

PEERSS TT NEWS

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GREETINGS PEERSS!

READY, SET, LAUNCH—SURVEY!

We are pleased to inform you that we have completed the Key Informant (KI) interviews to inform our Needs Assessment. The team would like to thank the interviewees from each of the four (4) Social Sector Ministries for participating and providing valuable and rich feedback on their Evidence Informed Policymaking (EIP) processes.

We are now ready to launch our online survey. The survey will assess individual and institutional capacity for EIP. No identifying information will be collected and the deadline for completion is **Monday 20th September, 2021.**

The data generated will be used to inform the development of training and coaching material, and a report detailing the key findings and recommendations will be shared with each Ministry.



CLICK HERE TO ACCESS THE SURVEY

REGISTER NOW FOR WWGS 2021



The [What Works Global Summit \(WWGS\) 2021: Evidence for Development](#) will be held from October 18 to 27, 2021. This virtual event is accessible and [free](#) to researchers, evaluators, policymakers, representatives of international organisations, civil society, development practitioners and the private sector. Only 400 participants would be able to attend, so [register](#) early and secure your seat!

The Summit will focus on the three challenges that affect the use of evidence for development, that is ensuring that:

- Evidence is contextualised and relevant to decision-makers
- Evidence is communicated in timely and usable ways
- Policy challenges debated on are informed by varied and competing sources of evidence

The Conference programme can be accessed [here](#) and the following issues are included in the sessions:

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| • Innovative approaches to knowledge brokering | • Social protection |
| • Measuring impact | • Mental health |
| • Innovative approaches to impact evaluation and evidence synthesis | • Better business practices |
| • Assessing evidence claims | • Transitions (social, environmental, energy, political, economic) |
| • Climate change, biodiversity, and development | • AI, big data, machine learning and development |
| • Health-environment-economic wellbeing nexus | • Industrial policy and productivity |
| • Inequality and social inclusion | • Quality of education |
| • Building resilience | • Crime and justice |
| • Gender | • Child protection |
| • Disability | • Governance and accountability |
| • Ageing | |

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