Fostering Innovation: The Microsoft Perspective

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Innovation





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Quick Facts

- Established in 1991
- •800 researchers
- 55 areas of research
- Diversity of Scientists
- \$6 billion investment in R&D every year



Innovation in Products

- Tablet PC
- Microsoft Digital Image Pro
- Xbox (graphics technologies and artificial intelligence to adjust games to players)
- SQL Server (data mining algorithms)
- Windows Media Players (compression and coding algorithms)



Worldwide Telescope



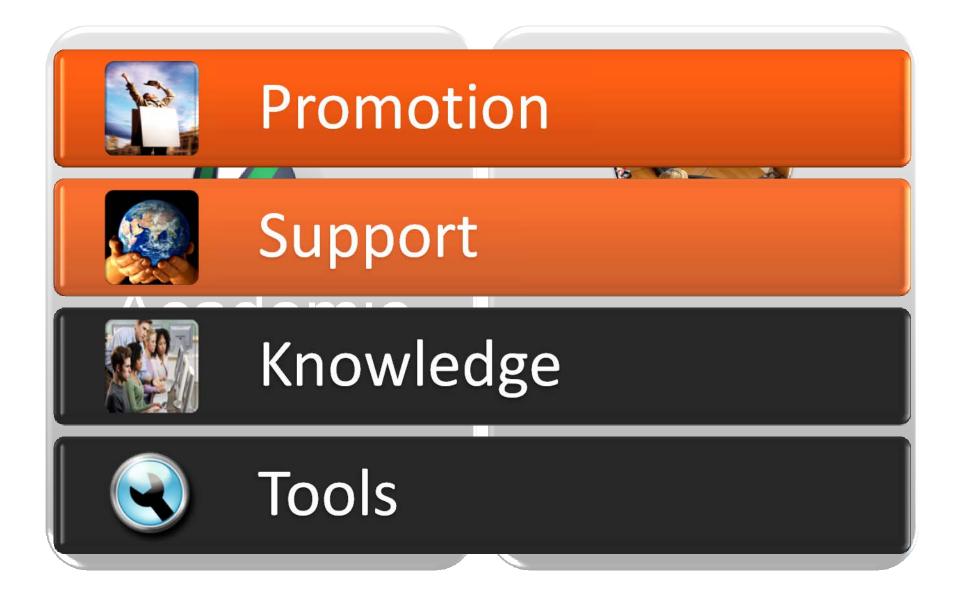


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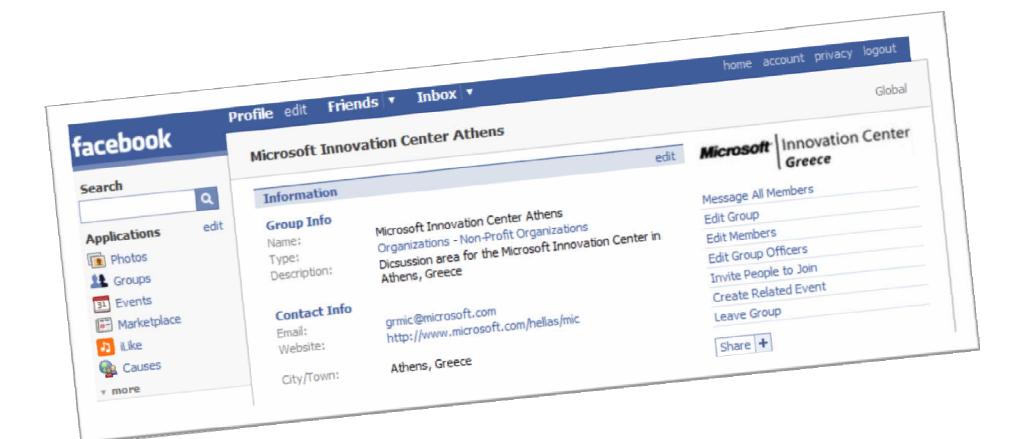
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Brazil – 2004 – "SmartEyes"

Japan – 2005 - "Sign2Talk"





Korea – 2007 - "Noesis"





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