

## Centre of excellence as a funding mechanism - South Africa case study

The OECD has carried out a study on Centres of Excellence (CoE) as a part of the Project on Innovation, Higher Education and Research for Development (IHERD). The development of CoEs is a policy measure, applied by governments in many parts of the world in order to promote a robust research and innovation environment. This case study of South Africa's CoE program, which was implemented in 2004, assesses the programme with reference to its framework conditions.

**LinkToContentAt:** <http://www.oecd.org/sti/Krish%20Bharuth-Ram%20-%20Centre%20of%20excellence%20as%20a%20tool%20for%20capacity%20building%20-%20Case%20study%20South%20Africa.pdf>

**Knowledge Type:** [Thematic report](#) [1]

**Other Tag:** [centres of excellence](#) [2]

[research council](#) [3]

[biodiversity](#) [4]

[higher education institutes](#) [5]

[higher education research](#) [6]

[knowledge economy](#) [7]

[framework conditions](#) [8]

[PhD students](#) [9]

[data collection](#) [10]

[human capital](#) [11]

[critical mass](#) [12]

[human resource development](#) [13]

**Source URL:** <https://www.innovationpolicyplatform.org/document/centre-excellence-funding-mechanism-south-africa-case-study>

### Links

[1] <https://www.innovationpolicyplatform.org/knowledge-type/thematic-report-0>

[2] <https://www.innovationpolicyplatform.org/topic/centres-excellence>

[3] <https://www.innovationpolicyplatform.org/topic/research-council>

[4] <https://www.innovationpolicyplatform.org/topic/biodiversity>

[5] <https://www.innovationpolicyplatform.org/topic/higher-education-institutes>

[6] <https://www.innovationpolicyplatform.org/topic/higher-education-research>

[7] <https://www.innovationpolicyplatform.org/topic/knowledge-economy>

[8] <https://www.innovationpolicyplatform.org/topic/framework-conditions>

[9] <https://www.innovationpolicyplatform.org/topic/phd-students>

[10] <https://www.innovationpolicyplatform.org/topic/data-collection>

[11] <https://www.innovationpolicyplatform.org/topic/human-capital>

[12] <https://www.innovationpolicyplatform.org/topic/critical-mass>

[13] <https://www.innovationpolicyplatform.org/topic/human-resource-development>