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Review of PAEPARD support mechanisms evolution

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PAEPARD Multi-Stakeholder Innovation Partnerships Process

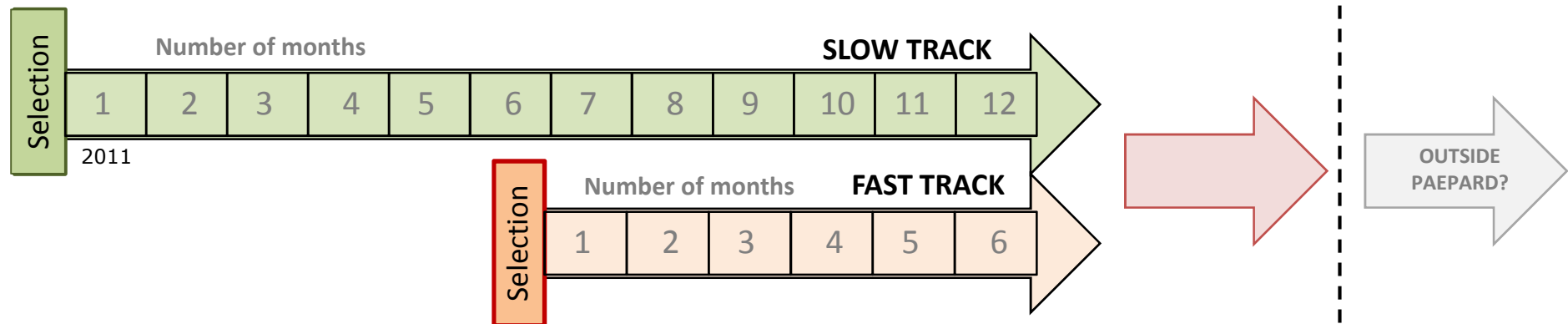
STEP 1
Partnership formation
 « Finding *partners and funding opportunities* »

STEP 2
Inception workshop
 « Building partnerships »

+ capacity strengthening
 + support for facilitation

STEP 3
Writeshop
 « Writing/development of research proposal »

STEP 4
 « Applying to funding opportunity »



- Call 1: 14 December 2010
- Call 2: 03 June 2011

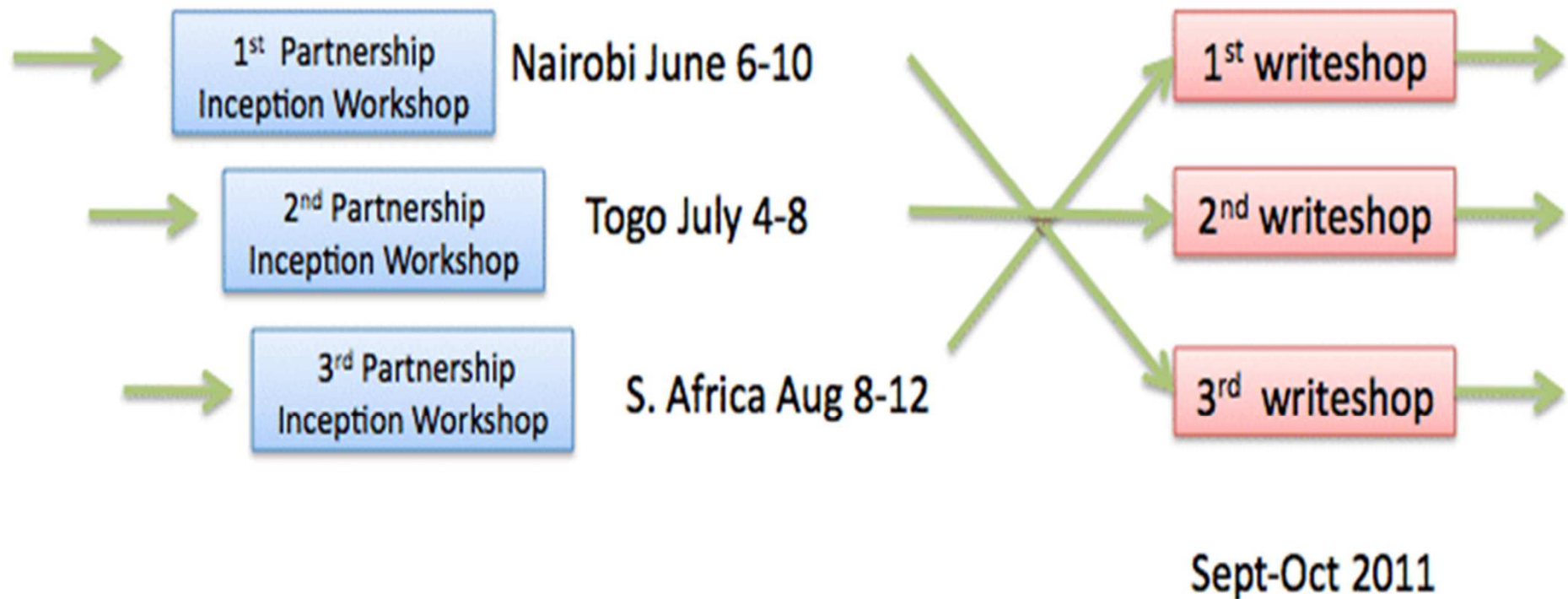


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- The “**slow track**” starts with a federating theme resulting from the WP1 and WP2 consultations, and consists of partnership formation, inception workshop and proposal writing.
- The “**fast track**” starts with an open PAEPARD call for proposals around a theme of interest to a potential partnership, with successful partnerships receiving support for a “partnership inception workshop”, and a subsequent “proposal development writes-hop”
- The “**intermediate track**” would start with PAEPARD identifying calls from suitable funding agencies, and identifying/ motivating suitable organisations to take the lead in preparing an expression of interest and identifying suitable partners (with support from a PAEPARD broker as needed). Once the partnership is formed, this can then attend the planned cycle of PI workshops and writeshops.

Call 1: 82 Applications with 9 CNs selected
3 Inception workshops based on region or/and language:





- Selection of Agricultural Innovation facilitators (AIFs)
- Training of AIFs: **Entebbe 28 November to 2 December 2011**
- **2 AIFS** by Consortium making a total of **20 AIFs**
- **1 AIF** by Farmer Sub-Regional Organization making a total of **4 AIFs**

Partnership inception workshops for call 2 conducted by AIFs

1. **Mauritius** - Micro propagation and cultivation of in vitro breadfruit plants [9th & 10th February 2012](#)
2. **Uganda** - Enhancing soybean and cowpea value chains [13th to 17th February 2012](#)
3. **Ghana** - Control of Angular leaf spot disease of Citrus. [13-17 February 2012,](#)
4. **Burkina Faso** - BIOPROTECT-B [20 to 24 February 2012,](#)
FADA Ouagadougou,
5. **Benin** - Appui à la production, la commercialisation et la transformation du Soja. [1er au 03 mars 2012](#)
6. **Cote d'Ivoire** - Agriculture pour l'éducation (A.P.E) [12-16 March 2012](#)
7. **Nigeria** - Low cost and high quality livestock feed production knowledge delivery to Nigerian poultry industry (NIPOFERD) [16-19th April](#)
8. **Cameroun** - Transformation de l'agriculture familiale en Afrique Centrale [24-26 april 2012](#)

Partnership inception workshops for call 2: forthcoming

1. **Burundi** - Développement participatif des technologies de la culture pomme de terre et promotion des innovations sensibles au genre et à la conservation de l'environnement, [21-25 May 2012](#)
2. **Uganda** - Extensive Collection and Characterization of African Plants (*due to the size of this – regional - consortium, it was quite difficult for them to meet and finalise the concept note: no additional funding was given by PAEPARD*)

Write shops

1. Write shop African Union call + Edulink, Entebbe [19-23 March 2012.](#)
2. Write shop African Union call + Edulink, Cotonou. [26 - 30 March 2012.](#)



Consortia which applied to calls (1)

Call of CORAF on 13th November 2011: West African Agricultural Productivity Research and Development (WAAPRD)

- 1. Togo** - Caractérisation de deux variétés du piment rouge pour améliorer la mise en marché et transformation semi-industrielle **pre-selected**
- 2. Senegal** - Un partenariat Europe Afrique pour la création d'un outil de suivi de l'agriculture familiale **Selection ???**
- 3. Nigeria** - Low cost and high quality livestock feed production knowledge delivery to Nigerian poultry industry (NIPOFERD) was not selected in the first call.
 - Submitted a proposal under the CORAF call with the title : *"Evaluation and transfer of researched solutions to small-scale poultry production constraints in West Africa"*. **Not selected**
 - The consortium resubmitted a different proposal under the second PAEPARD call.

Consortia which applied to calls (2)

1. The African Union Commission with the support from the Secretariat of the African, Caribbean and Pacific (ACP) Group of States and European Commission (EC) launched the **First African Union Research Grants Call Proposals for 2011**

*Unfortunately for PAEPARD, the deadline for submission of proposals was **30/04/2011**, by which date none of the selected consortia for the first call of concept note were ready*

2. **Second African Union Research Grants Call Proposals for 2012**, the deadline for submission of proposals was **20/04/2012**

Consortia which applied to calls (3)

Second African Union Research Grants Call Proposals for 2012 – submitted proposals

- 1. Nigeria** - Feed Production Poultry Industry
- 2. Togo** - Red pepper
- 3. Benin-Togo:** Soybean
- 4. Malawi** - aquaculture in Malawi, Zambia, Mozambique, DRC and Cameroon
- 5. Burkina Faso** - BIOPROTECT-B, fertilisation organique des sols
- 6. Uganda** - soybean and cowpea value chains
- 7. Uganda** - Extensive Collection and Characterization of African Solanaceae Plants
- 8. Uganda, Ethiopia, Ghana** - Innovative approaches for sustainable management of water resource for agricultural production in Eastern and Western Africa (I4MWAP)
- 9. Ghana-Malawi:** Management of Pre- and Post- Harvest Insect Pests of Maize in Ghana and Malawi

Support to consortia

Beyond the **mentoring/coaching** with co-managers other activities are:

A. CALL-BASED BROKERAGE

- 1) Call 1-follow up (Mentoring)
- 2) Call2 –follow up (PIWs+Mentoring+ write-shops for some of them)

B. USERS LED BROKERAGE PROCESS (FOs+PS) with WP4

- 1) Design brokerage mechanism –definition of federating themes with facilitators (step1)
- 2) Pre-brokerage support –Mobilization (Steps 2&4)
- 3) Organize brokerage events-MSH regional development workshop (step3)
- 4) Post-brokerage support – develop draft research proposals-writeshops (steps 5&6)