

# Making Technologies work in a community

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# Engineering and Computer Science Signature Areas



# Popular Science 1988 – Smart House



Jetsons  
 - 1960's

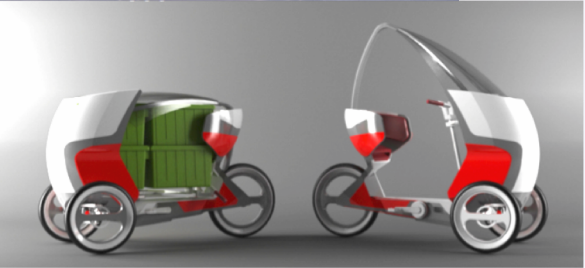


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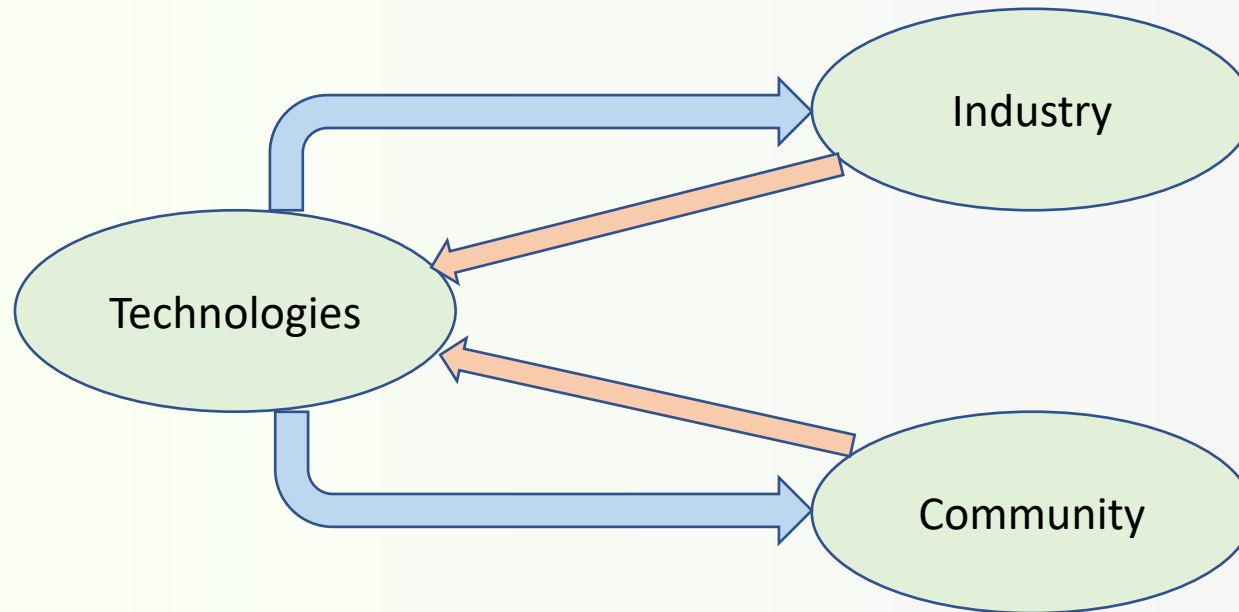


# Delivery for Small Businesses in Manhattan

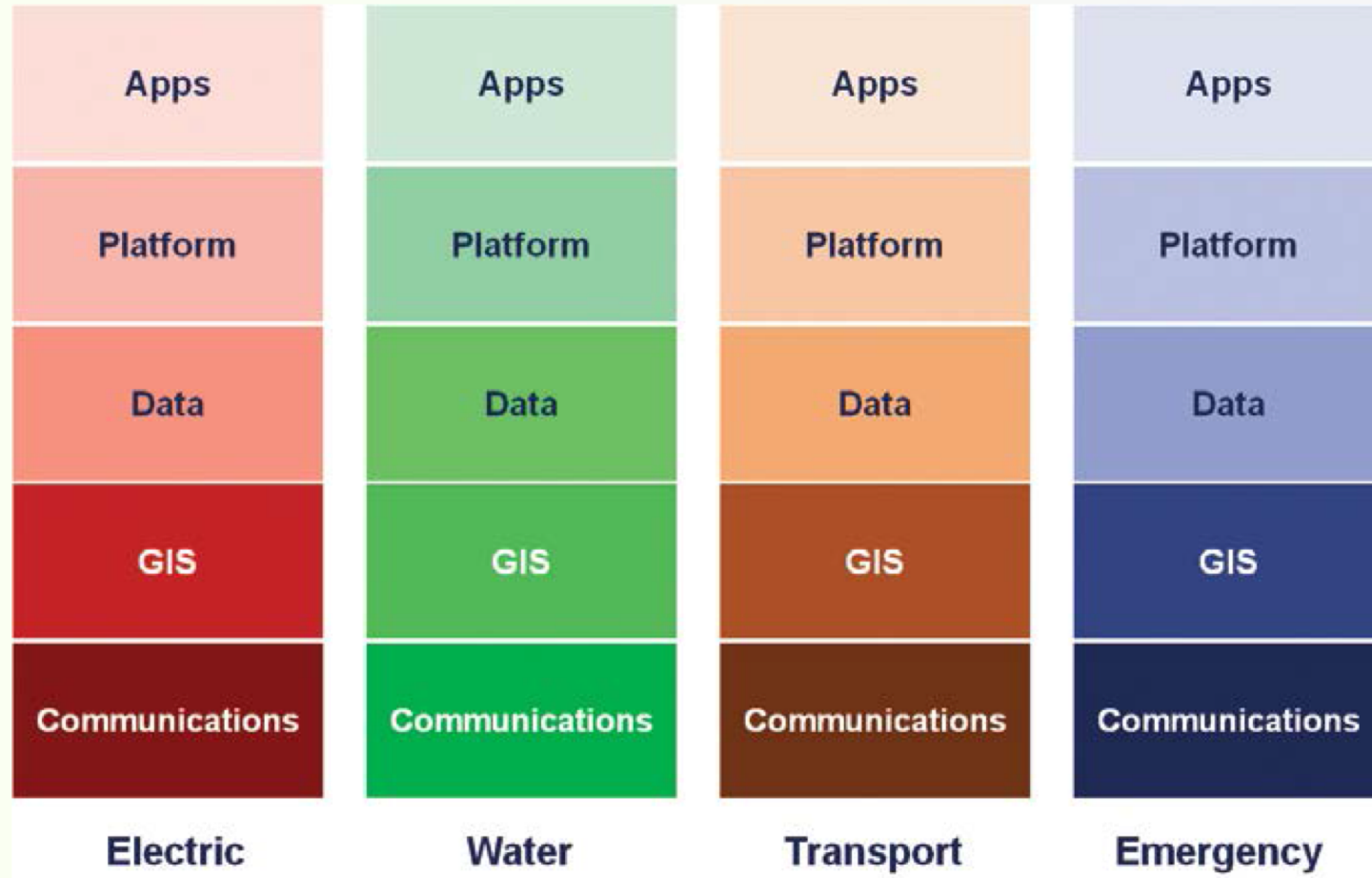


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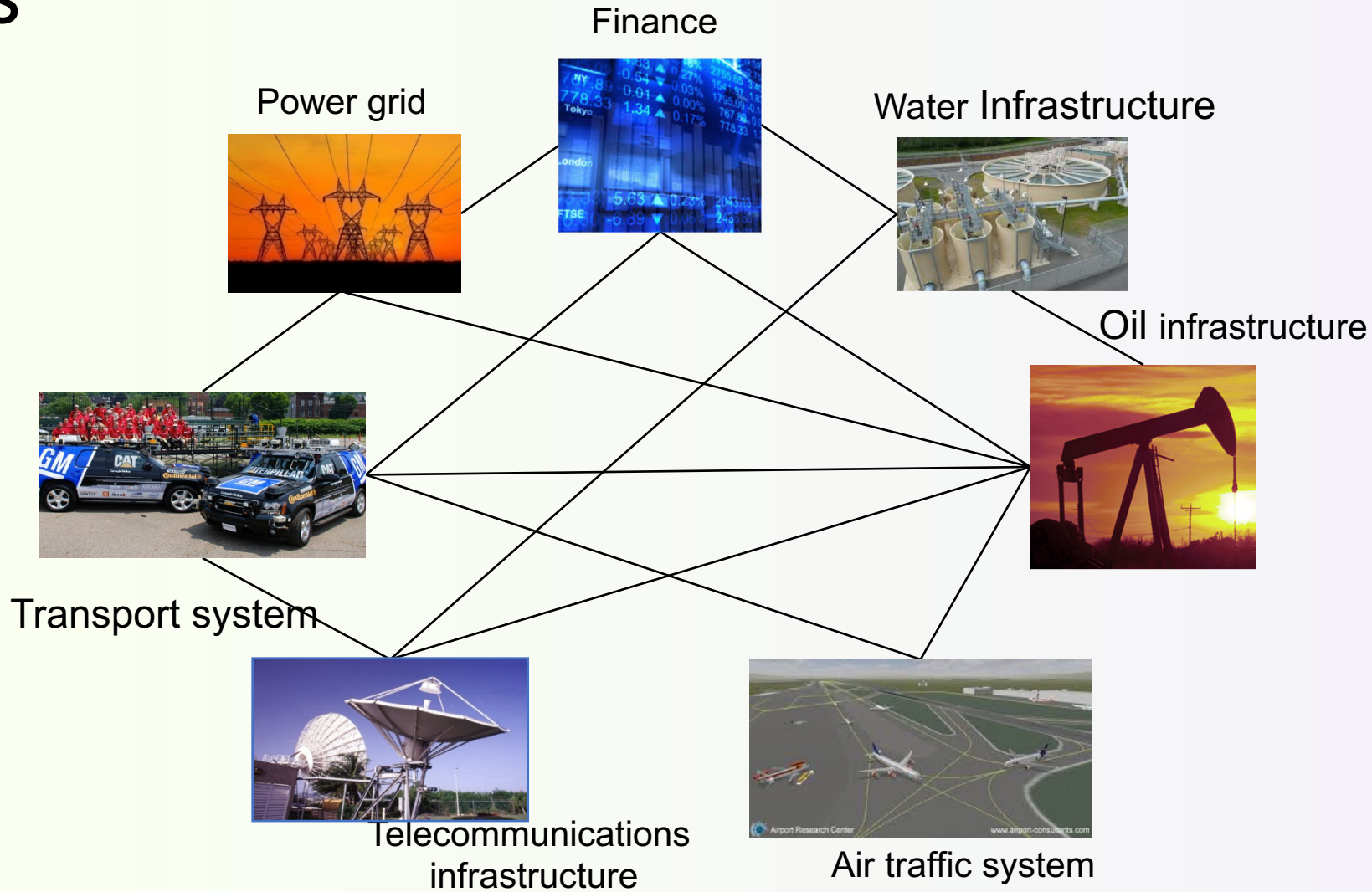


# Interdependent Infrastructure Systems



Siloed  
infrastructures

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- Failures can propagate from one system to the next due to interconnectivities

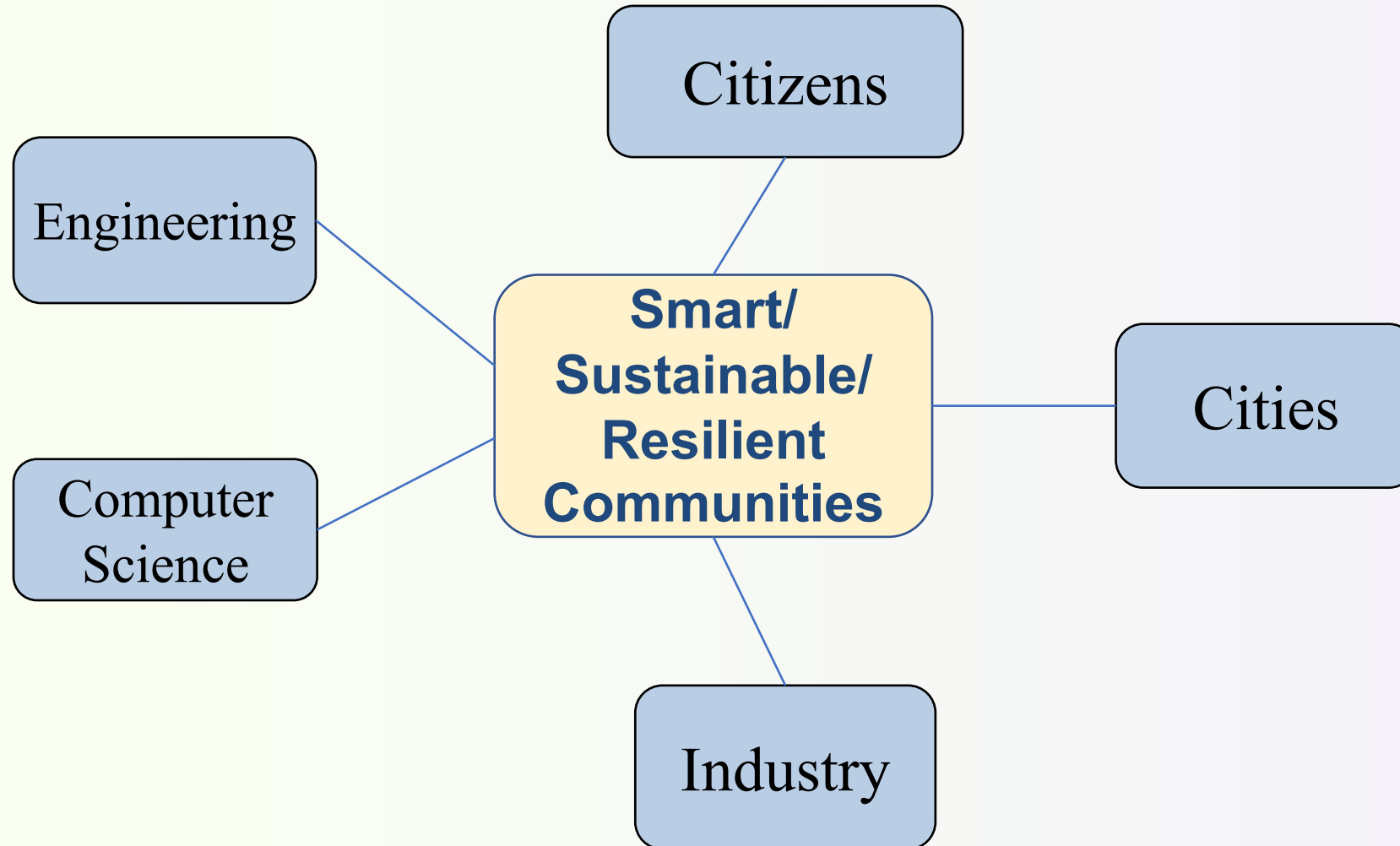
***Direct interdependency:*** In a hazard event, emergency services (response/repair) required for restoration of critical services (power/transportation/healthcare...), and critical services enable emergency response/repair activities

***Socio-technical indirect interdependency:*** Electric power loss → water treatment failure → contaminated drinking water → human illness → employees cannot work → fuel not delivered to power plants → further power disruption

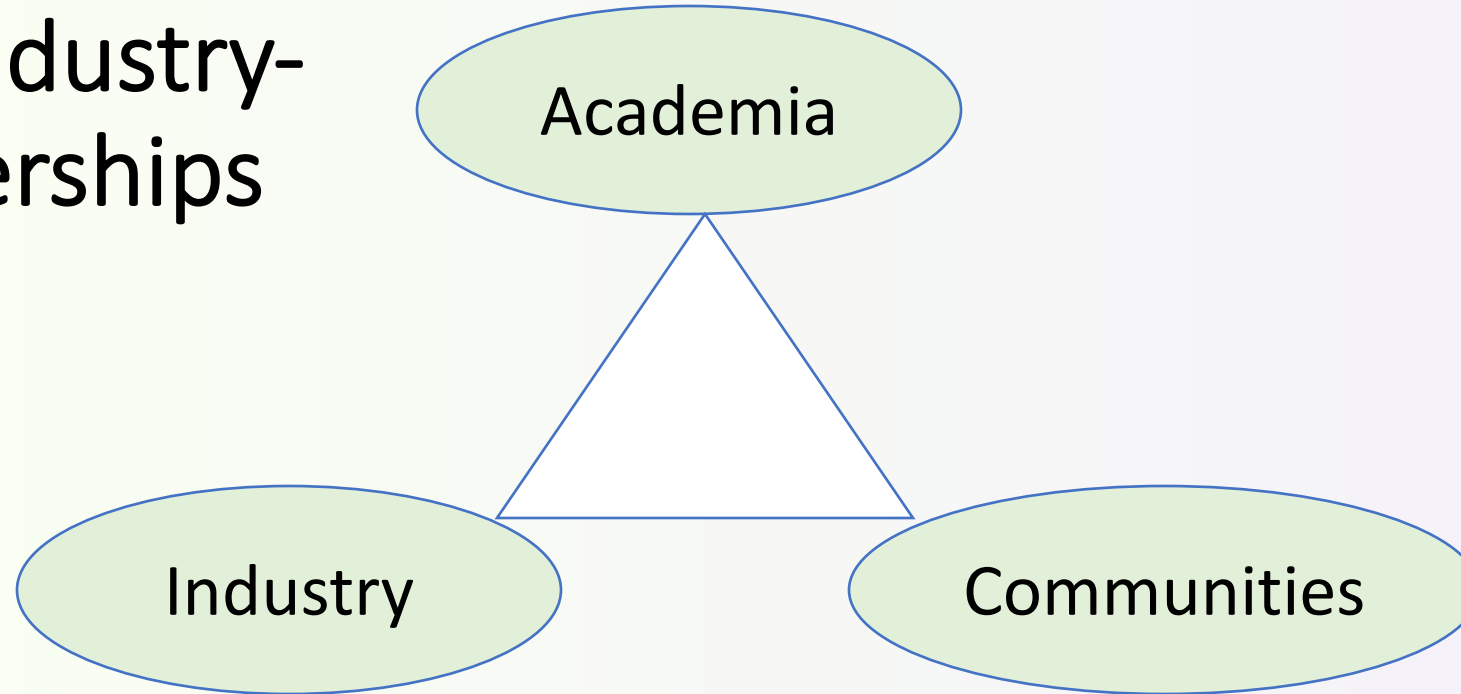
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- Smart and Connected Communities
  - Better decision making
    - Individuals
    - Class of citizens (e.g., bicyclists)
    - City Planners
    - First responders
  - Improved quality of living
- Human-Technology Frontier

# Multidisciplinary, Multi-stakeholder Research Agenda



# Academia-Industry- Cities partnerships



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