Regional Capacity Development Network

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Purpose

Ensuring the Rapid Response to Change
Ensuring the Surveyors of Tomorrow

How:
• A Global Network
• Operationalised on a Regional basis
Overview

• **Why:** Purpose

• **What:** Response to Change

• **How:** Ensure the Surveyor of Tomorrow

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**WHY?**

**Purpose:**

• **FIG:** To support international collaboration for the progress of surveying in all fields and applications

• **Member Associations:** to work collectively in a Region to develop the needed capacity of their members, a responsibility to engage

The underlining thinking is....
What- Response to Change

• Influential **Communication** to global donor organisations, governments

• Purposefully **Collaborating** with our peers

• Building **Connectivity** to ensure that skills are developed that will reach out to all stakeholder’s community networks in Countries, Regions and Globally

Rapid Response to Change

Build our **Capacity** with **Agility, & Relevance** within our Region(s)

And

• **Societal** impact

• Agents of Change, Sustainability & Resilience
Why - World Regions

Evidence based: e.g. SIDS in 2010 & 2014
- Regional Activity becomes an identifiable entity in the minds of public and civic institutions and can more clearly be engaged
- Delivery is high profile activity for Member Associations that contributes to the FIG corporate brand by maintaining meaningful links into strategic donor partner’s work activities and their associated mandates
- ATF concept can readily be seen as a possible template and adopted as necessary by Land professional’s groupings in other World Regions.

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Not One Size Fits All

Member Associations Purpose:
- To work collectively in a Region to develop the needed capacity of their members
- Each region to come up with its own needs/ relevance and contribution

The Regions - How
An Emerging Network

• Africa Task Force Purpose
  – Social responsibility to contribute to the MDG’s
  – Surveyors as Change Agents
• Task Force Focus (2009 – 2014)
  – Build capacity, to best contribute to meet global challenges

• Next step is to evolve……

RCD Network: Africa

“By 2030
Africa Land Professionals will
• Provide global thought leadership, and
• Promote professional leadership qualities,
  – Amongst its members within their Associations”
Ensuring the Surveyor of Tomorrow

To reach out across the generations Member Associations have to:

• Consolidate what has been achieved,
• Continue momentum, and
• Engage at all levels of societal institutions

People, Partnerships & Places

How – People & Partnerships

• **Principles** of Leadership, Diversity & inclusion in stakeholder meetings and

• **Support** from the existing network and new members, FIG office and Partners

• **Partnerships**: YSN, Federation of French Speaking Surveyors, FIG Commissions, Corporate Members, and Member associations…._our bedrock for implementation and operationalisation_
How- Our Place

“Professionals will need to quickly re-think roles and responsibilities, in the dynamic 21st Century landscape “
Robin Mclaren January 2015

Global Landscape:
• 2015/16: Futures, Youth and Diversity in an equitable economy,
• 2016/17 Good Land Governance; alliance with VGGTs & SDGs (Land indicators)
• 2017/18 Economics and Finance (Potential); AU Large Scale Land Based Investments.

Long Term Action Plan

RCD Network success looks like:
• Resilient Network continues to function.
• Clear leadership direction for the future
• Diversity in annual meetings
• Capacity development for benefit of society and members
Roundtable Sofia 2015

Engagement: Open to all…

• Deliberate: The Direction of our Journey

• This requires Agreeing:
  Leadership, Working Themes, Venues, opportunities identified, our capacity & resources to deliver

Tuesday 8am – 9.am Hall 7.1/7.2

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Thank You
Look Forward to Seeing You
Keeping in Touch

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