

Asian Public Governance Conference on Public-Private Partnerships

Agenda

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Seoul, Korea



09:00 – 09:30 REGISTRATION

09:30 – 10:00 OPENING SESSION & THE 10TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF PUBLIC GOVERNANCE PROGRAMME

Opening Remarks (5 min)

- **Mr. Deok-soo Park**, Director General of Public Governance Programme, OECD KOREA Policy Centre

Congratulatory Remarks (15 min)

- **Mr. Hong-tack Chun**, Executive Secretary, OECD KOREA Policy Centre
- **Mr. Won Lee**, President of Korea Legislation Research Institute, Republic of Korea

Overview of the Main Achievements of the Public Governance Programme (10 min)

- **Mr. Bum-seok Kong**, Director of Public Governance Programme, OECD KOREA Policy Centre

10:00 – 10:15 PHOTO & BREAK

10:15 – 11:30 SESSION 1 : Developing PPP Framework – Where to start and what should be considered?

It's a growth, trade and development enabling, countercyclical policy measure, but it's not easy to get right. It can be delivered in many ways with careful considerations. Let us hear and discuss emerging issues and trends to be considered in developing PPP framework as well as country experience on their approaches and experiences for further discussion.

Speakers (50 min)

- **Mr. Ian Hawkesworth**, Acting Head of Budgeting and Public Expenditures, Public Governance and Territorial Development Directorate, OECD
- **Mr. Chang-gue Lim**, Chief Operating Officer, Executive Office, Korea Social Investment, Republic of Korea

Discussion (25 min)

11:30 – 11:45 BREAK

11:45 – 13:00 SESSION 2 : Fostering an Enabling Environment for PPPs – What makes it attractive?

A successful PPP program that delivers good projects requires strong private sector interest. Some countries are more successful than others in generating such interest. This session investigates the efforts made by the governments to provide a reliable, attractive PPP framework that addresses the private sector's needs and requirements and their insights in attracting the private side of the PPP.

Speakers (50 min)

- **Mr. Bekmurat Talipov**, Head of Strategy, Kazakhstan PPP Center, Kazakhstan
- **Mr. Eddie Razak**, Executive Vice President, Social Innovation, Agensi Inovasi Malaysia, Malaysia

Discussion (25 min)

13:00 – 14:30 LUNCH

14:30 – 15:45 SESSIONS 3 : Maintaining Value for Money and Managing Fiscal Risks

Since the mid-1990s, governments faced with limited financial resources turned their attention to PPPs in order to meet the demands of citizens expecting better public services. While it is still up for debate, PPPs are considered to deliver better value for money than the other alternatives. Let us hear and discuss how the decision-makers take the elements of affordability, value for money and fiscal risks into account and how PPPs are accounted for and treated in the national budget.

Speakers (50 min)

- **Mr. Tony Rose**, Infrastructure Director, Scottish Futures Trust, United Kingdom
- **Mr. Tran Viet Dzung**, Head of PPP Office, Public Procurement Agency, Ministry of Planning and Investment, Vietnam

Discussion (25 min)**15:45 – 16:00 BREAK****16:00 – 17:15 SESSIONS 4 : Improving the Institutional Structure and Legal Framework for PPP**

While there is a lack of clear and coherent model for national legislation for PPP projects, a legislative framework for PPP project allows policy outcomes to be articulated, achieved and monitored. This session elaborates how countries addressed obstacles for effective PPPs as well as improving internal processes at the national level.

Speakers (50 min)

- **Mr. Fuguo Cao**, Director, China Institute of Public Procurement, Central University of Finance and Economics, People's Republic of China
- **Ms. Ji-yeon Choi**, Senior Research Fellow, Korea Legislation Research Institute, Republic of Korea

Discussion (25 min)**17:15 – 17:25 BREAK****17:25 – 18:00 CLOSING SESSION****Summary of the Sessions (10 min)**

- **Mr. Ian Hawkesworth**, Acting Head of Budgeting and Public Expenditures, Public Governance and Territorial Development Directorate, OECD

Takeaways from the Conference & Future Works (20 min)

- **Mr. Kyaw Win Tun (TBC)**, Chief Information Officer / Deputy Director, Directorate of Investment and Company Administration, Ministry of National Planning and Economic Development, Myanmar
- **Ms. Eva Benita A. Tuzon**, Director of Pilot Projects Division, Centre on Integrated Rural Development for Asia and the Pacific (CIRDAP)

Closing Remarks (5 min)

- **Mr. Deok-soo Park**, Director General of Public Governance Programme, OECD KOREA Policy Centre

18:30 – 20:00 DINNER