2016 TO 2018 TIMELINE FOR OPEN BUDGET SURVEY 2017

Who does what? By when?				
OBI Team work		**Researcher´s work related to OBS Document Availability Updates**	**Researchers´ work related to the Open Budget Survey**	
				JAN (2016)
Identify and contract with researchers				FEB (2016)
				MAR (2016)
	Webinars with researchers on OBS Document Availability Updates and INDABA	Researchers complete 1st OBS Document Availability Update; cut-off date 30 April **(by 31 May 2016)**		APR (2016)
				MAY (2016)
	OBI team completes review of 1st OBS Document Availability Update. Data is finalized and published			JUN (2016)
				JUL (2016)
	OBS Methodology Trainings			AUG (2016)
		Researchers complete Section 1 of OBS **(by 30 September)** This is also used as the 2nd OBS Document Availability Update; cut-off date 31 December 2016.		SEP (2016)
	OBI team reviews OBS Questionnaires as they are submitted by researchers and sends them to Peer/Governmet reviewers		Researchers complete Section 4-5 of OBS **(by 31 October 2016)**	OCT (2016)
OBI identifies & reaches out to Peer Reviewers & Govt. Reviewers			Researchers complete Section 2-3 of OBS **(by 31 December 2016)**	NOV (2016)
				DEC (2016)
OBI team conducts webinars for Peer & Govt. Reviewers				JAN (2017)
	PR & GR complete and submit reviews of draft OBS Questionnaires			FEB (2017)
				MAR (2017)
				APR (2017)
	OBI team referees reviews of draft OBS questionnaires, including dialogue with researchers to clarify comments	Researchers complete 3rd OBS Document Availability Update; cut-off date 30 April 2017 **(by 31 May 2017)**	Researchers work with OBI team to clarify reviewers' comments	MAY (2017)
OBI team completes review of 3rd OBS Document Availability Update. Data is finalized and published				JUN (2017)
	OBI team finalizes database			JUL (2017)
OBI develops, drafts, and finalizes OBS 2017 country summaries	OBI team writes first draft of OBS 2017 Global Report			AUG (2017)
				SEP (2017)
	OBI team finalizes OBS 2017 Global Report		Researchers attend OBS dessemination workshops (date to be confirmed)	OCT (2017)
OBS 2017 Global Report is printed	Dissemination materials are edited and translated			NOV (2017)
12 December 2017 - LAUNCH DATE for OBS 2017				DEC (2017)
	OBI team hosts international launch in DC		Researchers carry out national launches; dates to be defined at national level	DEC (2017)
	OBI team support researchers at national launches (this can go up to mid 2018)	Researchers complete 4th OBS Document Availability Update; cut-off date 31 December 2017 **(by 31 January 2018)**		JAN (2018)
OBI team completes review of 4th OBS Document Availability Update. Data is finalized and published.				FEB (2018)
				MAR (2018)