

futureearth
research for global sustainability

IMPLEMENTATION

Engagement, Governance,
Secretariat, Programme and project
transition, Funding and Activities

Engagement



Governance

- Science Committee - **imminent**
 - c. 140 nominations received
 - decisions taken by ICSU/ISSC
 - to be forwarded to Alliance for endorsement
- Engagement Committee
 - proposal to form proto Engagement Committee to be considered by Alliance in June
- Governing Council
 - Alliance as interim
 - discussion on permanent arrangements in June

Secretariat

Interim

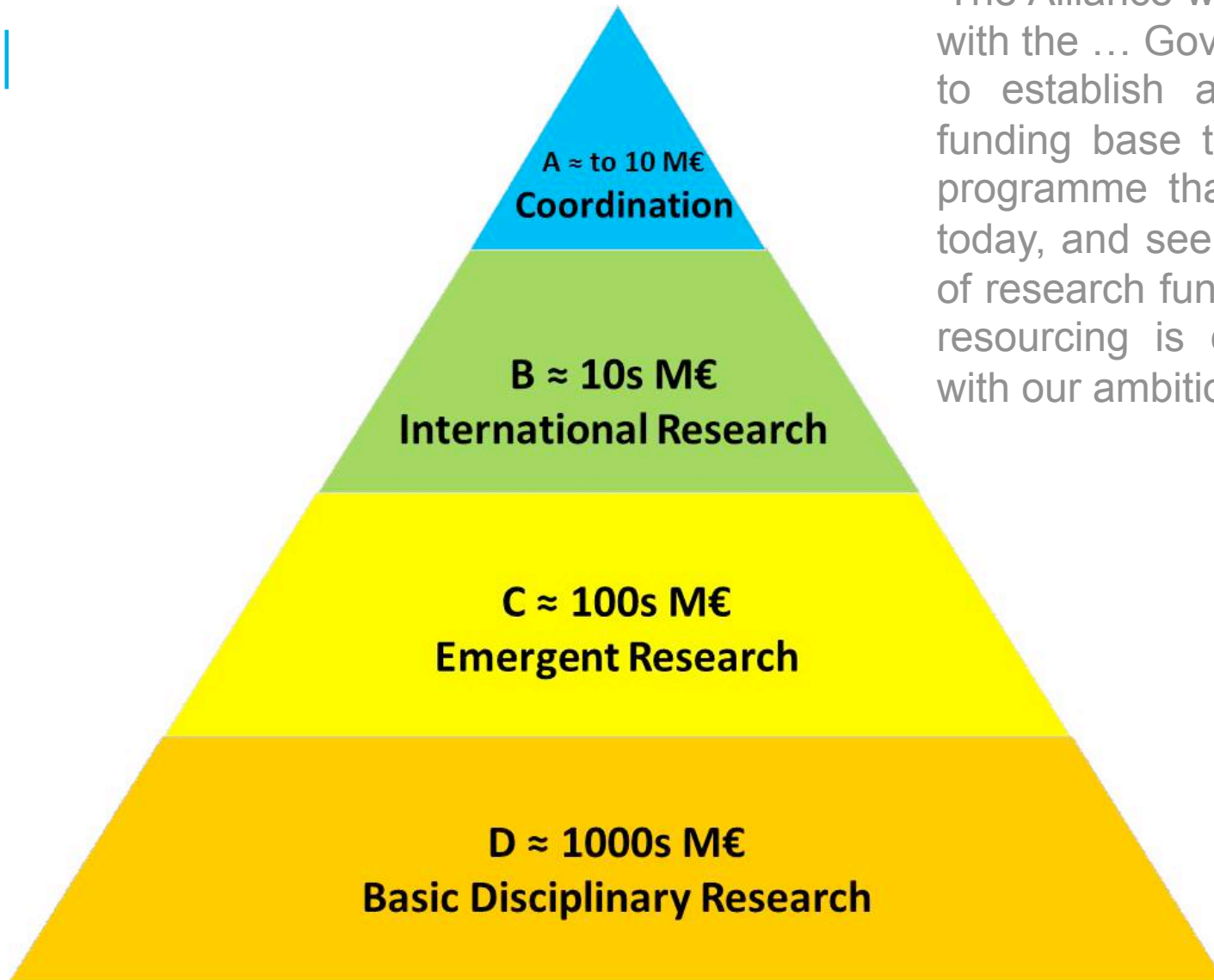
- Interim Director - **imminent**
- Interim secretariat
 - ICSU team and dedicated recruitments
 - Alliance
 - GEC programme secretariats
- 18 months

Permanent

- Director, HQ and regionally distributed secretariat
- 3 stage process starting June
 - expressions of interest
 - bidders conference
 - full networked bids
- Proposals
 - must be resourced
 - innovative solutions to the requirements

Programme and project transition

- Programmes merging into Future Earth
 - Diversitas, IGBP, IHDP
 - from mid 2014 onwards
- GEC projects invited to become part of Future Earth through phased approach and asked to consider:
 - scientific readiness
 - strategic benefits
 - stability
- Next projects conference – July / September



‘The Alliance will work closely with the ... Governing Council to establish a more stable funding base to manage the programme than is available today, and seek new sources of research funding to ensure resourcing is commensurate with our ambition’

Early activities



Sustainable development goals for people and planet



Transformative Cornerstones of Social Science Research for Global Change



5. Nationales Kolloquium des NKGCF





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