

# NEW PROFESSIONALS GROUP (NPG)

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## RESULTS FROM SURVEY NO.1

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# I. SECTIONS OF THE SURVEY

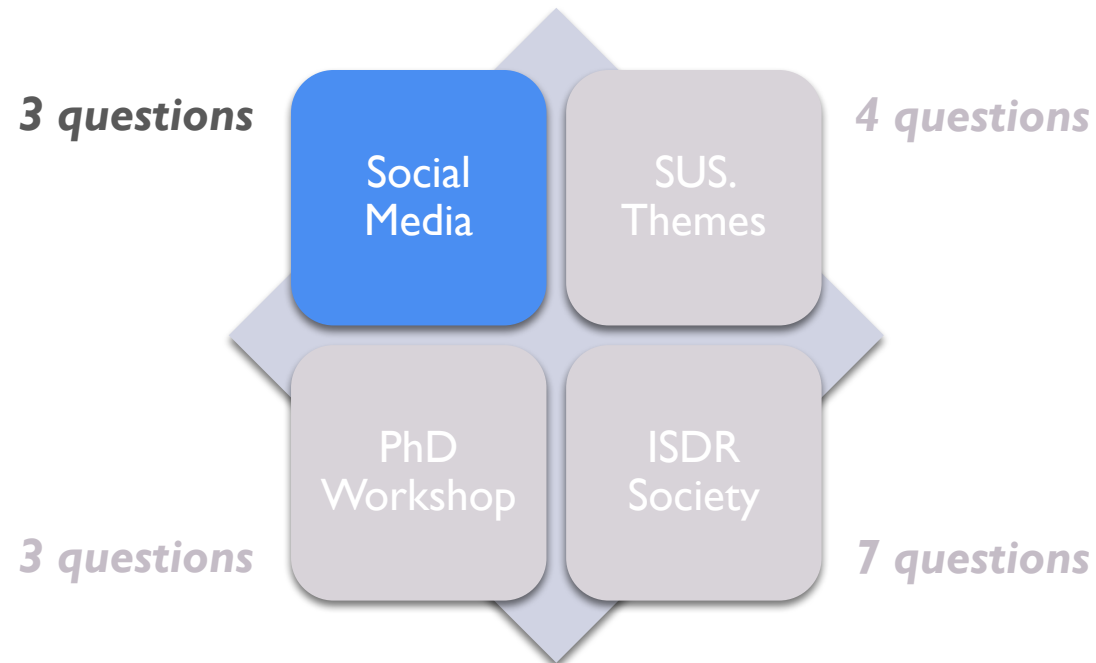
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2. **Sustainability themes**
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**Total = 17**  
**questions**

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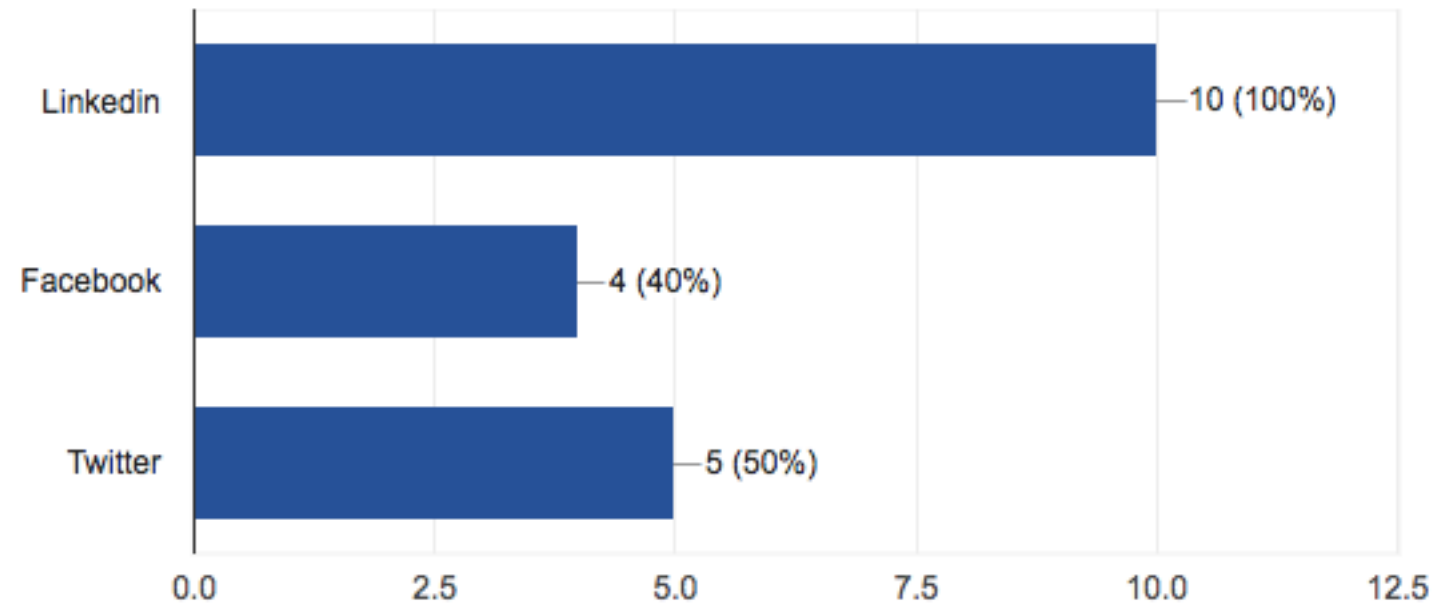
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# I. CONTACTING THE MEMBER & SOCIAL MEDIA

## 1. Are you linked to the following ISDRS social networks?

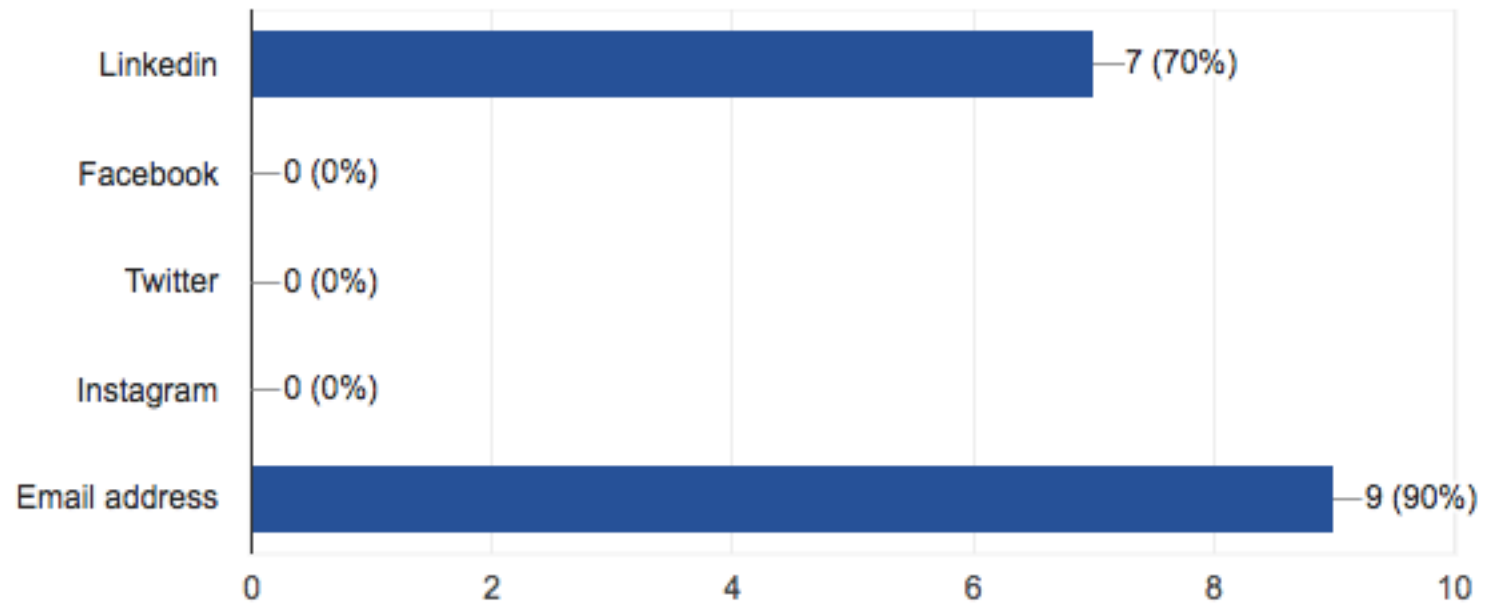
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2. Which social network(s) would you prefer that ISDRS contact you through?

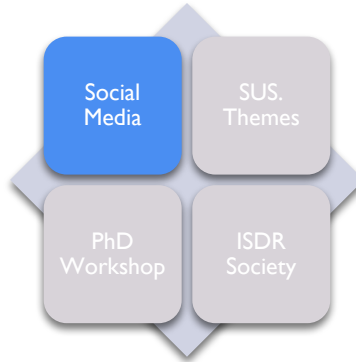
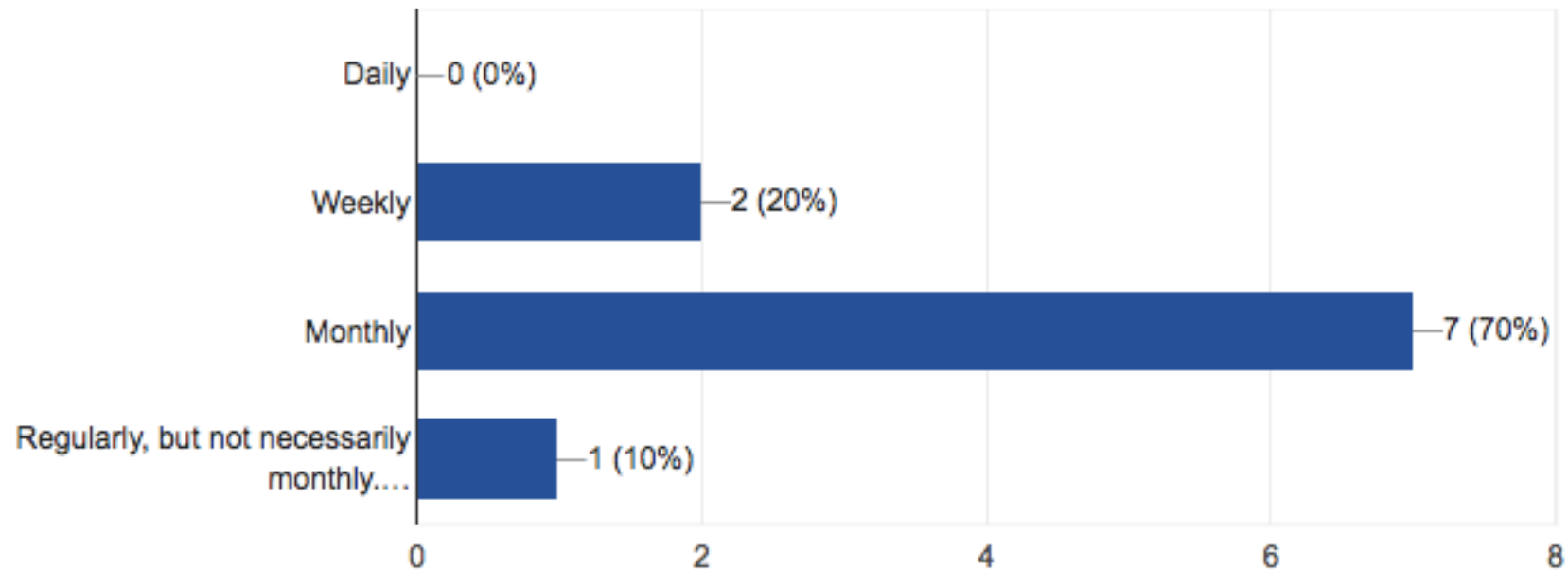
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## 3. How often would you like to receive info?

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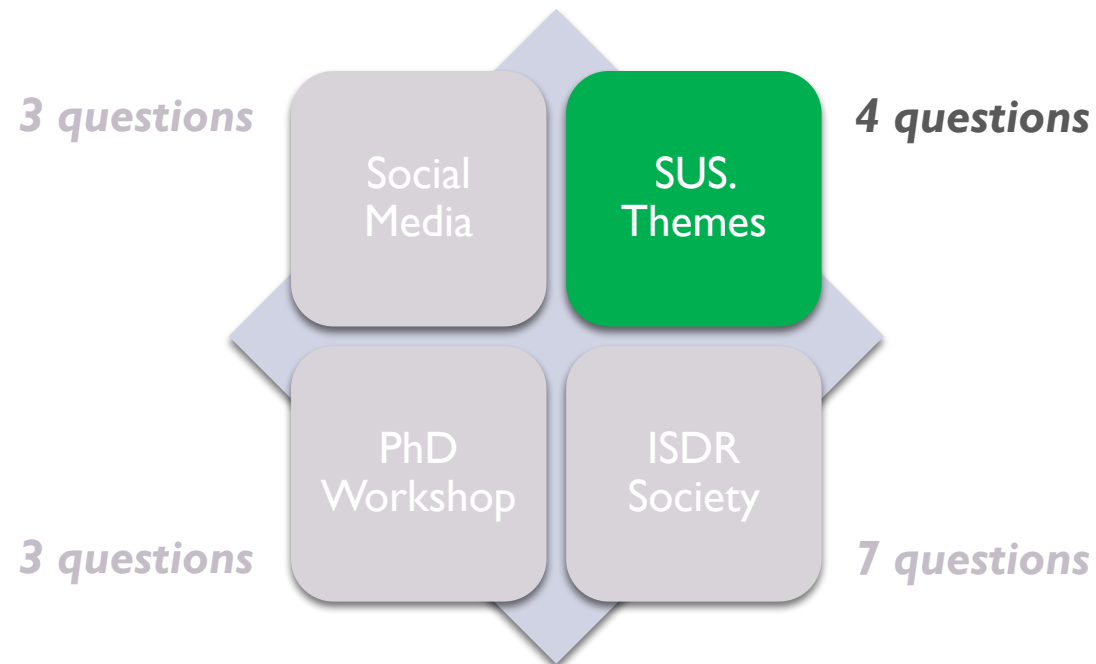


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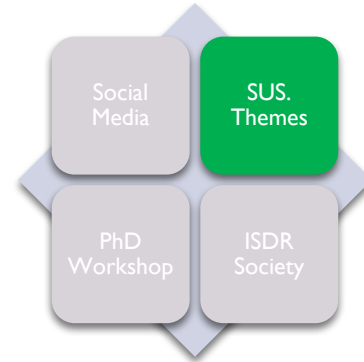
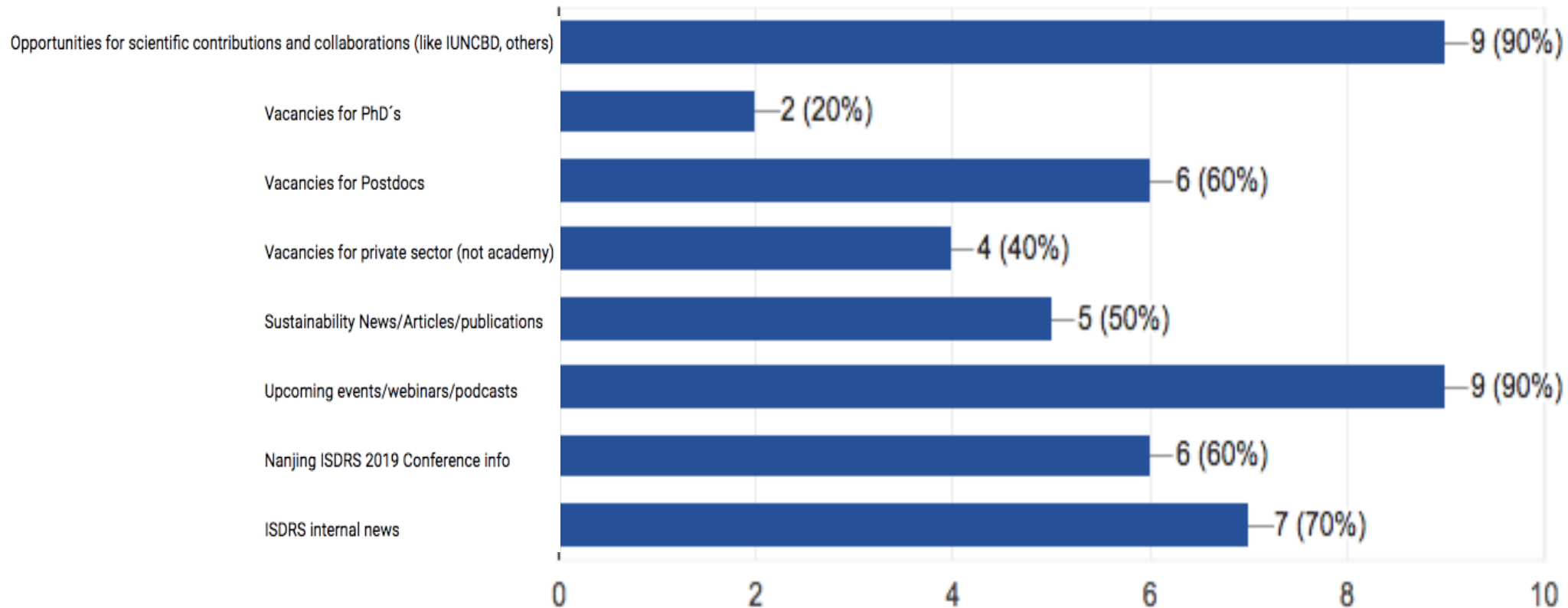
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## II. SUSTAINABILITY THEMES

### 1. What kind of information would you like to receive in the New Professionals Group (NPG)?





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### 2. What kind of activities would you like to have in the New Professionals Group?

Share information, help with conferences, network with senior researchers

debates on recent scientific topics in the field

not sure ...

Workshops and colloquiums to exchange research, get feedback, find potential collaborations, learn about research methods or theories etc. (once/twice a year, maybe focus on (parallel) regional groups in order to avoid long distance travelling or via skype/virtual meetings);

Maybe also "informal" meetings to get to know each other, maybe combined with excursions to projects, companies, institutions etc. (however, this probably has to be face to face which entails certain travelling)

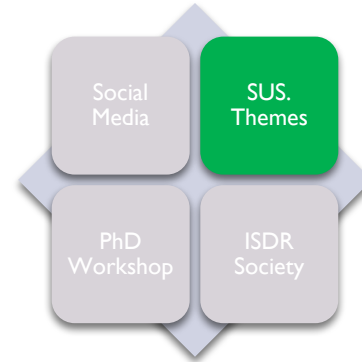
Discussion threads

E.g. organisation of annual seminars and workshops, social events.

meet up/networking ops at related conferences,

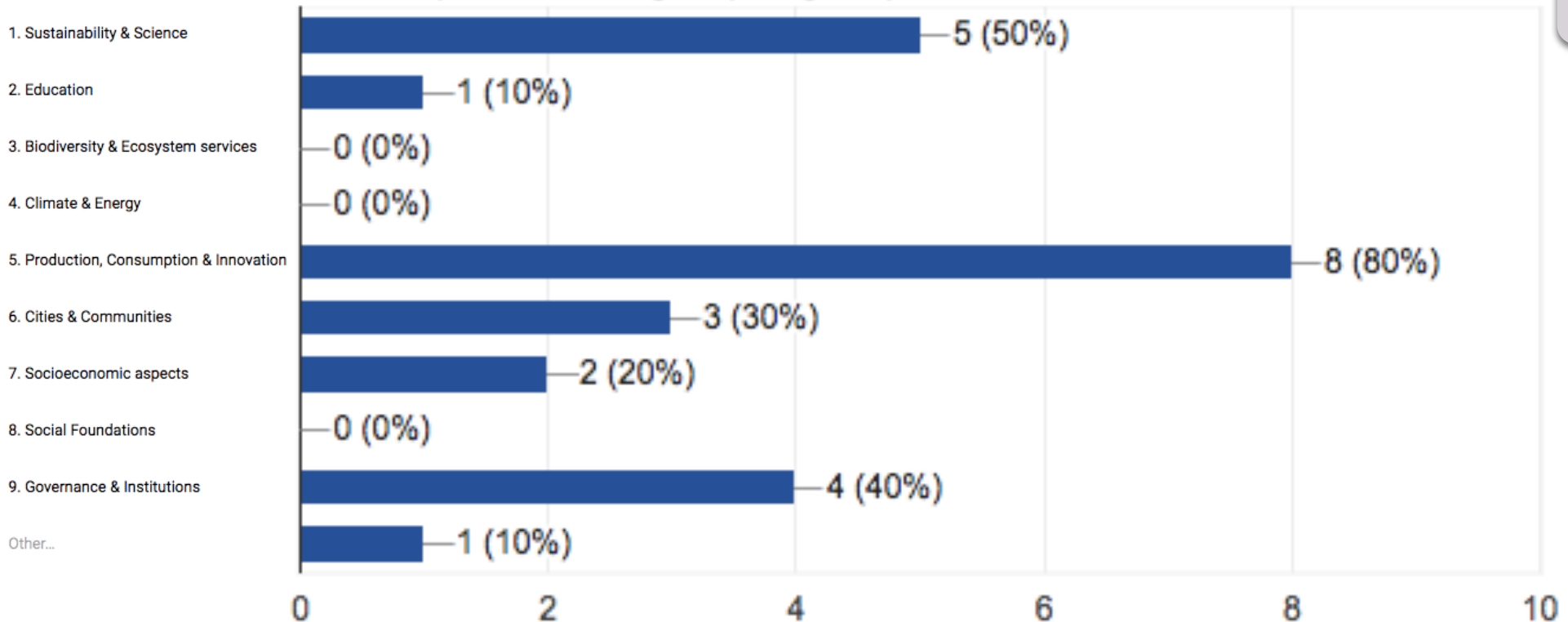
Collaboration, discussions, sharing information

1) Mentorship programme, 2) support network for critical discussions about a career in academia and 3) affiliated, specific junior career events linked to other conferences.



## II. SUSTAINABILITY THEMES

3. Is your favorite sustainability topic linked to one of the ISDRS topic groups? Which one? (for more details of the ISDRS topic groups please check the link: <http://isdrs.org/topic-groups/overview/>)



## II. SUSTAINABLY THEMES

How would you like to participate in ISDRS topic groups? Please explain.

Review submissions to conferences, help with proceedings, help organize PhD workshops, connect with other early stage researcher via social networks

help out with conference preparations / parallel tracks

How (and what) could I contribute?

E-mails on current research projects and papers/results;  
Workshops and colloquiums to exchange research, get feedback, find potential collaborations, learn about research methods or theories etc. (once/twice a year, maybe focus on (parallel) regional groups in order to avoid long distance travelling or via skype/virtual meetings);

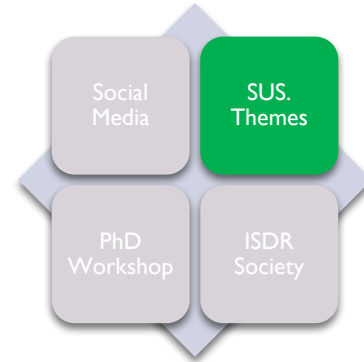
I don't know how they work yet

Support in the activities developed.

following and participating in discussions

I don't know what are the options?

Not sure. Perhaps it would be great to disseminate certain reserach but to also contribute in special issues in journals and edited volumes. Could also be nice to be involved in the next conference.

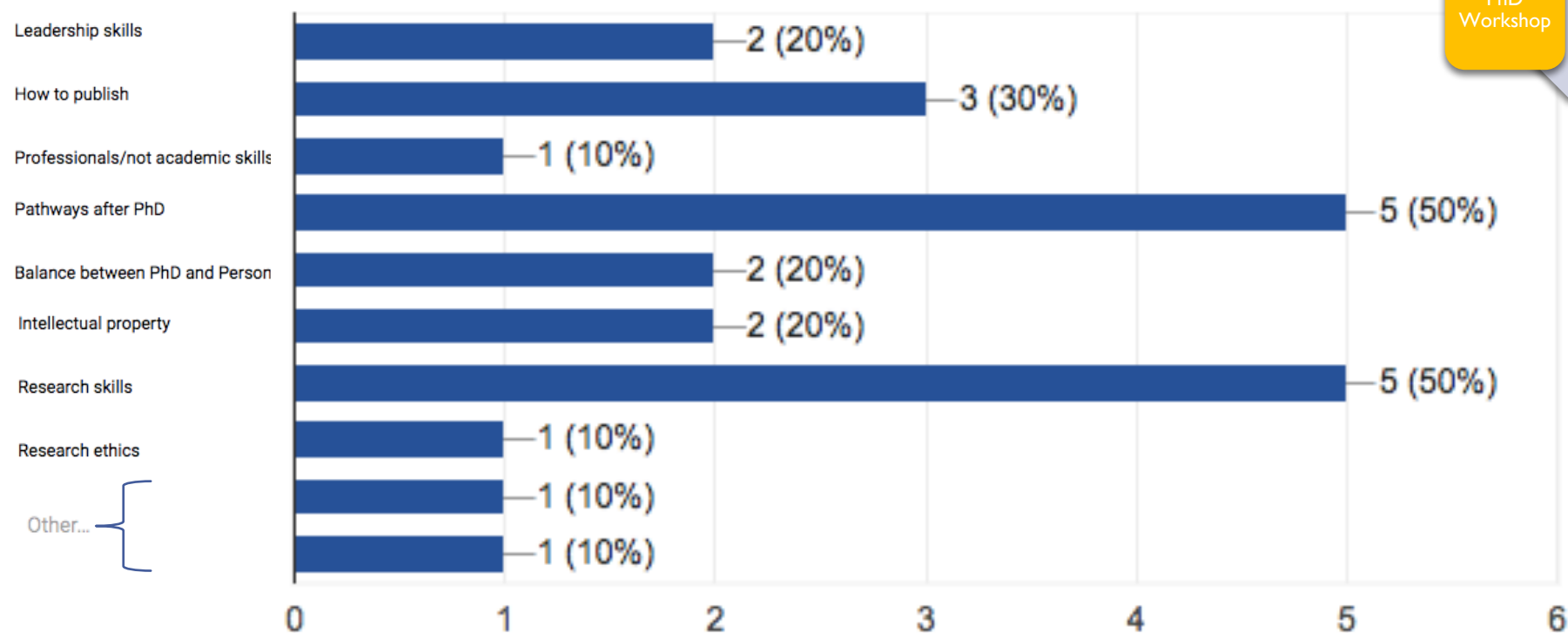


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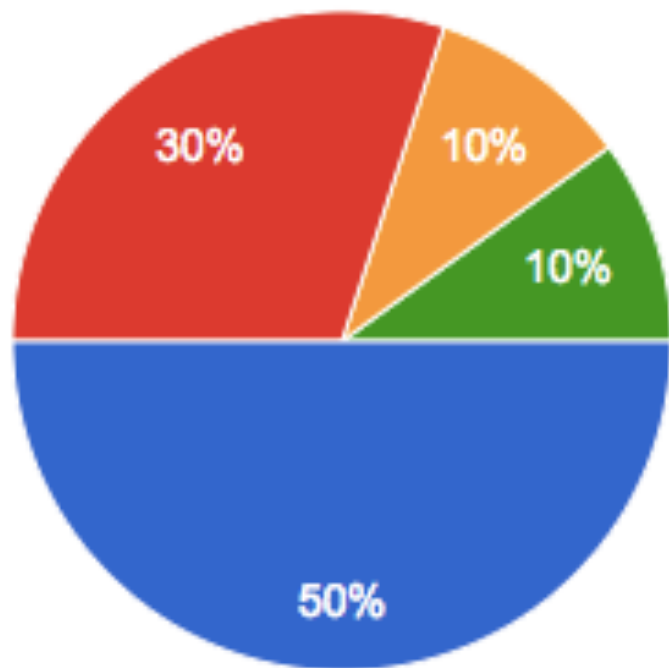
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1. What would you like to be the main topic of the next PhD Workshop at the ISDRS Conference in Nanjing, China in 2019?



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2. Would you prefer an indoor or outdoor activity? \*

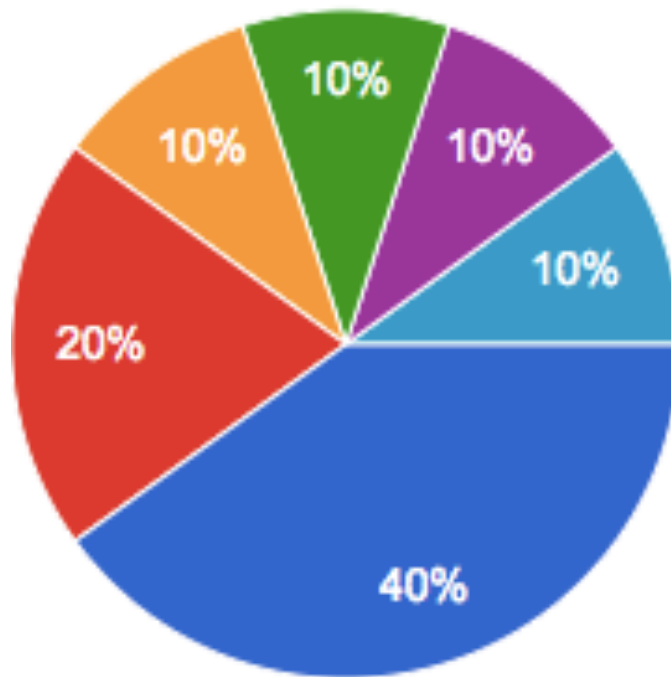


- Outdoor
- Indoor
- see above
- Ideally, it would be nice with both.



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3. Will you be interested in co-chairing tracks/conferences in Nanjing ISDRS 2019?

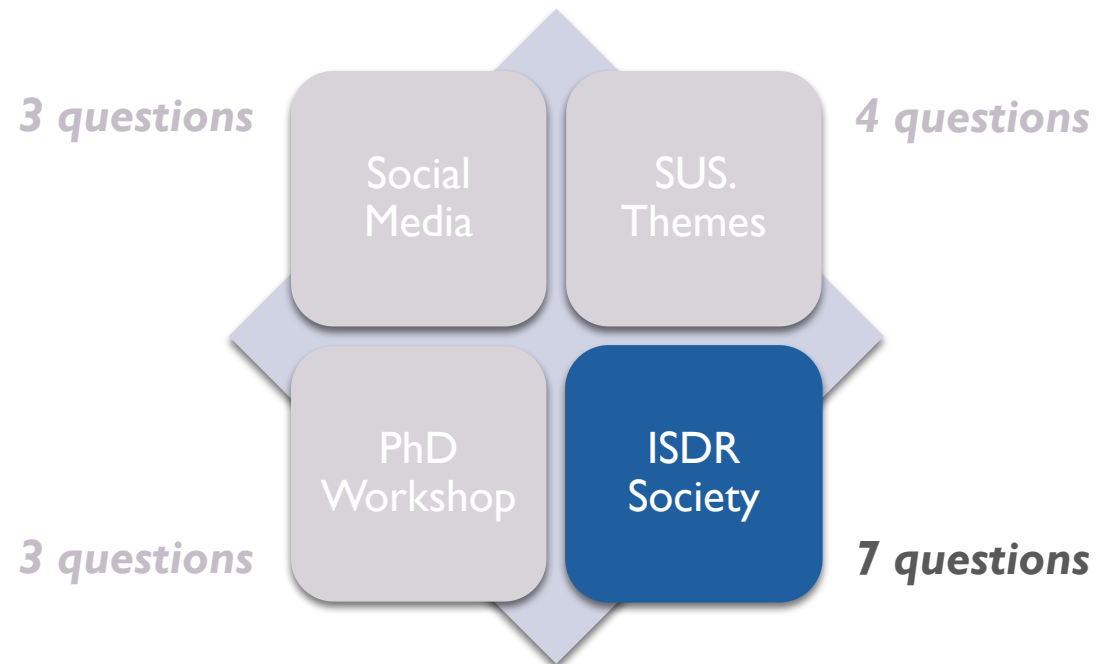


- Yes
- No
- depends on if I will be there at all ...
- Not sure yet whether I participate
- yes, though I am not sure whether I will be able to participate
- maybe



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## IV. ISDR SOCIETY

### 1. What else would you like to know from ISDRS?

How to collaborate, present projects together

how to participate/ how to keep in touch/ how to be updated

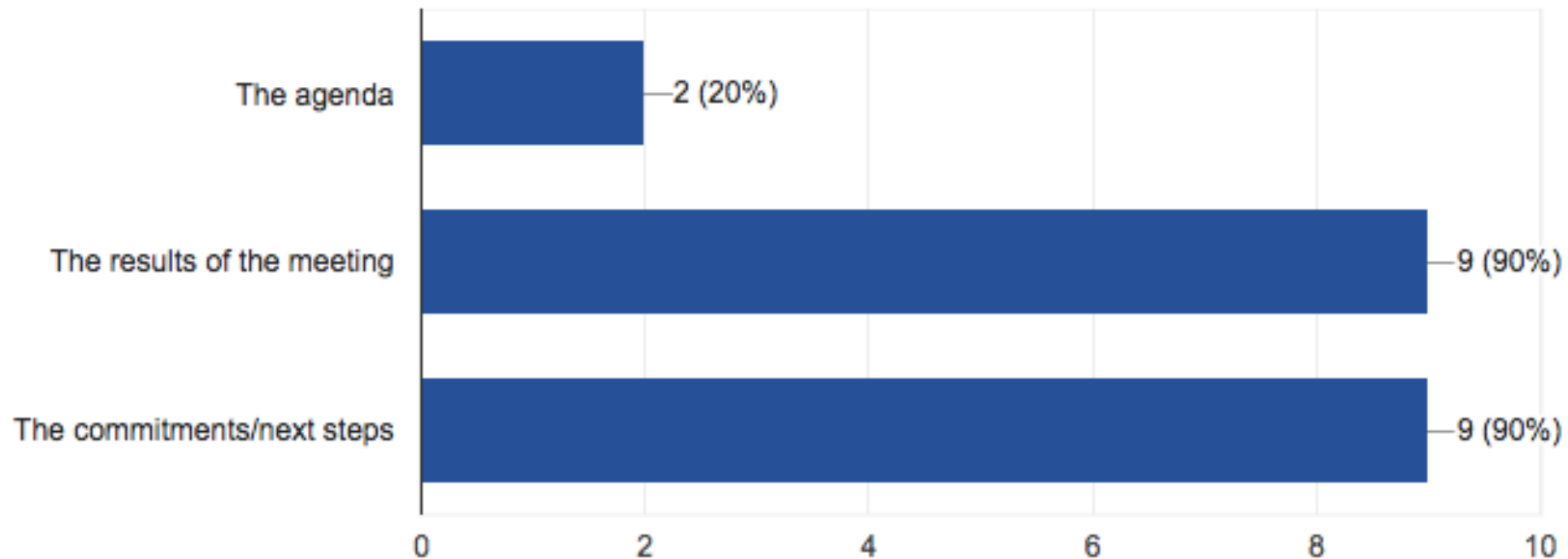
Be informed about major events

n/a



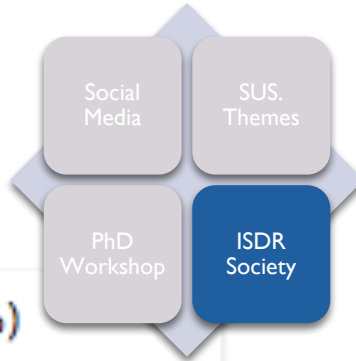
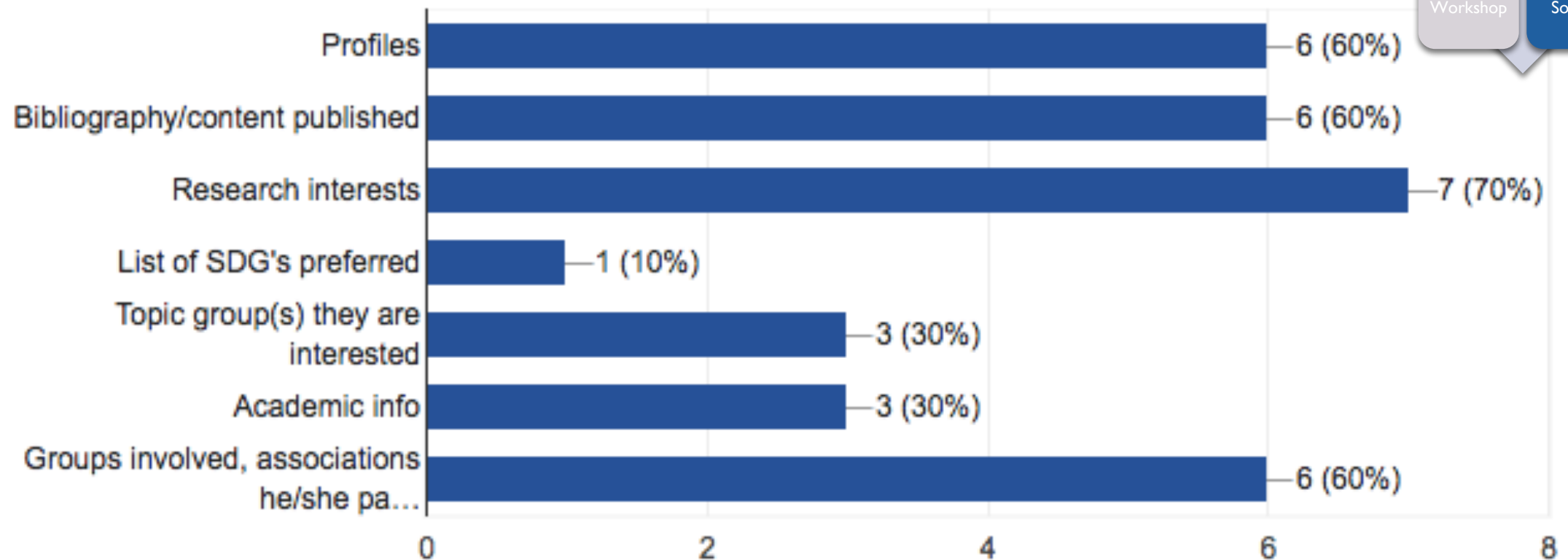
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### 2. What would you like to know about the board members meeting?



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### 3. What info would you like to know from ISDRS members?



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### 4. How else would you like to participate in ISDRS? Some suggestions?

Webinars with members open to different audiences
not at the moment
I'm fine with the conference only
no suggestions at the moment
I think a summer school for PhDs would be a great idea
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n/a
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N/A
Networks



## IV. ISDR SOCIETY

### 5. What kind of activities would you like ISDRS to sponsor?

Webinars

SDGs related activities at national level

Conference

Workshops (for continuing learning), colloquiums, preferably also virtual (to avoid too much travelling), webinars

Exchange opportunities , summer school

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More, smaller conference beyond the annual big conference.

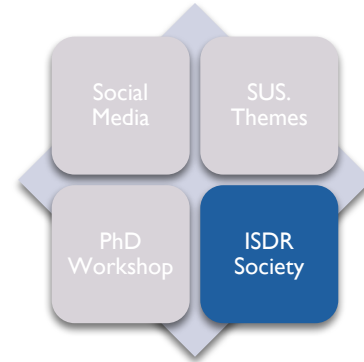
Workshops, meetings in person, networks



## IV. ISDR SOCIETY

### 6. Why did you join ISDRS?

- To connect with other researchers in my field
- Because of the conference
- Because I participated in the 2018 annual conference
- Nice community, great conference 2018
- My research field
- My topic of research.
- The topics are very interesting and I wanted to participate in the Messina conference
- opportunity to join an interesting conference
- Because it is great to connect with more sustainability researchers from all around the world.
- To access the competence of other experts



## IV. ISDR SOCIETY

### 7. Why did you join the ISDRS New Professionals Group (NPG)?

To connect with early stage researchers worldwide

Encouragement from the ISDRS board

To stay in touch with people I met at the conference

Very nice community with strong common interests for continuing learning with and from each other as well as potential for research and project collaborations and research exchange/improvement. Thank you.

I would be happy to exchange myself

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For exchange and networking with other new professionals

curiosity

Because it is great to connect with more JUNIOR sustainability researchers from all around the world. You can get a lot of support and a nice network for the future.

To be inspired by others



