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The origin and catalyst for formation of CEPI and priorities

Arboviruses: A Global Public Health Threat
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Global impact of epidemics

Spanish Flu



• **50 million** deaths



• **GDP loss**
Gross domestic product (GDP) loss of 3% in Australia, 15% in Canada, 17% in the UK, and 11% in the USA

SARS



• **774** deaths



• **GDP loss**
Gross domestic product (GDP) loss of US \$52.2 billion

Zika



• **20** deaths, birth defects



• **GDP loss**
Expected loss of US \$3.5 billion in the Latin American and Caribbean region

Ebola: global impact



over 11,000 Deaths

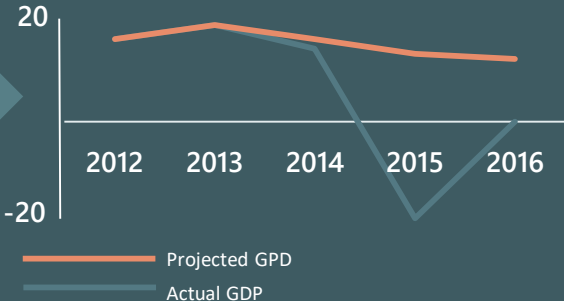


£2.8 billion Estimated negative economic impact (2014-2016)

Source: Yamay et al, 2017: Financing of international collective action for epidemic and pandemic preparedness

Ebola: Economic impact

Sierra Leone Impact of Ebola on GDP (%)



Ebola: impact on health Systems

Most maternal and child health indicators significantly declined during Ebola outbreak

Malaria morbidity and mortality in Ebola-affected countries caused by decreased health-care capacity

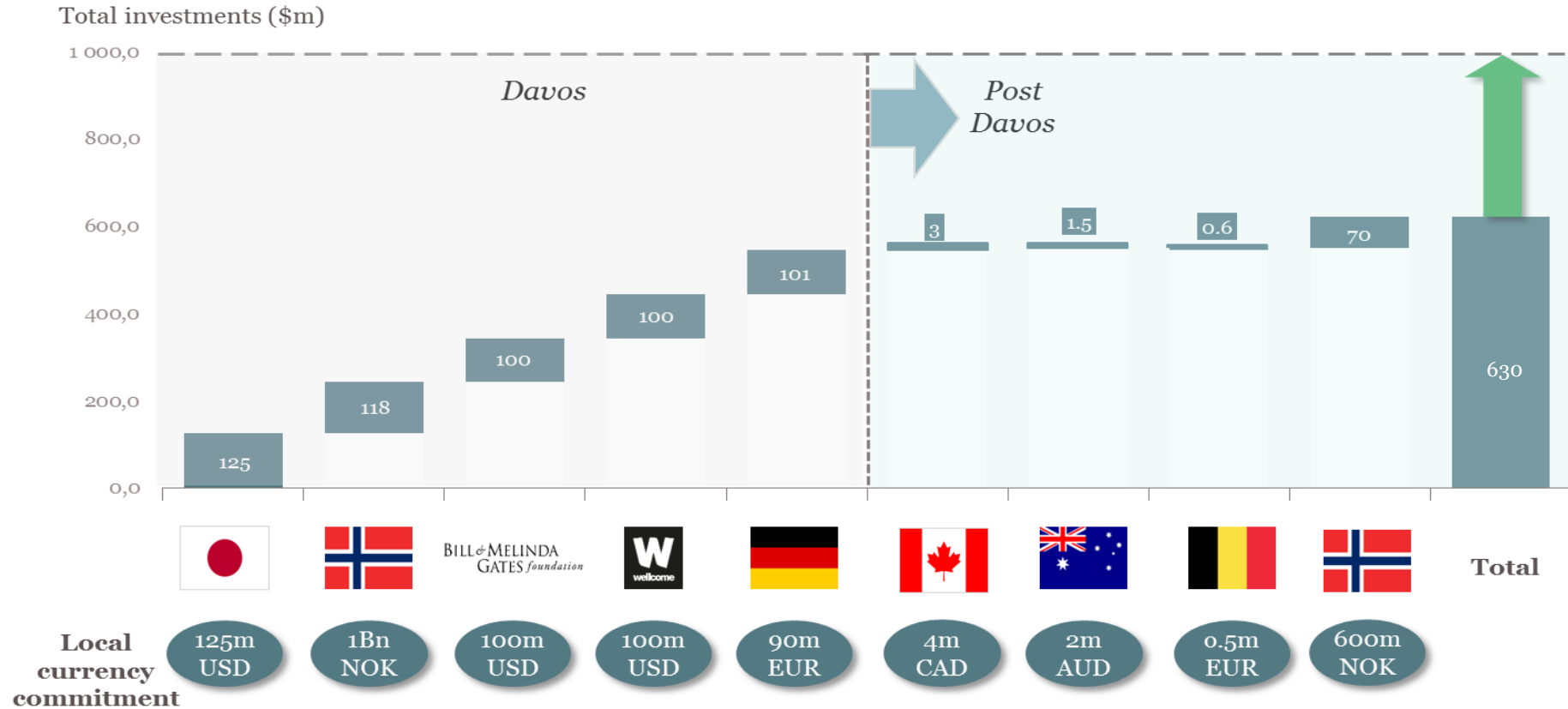
Coalition for Epidemic Preparedness Innovations, CEPI

- Official Launch: Davos World Economic Forum, January 2017
- Global coalition of public, private, philanthropic and civil society organisations
- Aims to stimulate, finance and coordinate vaccine development for emerging infectious diseases
 - Identify priority threats and act when market forces fail to drive needed development
 - Move vaccine candidates through late preclinical studies to proof of concept and safety in humans
 - Build capabilities for rapid response to unknown threats

CEPI in numbers ...

- Age: 18 Months
- Number of employees: 37
- Gender Ratio: 18/19 (F/M)
- Number of employees leaving CEPI: 0
- Number of nationalities: 13 (USA, UK, Norway, Greece, Netherlands, India, Pakistan, Austria, Ethiopia, Vietnam, Mexico, France, Italy, Israel)
- Locations: 3, in Oslo, London, and Washington
- Committed budget for next 5 years: 630 M USD Gender Ratio: 18/19 (F/M)

CEPI's first investors



In addition: EC plans to co-fund with up to €250 mill

Note: Exchange rates NOK / USD: 8.44; EUR / USD 0.89; CAD / USD: 1.34; AUD / USD 1.32;
Source: World Bank; CEPI donation data; BCG analysis

CEPI's strategic objectives



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CEPI, facilitator and funder

← CEPI as facilitator →

Phase	1. Discovery	2. Development/ Licensure	3. Manufacturing	4. Delivery/ Stockpiling	5. "Last Mile"
Current Stakeholders	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Academia Governments WT/NIH EC/IMI GLOPID-R Industry Regulators Biotech 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Industry Governments Regulators WT/NIH EC/IMI Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation BARDA/DTRA etc. WHO Biotech PDPs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Industry BARDA CMOs Regulators Governments WHO GHIF 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> GAVI UNICEF PAHO Governments WHO Industry Pandemic Emergency Facility (World Bank) WHO Contingency Fund 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Countries WHO UNICEF Responding Organizations (e.g. MSF)



CEPI's initial priority pathogens

	MERS	Lassa	Nipah	Disease X
Affected countries				
WHO TPP	Prophylactic and reactive use	Prophylactic prioritized	Reactive use	

CEPI's Scientific Advisory Committee chose three initial diseases based on expected

Public health impact | Risk of an outbreak occurring | Feasibility of vaccine development

Call for Proposal 1: Lassa, MERS, Nipah

Scope: Vaccine development from preclinical to Proof-of-Concept (Phase I/II)

More than 30 proposals received in first round

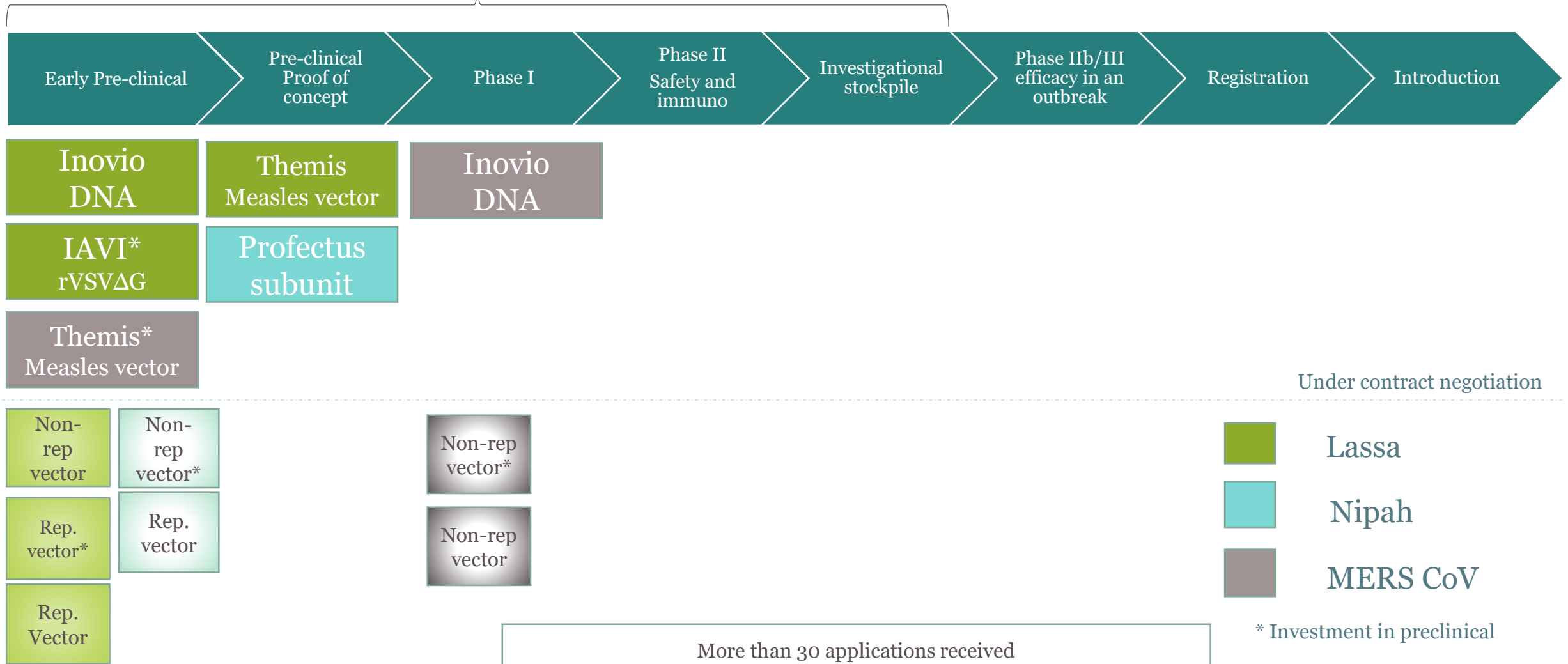
- Academic institutions, biotechs, large pharmaceutical companies and Product Development Partnerships
- Broad diversity in vaccine platform technologies
- Proposals from North America, Europe, Africa, Middle East, South East Asia and Australia

Planning

- Launch, Jan 2017
- Preliminary proposal review, April 2017
- Full proposal review, July-August 2017
- Assessment, Oct 2017 – now
- Four partnership agreements signed (as per 20 June 2018)

CfP1, CEPI priority pathogen portfolio

Scope of CEPI funding



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CfP1, Current portfolio of vaccines (June 20, 2018)

Pathogen	LASSA			MERS-CoV		Nipah
Company	Themis	Inovio	IAVI*	Themis*	Inovio	Profectus
Technology	Measles virus (Schwarz) Live replicating	DNA + Electroporation	rVSVΔG Live replicating	Measles virus (Schwarz) Live replicating	DNA + Electroporation	Recombinant subunit
Antigen	GPC + NP	GPC	GPC	Spike	Spike	Glycoprotein
Status	PoC in NHP	PoC in NHP	PoC in NHP	PoC in mice, Moraten	Ph I IM complete Ph I ID pngoing	PoC in NHP Tox performed
FIH	2019	2019	2020	2020	Ongoing	2019

* Investment in preclinical

[#http://journals.plos.org/plosntds/article?id=10.1371/journal.pntd.0003736#abstract1](http://journals.plos.org/plosntds/article?id=10.1371/journal.pntd.0003736#abstract1)

CfP2, Platform technologies, rapid response

Develop **vaccine platform technologies that can be rapidly deployed against known and newly emerging pathogens**, to limit or prevent future outbreaks of known or new diseases

Projects must demonstrate

- Safety and immunogenicity in human
- Validation of the platform using 3 pathogens:
 - 2 with known correlates of protection & validated animal model
 - 1 from the WHO priority pathogen list

Manufacturing performance characteristics

- 16 weeks for development of vaccine for a new pathogen (up to PhI)
- 6 weeks to clinical benefit after 1st dose
- 8 weeks to produce 100,000 doses after go-decision

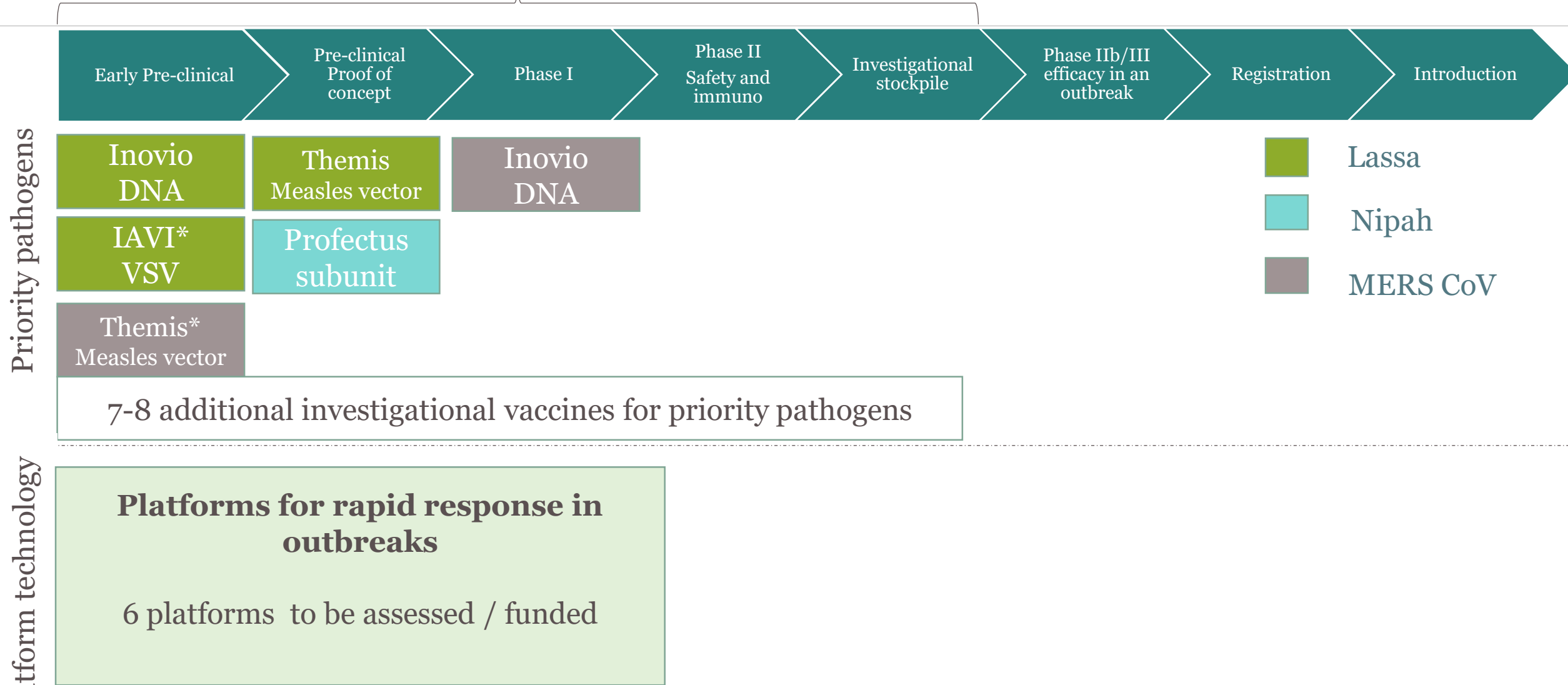
Planning

- Launch, preliminary proposals, Sept 2017
- Launch, full proposals, Dec 2017
- Deadline submission of full proposals, 27 Feb 2018
- Review by experts (April 2018) and by Scientific Advisory Board, June 2018



Portfolio: > 20 vaccines against WHO priority pathogens by end 2018

Scope of CEPI funding



Priority pathogens

Cross cutting working groups: facilitate development

Biological standards and assays

- Supporting the development and availability of standardized reagents, validated assays and animal models for the ongoing vaccine development of CEPI funded projects
- *Co-chairs:* **Emer Cooke** WHO; **Johan Holst** CEPI

Regulatory

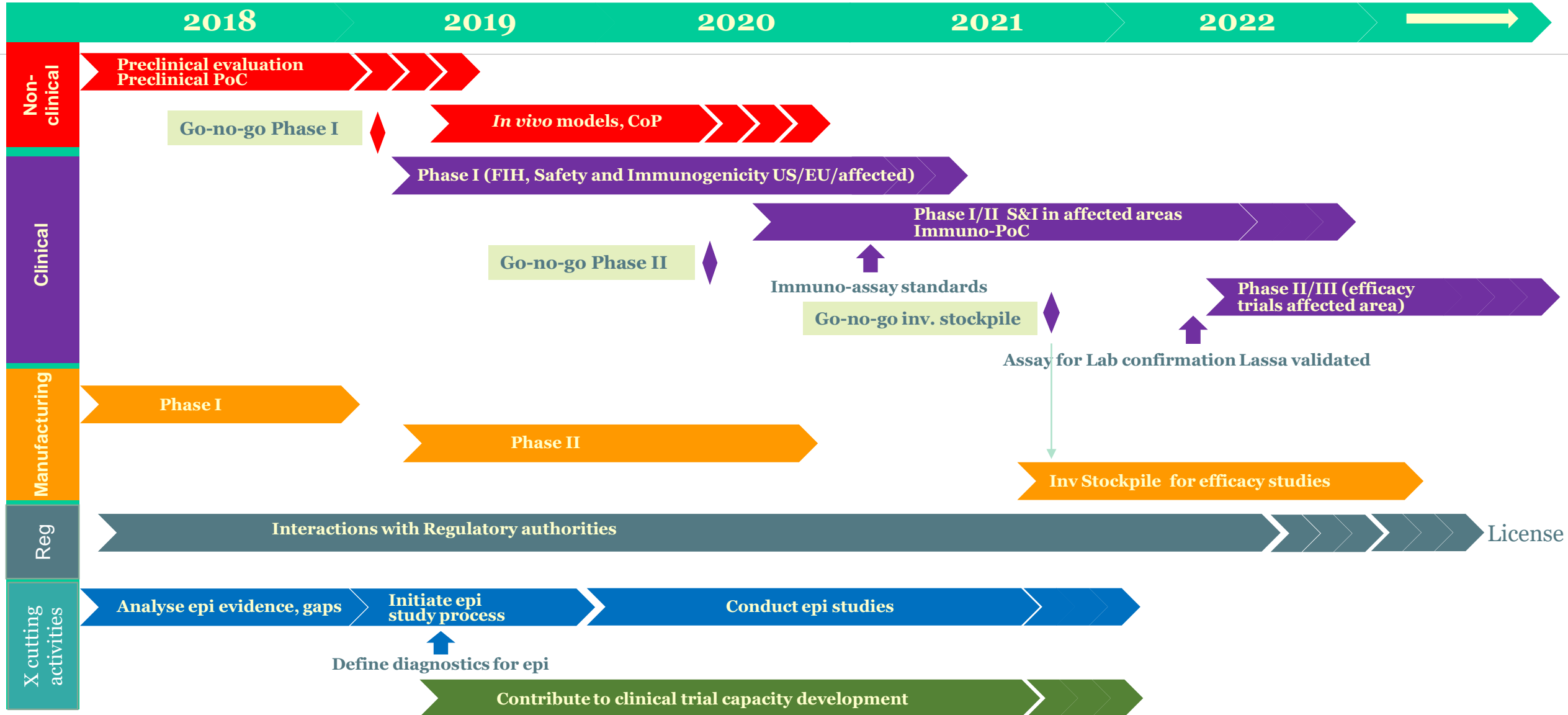
- Identify regulatory gaps and specific regulatory scientific questions, and offer possible solutions that will support the development of vaccines against emerging infectious diseases (EID)
- 2018 priorities – WHO EUAL/Pre-EUL, AVAREF emergency assessment of protocols, regulatory vehicles for platforms
- *Chair:* **Daniel Brasseur**

Stockpiling and access to investigational vaccines

- Give guidance on criteria, mechanisms and processes for stockpiles and access to investigational vaccines
- *Chair:* **Michael Thomas** GAVI

Progression, stage-gate process

PoC: Proof of Concept
 CoP: Correlate of protection
 S&I: Safety and immunogenicity



Conclusions

- CEPI has a portfolio of 6 vaccines for priority pathogens, and this continues to grow
- CEPI is investing in vaccine platforms to be more reactive to future outbreaks
- CEPI is actively involved in cross cutting working groups to facilitate development and implementation

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