

An Analysis of the Innovation Ecosystem of Russia based on the Global Innovation Index (GII) Reports

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Abstract

Innovation ecosystem represents the future growth and development of the economy. Russia with its historical past of a Super Power is now struggling with creating an Innovation Ecosystem amongst its peer group. This paper tries to analyse this innovation ecosystem in Russia. It looks at the Global Innovation Index (GII) which provides a comprehensive innovation performance report of economies of the world. This discusses the ecosystem regarding the science academic and industry split-offs. Although the institutional model is being created, but there are socio-technical challenges which are revealed by sectorial and regional discrepancies and polarization.

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