JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

2012-2020
PAGE and other programs

Support
- 122 policy studies
- 64 developing countries
- 483 local researchers trained
  - 55% women

Global reach
- 20M USD Support
- 46% Global reach

Africa 57%
Latin America 17%
Asia 19%
Eastern Europe & MENA 6%

46% low-income/fragile countries

Learning by doing approach - PEP Grant Plus model

Research quality
- Rigorous selection process
- Online/in-class training
- Scientific mentorship
- Study visits
- Peer-review

Policy engagement
- Policy context analysis
- Policy outreach and communication training
- Policy engagement mentorship

Outcomes & impact

47% projects published in scientific journals

Including
- Journal of Public Economics
- World Development
- Journal of Development Studies
- Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization
- European Review of Agricultural Economics

And special PEP issues in:
- Environment and Development Economics
- Review of Development Economics (forthcoming)

PEP publications
- 107 working papers
- 93 policy briefs

200,000+ downloads
POLICY INFLUENCE

25% of projects: 
**directly informed policy decisions**

23% of projects: 
**policymakers committed to use findings**

53% of projects: 
**taken up in general policy debates**

A few examples in..

**Benin**
Findings informed the revision of the national “Technical Education and Vocational Training” policy

**Mongolia**
Vocational Training Program for youth revised and renewed based on PEP findings, and the government introduces evidence requirement for changes to laws

**Uganda**
Findings informed the government’s Youth Employment strategy and UNICEF’s 2015-2020 Country Programme


PROMOTING LOCAL EXPERTISE

52% of researchers experienced significant **career advancement**

- 24% Academic advancement
- 28% Increased policy involvement

55% projects were reported in national news media

62% teams received **new (non-PEP) research funding**

70% teams organized national policy conferences

30% teams presented at high-level international conferences