

Some Useful Sources

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Think tanks working in the social innovation field

NESTA (formerly National Endowment for Science, Technology and the Arts), <http://www.nesta.org.uk/>.

Social Innovation Europe, <http://socialinnovationeurope.eu/>.

Social Innovation Generation, <http://www.sigeration.ca/>.

TED (formerly Technology, Entertainment, Design), <http://www.ted.com/>.

Networks and social innovation discussions

Social Frontiers 2013 Conference: The Next Edge of Social Innovation Research, <http://siresearch.eu/social-frontiers-2013>.

Social Innovation eXchange, <http://www.socialinnovationexchange.org/about/about/people>.

Social Innovation on LinkedIn, <http://www.linkedin.com/groups/Social-Innovation-Group-155429>.

Social Innovation Network, <http://socialinnovationeurope.eu/>

Journals

The Innovation Journal, <http://www.innovation.cc/index.html>.

International Journal of Social Entrepreneurship and Innovation, <http://www.inderscience.com/jhome.php?jcode=ijsei>.

Social innovation research projects

ImPRovE: Poverty Reduction in Europe: Social Policy and Innovation, <http://improve-research.eu/>.

INNOSERV: Social Platform on Innovative Social Services – a research project under the EU FP7-Cooperation call FP7-SSH-2011–3, <http://inno-serv.eu/>.

Inventory of projects funded under the EU Research Framework Programmes on Social Innovation, http://ec.europa.eu/internal_market/social_business/docs/conference/rtd_en.pdf.

LIPSE: Learning Innovation in Public Sector Environments, www.lipse.org.

PUBLIN: Innovation in the Public Sector – a research project under the EU Fifth Framework Programme, <http://survey.nifu.no/step/publin/index.html>.

SINGOCOM: Framework 5 project Social Innovation in Governance in Neighbourhood Communities (see also Moulaert et al., 2005).

SocIEtY: Social Innovation–Empowering the Young for the Common Good, <http://www.society-youth.eu/>.

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