

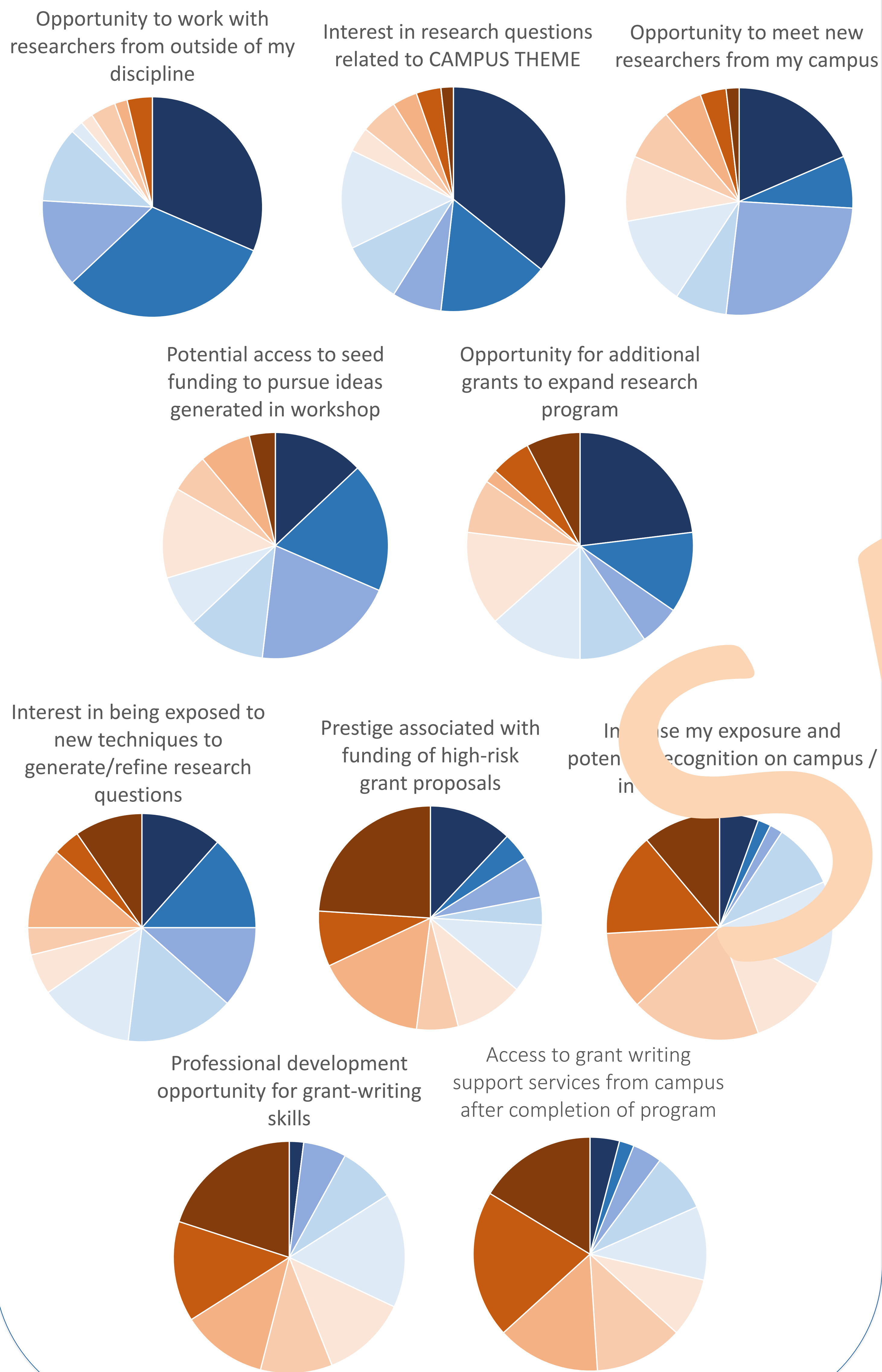
Germination Space: An Experimental Approach to Formulate Research Questions

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Before first workshops: Participant Expectations

“How important was each factor in your decision to take part in the Germination Space program?”

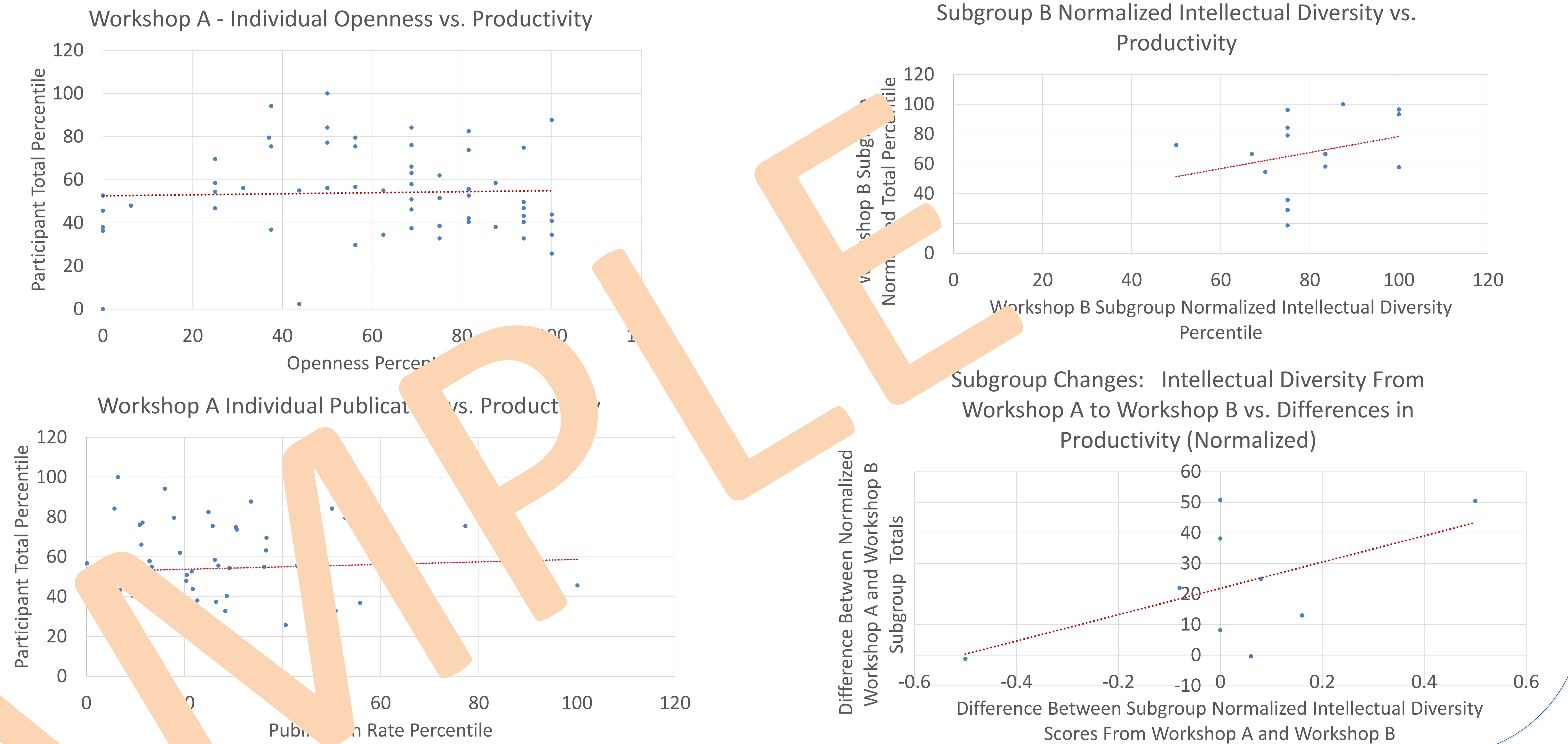
Least important Most important



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During the Workshops:

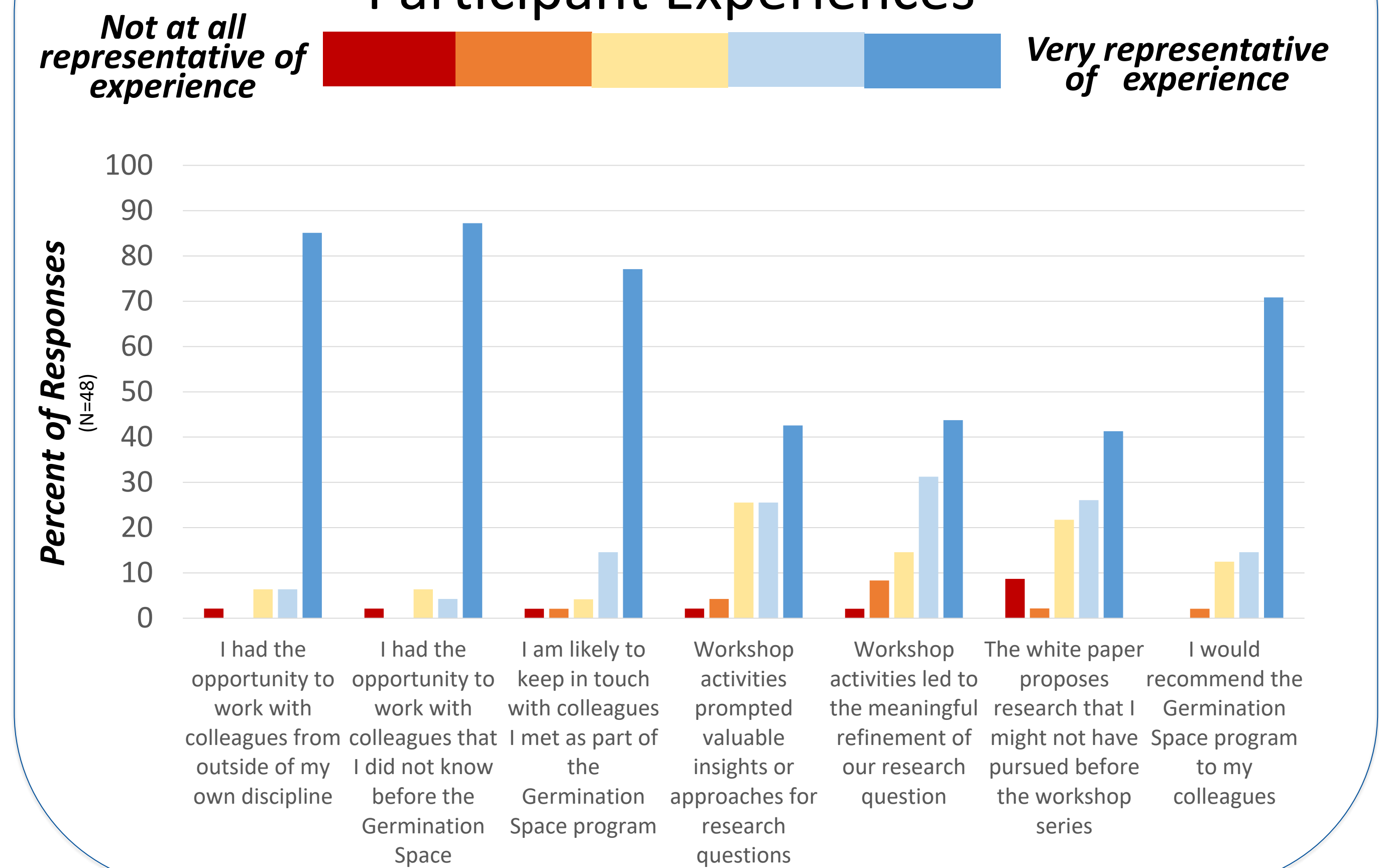
Preliminary Findings of Factors of Performance



Insights

- o Critical to success: Strategic and intentional interactions of people with a common interest in addressing an interdisciplinary challenge
- o Competitive distributive structures may promote more intellectual diversity
- o A good theme is broad enough to stimulate interactions of an intellectually diverse group, but narrow enough to create a common interest

After the Workshops: Participant Experiences



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