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# INTERNATIONAL SCIENCE PROGRAMME ISP

## ISP Research and Laboratory Management Workshops

The purpose with the research and laboratory management workshops is to facilitate an enabling environment for scientific researchers and technicians at scientific institutions with weak scientific infrastructure. The workshops bring together scientific researchers, technicians, librarians, scientific institution management, and users of scientific findings, for lectures and discussions with the aim of inspiring scientific stakeholders to be innovative change-makers.

The research and laboratory management workshop agenda is built on evaluation planning. Evaluation planning describes how we monitor and evaluate the way we address our activities, as well as how we intend to use evaluation results for activity improvement and decision making. The workshops benefit from the “Real-time Outcome Planning & Evaluation” (ROPE) tool and the “Strategy for Change” (SfC) template.

ROPE and SfC guide workshop participants through ambitions, outcome challenges, activities, milestones, output, outcome and impact, while we do surveys to measure progress markers and other indicators. The set-up is two-fold; each researcher’s and technician’s own career ambitions combined with the ambitions of the management of the institution. The workshops are instructor led and delivered by using a blended learning approach, combining presentations, guided sessions of practical exercise, group work and home work.

Expected Outcome is increased number of; approved research grant application, submitted manuscripts approved for publication, implemented research findings, and functioning advanced scientific equipment, as well as increased income through consultancy and laboratory work.