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IFAD has been working to tackle this challenge thanks to the Indigenous Peoples Assistance Facility (IPAF), an innovative funding instrument that indigenous communities can use to find solutions to the challenges they face. IPAF supports projects designed and implemented by Indigenous Peoples’ communities and their organizations through small grants. In partnership with Indigenous Peoples organizations, efforts are made to enhance measuring progress in achieving the rights and well-being of Indigenous Peoples.

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**David Berger**  
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Overview on experiences developing and monitoring relevant indicators on Indigenous Peoples  
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