

IRDR SC26

Research Agenda update

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A Framework for Global Science

— in Support of —

Risk-informed Sustainable Development and Planetary Health



Status of the “Research Agenda”

Thanks to all in the extended IRDR community for their support and inputs

- Name change to “Framework for Global Science...”
- Draft “launched” at the IRDR International Conference outlined by Fang earlier today;
- Huge interest and generally positive feedback from the conference;
- Feedback requiring changes from the ISC;
- Revised and renamed version is now in the final stages of publication production.

Figure 5.1 Overview of the nine priority areas of research



The immediate future

- The Framework and the **research priorities on risk need to work synergistically and collaboratively with the other global research programs** on sustainability, climate change and related areas.
- **Developing momentum for implementation:** it might be valuable to consider an IRDR type arrangement to help develop momentum. This would need to be well coordinated with ISC/UNDRR and major research communities and funders.
- **Implementation needs to be a collective endeavour** with whatever groups are willing and appropriate for the various priorities.
- It's not easy to say or speculate on who could lead priorities. However, **the IRDR community could play a strong role** in #6 regional science, and #9 fostering collaboration; as these priorities are part of the program's rationale. Very substantial IRDR expertise also exists on others including #5 on technology; and #2 on inequalities and vulnerabilities.