Invitation to submit research accountability tools and systems for online database

Description

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Dear colleagues

Iâ??m writing to ask you to submit any tools you know of, or have developed, which you think could help build the accountability of research organisations. These will be entered into a publicly available online database. The One World Trust has been working with our partners to formulate an accountability framework for organisations conducting research (whether civil society, universities, private or public sector). The database will make available tools which will help research managers reflect on and improve the accountability of the programs they manage . Specifically, we are looking for descriptions and accounts of innovative tools and processes which fall within the following broad areas:

- Tools suitable for the monitoring and evaluation of research and advocacy;
- Tools for participatory planning of research;
- Tools to assist organisational learning and change;
- Good practices and policies of transparency in research;
- Good practices for working accountably in partnerships and networks;
- Community engagement strategies with research participants;
- Tools to ensure you â??close the loopâ?? and manage feedback from your research participants;
- Examples of where organisations conducting research have integrated external stakeholders into governance structures; and
- Ethics standards for participatory and applied research.

Ideally, the description would take the form of a document or case study. For those interested in submitting a tool, please get in contact with the One World Trust team at apro@oneworldtrust.org. For more information on the project, please visit our website. All relevant tools will be included in the database, which we propose to put online and publicly available by August 2010. If we think the tool is not relevant, we do promise to get back to you and explain why! Thanks very much for your time, Brendan.

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