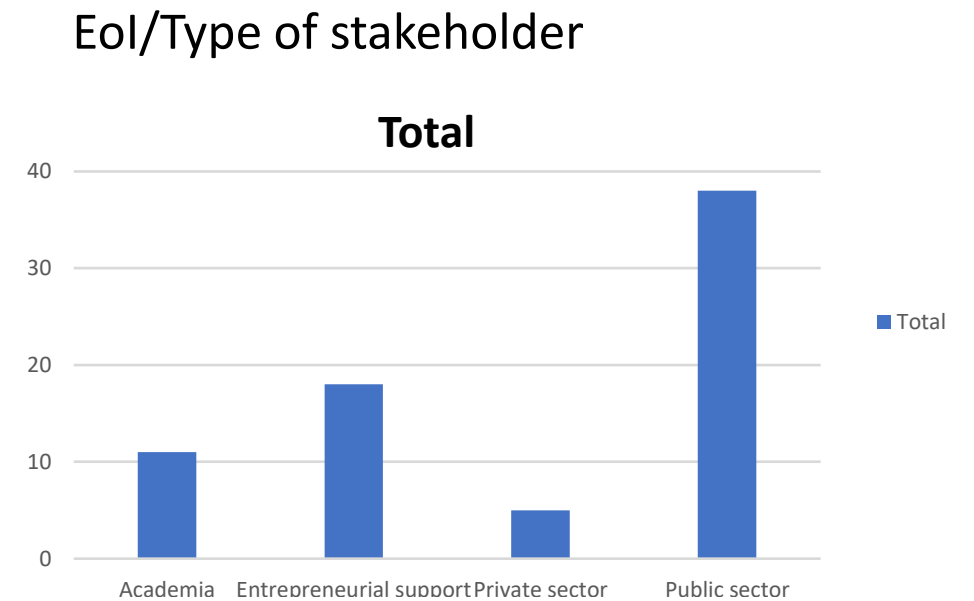
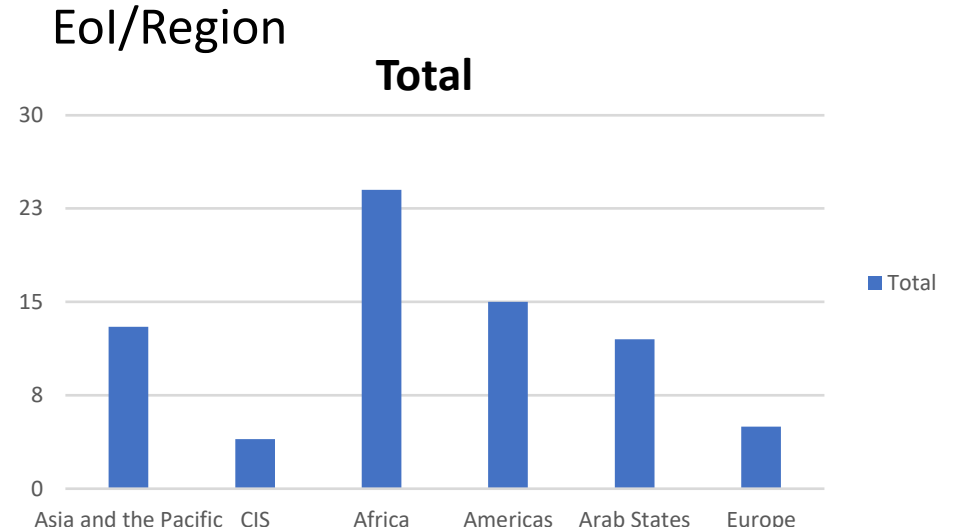
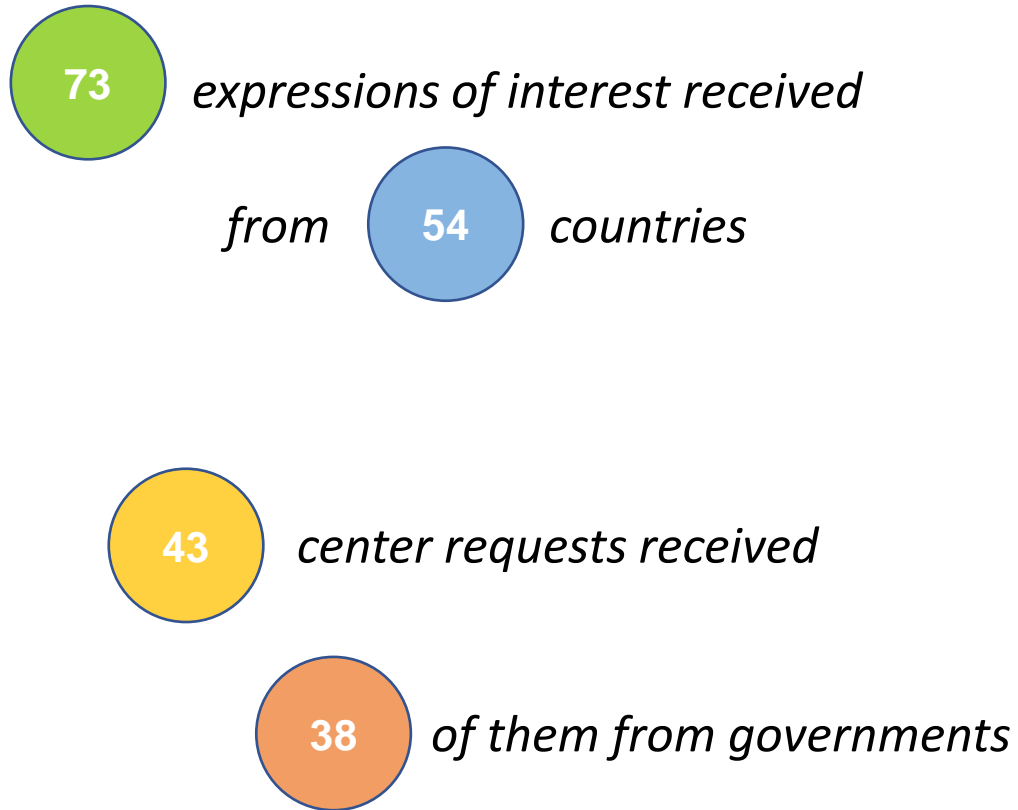


# Annex II

## Evaluation and selection process for centers



**25 January  
2023**



Information input form	Objective of the form
1. General Questionnaire	Gather information on how the organization can engage in the work of the Alliance – 12 questions.
2. Standardized Questionnaire for Assessment of Innovation Centers	Gather additional information about the organisation's interest, capacity and objectives for the Center - 28 questions.

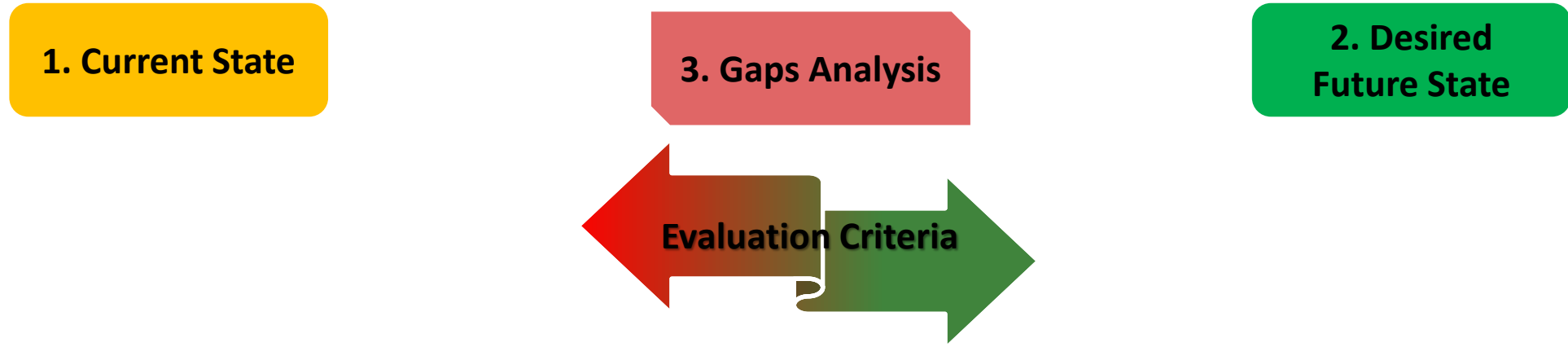
**51** responses received for the General Questionnaire

**39** responses received for the Standardized Questionnaire for the Assessment of Centres

# 10-parameter assessment criteria for centers



#	Parameter	Purpose
1	Vision and Strategy	Understand the clarity in vision and effective strategies in place to achieve goals.
2	Scope	Gauge the scope and extent of the organization's activities.
3	Type of Center, Purpose and Reach	Assess the potential and purpose of the type of center proposed and its possible reach.
4	Governance System	Gauge the effectiveness and transparency of the input for the governance system to support the center in achieving its objectives.
5	Capabilities & Resources Available	Assess the organization's ability to leverage skills, knowledge, expertise, infrastructure and other resources to deliver on the desired outcomes.
6	Alignment with Strategic Objectives	Evaluate the coherence and alignment of the center's strategy with the strategic objectives of the Alliance.
7	Services Offered	Assess the range, quality and effectiveness of the services provided/proposed by the center.
8	Scale up – Business model	Assess the center's ability and readiness to expand and scale its operations, initiatives, and impact.
9	Level of commitment of Project Initiator	Evaluate the level of involvement, ownership and willingness of the project initiator(s) to invest time, resources and effort towards the success of the center.
10	Regional balance	consideration of equitable distribution of resources and opportunities across different regions.



## Outcomes of evaluation (3 categories)

**Selected centers**

- Ready for the design phase
- Expectation to sign CA and project to proceed further

**Deferred for technical assistance and engagement in Alliance, but open for future consideration**

- Referred for technical assistance option and engagement in Alliance activities using the DT and other resources of Alliance

**Not recommended at this stage, but will benefit in Alliance work**

- Doesn't meet evaluation criteria for this call for expression of interest
- Recommended for other roles in Alliance

# Timeline of the Alliance

