Capacity development
Working Group 2: Summary and points for discussion

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Summary of material from WG3

In preparation for TCG5, the Working Group on Capacity Development (WG2) has completed the pilot Statistical Capacity development Framework and has implemented a survey to assess its usefulness and areas to improve (please see Reference document TCG5/REF/18 for detailed information on the contents for the framework and survey's results).

Consultation at TCG5

The results of the survey on the usefulness of the pilot Statistical Capacity Development (SCD) Framework developed by the WG2 were very supportive on its two components: the repository of capacity development (CD) tools and the repository of CD initiatives and funding mechanisms.

Based on those results, it is recommended that the TCG:

1. Endorses the work related to the pilot SCD Framework,
2. Recommends to advance with the development of the definitive platform for the SCD Framework,
3. Disseminates the SCD Framework once it is in its definitive platform.

The survey also served to identify areas to improve of the SCD Framework, for example:

1. Existence of few problems with hyperlinks and documents format.
2. Need to improve coverage of some regional initiatives.
3. Existence of few initiatives that are not active anymore.
4. Identification of specific SDG 4 initiatives.

In relation to the areas of improvement, the TCG is invited to provide additional feedback on the SCD Framework by responding the questions below.

Individual feedback can be provided via a paper questionnaire on p.2-3 (please complete and return to the Secretariat) on an on-line survey at: (link to be provided)

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1 The current version of the pilot Framework is available in English and French at the following link: https://teams.unesco.org/cop/tcg/cd-en/SitePages/Statistical%20Capacity%20Development%20Framework.aspx.
Please provide your feedback by completing the questions that follow. Thank you.

Your name (please print): ________________________________________________________

Your organization/country: ______________________________________________________

1. Is there any additional information that you would like to see added to any of the components of the Statistical Capacity Development Framework?
   - [ ] Yes
   - [ ] No
   - [ ] Not sure

   If you answered “Yes”, please explain:

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2. Do you have any suggestions to improve the contents and usefulness of the any of the components the Statistical Capacity Development Framework?
   - [ ] Yes
   - [ ] No
   - [ ] Not sure

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We would appreciate any comments that you wish to make:

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