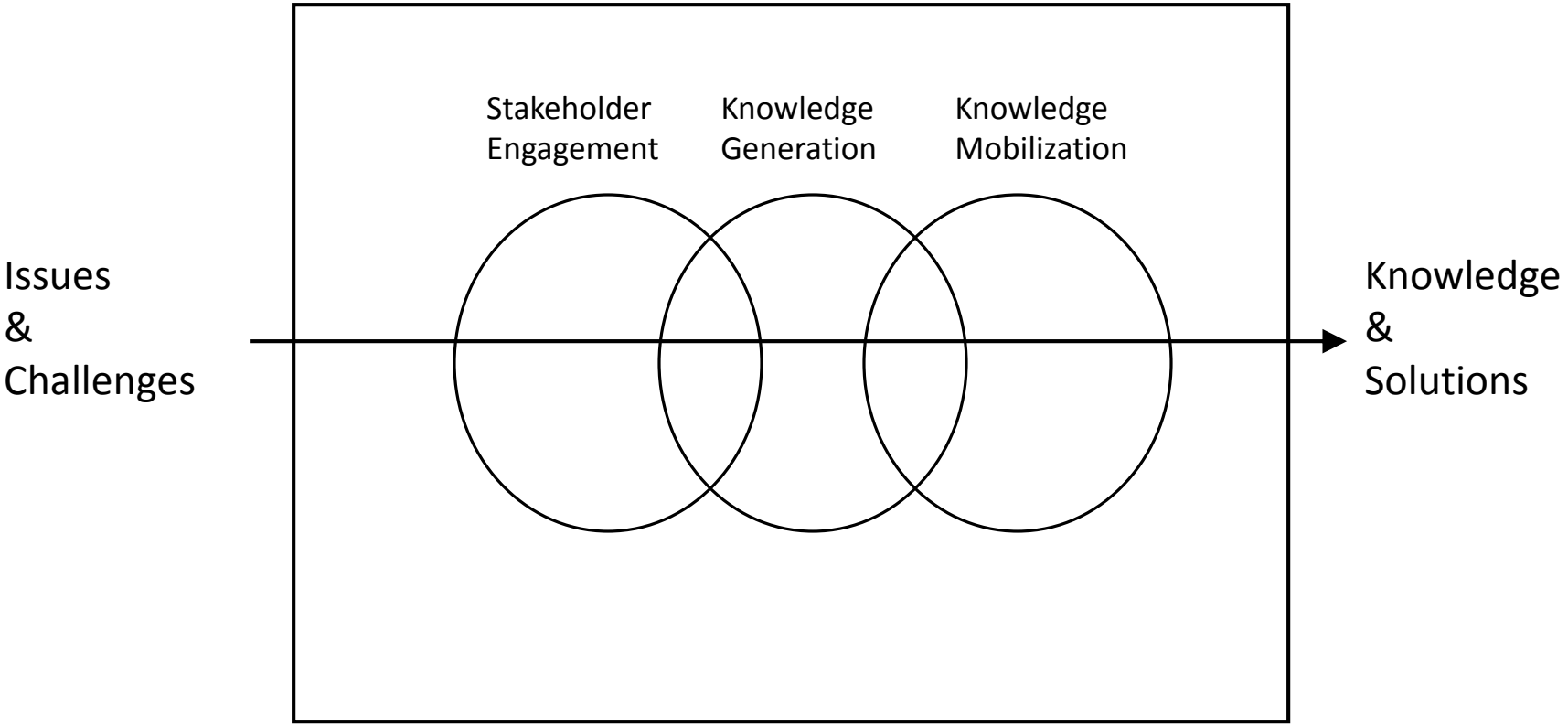

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