

# Commonwealth Academic Fellowships: 2015-2017

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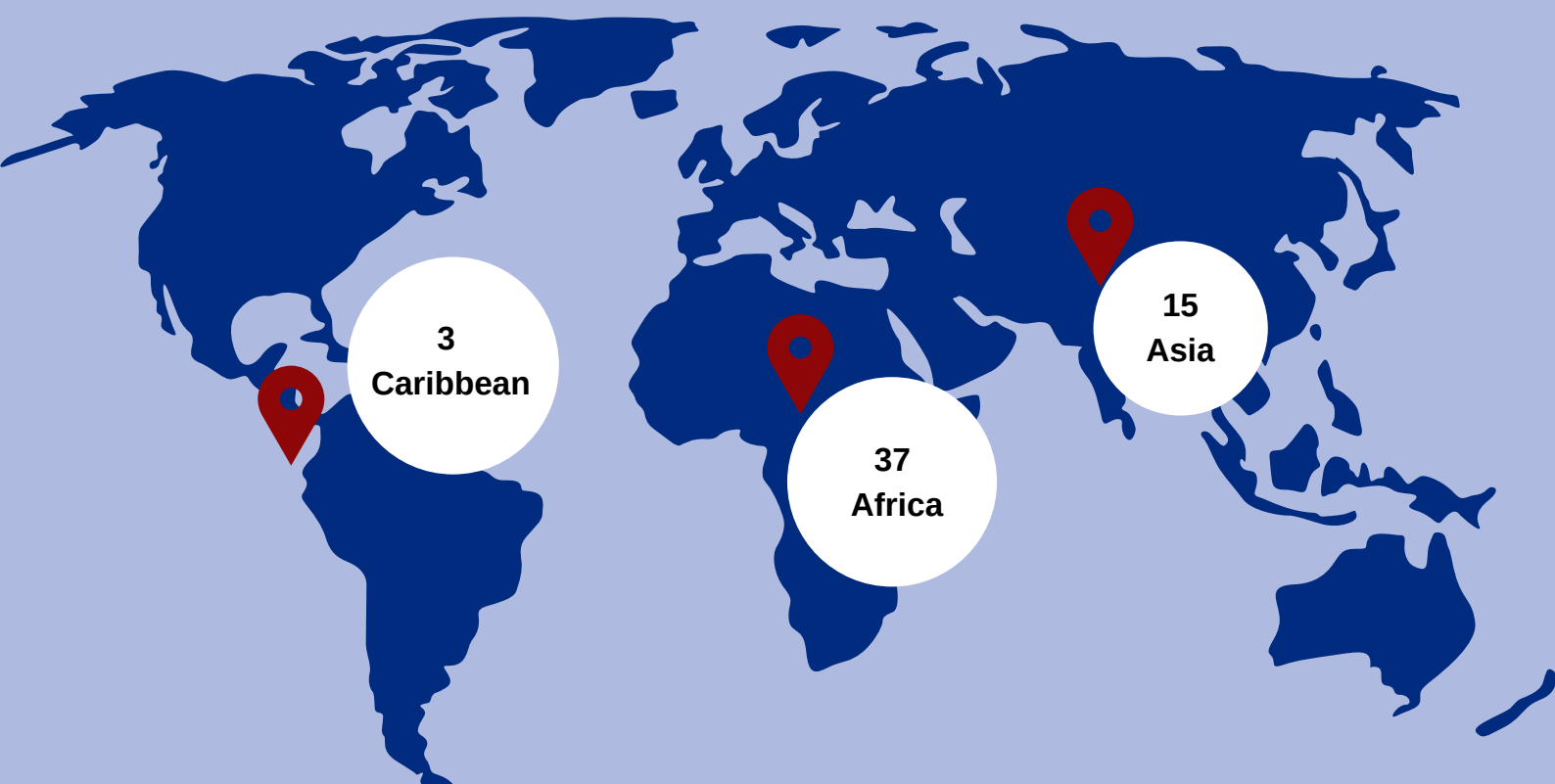
Academic Fellows  
supported from  
2015-2017

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Countries of origin  
from across the  
Commonwealth

# 67%

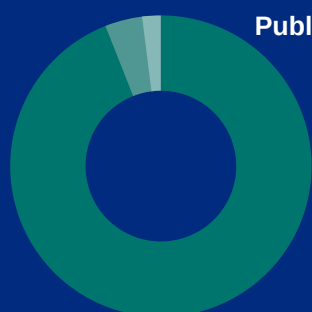
Academic Fellows  
from Africa



## Pre-award employment

Higher education  
(private) 4%

Public sector  
2%



Higher education (public)  
94%

## Working towards:



Strengthening Health Systems and Capacity



Science and Technology for Development



Strengthening resilience and response to crises

## Top subjects of study



Social Studies



Subjects allied to Science and technology



Arts and humanities



Education

**75%**  
completed degrees in  
STEM subjects

**96%**

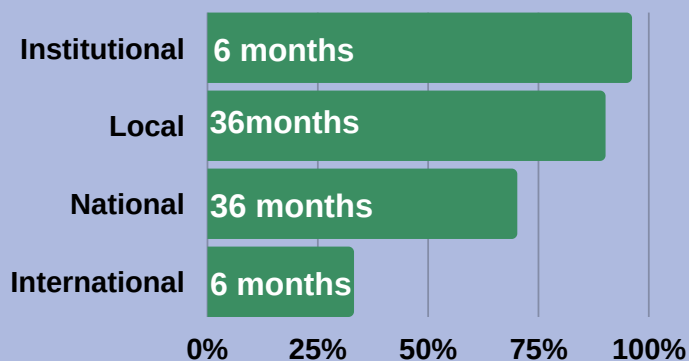
of the Fellows  
returned to same  
employment as before  
the Fellowship

## Skill Change



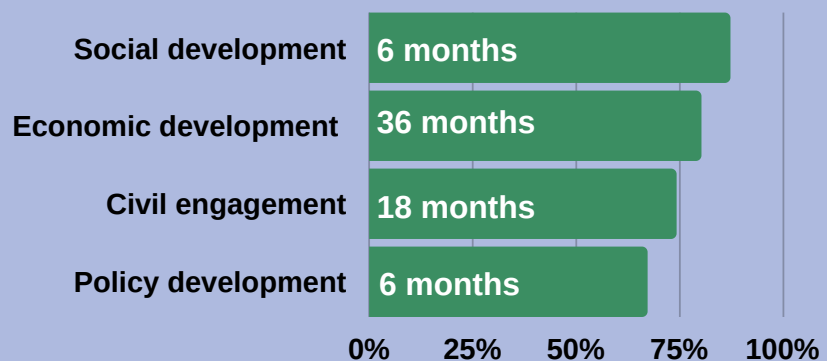
## Level of Impact

Post-Fellowship period with highest impact



## Type of Impact

Post-Fellowship period with highest impact type



## Collaborations & Networks

**84%**

Fellows' post-award  
activities influenced by  
academic contacts in  
the UK

**74%**

Collaborations in  
research and other areas  
planned following the  
Fellowship

**56%**

Fellows' employers  
benefited from new  
links established