Trends in FM practice and academic research from a Dutch perspective

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Overview of the presentation

- Introduction
- Wageningen University FM and CFM
- FM; paradigm for governance of FM
- FM value chain
- Trends in Dutch FM practise
- Trends in research
 - Results in fm innovation research
- Conclusions and final remarks





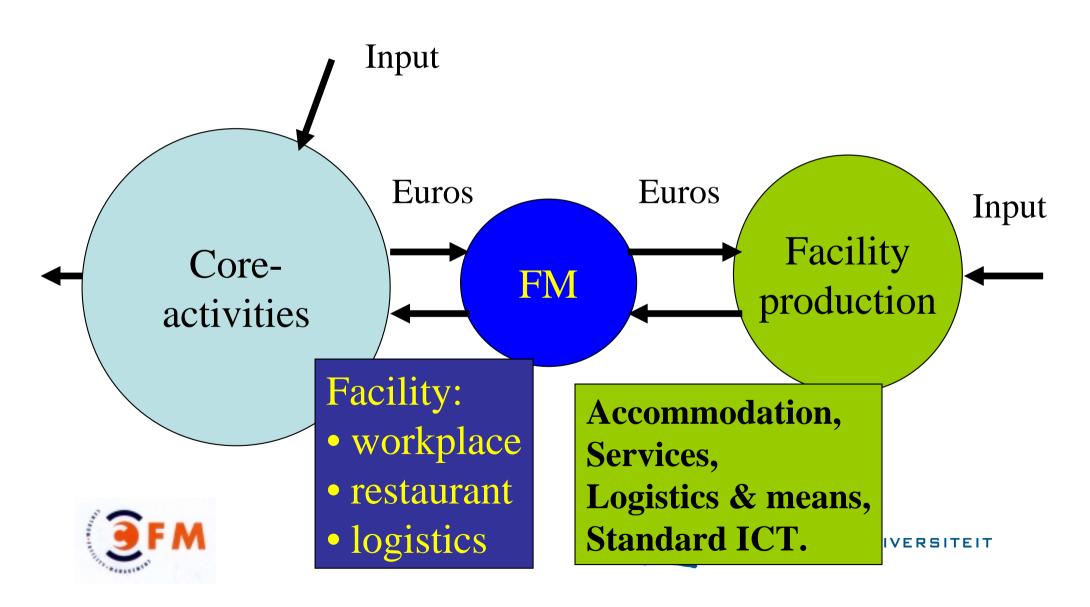
Wageningen University and **CFM**

- University for agriculture,
 Location of W.U. food industry and the natural environment
- Combination of University and research centre
- FM is part of social sciences department
- CFM independent research foundation





FM in the chain of activities model



Four areas of service

- Products/services and process
 - Workplace
 - Restaurant and employee services
 - Facility logistical services
- Process and service
 - Facility management





10 themes assessment FM cost/quality (according to NEN 2748)

1. Accommodation management

- Providing in building, terrain and parking
- Insurance of real estate
- Maintenance of buildings and installations
- Change/renovation of building; installation
- Use of utilities
- Management

2. Providing of restaurant and employee service

- Restaurant,
- workplace and additional catering service
- Coffee and soft drink apparatus
- catering for tradeshows, parties, etc.

3. Risk management

- Guarding and security
- Prevention and remedying of calamities
- Reception services

4. Cleaning

- 5. Moving
- 6. Document managing
 - Document creation
 - Document logistics (postal services, etc.)
 - Document reproduction (copying)
 - Document archiving
- 7. Managing of garbage; rest materials
- 8. Provision of workspaces with furniture and other decorations and materials
- 9. Telephone services
- 10. Facility Management
 - FM policy and operational management
 - Policy for procurement and implementation
 - Facility helpdesk activities



Trends in Dutch FM practice

- More and more outsourcing of services
- Growth of outsourcing facility management
- Introduction of assessment of quality
- Assessment of cost/quality
- Integration of (corporate) real estate management and facility management
- First Public-private partnerships; governmental buildings



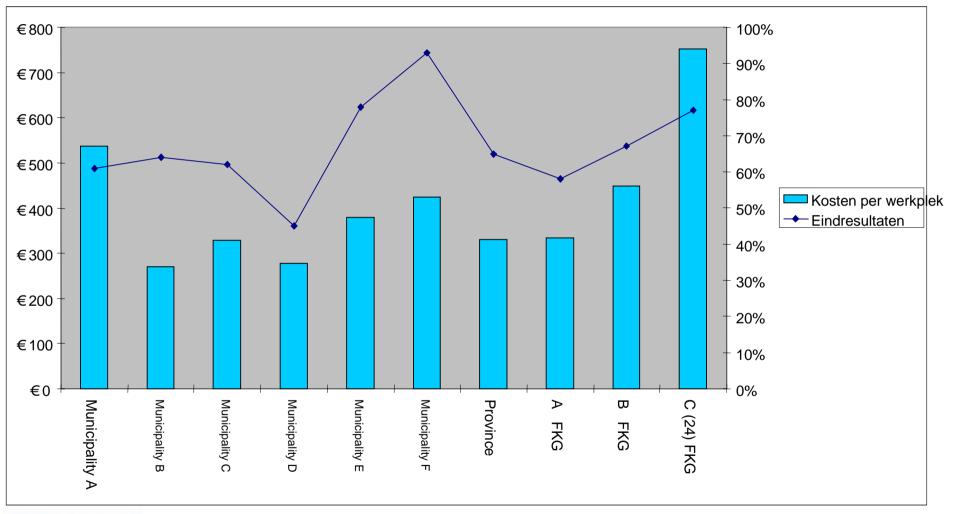
Workplace

- Product/service
- 1. Costs and benefits of office innovation (literature survey CFM with T.U. of Delft 2004)
- 2. Design of the workplace for knowledge workers (research of W.U. with T.U. of Helsinki 2005-06)
- 3. Healthy hospital environments (Ph.D. W.U with TU Eindhoven 2004)
- 4. Health Boulevard project (W.U. 2006)
- Process
- Cost/quality assessment of the 'workplace service' (research NEN 2748 CFM/Capgemini 2004-05-06)
- Perceived quality of outsourced risk management (M.Sc. W.U. 2005)
- 3. Innovativeness of cleaning companies (M.Sc. W.U. 2004)





Result: Cost/quality of cleaning



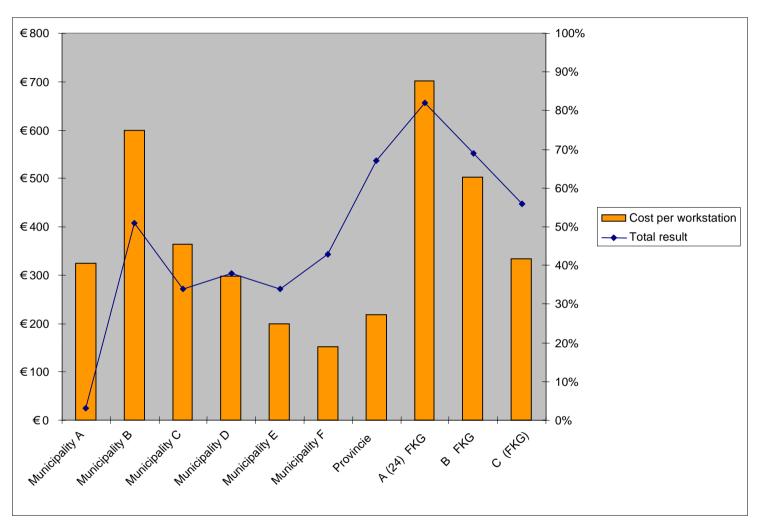




- Restaurant and employee services
 - Product/services

- Process
- Contract Compliance for restaurant services (M.Sc. project W.U. 2004)
- Costs/quality of 'Restaurant and employee services' (research CFM/Capgemini NEN 2748 2004-05-06)

Result: Cost/quality of restaurant







- Facility logistical services
 - Product/service
 - 1. Design of a digital process for production and distribution of university course readers (MSc student study project W.U. 2004)
 - Process
 - 1. Radio Frequency Identification for FM (Idea for PhD project W.U. 2006)
 - 2. Costs/quality of 'facility logistical services' (research CFM/Capgemini NEN 2748 2004-05-06)





Facility Management_service

Process

- 1. Innovation within facility management (Ph.D. (running) and several M.Sc. projects W.U. 2003-04-05-06)
- 2. Knowledge management within FM (BSc project CFM 2005)
- 3. Case study of a consortium for Public-Private Partnership for the Ministry of Finance (M.Sc. project W.U. 2006)
- 4. Managing a Multinationals Facility Management organization across borders (several M.Sc. projects W.U. & T.U. Delft 2004-05)
- 5. Managing the client-provider relationship within commercial FM organisations (M.Sc. project W.U. 2005)





Facility Management

- Process (continued)
- 6. Costs/quality of facility management (research CFM/Capgemini NEN 2748 2004-05-06)
- 7. Validity and reliability of the CFM/Capgemini facility
 Management quality assessment method based on NEN 2748
 (several M.Sc. projects W.U. 2004-2005)
- 8. Policy of quality assessment (performance measurement) of facility services in Dutch municipalities (M.Sc. student project W.U.2005)
- 9. Facility-Estate concept (research CFM/Twynstra-Gudde 2006)





- Facility Management
 - Process (continued)
 - 10. Shared service centres as a model for the internal facility management organization (M.Sc. project W.U. 2004)
 - 11. The role of unions in outsourcing projects of facility services in the Netherlands (MSc project W.U. 2004)
 - 12. Automation of the generation of facility cost indicators' (Ph.D. W.U. with T.U. Vienna 2004-06)





- Facility Management
 - Services
 - 13. Market Analysis Outsourcing Facility
 Management Services in The Netherlands
 (M.Sc. project W.U. 2004)
 - 14. Facility-Estate Concept (research CFM/Twynstra-Gudde in progress 2006)





Conclusions

- Distinction of 4 different services better
- Most research in FM processes some
- New theme in research is integration of FM & CREM(corporate real estate management) innovation of product/service and process
 - Public-private partnerships (sub class)

For all articles etc. see: http://www.mst.wur.nl/uk/staff/dries+van+Wagenberg/





FM research theories

- Workplace (team-process/behaviour; workplace)
 - Environmental-design theory (van Wagenberg et al.)
 - Space planning theory (van Wagenberg in progress)
 - Activity based costing theory (adapted bij van Wagenberg)
 - Healthy workplace model (Many + van Wagenberg)
 - Activity based costing
- Restaurant and employee services (employee/guest; decision behaviour)
 - Consumer behaviour theory (Antonides)
 - Activity based costing





FM research theories

- Facility logistical services
 - Operations research theory (van der Vorst et al.)
 - Chains and network theory (Trienekes et al.)
 - Way finding theory (Passini)

• FM

- Innovation framework (Omta; Trienekes; Tidd, Beset and Pavitt)
- FM governance model (NEN 2748; van Wagenberg, in progress)
- Transaction cost theory (Williamson et al.)
- European quality assessment model (adaptation for FM)
- Servqual model for organisational entities (adaptation)
- Activity based costing theory
- FM organisational theory (Becker et al.; Minsberg; Porter)
- Self-efficay theory (Bandura, Slangen)





FM research methodologies

- Case study
- Scenario analysis model
- Survey and interview
- Financial analysis
- Surface measurement protocol (NEN 2580)
- Participant observation
- Behaviour observation



