



# Local and community governance of energy: evidence from studies in England and Wales

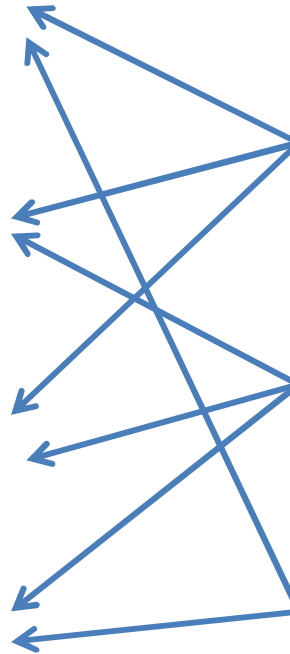
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Energy and People: attitudes, behaviours and policies

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# UNLOC: objectives and work packages

- governance & institutional changes to support local actors
- role of local government and future direction in rapidly changing context
- evolving nature of relationship between state and non-state actors
- role of local finance in supporting local initiatives

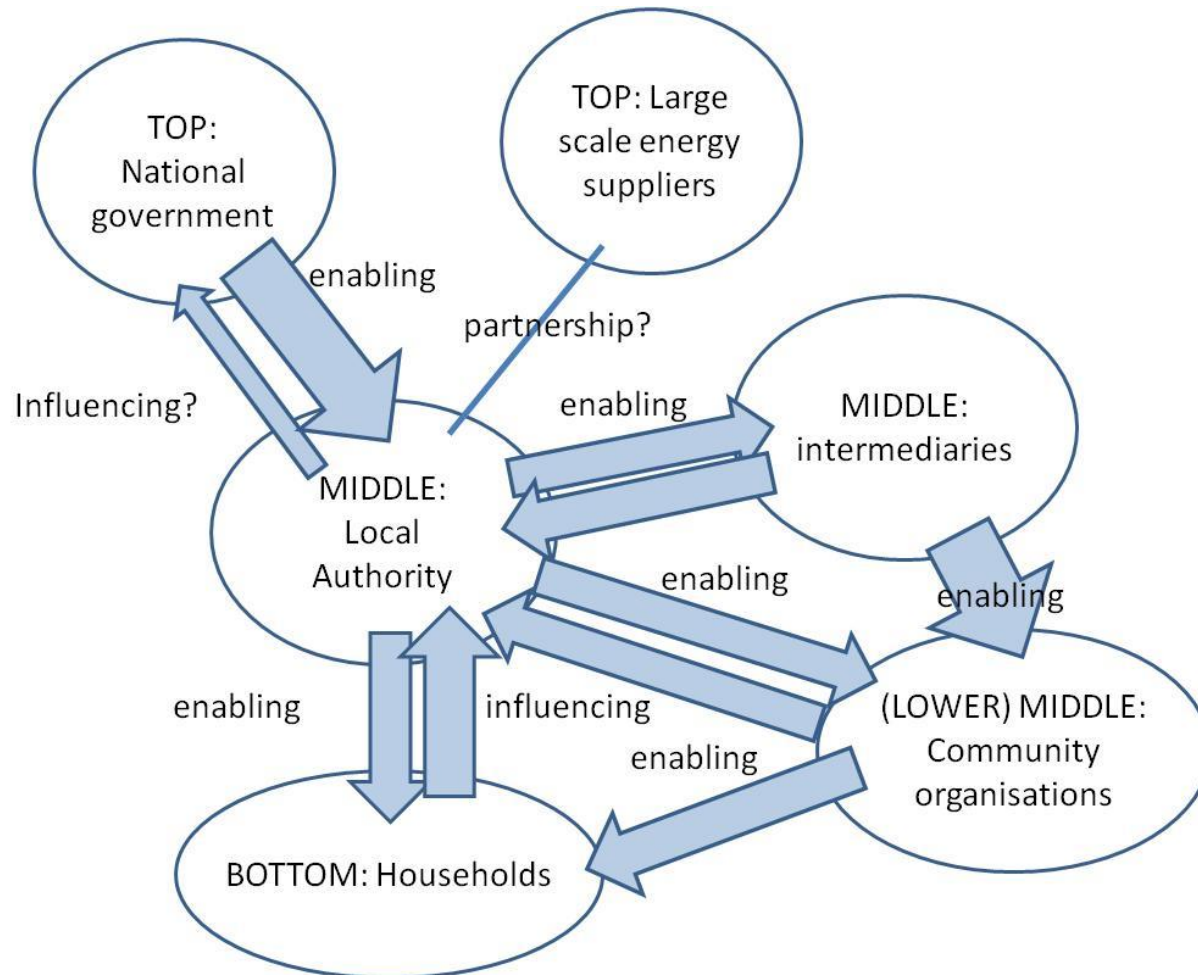


“ Locating local government in energy governance

“ Mapping relationships and interactions at the local and community levels

“ Finance and local governance

# Emerging structures: the local authority view



# Delivery structures and engagement

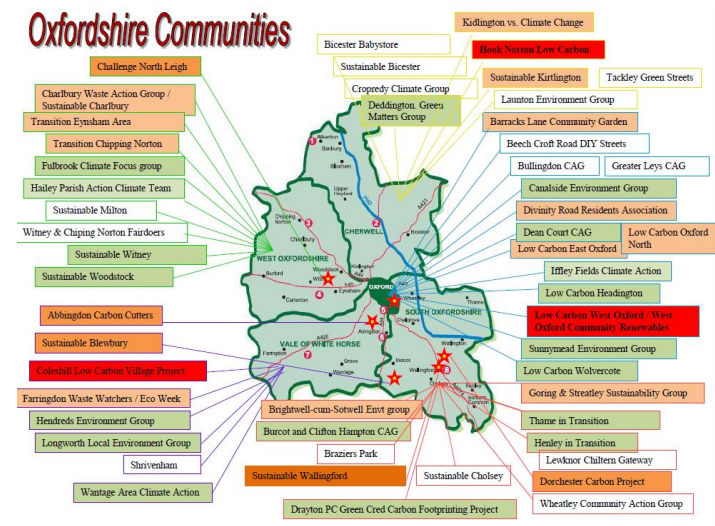


## Provision model

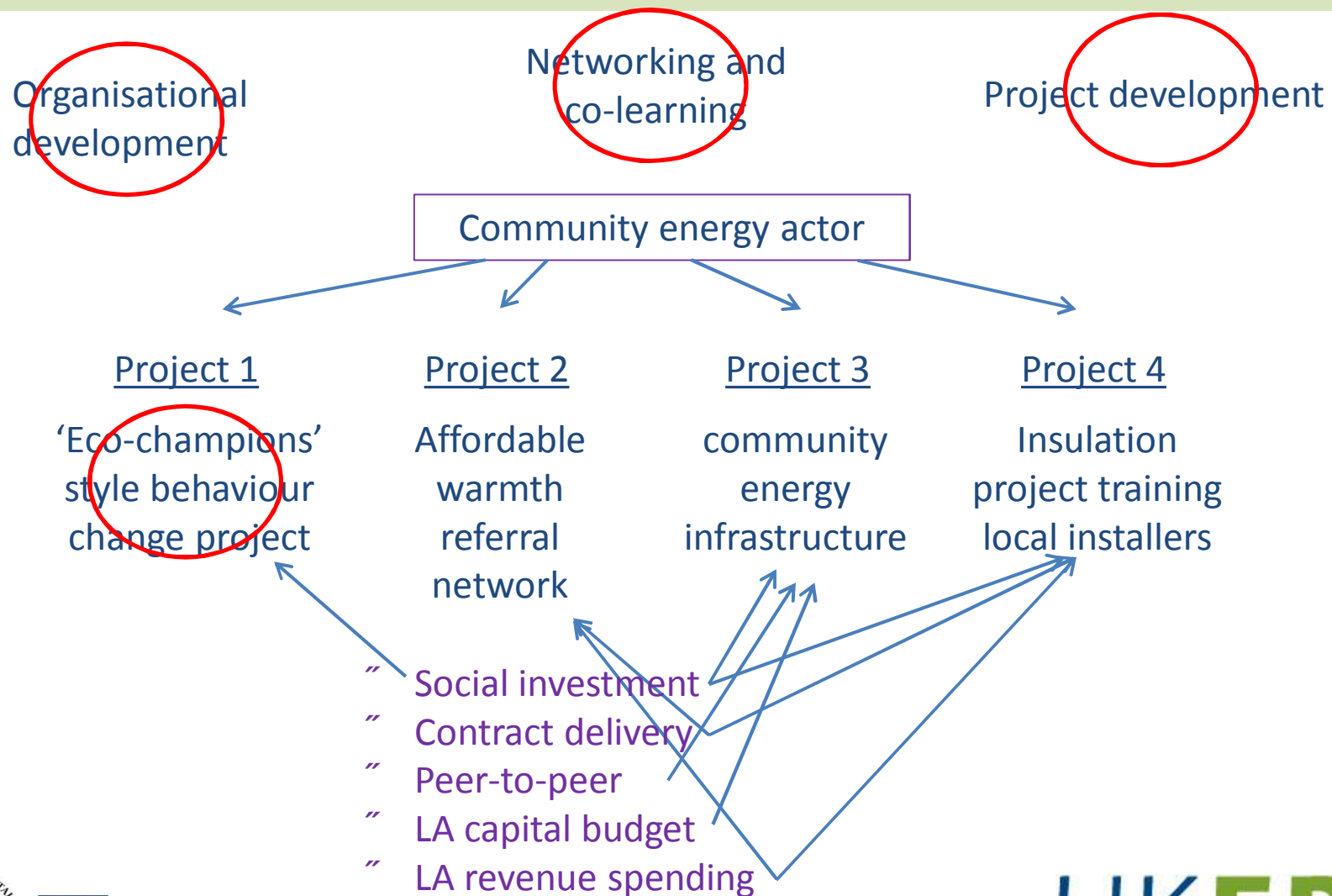
- “ Core = energy project
- “ Provides centre of activity, resource and expertise
- “ Increased activity develops from existing projects

## Co-ordination model

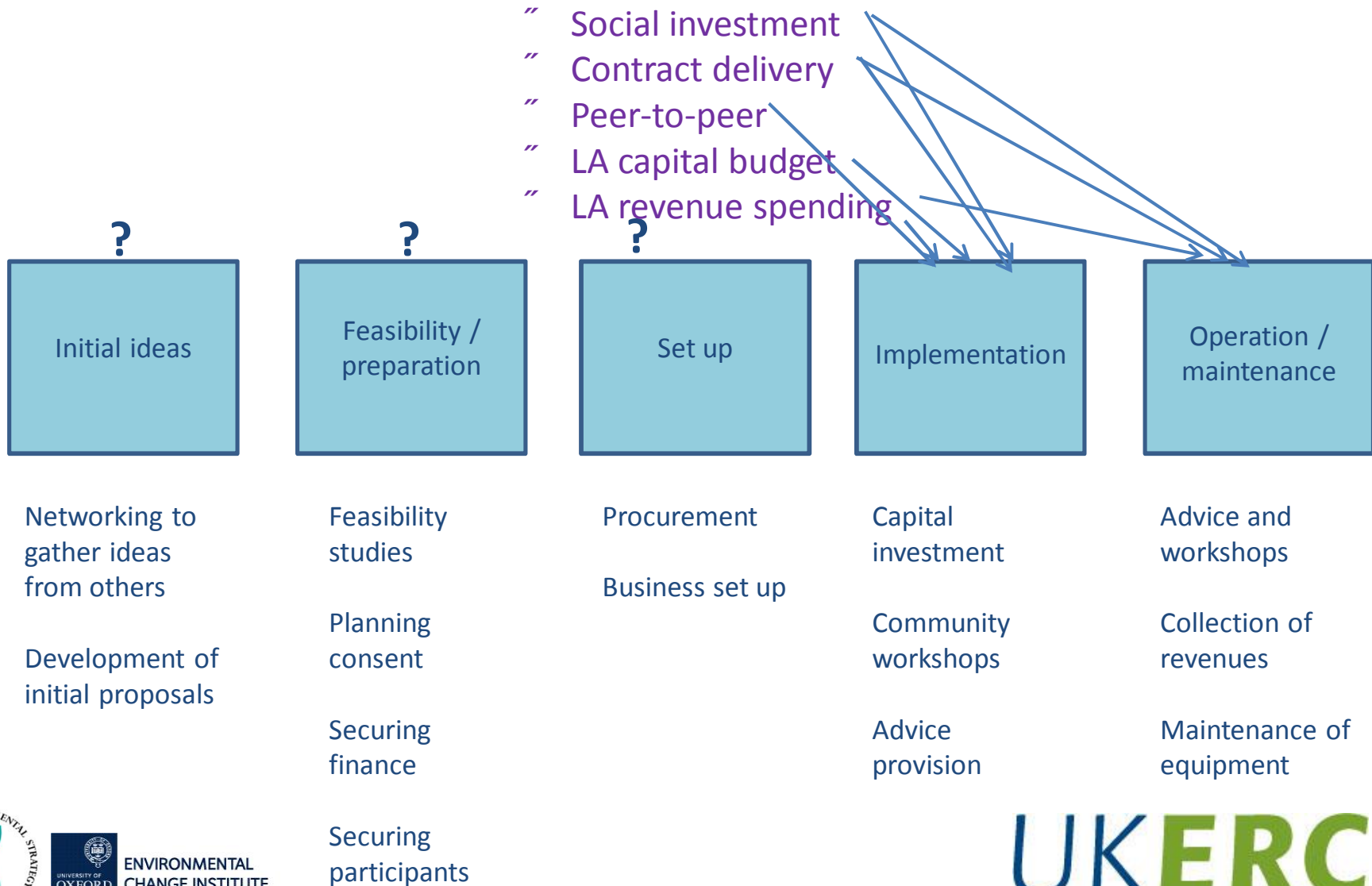
- “ Reactive and local authority led examples
- “ Early developments decentralised and variable
- “ Recognise need to learn across communities
- “ Hub and spoke model emerging



# Gaps in finance: types of activity



# Gaps in finance: stages



# Policy and resources

- “ Importance of national policy framework
- “ Financial support policy must take into account the local scale
- “ Need for community energy development funds



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