

Capacity Building Seminar on Foreign Exchange Market Development



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Program

Wednesday, June 12

8:45 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	Registration
9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Opening Remarks <i>Ms. Yuko Kinoshita, Assistant to the Director IMF Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific (OAP)</i>
9:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	L-1 The Evolution of Monetary Policy Framework <i>Mr. Mangal Goswami, Deputy Director IMF-Singapore Regional Training Institute (STI)</i>
(11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.)	(Coffee Break)
12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.	Lunch
2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	L-2 The Choice of Exchange Rate Regimes <i>Mr. Mangal Goswami, Deputy Director IMF-Singapore Regional Training Institute (STI)</i>
3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Coffee Break
4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	L-3 Foreign Exchange Market Operations <i>Mr. Simon Gray, Deputy Division Chief Central Banking Operations Division Monetary and Capital Markets Department (MCM), IMF</i>
6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	Dinner

Thursday, June 13

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	L-4 Case Studies: Thailand's Foreign Exchange Market Operations during the Asian Crisis <i>Ms. Alisara Mahasandana, Senior Director Financial Markets Department Bank of Thailand</i>
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10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.		Coffee Break
11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	L-5	Case Studies: Foreign Exchange Market Operations in Japan <i>Mr. Masaaki Iizuka, Senior Deputy Director Foreign Exchange Markets Division International Bureau Ministry of Finance, Japan</i>
12:30 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.		Photo Session
12:45 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.		Lunch
2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	L-6	Operational Issues of Foreign Exchange Markets in Cambodia, Lao P.D.R., Myanmar, and Vietnam <i>Mr. Simon Gray, Deputy Division Chief Central Banking Operations Division Monetary and Capital Markets Department, IMF</i>
3:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.		Coffee break
4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	P-1	Participant Presentation and Roundtable Discussion on Foreign Exchange Market Operations <i>Participants</i>
6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.		Dinner

Friday, June 14

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	L-7	Foreign Exchange Interventions and Auctions <i>Mr. Simon Gray, Deputy Division Chief Central Banking Operations Division Monetary and Capital Markets Department, IMF</i>
10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.		Coffee break
11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	W-1	Workshop on Foreign Exchange Market Auctions <i>Mr. Simon Gray, Deputy Division Chief Central Banking Operations Division Monetary and Capital Markets Department, IMF</i>
12:30 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.		Closing Remarks <i>Mr. Shogo Ishii, Director IMF Regional Office for Asia and the Pacific (OAP)</i>
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.		Lunch

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