

# Preface

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This book is developed in a larger context in relation to the FP7 project, AEGIS – ‘Advancing Knowledge Intensive Entrepreneurship and Innovation for Economic Growth and Social Well-being in Europe’, project contract number 225134. AEGIS aims to examine knowledge intensive entrepreneurship, its defining characteristics, boundaries, scope and incentives in high-technology as well as low-technology sectors and in services. The reports from this project are freely available, and constitute many papers with interesting results and insights about knowledge intensive entrepreneurship (KIE). We encourage the reader of this book to also seek out such knowledge at [www.aegis-fp7.eu](http://www.aegis-fp7.eu).

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