

Preliminary Draft Programme: Brazil, South Africa, India and China Plus - Joint Research Planning Workshop

28 th March (Wednesday)	Arrivals at OR Tambo International and Airport Transfers to Hotel			Lucas Madia
29 th March (Thursday)	Time	Activity		
	09h00 – 10h00	Session 1	Welcome to participants	Maria Clara/ Rasigan Maharajh
	10h00 – 10h30	Break		
	10h30 – 12h00	Session 2	Presentation of RISSI Project	Isabel Bortagaray
	12h00 – 13h00	Lunch		
	13h00 – 15h00	Session 2 (cont)	Methodology: The methodological framework to carry out case studies in RISSI Project	Jose Cassiolato
	15h00 – 15h30	Break		
30 th March (Friday)	15h30 – 17h00	Session 3	Case-studies: Selection of the case studies	KJ Joseph
	09h00 – 10h00	Session 4	National Research Teams, Networking and Policy Influence: The composition of national research teams including the insertion of young researchers to be trained Networking dynamics and forms of interaction and communication Discussion of how RISSI project will influence national innovation policies	Liu Xielin
	10h00 – 10h30	Break		
	10h30 – 12h00	Session 4 (cont)		Liu Xielin
	12h00 – 13h00	Lunch		
	13h00 – 15h00	Session 5	Project Planning, Budgeting and Other Organisational matters: Planning the eighteen-month project agenda & sharing responsibilities Organisational matters	Maria Clara
	15h00 – 15h30	Break		
15h30 – 17h00	Wrapping up and Closing Session		Rasigan Maharajh	
31 st March (Saturday)	Airport transfers from Hotel and Departures from OR Tambo International			Lucas Madia

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