2\textsuperscript{nd} EMSC objectives & agenda

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PAEPARD objectives

Build joint African-European multistakeholder partnerships in ARD,
... encouraged to initiate and implement demand-driven proposals always including innovation/research activities
... with a demonstrated impact on development in line with the MDGs.
But this requires Researchers and Users of research outputs to work TOGETHER…

… How can partnerships be encouraged and become mutually beneficial?
PAEPARD has experience of MS partnerships to be shared

- PAEPARD currently supports 19 multi-stakeholder Consortia selected from 2 Calls:
  - are some of them more innovative? inclusive? more demand-driven? more balanced?
  - How PAEPARD support process evolved?
- Case studies of interesting MSP identified by PAEPARD partners were analyzed:
  - Indications of best practices for consortia?
EMSC-2 objectives

Exchange views between non-research and research stakeholders, based on lessons learnt from Paepard AND Participants’ experience, re:
- Are there models of MS-partnerships better able to foster a more demand-driven approach in ARD?
- What positive and negative factors influence MS-partnership establishment?
- Is Partnership building influenced by support and funding mechanisms?
- What keys for short and mid term orientation of PAEPARD?
EMSC Agenda: 3 half-day sessions

Session 1: Partnership models
    and their evaluation in terms of impact, costs and sustainability

Session 2: Mechanisms influencing Partnership models
    Funding mechanisms/Support mechanisms

Session 3: Lessons for orientating PAEPARD activities
Constructive and diverse points of views are much welcome, both in plenary sessions and group work, in order to answer our core question:

« How to make researchers and users work TOGETHER…
... and contribute through ARD to achieving the MDGs? »