

 Early Warning System

ADB-58142-001

Enhancing Research Capacity of Think Tanks in Asia and the Pacific on  
Issues of Regional Cooperation and Integration



## Quick Facts

<b>Financial Institutions</b>	Asian Development Bank (ADB)
<b>Status</b>	Proposed
<b>Bank Risk Rating</b>	U
<b>Borrower</b>	Regional
<b>Sectors</b>	Industry and Trade, Law and Government, Technical Cooperation
<b>Investment Type(s)</b>	Grant
<b>Investment Amount (USD)</b>	\$ 0.75 million
<b>Project Cost (USD)</b>	\$ 0.75 million



## Project Description

According to the Bank's website, the proposed knowledge and support TA will strengthen research capacity of think tanks in ADB member countries by strengthening partnerships and cooperations, promoting research in emerging policy issues, advising research work and developing papers, and offering a platform (workshops, policy dialogues and conferences) to present research findings and exchange knowledge. These will be delivered through cooperation with ADBI, selected research institutions in ADB member countries or members of the ADB-led ATTN, and possibly with other development agencies.

The TA will delve into research themes that have implications on strengthening RCI, based on ADB's knowledge and operational priorities and matched by research priorities of other partner institutions as decided annually. These research themes will include tourism and international trade, and climate change policy and financing, while keeping the role of technology and innovation for these agendas and for economic development at large into consideration.



## Investment Description

- Asian Development Bank (ADB)

The TA financing amount is \$750,000, which will be financed on a grant basis by ADB's Technical Assistance Special Fund.



## Contact Information

*No contacts available at the time of disclosure.*

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