

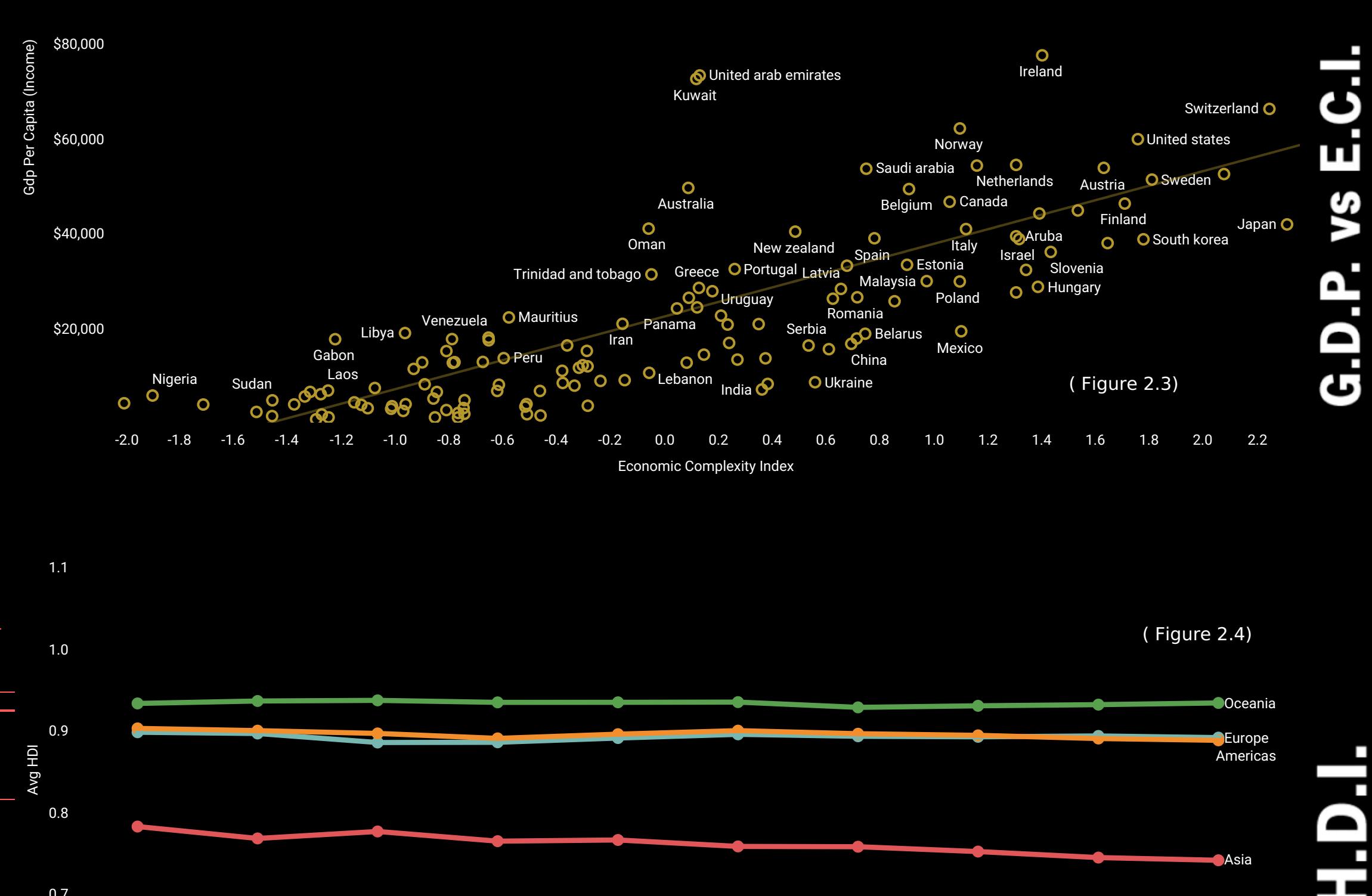
TEDx 2009-2018

A ten year exploration of
TEDx events and talks

The development level of each country, Gross Domestic Product (GDP), Human Development Index (HDI) and the Economic Complexity Index (ECI) impact world economic situation and prospects, adjust the living standards and prioritize sustainable consumption, productive capabilities, technologies, knowledge, ideas, and of course global phenomena like TEDx events.

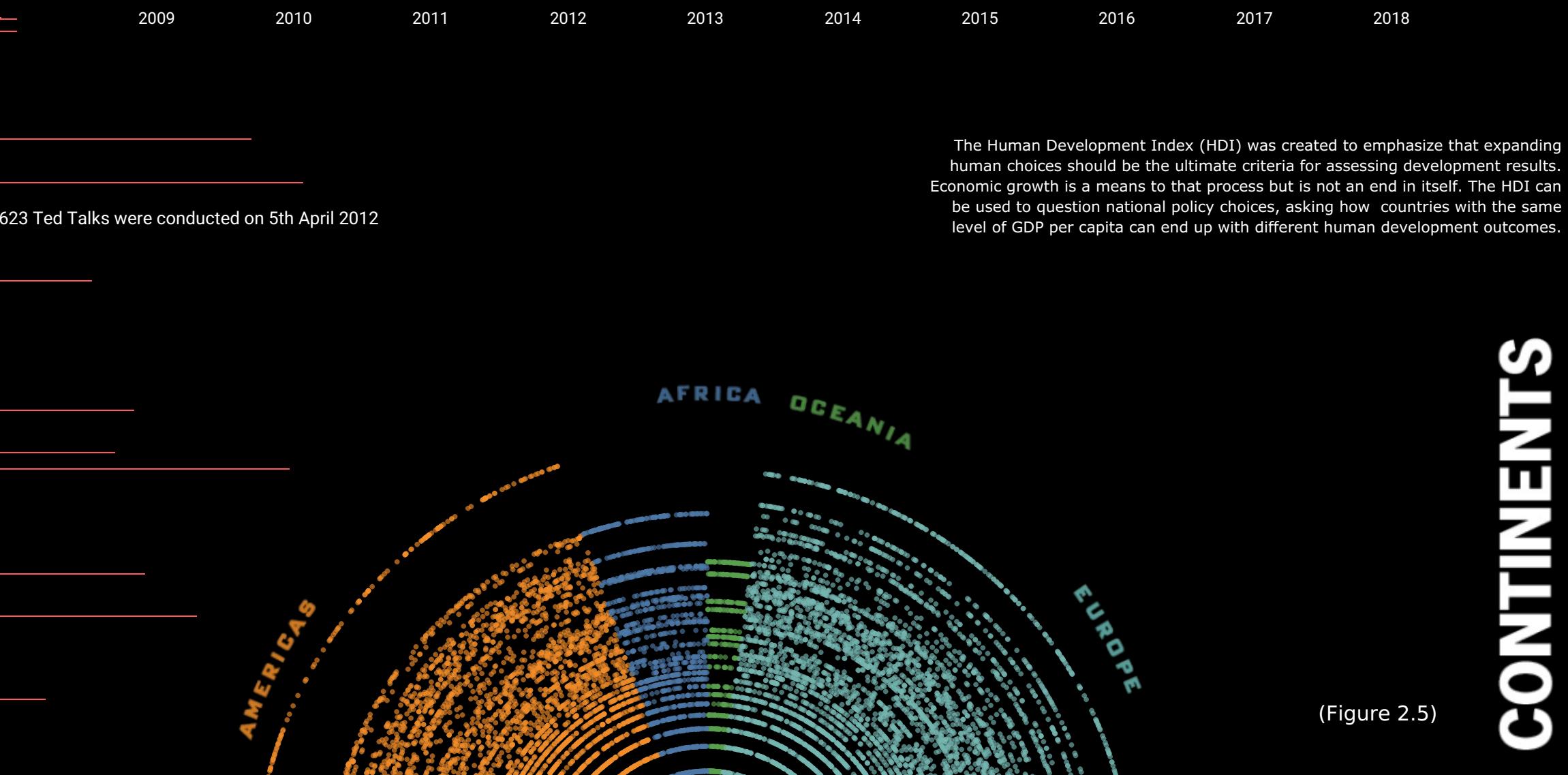


Cumulative Ted Events (Figure 2.1)



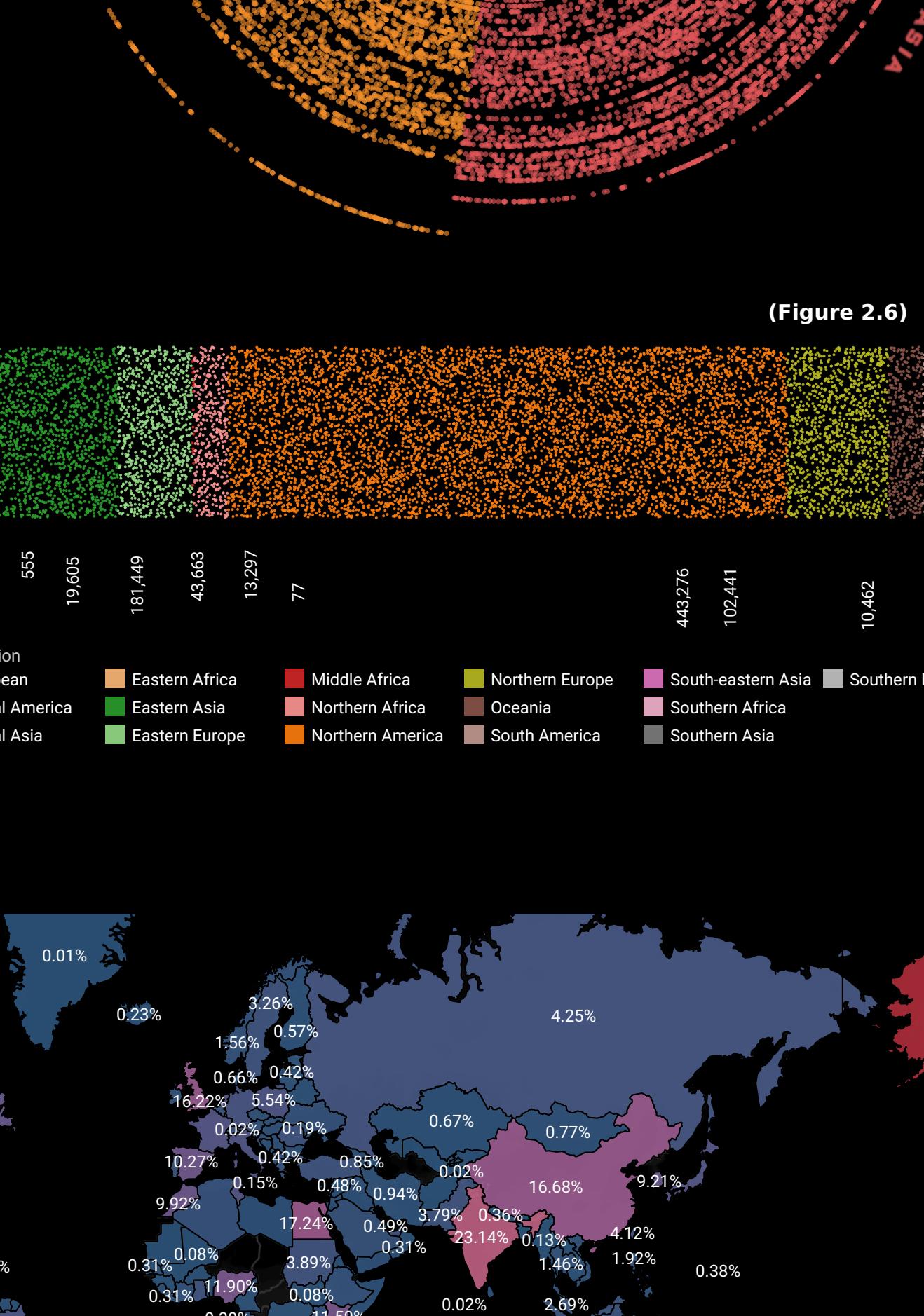
ECI is a measure of the productive capabilities of large economic systems, usually cities, regions, or countries. GDP/capita indicates a useful unit to make cross-country comparison of average living standards and economic wellbeing. There is special connection in between.

G.D.P. vs E.C.I.



H.D.I.

The Human Development Index (HDI) was created to emphasize that expanding human choices should be the ultimate criteria for assessing development results. Economic growth is a means to that process but is not an end in itself. The HDI can be used to question national policy choices, asking how countries with the same level of GDP per capita can end up with different human development outcomes.



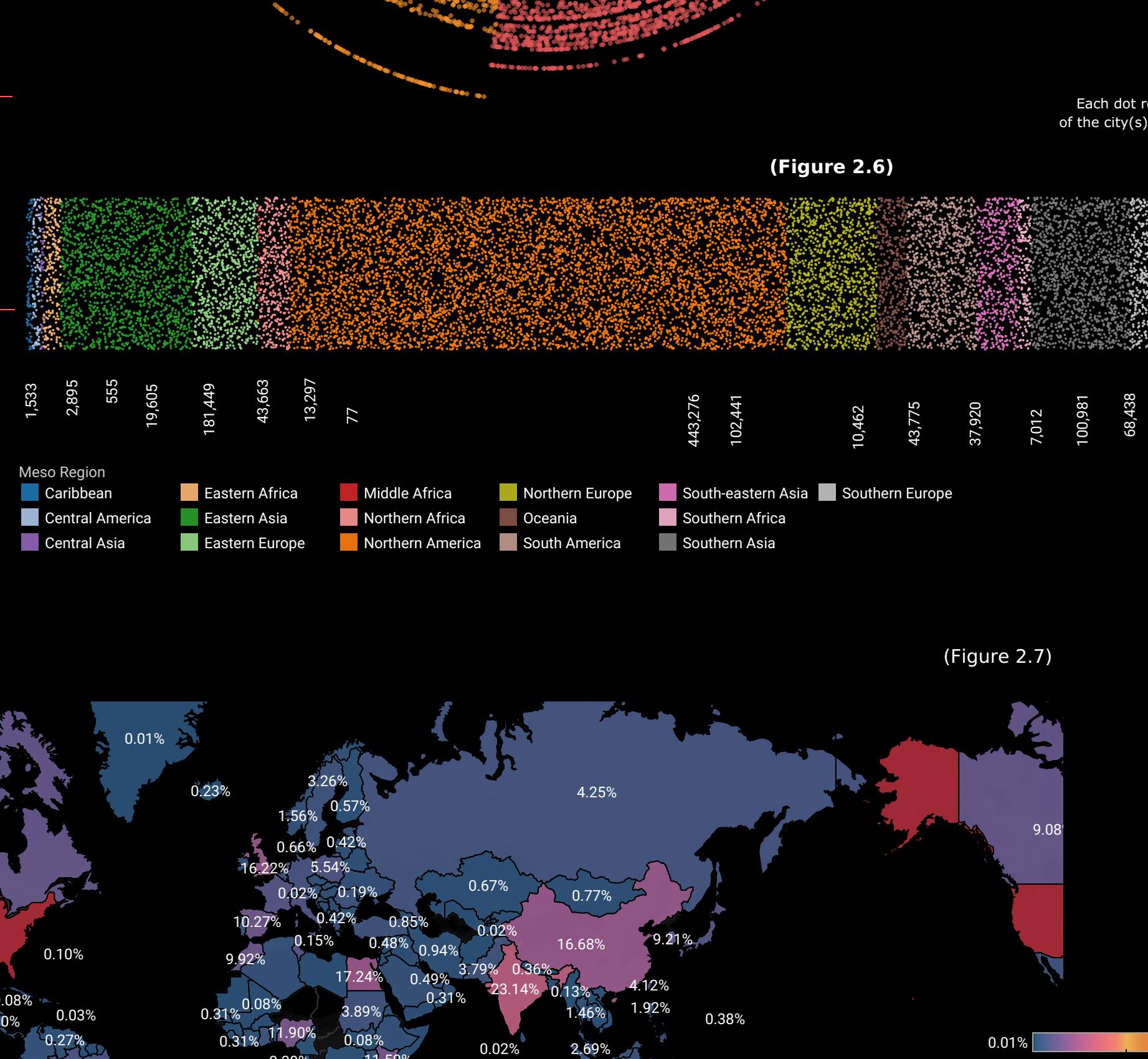
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Each colour represents a different macro region. Each circle represents the cities and TEDx events conducted in those cities.

The farther from the centre the circle is, the more artworks it represents.

Each dot represents the name(s) of the city(s) for each meso region.

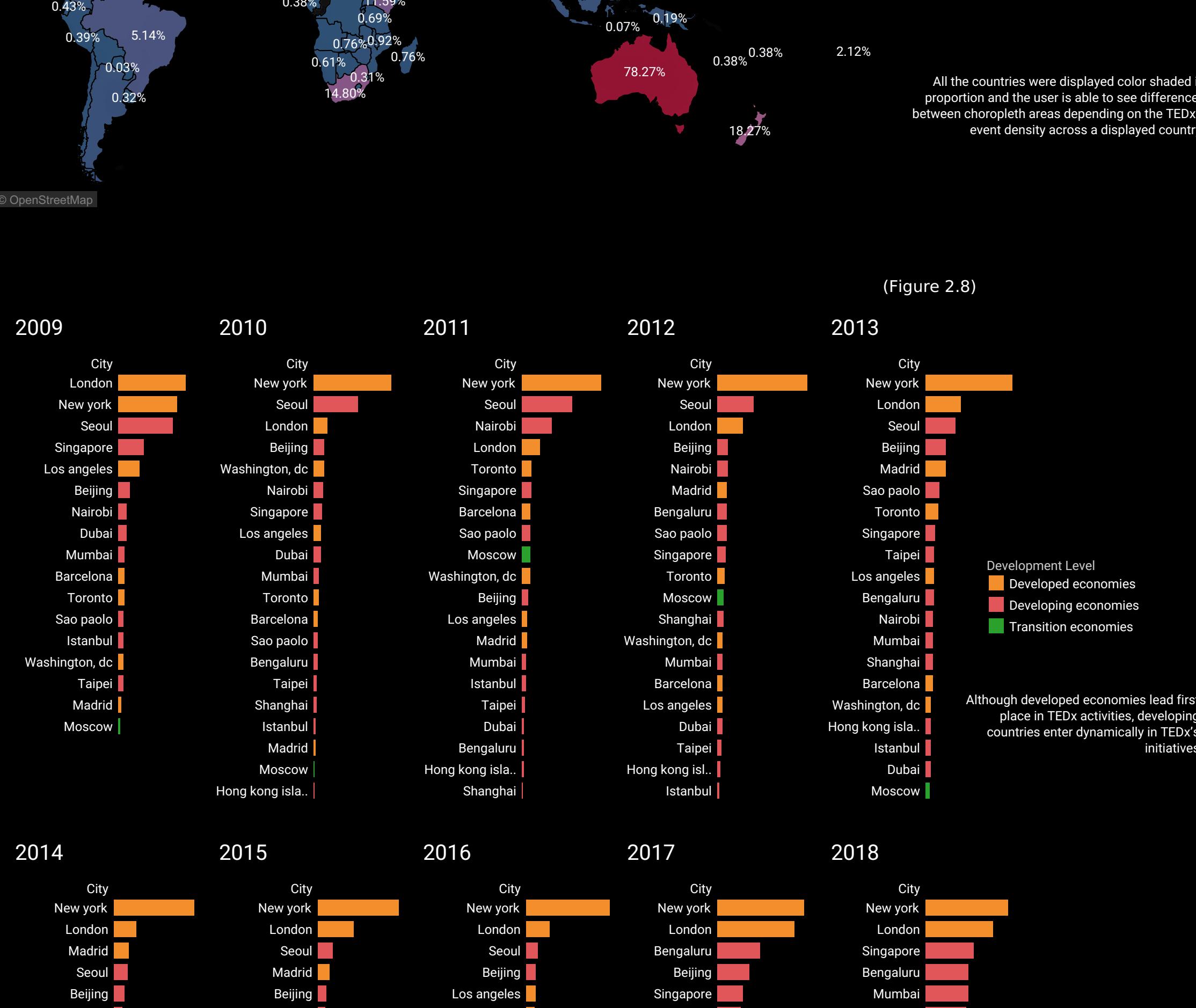
(Figure 2.6)



CITIES

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COUNTRIES



All the countries were displayed color shaded in proportion and the user is able to see differences between choropleth areas depending on the TEDx's event density across a displayed country.

Although developed economies lead first place in TEDx activities, developing countries enter dynamically in TEDx's initiatives.

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