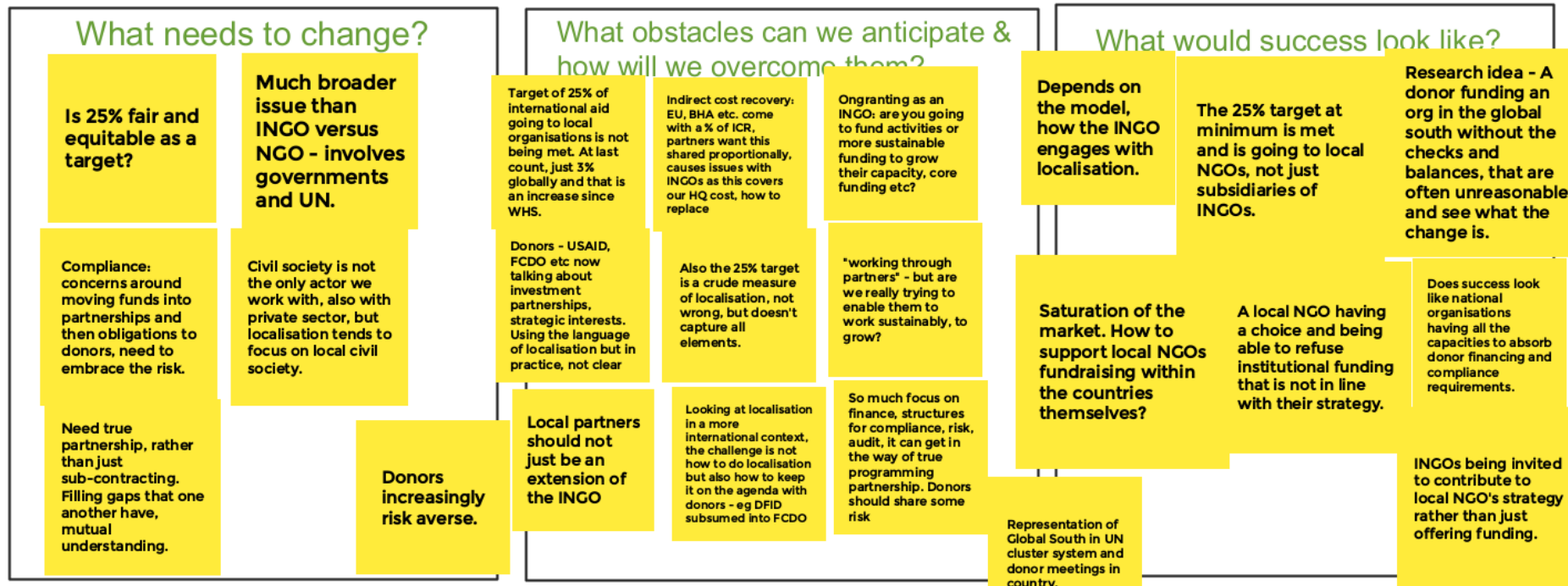


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Where are we (the sector) are now on this dimension? 1 =lowest, 5 = highest.

Between 1 and 2



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What actions need to be taken collectively (Policy / Advocacy and or practice)?

Challenge the donors to broaden the scope and to try some initiative funding models and really advance true localisation.

Cost sharing - encouraging decision-makers within our organisations to share ICR with partners is critical - advocacy on redistribution of funds.

Investing in compliance structures of local NGOs, allowing them to seek funding directly.

Work with local organisation to apply directly for funding, change the INGO position in being a lead, and facilitate direct funding.

Flexibility fund that could be used in an unrestricted manner

Conversation within our sector on whether localisation only means national civil society, which is just a part of any society - governance structures, private sector to be included.

Get clear on our definition of what localisation means.

What are the areas they would like to take forward (Collectively)

More consultations like this conference, sharing of research and good practice among members.

Research on this specifically that could be undertaken by members?

Advocacy to Irish Aid in particular to be a champion on localisation and to allow us to take bold moves to really move forward.

Advocacy on increasing the 25% target - to take account of the need for more development funding to go to local organisations, as well as humanitarian.

Defining fair and equitable principles around localisation specific to funding and financing.

Training on localisation for auditors and finance teams as huge influencers, to give them a better understanding of the context NGOs are working in

Advocacy on 'compliance passport' idea - or that donors will accept each other's due diligence outcomes to ease the burden

Advocacy on decreasing compliance burden.