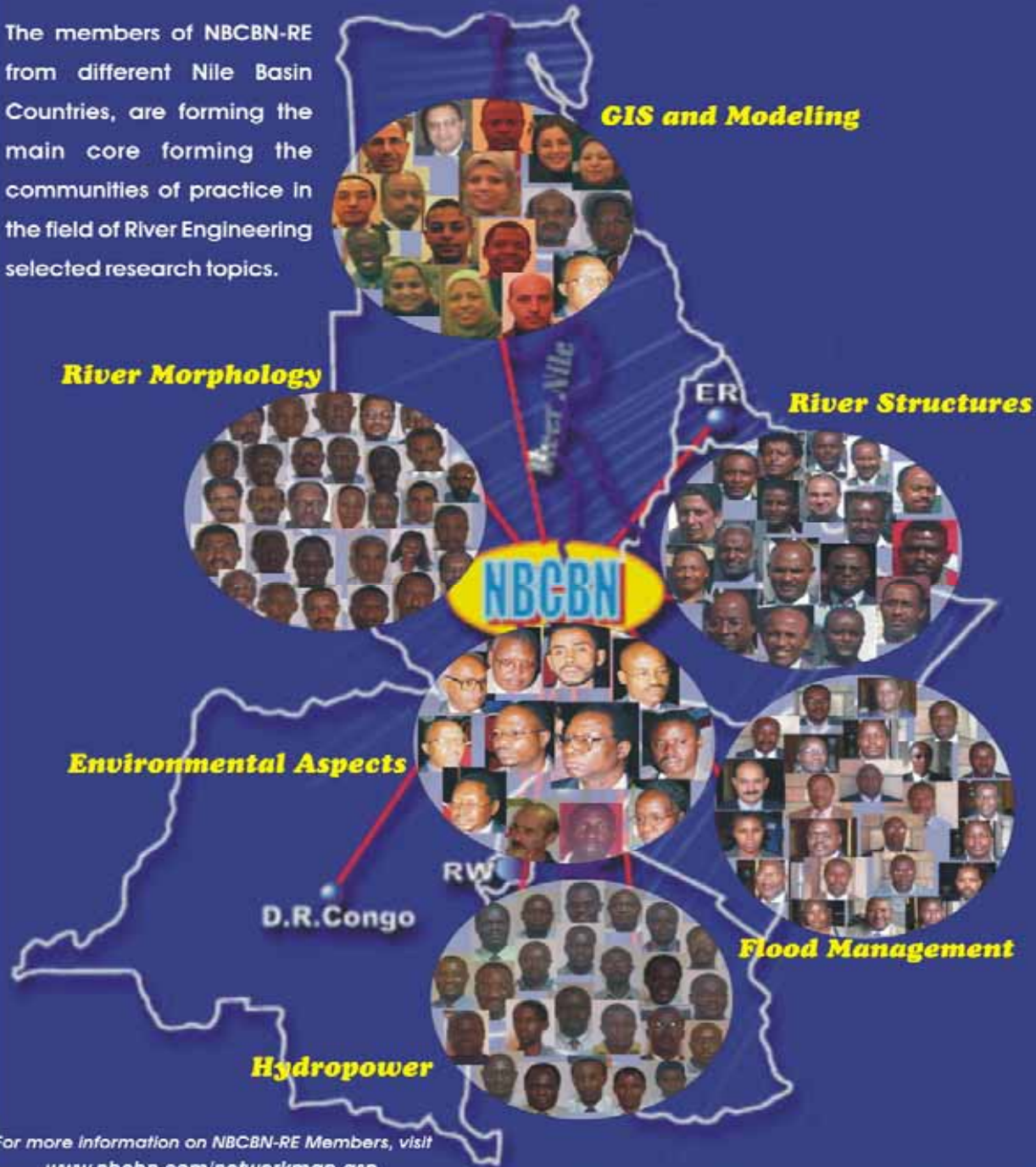




Nile Basin Capacity Building Network NBCBN

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NBCBN Main Concept

- Create an **environment** in which **professionals** from the **water sector** sharing the same river basin would have the possibility to **exchange** ideas, their best practices and lessons learned.

Main Building Blocks Adopted for NBCBN

1: Providers and consumers concept

2: Community of Practice

3: Internet-based Learning & Education

4: Knowledge management platforms

Research Clusters

GIS and Modeling

Egypt

Ethiopia,
Kenya, D.R. Congo,
Tanzania, Rwanda,

River Morphology

Sudan

Egypt,
Eritrea, Ethiopia,
Burundi

River Structures

Ethiopia

Uganda,
Egypt , D. R. Congo,
Sudan

Environmental Aspects of River Engineering

Uganda

Eritrea, Kenya
Rwanda , Egypt
Sudan

Flood Management

Kenya

Uganda, Egypt
Tanzania , Sudan
Ethiopia, Eritrea

Hydropower

Tanzania

Uganda,
Rwanda , Kenya
Burundi

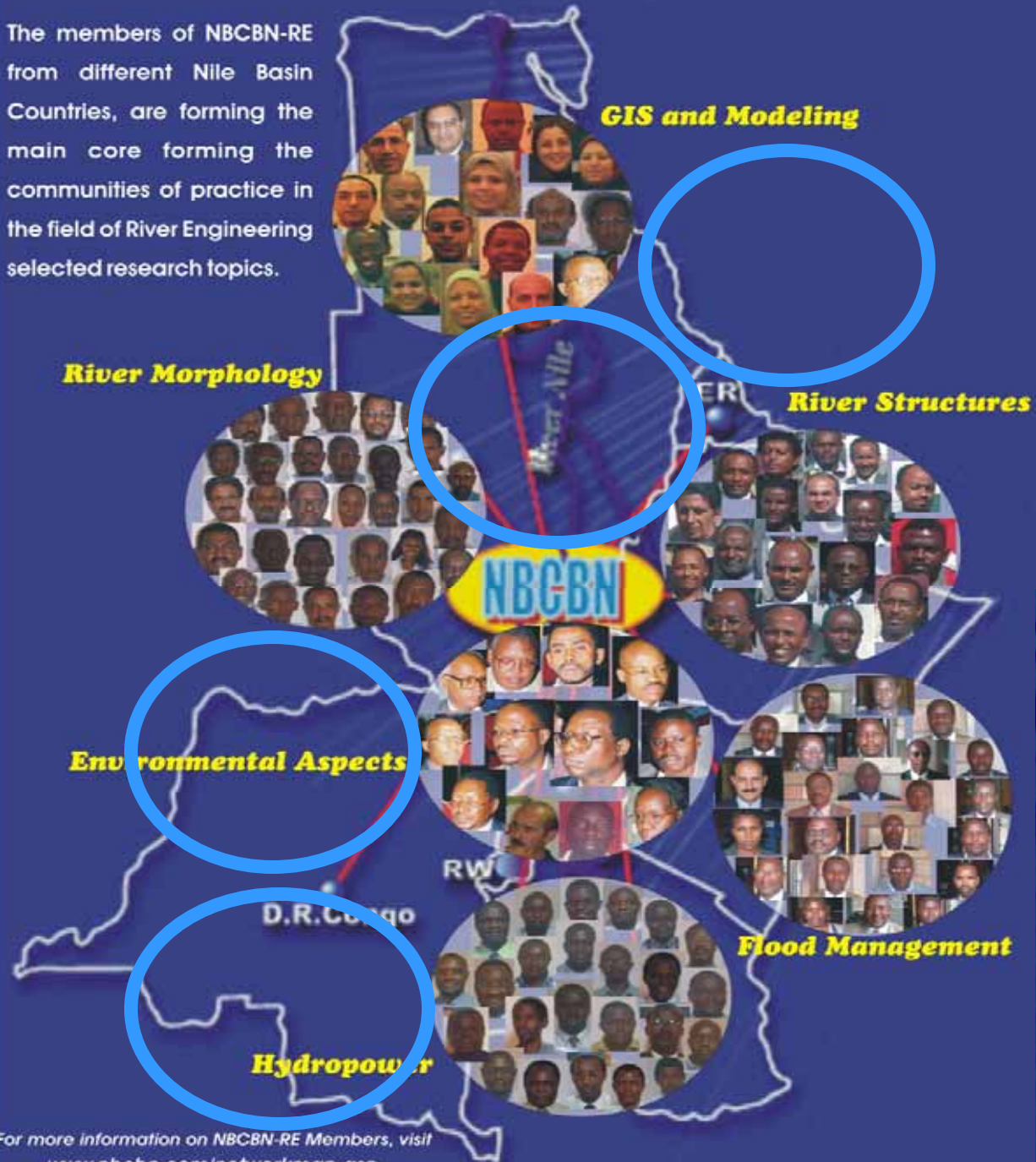
Achievements

- **NBCBN**
- **Six in-country (national) networks**
- **Six regional research clusters**
- **13 research groups**
- **13 research reports**
- **NBCBN Platform**
- **NBCBN brochure & newsletters**
- **Assessment of available facilities in NBC**
- **knowledge map**

Further Development of the Network

- Complete the network
- Stimulate the further development of CoP's (different stages) till a sustainable level has been reached.
- Improved facilitation by improving the I&C support environment and infrastructure.
- Support the development of national water research communities
- Support the involvement of researchers in concrete R&D projects

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