

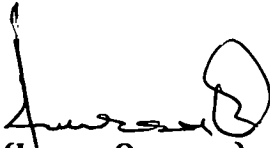
Government of Pakistan
FINANCE DIVISION
HRM Wing
(QA-I Section)

C I R C U L A R

Subject:- **CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY - ADBI FINTECH AND REGULATORY INNOVATION ONLINE COURSE**

Economic Affairs Division, vide its O.M No.9(7)ADB-IV/EAD/2022 dated 03-02-2022. The Asian Development Bank Institute (ADBI) has announced to launch online course from 16th February 2022 titled: Cambridge University - ADBI Fintech and Regulatory Innovation Course" in collaboration with the Cambridge University Judge Business School Cambridge Centre for Alternative Finance (CCAF). The online course will be comprised on eight (8) components each of which runs for eight weeks and will only be available to a closed group of participants and the nominees will be committing 5-6 hours per component. Brief particulars of the program are as under:-

2. The Interested Officers of Finance Division, who have relevant experience / qualification and fulfill other eligibility criteria may submit their nomination duly approved by the AFS/Head of the Wing concerned alongwith FTC Proforma, CV, recommendation form, information form and statement of purpose indicating how the programme can contribute to the work of the nominee (100 words) to QA-I Section by 11-02-2022 positively.


(Imran Qayyum)
Dy. Secretary (QA/PDMU)
☎: 9217853

All Officers, (BS-19 & above) Finance Division, Islamabad

Finance Division's u.o. No.F.2 (12) QA-I/2021-22

dated: 10-02-2022

Copy to the Webmaster, with the request to upload the circular on Finance Division's website.



02 February 2022

Mr. Irfan Abbas Shah
Joint Secretary (Paris Club & ADB)
Ministry of Economic Affairs
PAK Secretariat, Islamabad, Pakistan

University of Cambridge – ADBI FinTech and Regulatory Innovation Course
February 2022 (8th Cohort)
Online Course

Dear Mr. Irfan Abbas Shah,

The Asian Development Bank Institute (ADBI) and the University of Cambridge Judge Business School Cambridge Center for Alternative Finance (CCAF) are pleased to announce the launch of the “**University of Cambridge – ADBI FinTech and Regulatory Innovation Course**”. This online course is designed to enhance the capacity and knowledge of government officials and regulators to engage with different forms of financial innovations to respond with respective regulatory and policy implications. This will be the 8th cohort, each of which runs for eight weeks and will only be available to a closed group of participants.

ADBI is offering a scholarship worth US\$1,800 to selected participants and would like to receive nominations of two government official with expertise in fintech or financial regulation (one nominee per organization). ADBI has a total of 16 scholarship slots to be offered for the 8th cohort. In this regard, we invite the recommendation of nominees with the following qualifications:

1. Operational/middle management level
2. In a team/department responsible for FinTech or Digital Financial Services
3. Self-motivated and able to commit 5-6 hours per week for 8 weeks

We would kindly request that the nominee submit the following documents to Mr. Dwiky Wibowo (dwibowo@adbi.org) and Ms Sumiko Ozaki (sozaki@adbi.org) by **15 February 2022**:

1. Comprehensive CV
2. Recommendation Form
3. Detailed Applicant Information Form
4. Statement of purpose indicating how the program can contribute to the work of the nominee (1000 words)

The official acceptance will be sent directly to the accepted participant. Should you require any further information on this program, please feel free to contact the coordinators: Dr. Riznaldi Akbar (rakbar@adbi.org).

Yours sincerely,

S Baek

Seungju Baek
Deputy Dean (CBT and Special Activities)
Asian Development Bank Institute

Attachment:

- Application Package
- FinTech Course Program Brochure

CC: Yong Ye, Nasrumminallah Mian, Mr. Ahmad Mujtaz



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**ADB I – Cambridge University Online Course on Fintech and Regulatory Innovation
16 February 2022 (Cohort 8)**

Recommendation Form

Dr. Seungju Baek
Deputy Dean
Asian Development Bank Institute

Dear Dr. Baek:

I, the undersigned, acting on behalf of _____, hereby recommend the following applicant for the ADBI Scholarship for the ADBI – Cambridge University Online Course on Fintech and Regulatory Innovation. I have reviewed Section 2 of this Nomination Form and agree with the outlined arrangements. The nominee is able to complete the course, share and discuss relevant country practices and experiences with regards to fintech and regulatory innovation, and is fluent in English.

Applicant's Name: _____
Current Position: _____
Organization Name: _____

I guarantee that the above nominee will:

- (i) Complete the course
- (ii) Accomplish requirements related to the completion of the course

Recommender's Name: _____

Position: _____ Department: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Official Seal:

Section 2

A. Adherence to Deadlines

Deadlines indicated in the "Request for Nominations" letter have been set to allow adequate time for logistical preparations of this event. It will **not** be possible to consider nominations received after the deadlines indicated.

B. Acceptance of Applicants

Spaces in this event are limited. To participate, applicants must:

1. Meet the participant criteria.
2. Be officially recommended by their government ministry/agency or other organization recognized by ADBI.
 - ① Complete and submit the following items to ADBI by **15 February 2022**:
 - ② A Detailed Applicant Information form (attached)
 - ③ A complete CV Form (attached – required for nomination to be considered) and a CV including detailed information on education and work experience.
 - ④ A copy of the information page of a valid passport

Documents should be sent to **Mr. Dwiky Wibowo (dwibowo@adbi.org)** and **Ms. Sumiko Ozaki (sozaki@adbi.org)** by **15 February 2022**.

Final selection of participants is the responsibility of ADBI. Selected nominees will be contacted by ADBI regarding relevant arrangements.



Detailed Applicant Information Form

This form must be completed and submitted to ADBI by 15 February.

Please send completed form to Mr. Dwiky Wibowo (dwibowo@adbi.org) and Ms. Sumiko Ozaki (sozaki@adbi.org).

Nominee's Name (as it appears in the passport):

First Name:

Middle Name:

Last Name:

Preferred Name (exact word order and title as you like to be called):

Sex: Male Female **Date of Birth:** (DD) (MM) (YY) **Age:**

Nationality:

Title/Position:

Department:

Organization:

Office Address:

Office Phone Number:

Office Fax Number:

E-Mail Address:

Nominee's Direct Supervisor:

Name:

Title/Position:

Email Address:

Phone/Fax Number:



Detailed Applicant Information Form

This form must be completed and submitted to ADBI by 15 February.
 Please send completed form to Mr. Dwiky Wibowo (dwibowo@adbi.org) and Ms. Sumiko Ozaki (sozaki@adbi.org).

Nominations submitted without a full CV or this form will not be considered.

Name:
 Title:
 Organization:

Education:

Highest degree obtained:
 Year of graduation:
 Name of university or college:
 Main course of study:
 English proficiency: Excellent Good Fair

Work Experience:

Government rank: Government Official Senior Government Official (Director-level or higher)
 Current job responsibilities:

Employment History:

Organization:
 Duration of employment (from/to):
 Main responsibilities:

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Participation in recent workshops/training on related topics (list):

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| 2. | <input type="checkbox"/> ADBI or ADB event <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
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Statement of Purpose

Please answer the following questions. Your answers in total should not exceed 1000 words.

1. How are you involved in fintech and regulatory innovation in your country?
2. What do you think can be improved in your country in terms of fintech and regulatory innovation?
3. How can this program contribute to your work for your government?