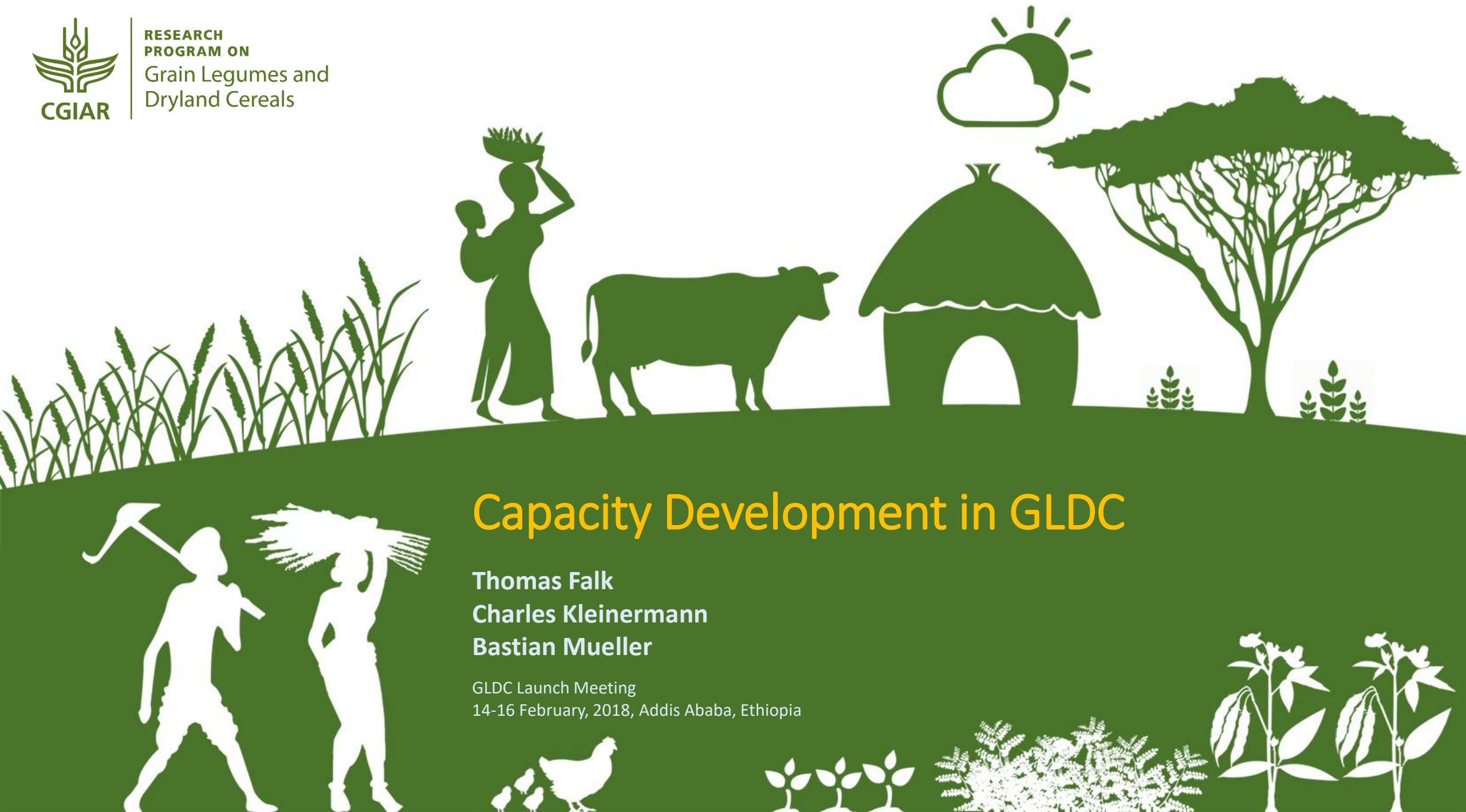




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Capacity Development in GLDC

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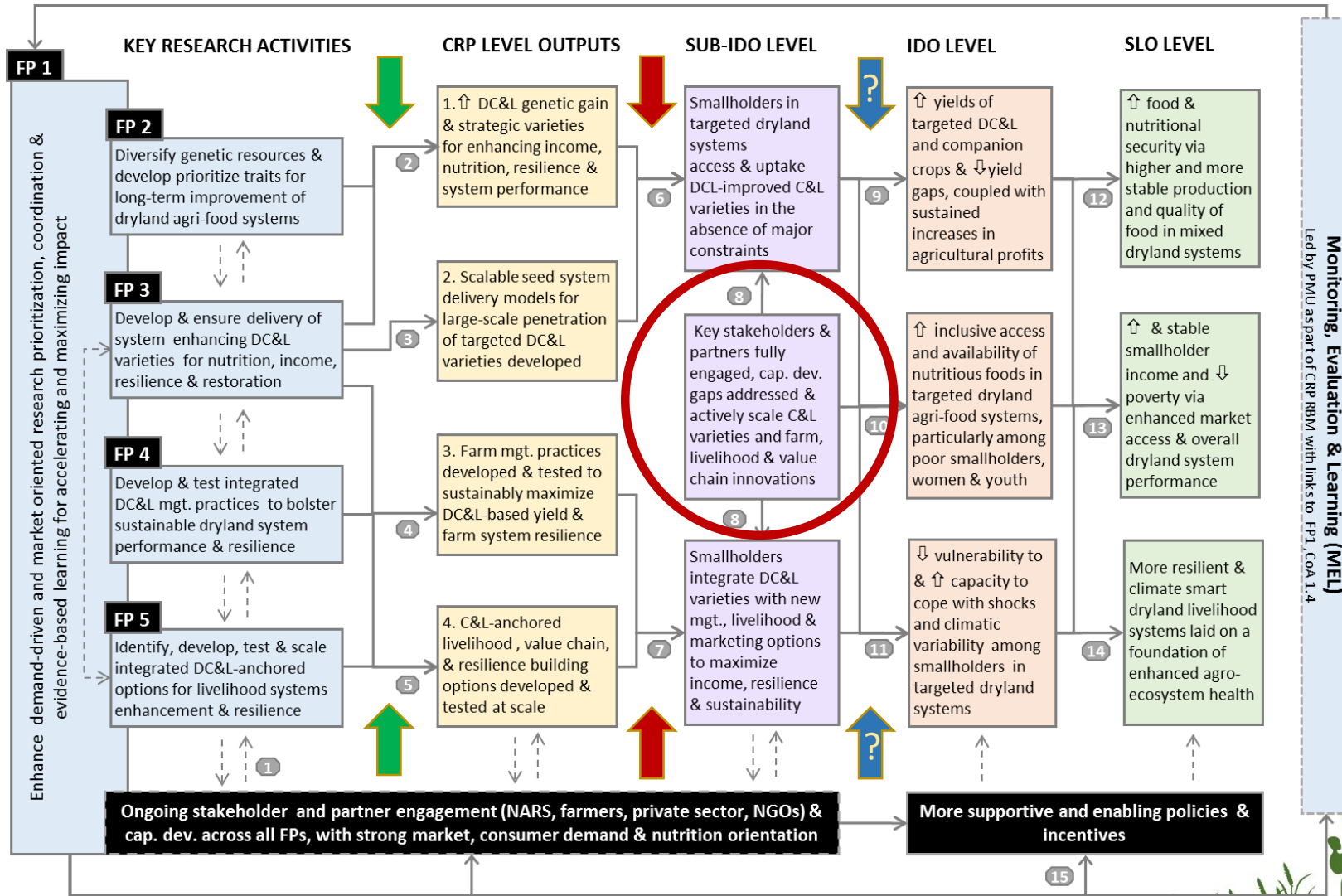
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Vision of GLDC Capacity Development

Main stakeholders, partners and teams will have in place human resources, institutions and systems capable of effectively working collaboratively as integrated systems while successfully carrying out their defined roles in GLDC, leading to the achievement of IDOs in the target regions.



Capacity Development within the GLDC theory of change



Monitoring, Evaluation & Learning (MEL)
 Led by PMU as part of CRP RBM with links to FP1, CoA 1.4



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Plan of Capacity Development Task Force 2018

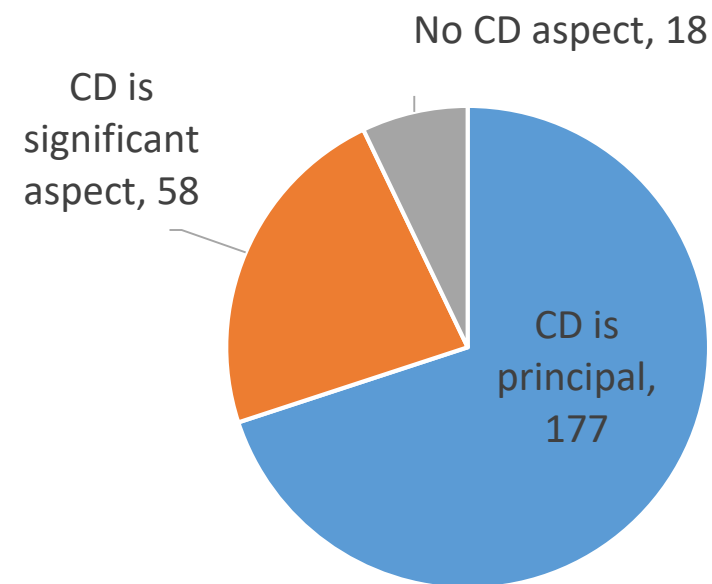
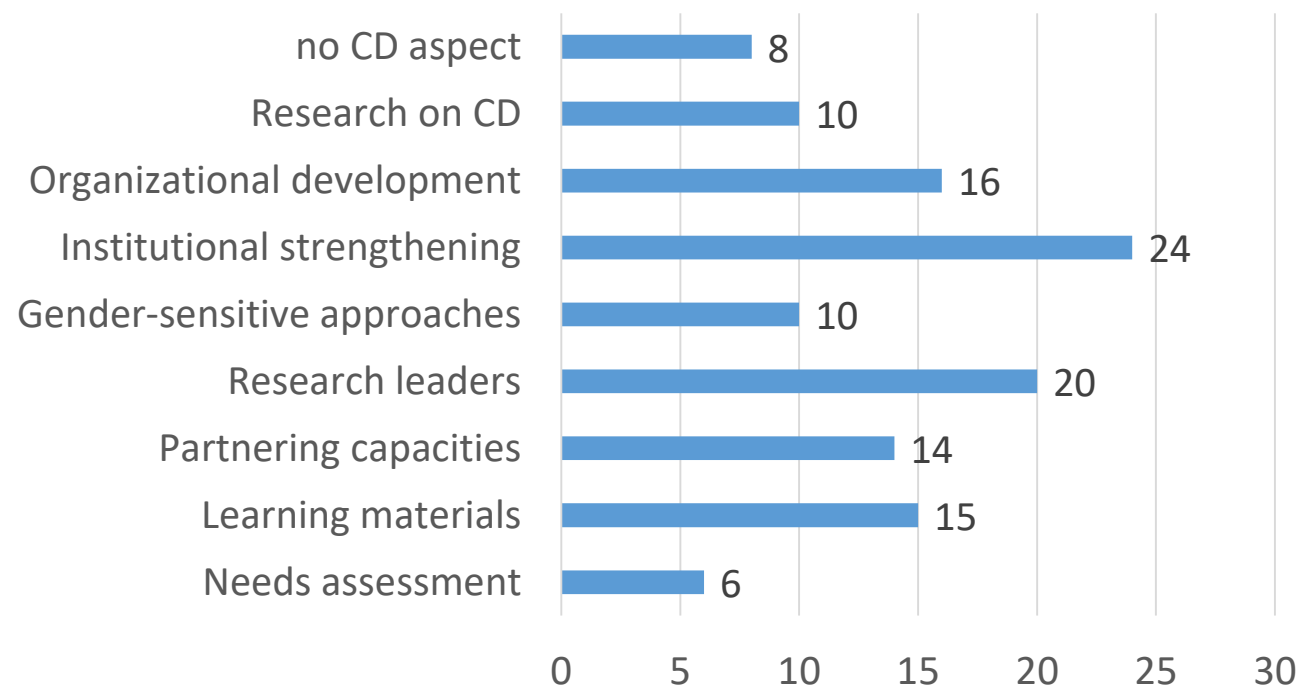
- take stock of planned and ongoing capacity development activities,
- raise stronger awareness for the diversity of capacity development interventions,
- develop Standard Operating Procedures for Flagships to engage the Crosscutting Capacity Development team,
- capacity development needs assessment,
- development of an operational plan for filling the identified capacity gaps,
- building infrastructure for effective knowledge sharing.



Capacity Development very strong dimension in work plans

Absolute frequency of association of activities in work plan with CD dimension
(N = 281, **no answer = 166**)

Ratings of outputs in work plan (N = 253)



What kind of support would be of special relevance for you?

- Mainly funding requests for materials, scholarships or additional staff,
- In few cases, respondents expressed need to be trained in skills for developing capacities,
- The need to better understand how a gender dimension can be added to the research,
- Need for Innovation Platforms to support in Institutional and Organisational CD,
- Need to support needs assessment.



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RUFORUM – GLDC cooperation

- support the training of students and university staff on CRP GLDC outputs and design a farm attachment program,
- enhance the impact of GLDC research,
- support students to pilot GLDC technologies and approaches in the field,
- Scientists identify topic, interact with university supervisor and both co-supervise students,
- Three RUFORUM Member universities engaged to participate
 - Uganda Christian University, Uganda
 - Bayero University, Nigeria
 - Egerton University, Kenya



RUFORM – GLDC cooperation

- Project will support 6 MSc. Students (2 from each participating university) and 24 undergraduate students,
- The students will participate as part of their respective supervised Field Attachment in community engagement activities.



PLEASE, IDENTIFY OPPORTUNITIES!





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