



# Entrepreneurship Ecosystems and Innovation Hubs in East African Contexts: A Theoretical Framework

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## Abstract

Entrepreneurship ecosystems and innovation hubs are emerging as critical components in fostering economic development and technological advancement globally. In East Africa, particularly Morocco, these structures play a pivotal role in catalyzing entrepreneurial activities and driving innovation. None This theoretical framework provides a foundation for further empirical studies and policy development in shaping effective entrepreneurship ecosystems and innovation hubs across East Africa. None

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