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Information briefing on the United Nations World Data Forum and Road to Bern

United Nation Statistical Commission side event, New York

4 March 2020



Programme Development

Call for proposals ended on 7 February 2020

521 proposals received

14 proposals removed in initial screening

*Hosted an online
information session in
January 2020 to address
queries linked to the Call
for Proposals!*



Key highlights

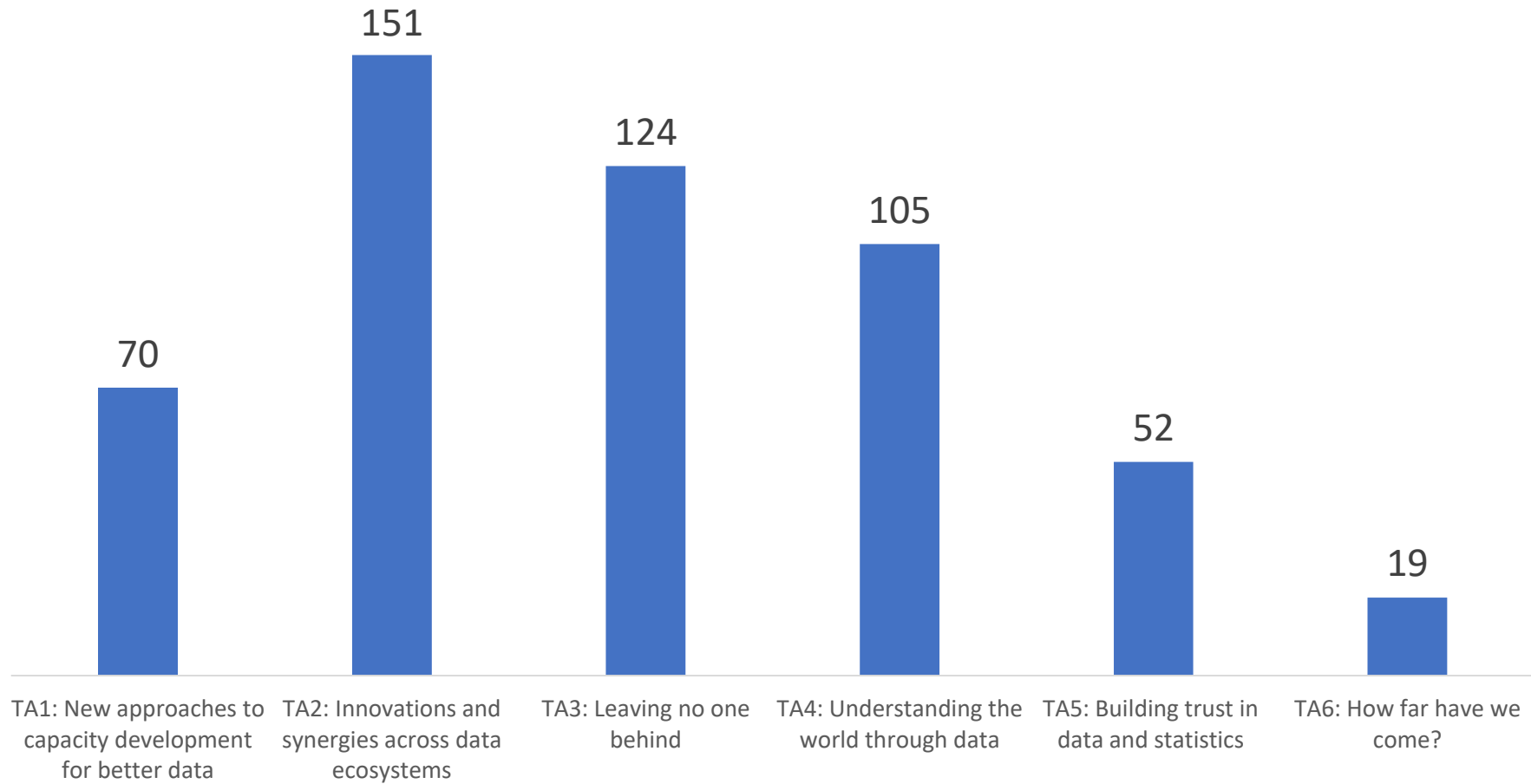
Quality and **quantity** of proposals increased

Increase in proposal **submissions** from **Asia** and **Latin America**

More **varied session proposals**

Data communities putting forward proposals remain **diverse**

Proposals received by thematic area (TA)





Criteria for evaluating proposals

- Relevance and impact
- Diversity
- Data innovation
- Creativity
- Data Communities
- Concrete

Current status of review

- Secretariat reviewed proposal for **initial screening**
- Proposals **currently** under **review by the Programme Committee**
- Submitters will be **notified of status** by **31 March 2020**
- Review by the **High-level Group** for Partnership, Coordination and Capacity-Building for statistics for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development in **May 2020**
- Announcement of the Final Programme on **1 June 2020**



Registrations open from **June 1 to August 1 2020**

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