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We hope this newsletter finds you well. S34D is evaluating lessons from FY21 as we refine activities and plans for FY22.

Request for Quotations

S34D currently has one open consultancy position for a Participatory Impact Assessment:

**Participatory Impact Assessment of Emergency Seed Interventions in Sub Saharan Africa** – S34D seeks to generate robust evidence that shows the extent to which emergency seed interventions realize their anticipated impacts in relation to enhanced livelihoods and food security. This position has a closing date for applications of July 14th

New Resource

**EXISTING AND POTENTIAL BUSINESS MODELS ON LAST MILE DELIVERY OF SEEDS**

The report provides a review of existing seed delivery systems available in sub-Saharan Africa,
Recent Activities
Rapid Seed System Security Assessment (RSSSA) Pilot Evaluation Workshop
S34D co-hosted a remote workshop on June 9th and 11th with the Agricultural Working Group of the Global Food Security Cluster to review the pilot phase for the RSSSA toolkit. The RSSSA toolkit is based on the standard SSSA toolkit and was designed to be implemented remotely by a single agency to understand the seed security situation in a project area and identify an appropriate seed response. The workshop included presentations from 9 NGO gFSC members who had piloted the RSSSA tools in 7 countries.

Seed Demand Forecasting in Ethiopia - Assessment and Recommendations for a Road Map A multi-stakeholder validation workshop
In May 2021, S34D conducted a validation workshop with stakeholders on seed demand forecasting approach and recommendations for Ethiopia. The workshop was well attended by actors from public sector as well as private entities.

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