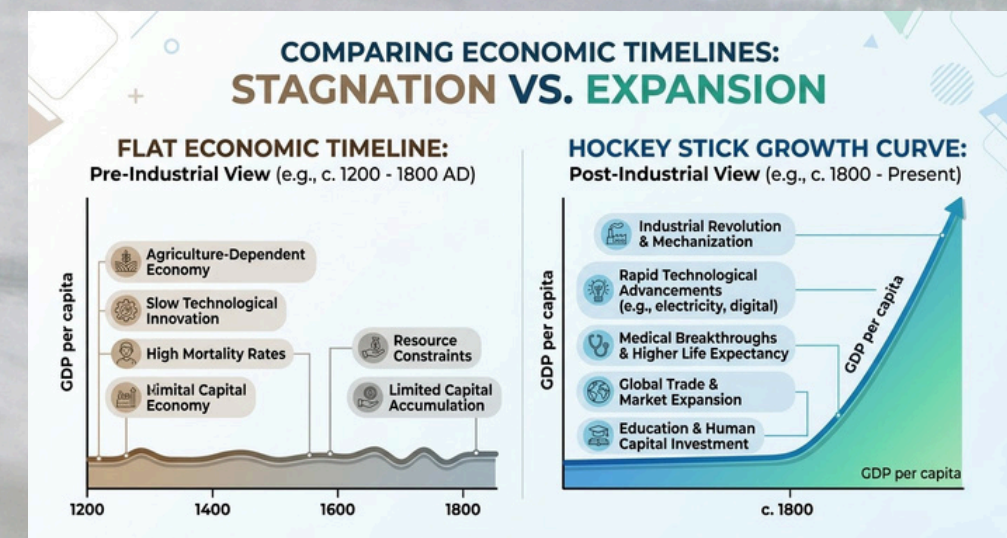


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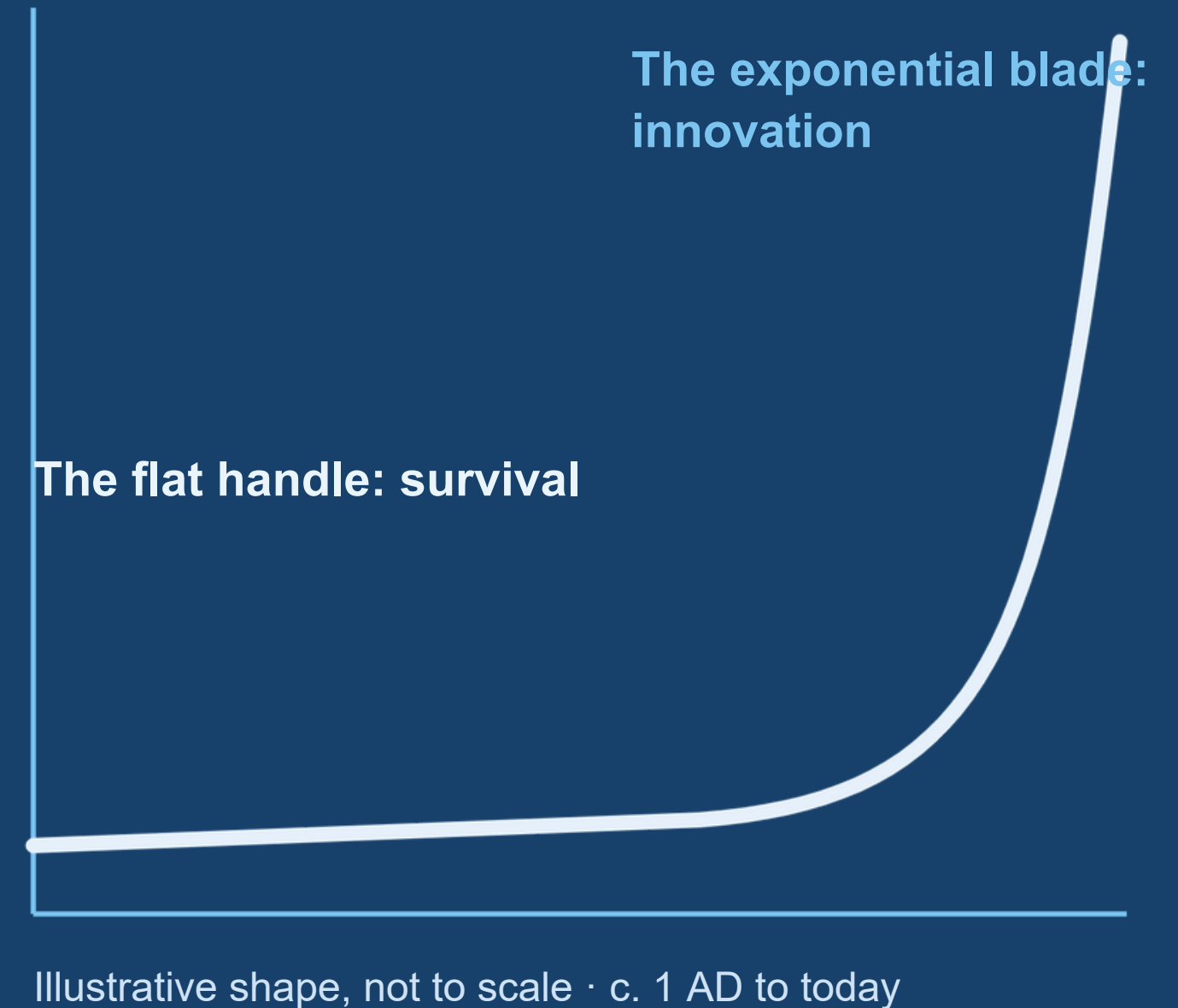


HISTORY'S HOCKEY STICK · THE MACRO FOUNDATION

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Key takeaway. For over 90% of recorded history (c. 1 to 1800 AD), global GDP per capita stayed flat, bound by agriculture, limited energy and low capital accumulation.

The inflection point. The Industrial Revolution brought mechanization, capital markets and institutional frameworks: the vertical “blade” of the hockey stick.



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Just as technology and industry created macro-economic hockey sticks, minor league hockey and university athletic hubs act as localized economic accelerators.



Capital infrastructure

Arenas and facilities bring physical capital into secondary and tertiary markets.



Export-oriented dollars

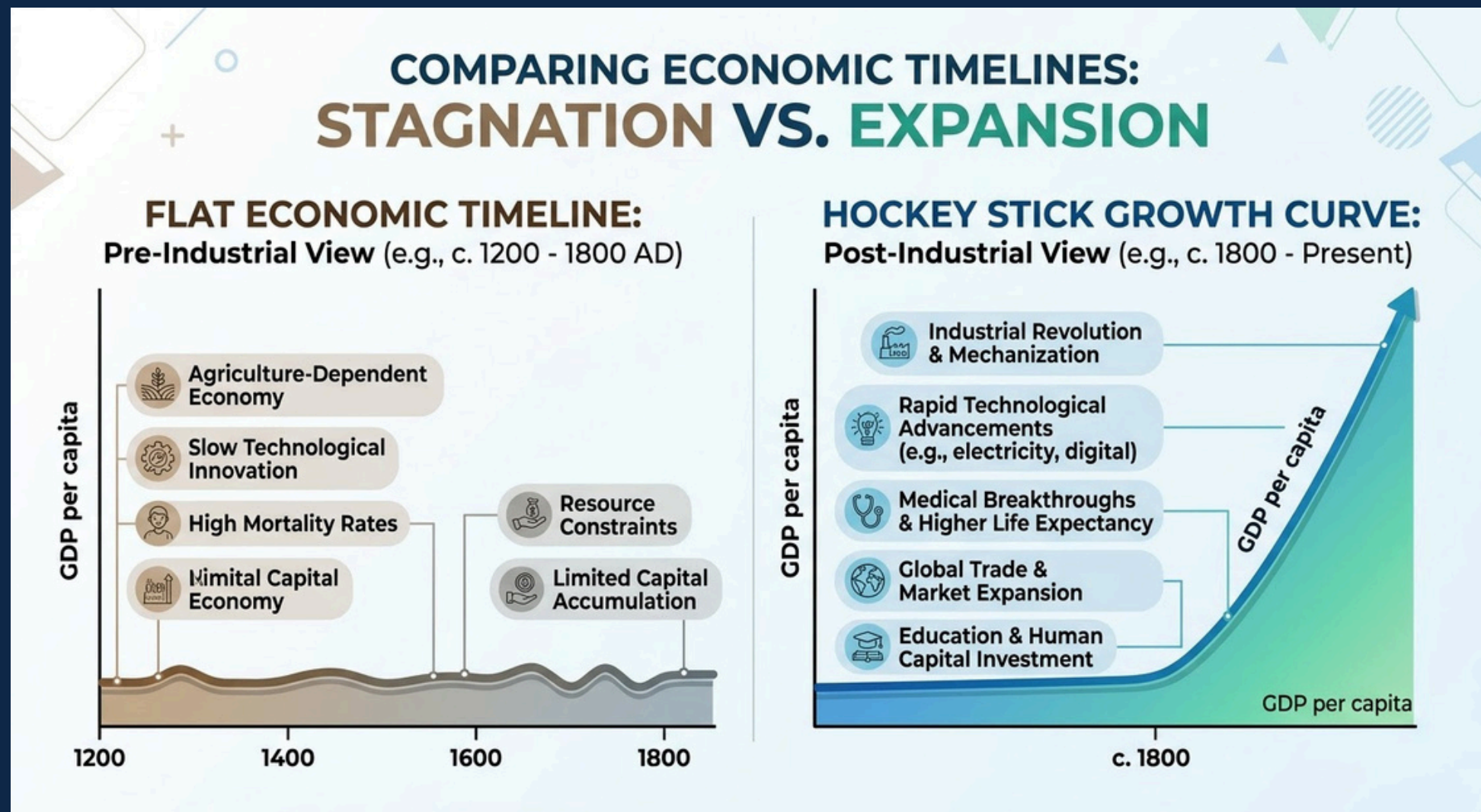
Visitors, visiting teams and scouts inject fresh capital from outside the municipality.



The multiplier effect

Hospitality, dining and tourism spending circulates through local labor and vendors.

Translating growth trajectories to corporate and personal balance sheets



Financial engineering follows the same model: moving from linear accumulation (the flat handle) to exponential, tax-sheltered compounding (the upward blade).

FOR BUSINESSES

Transition retained earnings into overfunded cash-value assets (IRC 7702) for tax mitigation, executive retention and funded buy-sell succession agreements.

FOR INDIVIDUALS

Move away from standard tax-dragged accounts toward tax-free distribution strategies and asset-protected growth.

1 CPA & tax attorney partnerships

2 Corporate outings

3 In-person roundtables

Webinar & Workshops on business continuity, estate planning and real estate asset protection.