



## Regional: Capacity Building Program for Journalists in Developing Member Countries, 2018-2019

Project Name	Capacity Building Program for Journalists in Developing Member Countries, 2018-2019	
Project Number	51358-001	
Country	RegionalAfghanistanArmeniaBangladeshCambodiaFijiIndiaIndonesiaMalaysiaMongoliaMyanmarNepalPakistanChina, People's Republic ofSri LankaTajikistanThailandViet Nam	
Project Status	Active	
Project Type / Modality of Assistance	Technical Assistance	
Source of Funding / Amount	<b>TA 9489-REG: Capacity Building Program for Journalists in Developing Member Countries, 2018-2019</b>	
	Technical Assistance Special Fund	US\$ 225,000.00
Strategic Agendas	Inclusive economic growth	
Drivers of Change	Governance and capacity development Knowledge solutions	
Sector / Subsector	<b>Public sector management</b> - Economic affairs management	
Gender Equity and Mainstreaming	Some gender elements	
Description		
Project Rationale and Linkage to Country/Regional Strategy		
Impact	Policy debate pertaining to the Sustainable Development Goals and other development and economic issues in the Asia and Pacific region promoted through improved media reporting.	

### Project Outcome

Description of Outcome

DMC journalists' understanding and reporting of SDGs and other development and economic issues in Asia and the Pacific region improved  
Knowledge sharing on development issues by ADB-supported DMC journalists promoted through news articles, which may encourage policy debate among DMC stakeholders and opinion leaders

Progress Toward Outcome

### Implementation Progress

Description of Project Outputs

News articles on development issues published by participating DMC journalists in major media outlets in the Asia and Pacific region  
Better collaboration with key regional and national media

Status of Implementation Progress (Outputs, Activities, and Issues)

Geographical Location

Afghanistan - Nation-wide; Armenia - Nation-wide; Bangladesh - Nation-wide; Cambodia - Nation-wide; China - Nation-wide; Fiji - Nation-wide; India - Nation-wide; Indonesia - Nation-wide; Malaysia - Nation-wide; Mongolia - Nation-wide; Myanmar - Nation-wide; Nepal - Nation-wide; Pakistan - Nation-wide; Sri Lanka - Nation-wide; Tajikistan - Nation-wide; Thailand - Nation-wide; Viet Nam - Nation-wide

### Summary of Environmental and Social Aspects

Environmental Aspects

Involuntary Resettlement

Indigenous Peoples

### Stakeholder Communication, Participation, and Consultation

During Project Design

During Project Implementation

### Business Opportunities

Consulting Services None

Procurement None

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### Timetable

Concept Clearance 09 Nov 2017

Fact Finding 09 Nov 2017 to 15 Dec 2017

MRM -

Approval 20 Dec 2017

Last Review Mission -

Last PDS Update 08 Jan 2018

### TA 9489-REG

Milestones					
Approval	Signing Date	Effectivity Date	Closing		
			Original	Revised	Actual
20 Dec 2017	-	20 Dec 2017	31 Dec 2019	-	-

Financing Plan/TA Utilization						Cumulative Disbursements		
ADB	Cofinancing	Counterpart				Total	Date	Amount
		Gov	Beneficiaries	Project Sponsor	Others			
225,000.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	225,000.00	20 Dec 2017	56,736.02

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