

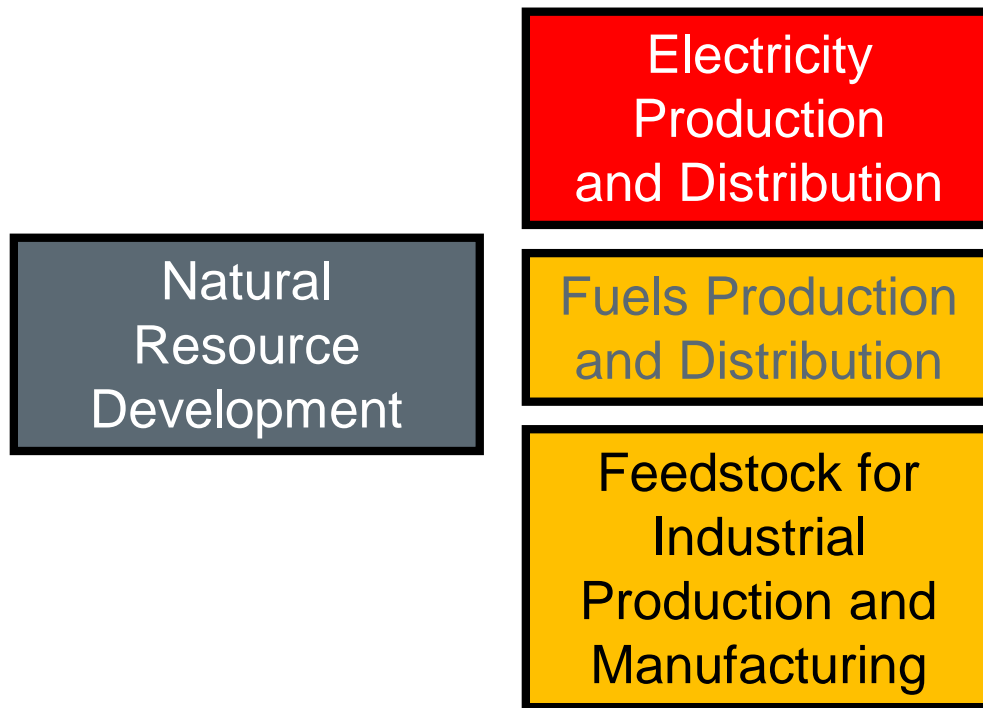
LINKING GOVERNMENT, INDUSTRY AND ACADEMIA

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Themes

- The Intelligent Energy System
- Linkage and Research
- USC Energy Program Linkages
- Summary

The energy system



The energy system

Scale
Capital intensity
Asset longevity
Complexity and connectivity

Technology
+
Business
+
Government
+
Society

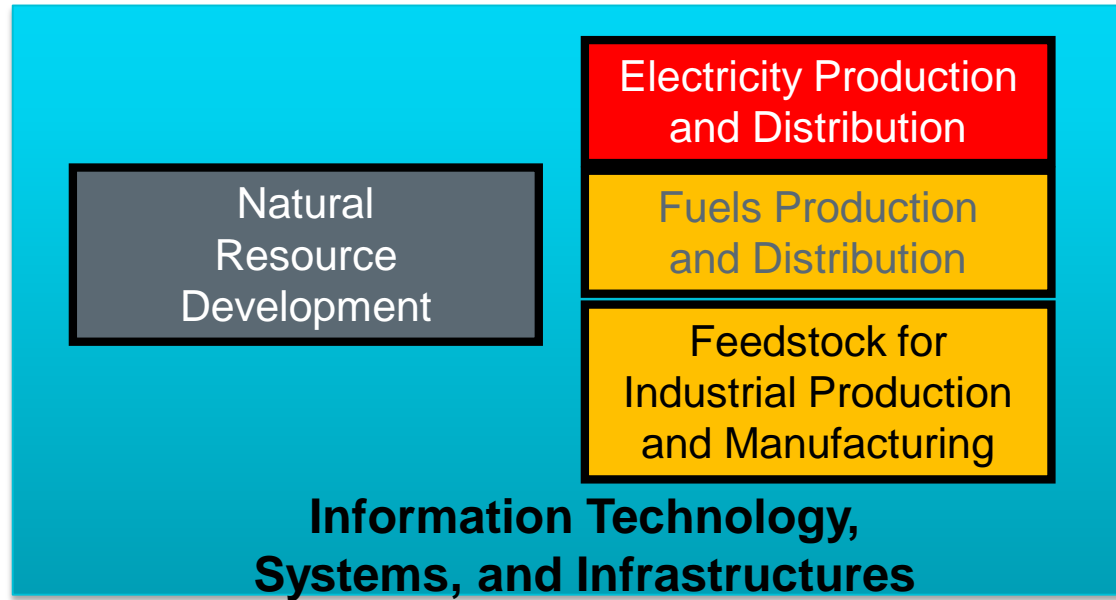
**Natural
Resource
Development**

**Electricity
Production
and Distribution**

**Fuels Production
and Distribution**

**Feedstock for
Industrial
Production and
Manufacturing**

Intelligent Energy: the intersection, integration, and co-evolution of the information and energy systems



Energy trends

- U.S. energy resource boom
- from scarcity to abundance
- Diversification / distribution of sources and storage
- Aging infrastructures
- Efficiency and carbon management
- Evolving “automobility”

IT trends

- Universal sensing, connectivity, and computing
- Moore’s Law continues
- Consumerization of IT
- “Big Data” and analytics
- Security
- Real-world robotics

Intelligent Energy: linkage opportunities for research and education

- Next-generation resource development technologies
- Balancing economic, environmental, and societal impacts of large-scale resource development
- Integrated management of the energy and transport systems
- Mega-scale complex systems science, including “Big Data” and analytics development
- Cyber-physical security systems for energy infrastructures
- Impacts of human / societal behaviors

Chevron – USC Partnership

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Interactive
Smart Oilfield
Technologies

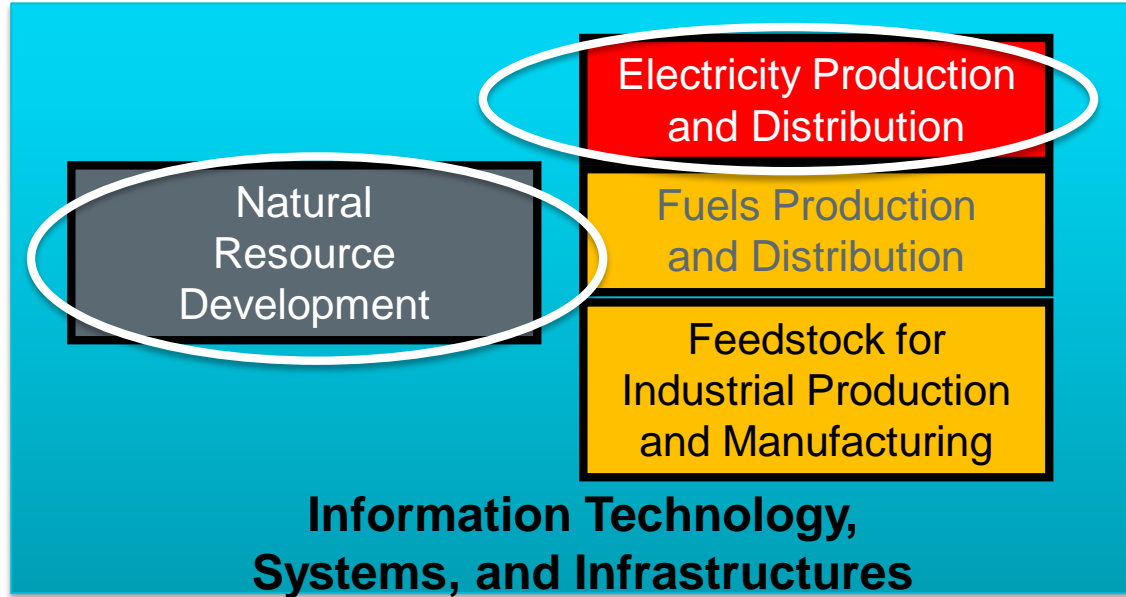
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- Operates with a joint venture structure: Chevron / USC co-management
- Integrated Chevron / USC R&D programs
- Field demonstrations and deployment programs
- Graduate Petroleum Engineering degree specializations

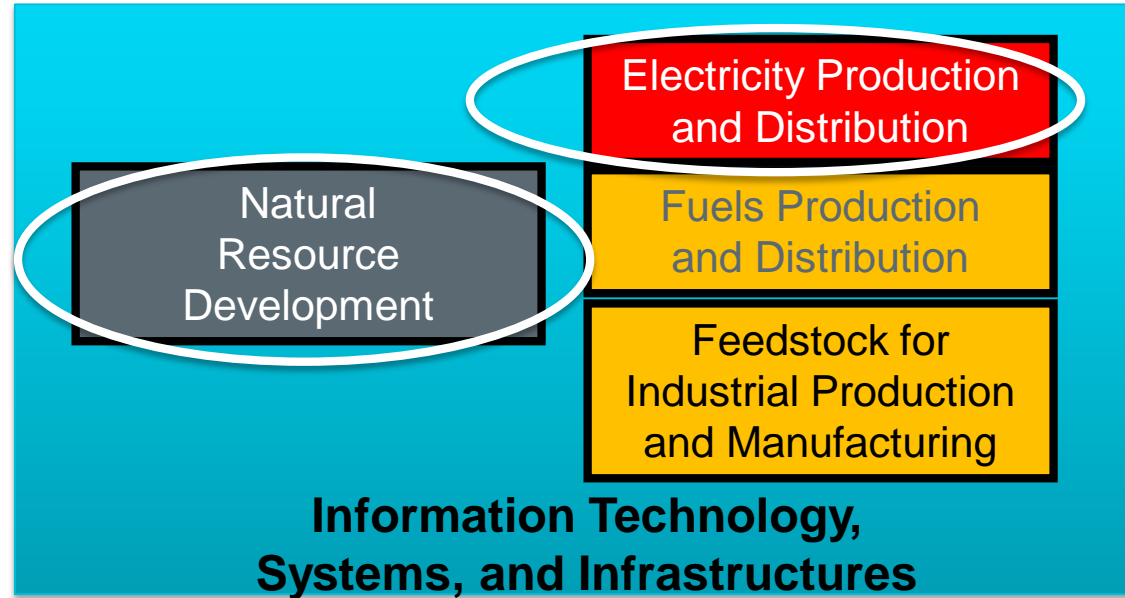
USC Energy Institute: Intelligent Energy Programs

- *System research programs integrating petroleum engineering / power engineering, and diverse information technologies*
- *Strategic partnerships with major energy operators and technology companies*
- *Experimental infrastructures and operational demonstrations programs at scale*
- *Graduate degree specializations*



USC Energy Institute: Intelligent Energy Programs

- ***CiSoft*: Center for Smart, Interactive Oilfield Technologies**
- **USC Smart Grid Living Laboratory**
- **Cyber-physical Security for Oil and Gas Infrastructures and Operations**



***CiSoft* directed R&D program areas**

- **Real-time Integrated Asset Management**
- **Well drilling and productivity improvement**
- **Reservoir performance management**
- **Informatics, analytics, and data management**
- **Robotics and artificial intelligence**
- **Embedded and networked systems**
- **Immersive visualization**
- **Applied virtualization technologies**

Multi-disciplinary Teams:

- **Petroleum Engineering Programs**
- **Reservoir Monitoring Consortium**
- **Center for Energy Informatics**
- **Interactive Media Science Center**
- **Institute for Creative Technologies**
- **Industrial and Systems Engineering**

An aerial photograph of a vast oilfield in a desert landscape. The terrain is densely packed with thousands of vertical wellbores, many of which are topped with pumpjack structures. In the foreground, several large, white, cylindrical storage tanks are visible. The background shows rolling hills under a clear sky. The text is overlaid in red and black.

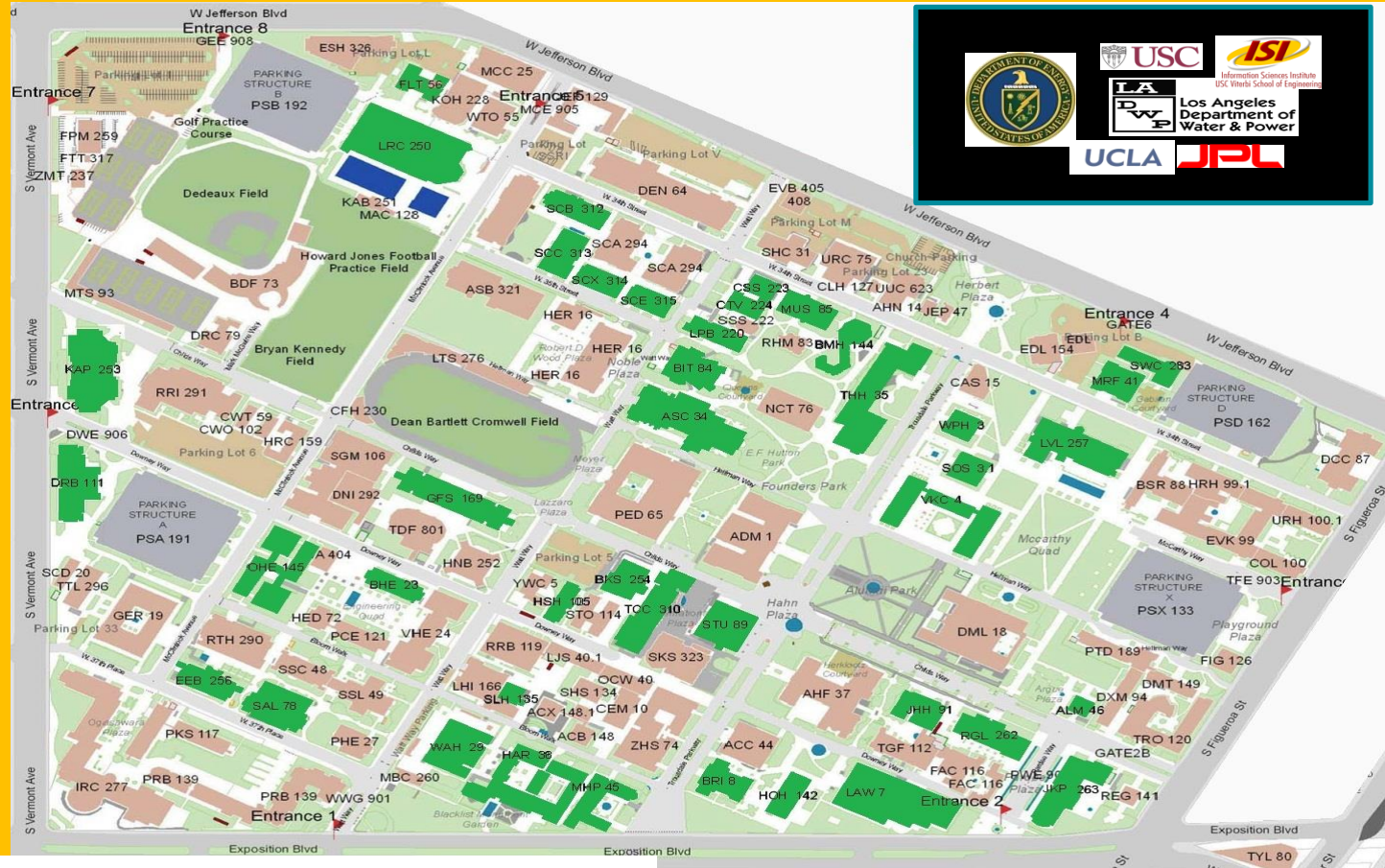
Linking Chevron and USC: Developing “Smart Oilfield” solutions for complex assets and operations

**Kern River (discovered 1899)
9000+ operating wells / 2 Billion bbls produced to date**

Linking industry and academia to educate today's Petroleum Engineer:

Science and Technology +
Business and Economics +
Geopolitics and Regulation +
Society and Environment



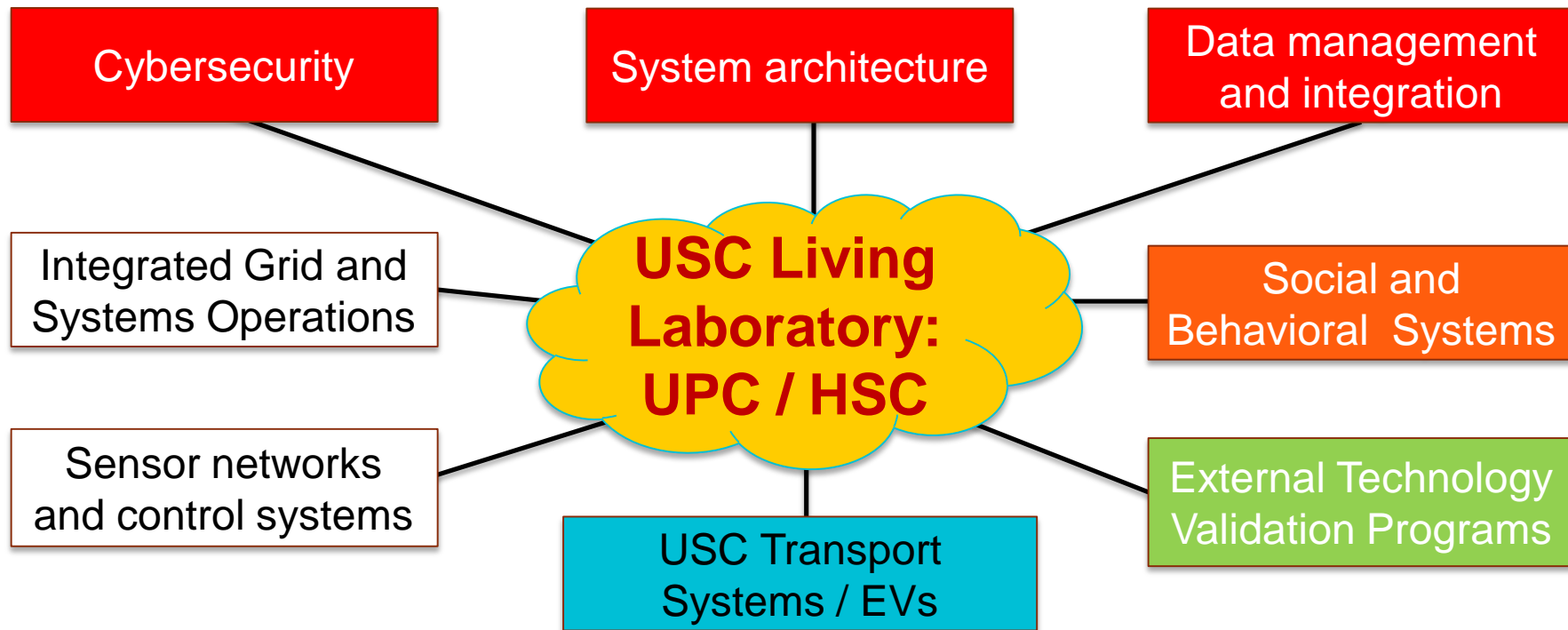


USC SmartGrid
Living Laboratory

The “USC Smart Grid Living Laboratory”

- Utilizes USC as a 50,000 person mini-city to establish an experimental and demonstration facility at scale
- Utilizes USC’s centrally-controlled energy and transport infrastructure
- Leverages USC’s energy system capital investments, freedom of operation, and diverse customer base
- Creates a controlled environment to test and validate system architectures, operational scenarios, and behavioral characteristics in support of deployment to utility-scale Smart Grids
- Creates a new demonstration and commercialization platform for current / future university research and education
- Enables unique partnerships with technology companies, utilities, and communities by providing calibrated testing at scale for 3rd party technologies

USC Smart Grid Living Laboratory: experimental test beds and system components



CYBER AND PHYSICAL SECURITY FOR OIL AND GAS OPERATIONS



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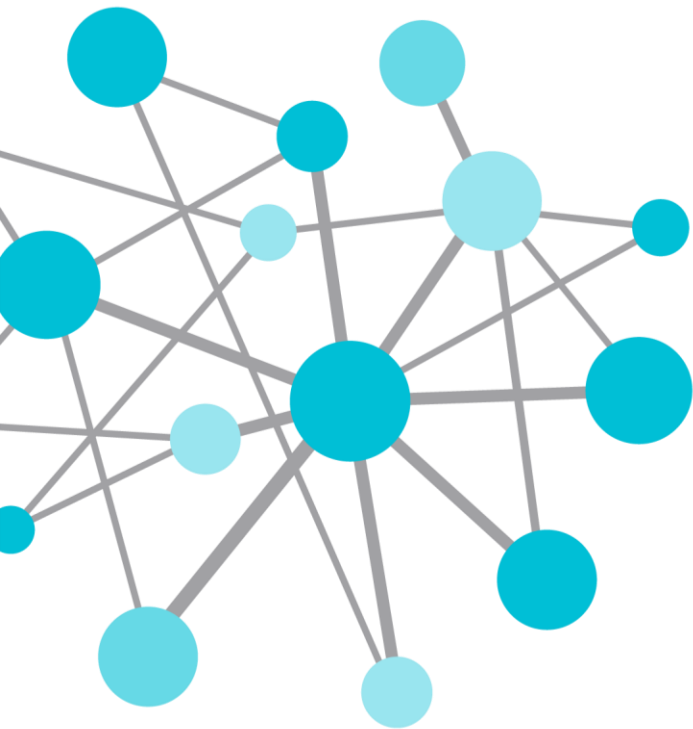
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