

**5th PRC-ADB Knowledge Sharing Platform
Sustainable Vocational Training towards Industrial Upgrading
and Economic Transformation**

2–5 December 2013, Beijing & Guangdong

Agenda

Day 1: 2 December (Monday) Tangla Hotel, Beijing	
9:00 - 9:30	<p>Opening Session</p> <p>Welcome Remarks</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. XIE Xuan, Deputy Director General, International Department, Ministry of Finance, People’s Republic of China</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Madam ZOU Jiayi, Director General, International Department, Ministry of Finance, People’s Republic of China (15 min) - Mr. Ayumi Konishi, Director General, East Asia Department, Asian Development Bank (15 min)
9:30 - 10:00	<p>Keynote speech</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr. LIU Jiantong, Deputy Director General, Department of Vocational and Adult Education , Ministry of Education, People’s Republic of China (15 min) - Ms. HE Wenfang, Director General, Vocational Capacity Building Department, Ministry of Human Resources and Social Security, People’s Republic of China (15 min)
10:00 - 10:30	Group photo and Tea/Coffee
10:30 - 12:10	<p>Session 1: Improving Vocational Training in a Changing World</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Ayumi Konishi, Director General/Co-Chair Education Community of Practice, Asian Development Bank</p> <p><i>This session will present how vocational training can meet the needs of the fast changing world, keeping up with the changing economic structure.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Industrial Structure Determines Education Structure (20 min) Mr. JIANG Dayuan, Executive Member of the Council, The Chinese Society of Vocational and Technical Education

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Priority Issues in TVET Workforce Skills Development for Asia in the Global World (20 min) Mr. Jouko Sarvi, Advisor, RSOD concurrently Practice Leader (Education), Asian Development Bank - Education-to-Employment: Designing a System that Works (20 min) Mr. Tom Isherwood, Team Leader of Education Report, McKinsey - Skills Development in the Fast Changing World (20 min) Ms. WANG Yidan, Senior Education Specialist, World Bank - Question and Answer (20 min)
12:10 - 13:30	Lunch
14:00 - 15:30	<p>Session 2 (Part 1): Vocational Training, Industrial Upgrading, and Economic Transformation</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Diwesh Sharan, Director Urban and Social Sectors, Asian Development Bank</p> <p><i>This session will focus on the close nexus of economic growth, industrial upgrading or transformation, and skills. It will offer insights into how to develop vocational training policies against the background of national economic upgrading and transformation, including the role of the government, private sector, enterprises and vocational training schools.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - PRC Experience: Preparing Students for the Labor Market (20 min) Ms. WANG Xiaojun, Deputy Director General, Occupational Skill Testing Authority, Ministry of Human Resource and Social Security; and Secretary General, China Association of Workers Education and Vocational Training - Korean Experience with Skills for Economic Growth (15 min) Mr. Namchul Lee, Director General, Office of Research in Integration of Education-Training and Labor, KRIVET - Qualifying Teachers/Trainers for Praxis-oriented TVET: Experiences from GIZ (15 min) Mr. LIU Bangxiang, Senior Training Expert, CWPP- China Wind Power (Training & Research) Programme, GIZ <p>Discussants (20 min):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ms. Jazira Asanova, Senior Education Specialist, Asian Development Bank

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Ms. WANG Yidan, Senior Education Specialist, World Bank - Ms. XIAO Liping, Senior Education Specialist, World Bank Beijing Office <p>Question and Answer (20 min)</p>
15:30 - 15:50	Coffee/Tea
15:50 - 17:10	<p>Session 2 (Part 2): Vocational Training, Industrial Upgrading and Economic Transformation</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. XING Yuqing, Director, Capacity Building & Training, Asian Development Bank Institute</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Malaysia's Vocational System and HRD Planning (15 min) Mr. Gazali Abas, Economic Planning Unit in the PM's Department, Malaysia - Japanese Vocational Model and its Applications (15 min) Mr. Koichi Hori, Chairman, Dream Incubator (supported by Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA)) - Teaching Industries: Good practices in Polytechnics in Indonesia (15 min) Mr. Priyono Eko Sanyoto, Director of Polytechnic Batam; and Mr. M. Mahmud, Director, Polytechnic Shipping in Surabaya <p>Discussants (20 min):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr. Nakul Baniya, Secretary, Ministry of Education, Nepal - Mr. Sam Sereyrath, Directorate General of General Education, Ministry of Education, Youth and Sport, Cambodia - Mr. Ganesh Chand, Vice Chancellor, Fiji National University <p>Question and Answer (15 min)</p>
18:00	Dinner
<p>Day 2: 3 December (Tuesday) Tangla Hotel, Beijing</p>	
9:00 - 10:05	<p>Session 3: Public Private Partnership and Financing Vocational Training</p> <p>Moderator: President WANG Changwen, Harbin Vocational and Technical College</p>

	<p><i>This session will discuss different modes to finance vocational training. How costly is good vocational training and how shall it be financed?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Frameworks and Models for PPP in TVET (15 min) Mr. Michael Latham, PPP Expert/Asian Development Bank Consultant - Innovative and Cutting Edge Financing Models for TVET: Case Studies from Australia, India, Malaysia, and Singapore (15 min) Ms. Belinda Smith, TVET PPP Specialist/Asian Development Bank Consultant <p>Discussants: (15 min)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr. Craig Sugden, Principal PPP Specialist, Asian Development Bank; - Mr. XING Yuqing, Director, Capacity Building & Training, Asian Development Bank Institute <p>Question and Answer (20 min)</p>
10:05 - 10:30	Coffee/Tea
10:30 - 11:30	<p>Session 4: Policy Implications for Vocational Training Governance and Management</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Diwesh Sharan, Director Urban and Social Sectors, Asian Development Bank</p> <p><i>In the backdrop of the shared experiences, this session will discuss policy implications for future vocational training in the PRC and globally. The panel discussants will identify concrete actions and conclude by discussing way forward, summarized by moderators.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Opportunities for Supporting TVET in the PRC (20 min) Ms. LIU Yufeng, Director and Research Professor, Division of International Cooperation and Comparative Education Research, Central Institute for Vocational and Technical Education, Ministry of Education - Responding to the Skills Challenge in Asia and Beyond (20 min) Ms. Denise Amyot, President and CEO, Association of Canadian Community Colleges & Chair, World Federation of Colleges and Polytechnics - Strategic Opportunities for TVET: Experience and Directions of ADB Support (20 min) Ms. Sofia Shakil, Senior Education Specialist, Asian Development Bank
11:30 - 12:00	Closing remarks

	<p>Moderator: Mr. Diwesh Sharan, Director Urban and Social Sectors, Asian Development Bank</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Mr. XIE Xuan, Deputy Director General, International Department, Ministry of Finance, People's Republic of China - Mr. Hamid Sharif, Country Director, Asian Development Bank
12:00	Lunch
14:00	Departure for Guangdong
<p>Day 3: 4 December (Wednesday) Grand Hyatt Guangzhou, Guangdong</p>	
Morning: Field visit to Guangzhou Industry&Trade Technician College	
8:30 - 9:30	Departure for the College
9:30 - 10:00	Tour the demonstration hall of the Integration Class Achievements
10:00 - 10:45	Introduction of the World Bank Project Introduction of the Guangdong vocational education for industry & trade
10:45 - 11:30	Tour the Training Base
11:30	Return to the Hotel / Lunch
Afternoon: Field visit to the Enterprise cooperated with TVET Schools	
14:00 - 15:00	Departure for the Enterprise
15:00 - 16:00	Tour the Enterprise Introduction of TVET meeting the demands of the labor market
16:00 - 17:00	Discussion with the enterprise staff, trainers and trainees, exchanging views on school enterprise cooperation for TVET
17:00	Return to Hotel / Dinner
<p>Day 4: 5 December (Thursday) Grand Hyatt Guangzhou, Guangdong</p>	
Morning: Field visit to Shunde Polytechnic	
8:30 - 9:30	Departure for the Polytechnic

9:30 - 9:50	Introduction of Vocational Education of Shunde District
9:50 - 10:20	Introduction of Shunde Polytechnic The role of Shunde Polytechnic's in industrial upgrading and economic transformation
10:20 - 11:30	Tour the Polytechnic
11:30	Return to Hotel / Lunch
Afternoon: Wrap-up Meeting at Hotel	
15:00 - 17:00	Mr. XIE Xuan, Deputy Director General, International Department, Ministry of Finance, People's Republic of China Ms. Sofia Shakil, Senior Education Specialist, Asian Development Bank