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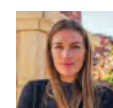
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BAND B

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Hungary
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BAND C

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Chile
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Cuba
Dominica
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Kazakhstan
Malaysia
Mauritius
Mexico
Oman
Panama
Romania

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BAND D

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Algeria
Angola
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Azerbaijan
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Cambodia
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Egypt
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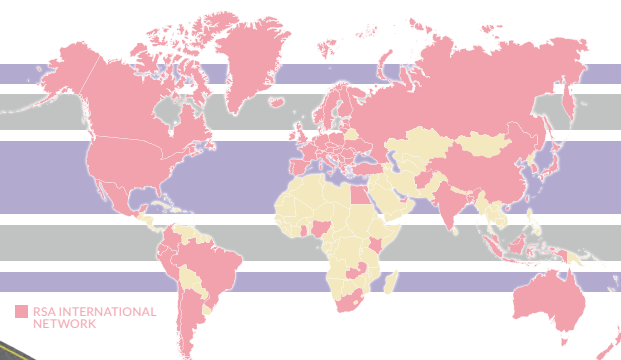
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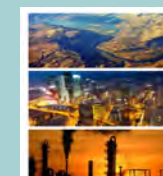


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- Social Infrastructure and left behind places
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- Improving inclusive innovation outcomes
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