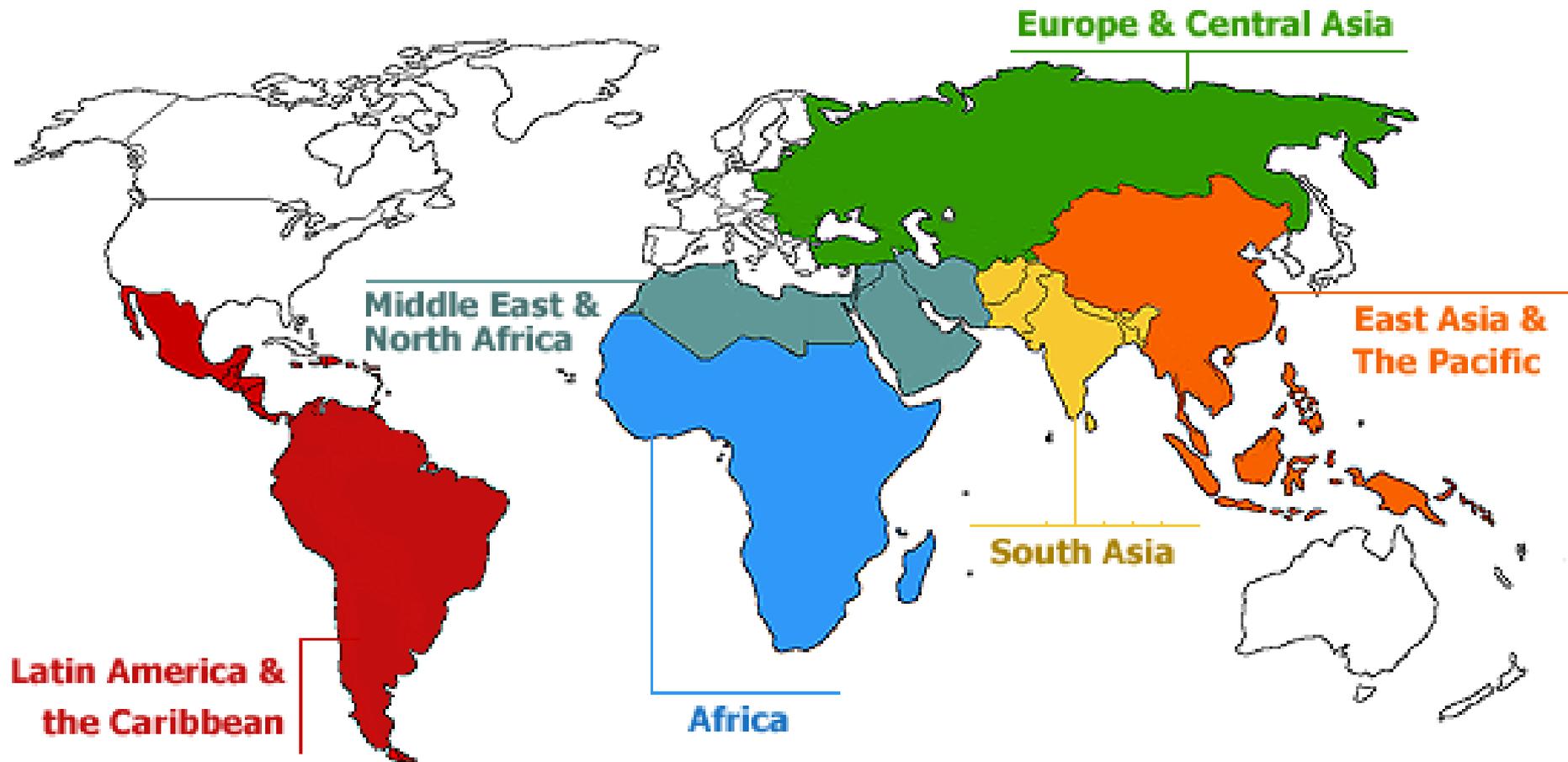


Peer-to-peer learning in developing countries on PPPs

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OECD – 4th PPP Annual Meeting
Paris March 2011

Where do we operate?



The World Bank Group timeline



IBRD
(1945)

IDA
(1960)

ICSID
(1966)

MIGA
(1988)

WBI
(1955)

IFC
(1956)

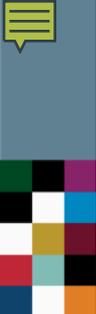
Key:



- Unit within IBRD



- Engaged on PPP activities



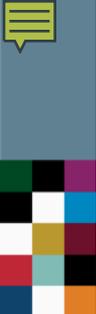
Range of support available from the World Bank Group

- IBRD
 - Capacity Development (WBI)
 - Financial products including public sector loans (e.g. VGF), guarantee funds, etc. (SDN)
 - Contractual Development (WBG General Counsel)
- IFC
 - Public sector advisory
 - Private sector lending
- MIGA
 - Financial guarantees

A virtual connection through the GET-PPP, but a long way from an established business line



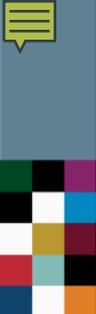
Sir Alec Cairncross conducts an EDI seminar. He is seated in front of the double doors. To his left is William Diamond, one of the EDI faculty members.



WBI PPP Capacity Development Roles



Note: PPP is one of seven thematic areas covered by the WBI, the other being Climate Change, Fragile States, Governance, Growth, Health and Urban



Regional Network Coalescence

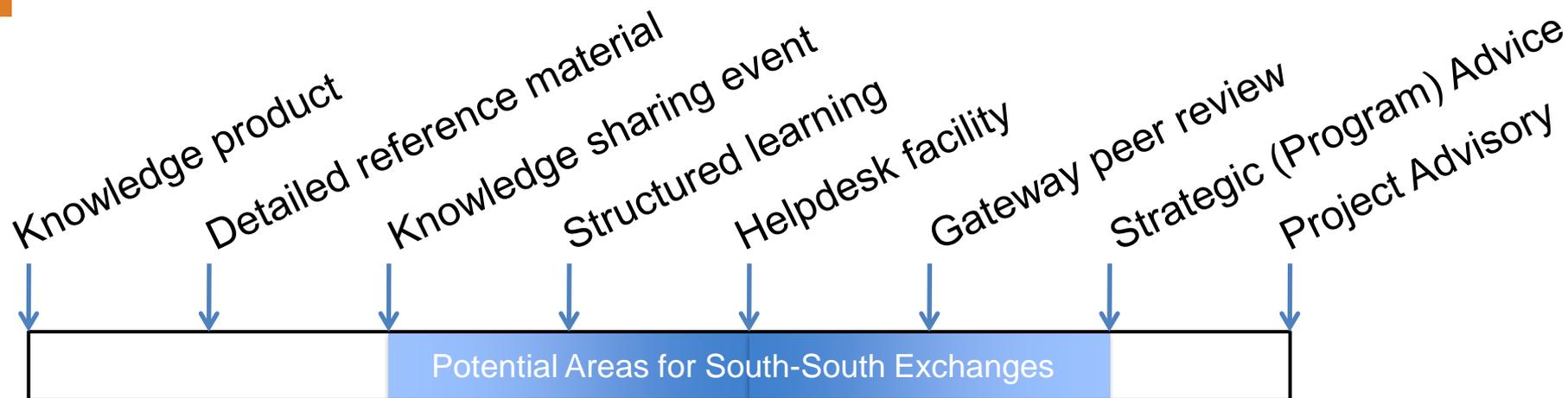
Regional Network

- Global PPP Network
- Latin American PPP Network
- Southeastern Europe and the Mediterranean PPP Forum (SEM)
- Asian PPP Forum
- Southern African Development Community (SADC)
- Arab Financing Facility for Infrastructure (AFFI)
- East African Community (EAC)

Launch

2007
2010
2010
Oct 2010
Feb 2011
Apr 2011
July 2011

Different Exchange Models Exist that are currently in Development



Passive
Exchange

Active
Exchange



The continuum reflects that knowledge exchange can be delivered from a range of sources depending on the client involved, resources available, etc.

Case Study: Global PPP Network

The screenshot shows the homepage of the Global PPP Network. At the top, the title "Global PPP Network" is displayed in red, with the tagline "Peer learning and knowledge sharing platform to CONNECT, SHARE & LEARN" below it. A navigation menu includes links for Home, About, My Page, Events, Community, Exchange, Knowledge Hub, Interactive Maps, and Manage. The main content area features a large banner image of a dam with the text "Click here to join now". To the left, there are sections for "E-learning course on PPP in Irrigation", "Featured Photos" (including a photo from "PPP DAYS 2010"), and "Featured Videos". To the right, a user profile for Kurt Alois Morriesen is visible, showing options like Sign Out, Inbox, Alerts, Friends - Invite, and Settings. At the bottom, there are "Discussion Groups" for "Enhancing PPP Performance", "Accessing Finance", and "Improving Procurement".

Headline Figures:

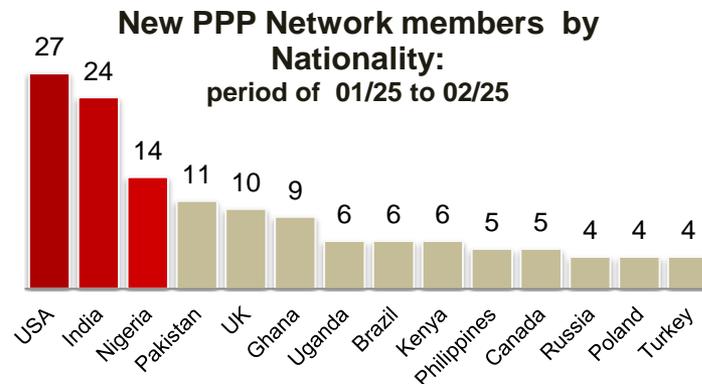
- *Over 1600 Members*
- *123 Different Nationalities Represented*
- *42% of Members from Public Sector and Multilateral Organisations*

Case Study: Global PPP Network – 1st year usage figures (April 2010-11)

- Hosted 11 PPP eConferences and eDiscussions with key stakeholders including EPEC, Inter-American Development Bank, IFC, and national PPP agencies;
- Library of over 100 reference materials through the website;
- Positive feedback from recent user survey leading to further developments on of the site.

Headline Figures (February Reporting):

- *More than 500 visitors to the site;*
- *Average duration of visit is over 30 minutes per person*
- *Majority of new members are from developing countries (see chart)*





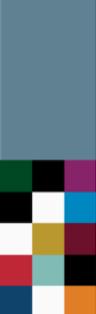
Summary

- Client demand for PPP is driving World Bank Group engagement from a number of different units
- WBI's capacity development role is witnessing a proliferation of regional networks being established
- Not all networks are the same - significant range in the scope of services at present and growing
- Already seeing this developing into tailored regional workstreams, often with an emphasis on South-South exchanges



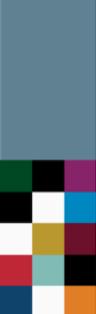
Thank You

Global PPP Network (<http://pppnetwork.ning.com/>)



LAC PPP Network

- WBI PP: be a regional connector in PPP knowledge for the capacity building in Latin American.
- Strategy:
 - Partnerships with regional multilaterals and international organizations: Interamerican Dev. Bank, CABI, CAF, OAS and IFC.
 - Disseminate best practices on PPPs in the region.
 - Create two knowledge hubs in the region.



Case Study: Best Practices in PPP Financing in LAC

- WB is identifying best practices in PPP financing in LAC countries. This includes the evaluation of the design, implementation and effectiveness of the different mechanisms created by governments to support their PPP programs in order to mitigate the negative impacts of the global financial crisis. Five countries have been selected, that concentrate 70% of the projects and 80% of the financing are considered.
- The dissemination is scheduled on May 4th and 5th in World Bank H.Q. The lesson can help LAC governments and also governments in other regions (Asia, Middle East and Africa).
- The Government of Spain is collaborating with this