

Improved Knowledge Management and Innovation Diffusion

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Aims + Outcomes

Project Aims

- Improve understanding of ICT Diffusion
- Investigate how Knowledge Management (KM) in the Construction Industry can be improved

Commercial Project Outcomes

- Develop a guide for mapping, auditing and developing a knowledge advantage
- Developing an exemplar e-tool for identifying and accessing knowledge assets for a construction industry application

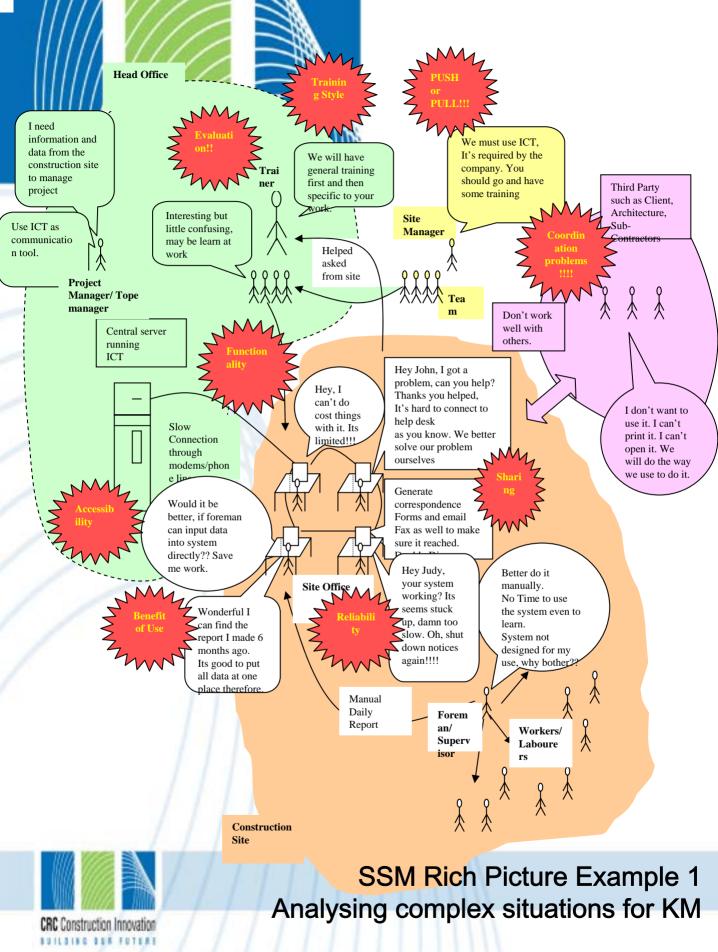


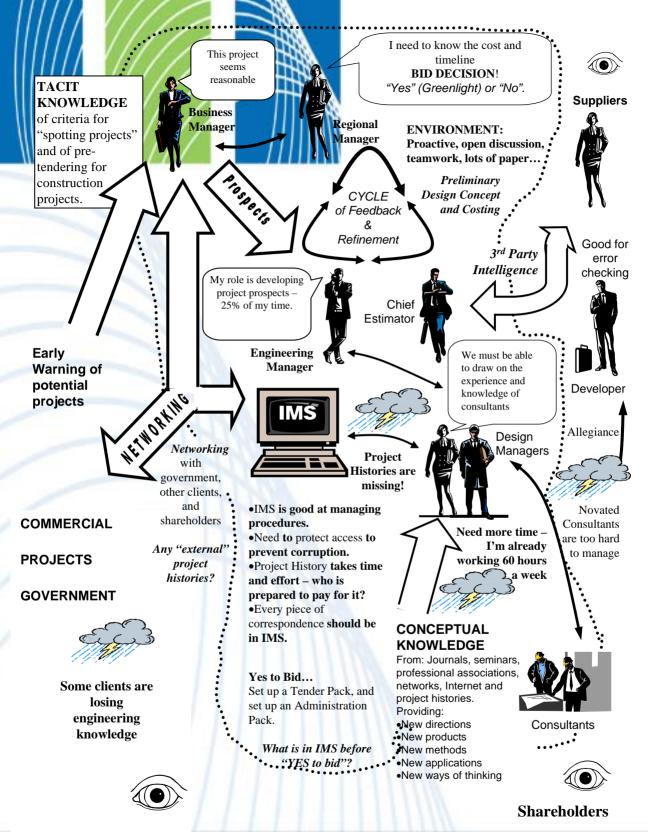


Progress

- ICT Diffusion research complete and being written up
- Knowledge Advantage (K-Adv) guide rational 100% developed
- K-Adv template and assessment guides underway
- K-Adv testing with industry to be undertaken in 2nd half of 03
- E-tool knowledge asset exemplar techniques research case studies advanced tool completion last quarter 03
- 6 conference papers, 2 refereed journal papers submitted.









SSM Rich Picture Example 2 Developing Knowledge Asset Maps



And Next?

Project spin-offs

- Project on learning histories, lessons learned and better briefing
- E-Business strategy
- KM and Risk management
- Knowledge Advantage Guide in-depth road testing for commercialised consulting potential

