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Roadshow

March 2023





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Introduction



"We must develop ways of collaborating across groups of people with different perspectives and experiences from our own."

Hannah Critchlow, 'Joined-up Thinking'

"...in the intersection between perspectives, real insight can be gleaned."

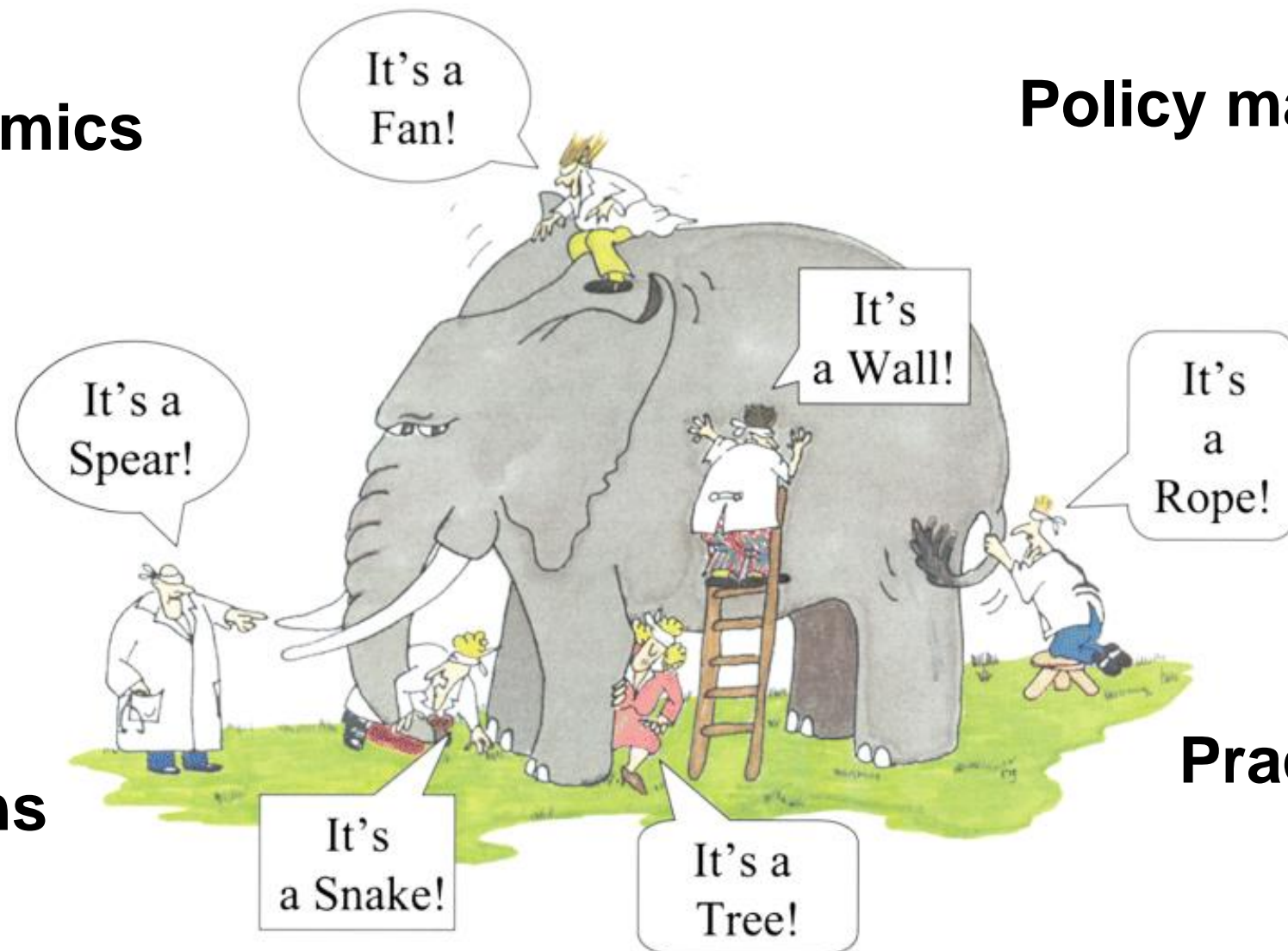
Margaret Heffernan, 'Wilful Blindness'

Academics

Policy makers

Citizens

Practitioners



"When you step into an intersection of fields, disciplines, or cultures, you can combine existing concepts into a large number of extraordinary new ideas."

Frans Johansson, 'The Medici Effect'



Objectives

- Impact on policy and practice
- Benefit members:
 - Reputation
 - Research culture
 - Academic collaboration
 - Business development
 - Stronger networks
 - Staff Development

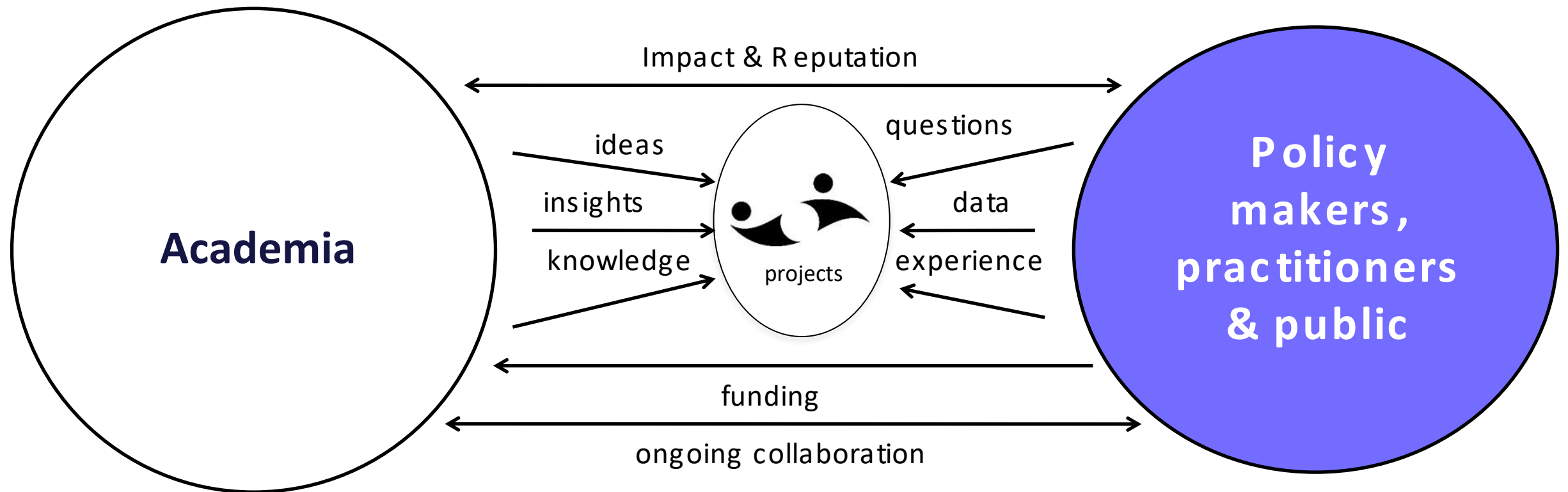
Approach and aims

- Multi-disciplinary, multi-institution knowledge exchange
 - academics, policy makers, practitioners, wider public
- increase understanding
- share learning
- generate insights and ideas

“The Scottish Government really value the work of the Scottish Universities Insight Institute...

- very effective way of bringing together researchers, practitioners and policy-makers...**
- creates real impact by focusing on the key challenges for Scotland...**
- very cost effective...**
- allows for creative approaches to problems to be tested...**
- leads to both academic research and policy and operational impact.”**

Dr Roddy Macdonald - Head of Higher Education and Science Division, Scottish Government



- Governing Board/Programme Committee – Members, Scottish Government, SFF, SPICe, Audit Scotland,
 - Two calls per year – themed and open
 - Director, Programme Manager, Events Co-ordinator
- Insight Centre + event space in other member universities + external venues

catalyst, focal point, safe space, facilitator, interpreter, adviser, organiser

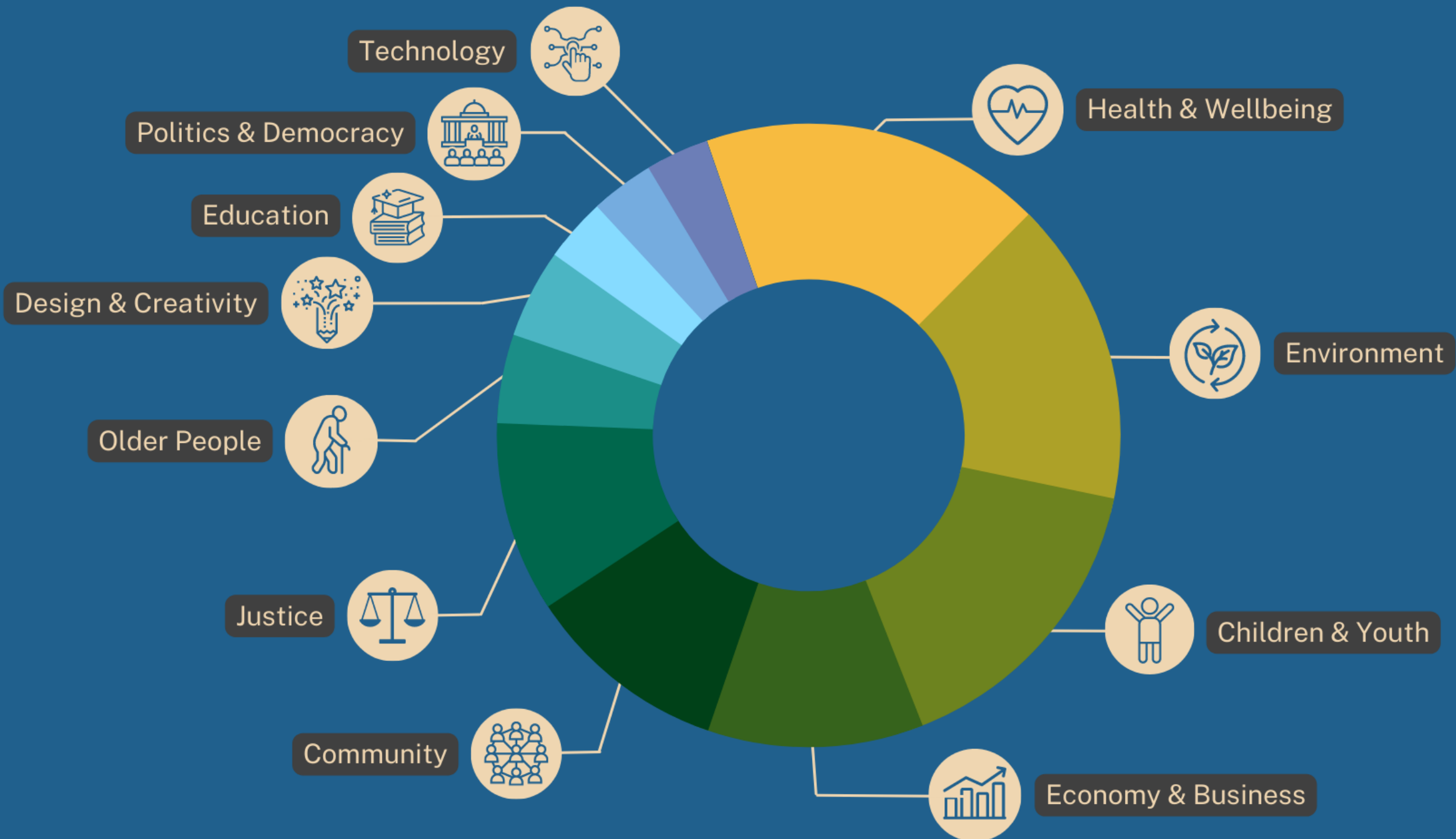


Previous Programmes

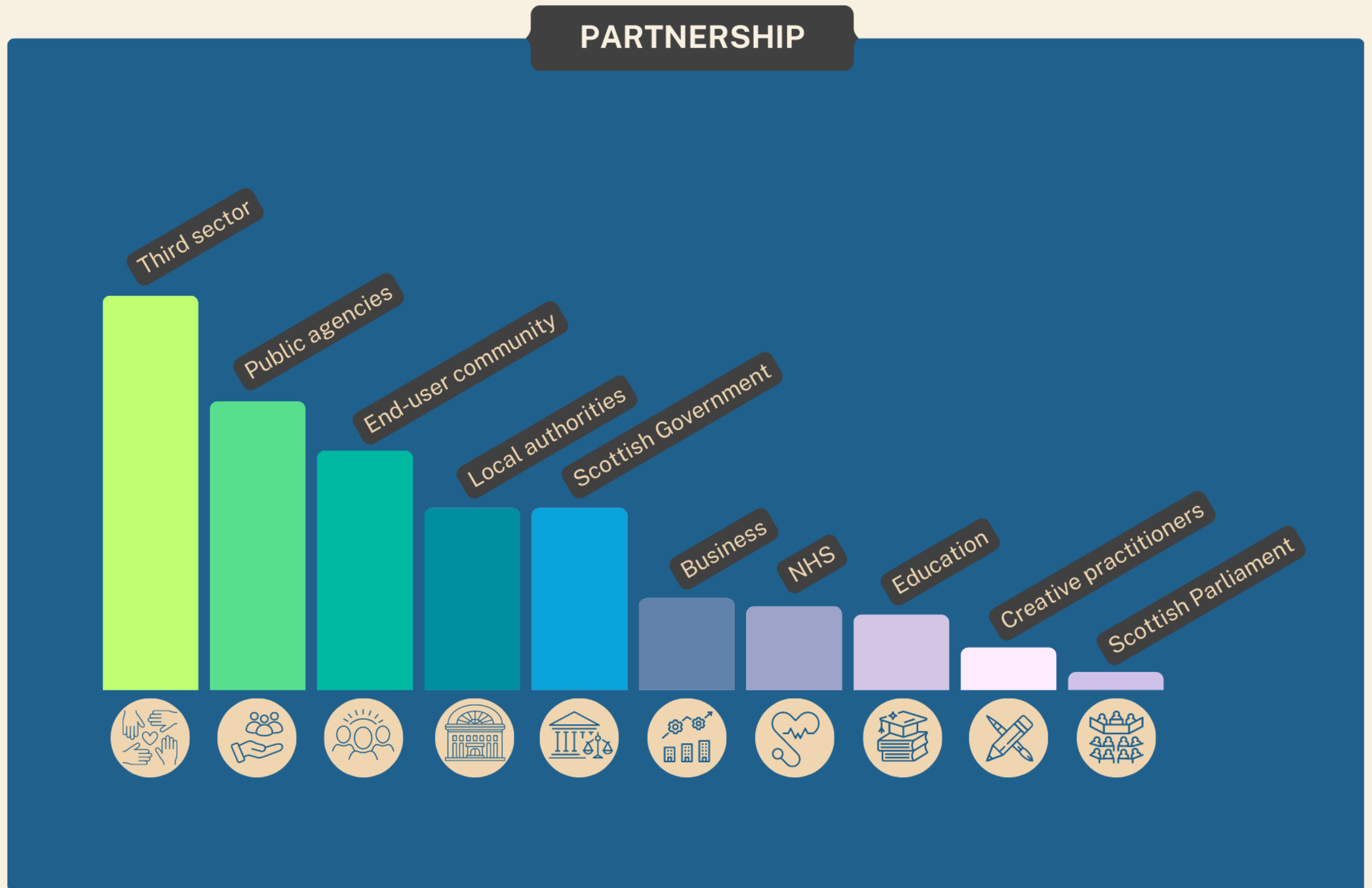


In the past decade we have supported over 80 teams to collaborate on a diverse range of topics with a strong focus on interdisciplinarity.

AREAS OF FOCUS

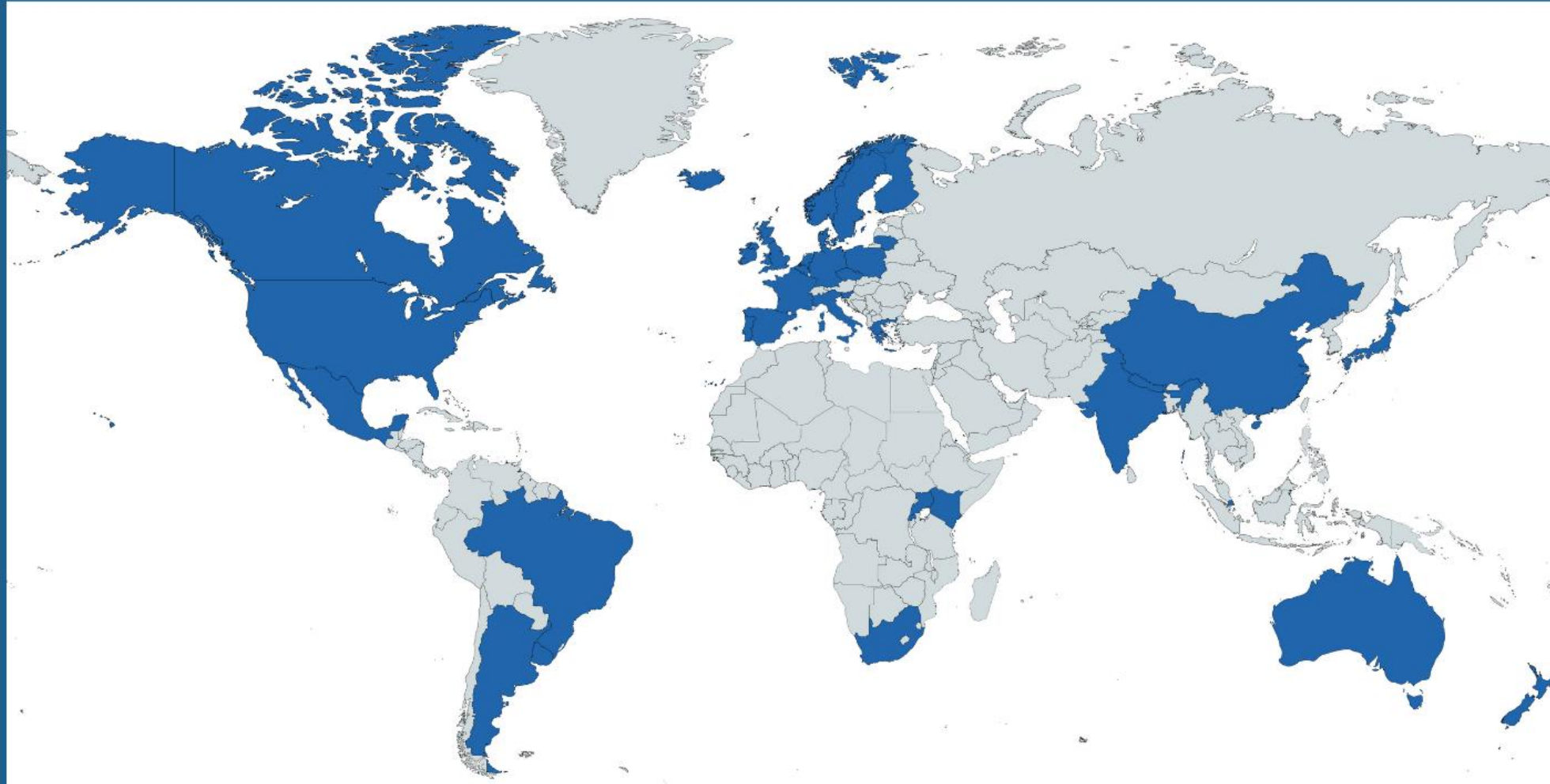


Our programmes take a collaborative approach to shared issues or problems; they support partnerships that are 'demand-led' and based on genuine exchange with policymakers, practitioners and the wider public.



The wider international participation which we support informs thinking, helps benchmark the Scottish research, policy and business environment, and builds Scotland's reputation for innovative approaches to addressing societal changes.

INTERNATIONAL INVOLVEMENT



Australia	China	France	Ireland	Mexico	Norway	Slovenia	Uruguay
Argentina	Czech Republic	Germany	Italy	Nepal	Poland	South Africa	USA
Belgium	Denmark	Greece	Japan	Netherlands	Portugal	Spain	Wales
Brazil	England	Iceland	Kenya	New Zealand	Rwanda	Sweden	
Canada	Finland	India	Lithuania	Northern Ireland	Singapore	Uganda	

SULL values and encourages creative approaches to carrying out knowledge exchange. This is reflected in the programmes' innovative and increasingly diverse approaches to sharing results and insights.

OUTPUTS



Networks/connections



Film/video



Performance/exhibition



Poster/comic



Policy recommendations



Briefing papers



Best practice guidelines



Website/blog



Toolkits/resources



Pilot project





<https://vimeo.com/scotinsight/waterfronts>

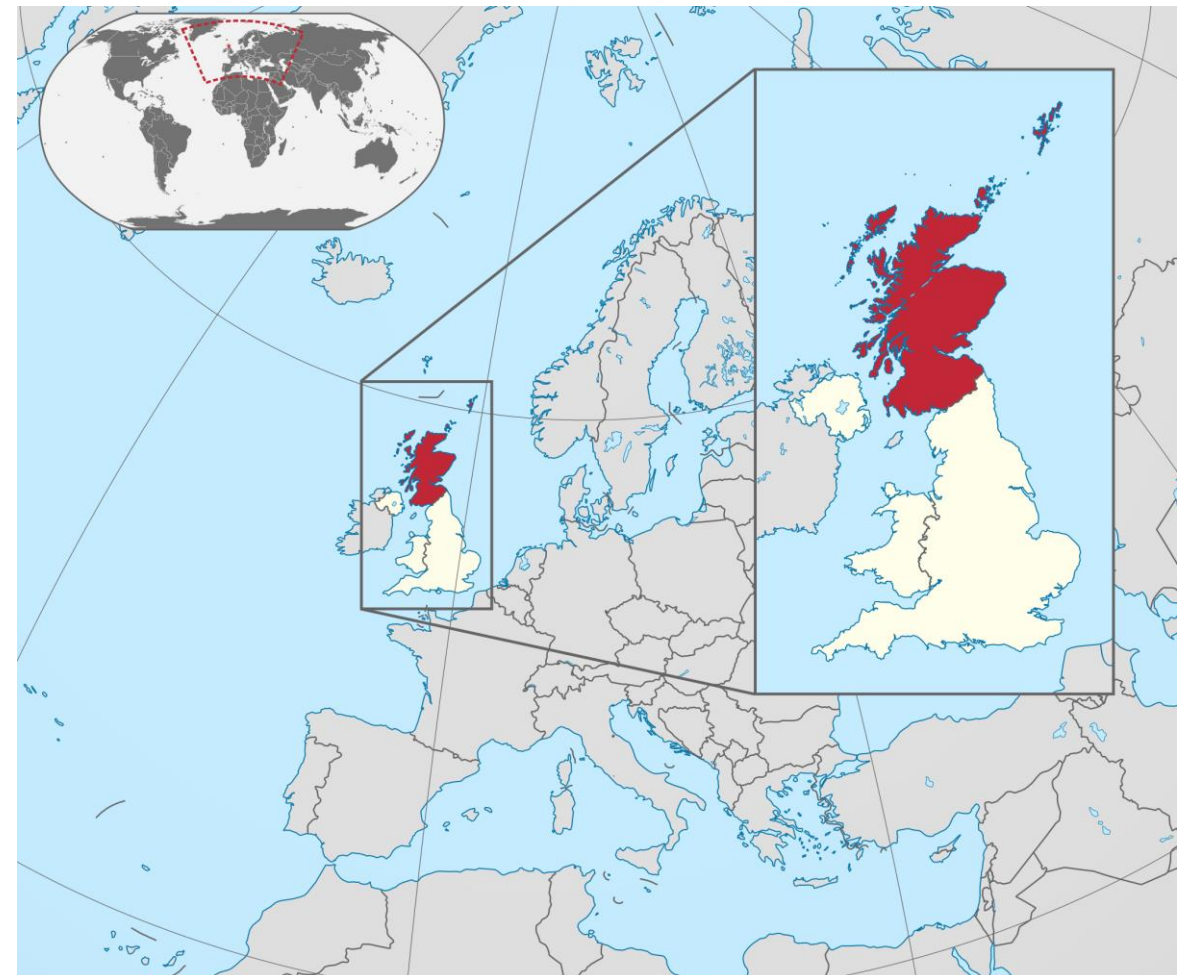


Next call



Scotland in Europe

Building, maintaining and deepening relationships with European partners in a post Brexit environment, to share knowledge and experience, learn from each other, promote innovation and strengthen Europe's economic, environmental and social development and security.





Criteria and costs



Assessment Criteria

- Two member universities
- Importance to Scotland and wider world
- Potential impact on policy and practice
- Relevance - aims & objectives
- Quality of research base
- Inter-disciplinarity
- Non-academic input / KE focus
- International perspective
- Programme content/approach



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**Programmes of Knowledge Exchange
Application Form 2022-2023
Round 1 - Open Call**

Completing the form

Please read the accompanying *Guide for Applicants* and the Scottish Universities Insight Institute's *Terms of Award* before completing this application form. All sections of the form must be completed.

If you have any questions about the completion of this form or have any other queries relating to the funding scheme, please contact the Insight Institute.

Submitting the form

Please submit an electronic copy of the application form to: info@scottishinsight.ac.uk

Deadline for submission: Friday 25 November 2022, 12pm

Title of the project

Lead partners (SUII member institutions)

- 1.
- 2.

Period of activity (e.g. Feb – August 2023)

Eligible Costs

- Travel
- Accommodation
- Catering
- Venue (if not using Institute)
- International visitor expenses
- Recording / facilitating events
- Project materials
- Communication / dissemination



Timetable for next call

- Expression of interest - April 21
- Full application - late May
- Programme Committee - June
- Programmes – July - Feb

April 2023

Calendarpedia.co.uk
Your source for calendars

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