

# Building a *Sustainable Culture of Innovation in a Knowledge - Based Economy*: A complex Task in a Complex Setting

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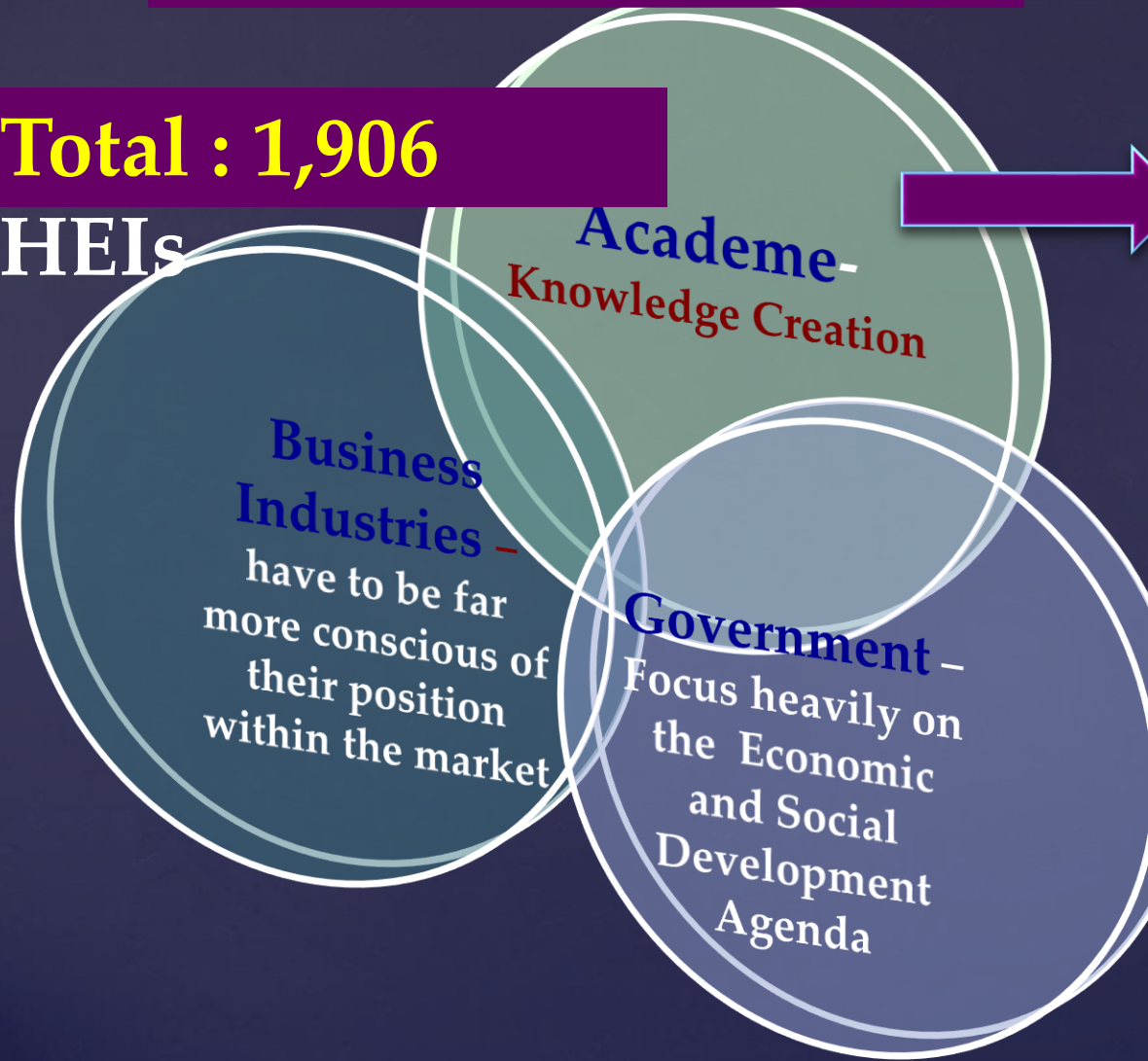
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# The Philippines

**Total : 1,906**

**HEIs**



2018\*:

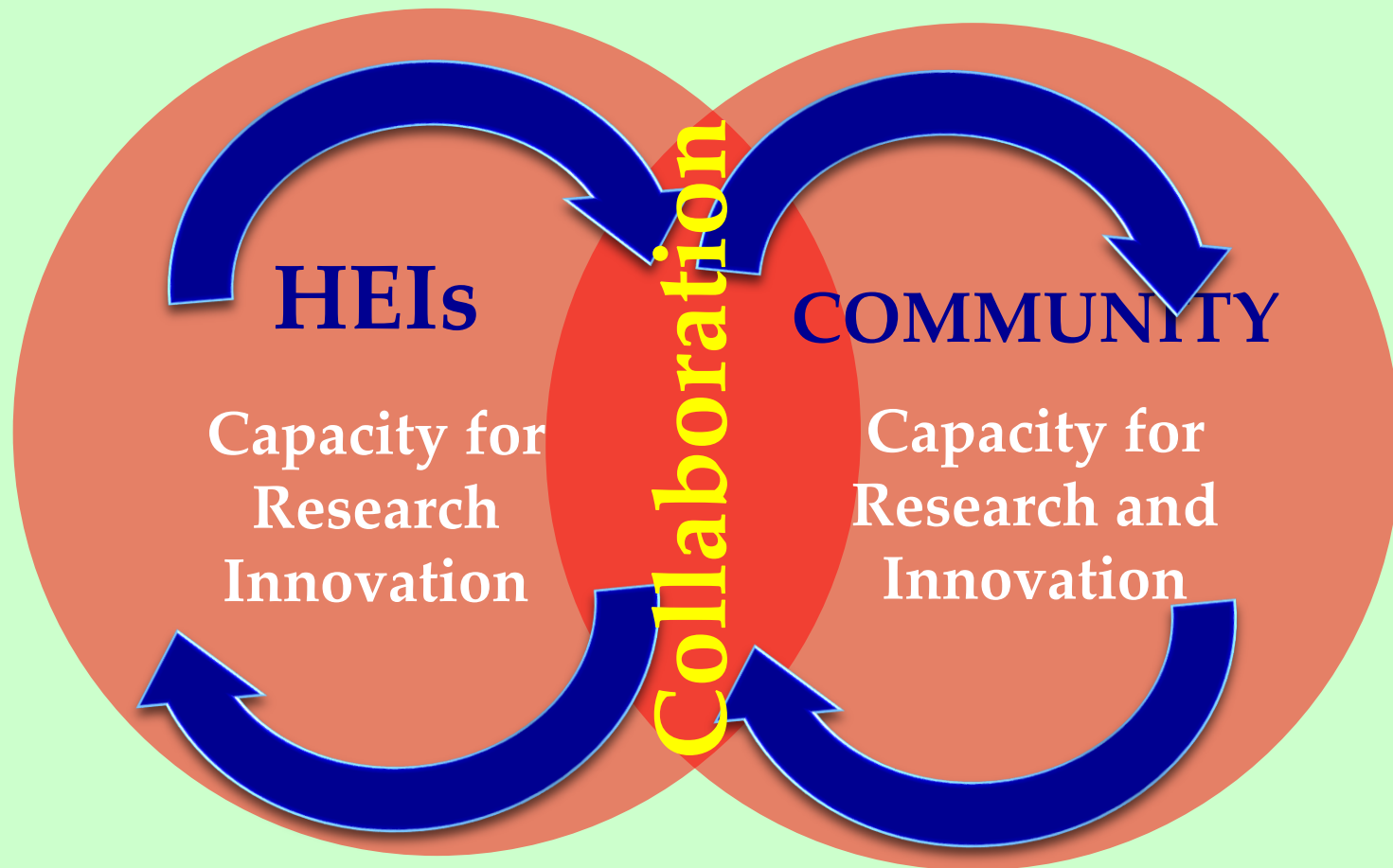
**1,673** - Private HEIs,  
**111** - State

Universities and  
Colleges (SUCs)

**108** - Local  
Universities and  
Colleges ,

**14** - Other Gov't HEIs.

**3.5 M** = Ave. college-  
age students in the  
past five academic  
years



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**“Input – Process – Output Cycle”**



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# DOST's Accelerated R&D Program for Capacity Building of Research and Development Institutions and Industrial Competitiveness

**NICER**



Accelerate industrial competitiveness by **capacitating HEIs in the Regions** to undertake quality research that will promote regional development

**RDLead**



**Engage experts** with strong leadership, management and innovative policy-making proficiencies to be in charge of strengthening the research capabilities of the HEIs

**CRADLE**



Create a synergistic **relationship between the academe and the industry** with the goal of invigorating R&D

**BIST**



**Level-up the Philippine Industrial Sector** through the industry R&D, and acquisition of strategic and relevant technologies to enhance their technology level and production processes

# **“Innovative Startup Act” (RA 11337)**

“An act providing benefits and programs to strengthen, promote and develop the Philippine Startup Ecosystem”

- “support the research and development of startups and startup enablers in the Philippines”



# “Philippine Innovation Act” (RA 11293)

“ An act adopting **Innovation** as a vital component of the country’s development policies to drive inclusive development, promote the Growth and National Competitiveness of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises, Appropriating Funds Thereof, and for Other Purposes..”

“ ...aims to help MSMEs to be part of the global market ”

*THANK YOU*