

DRAFT ADB-ILO MoU Implementation
Joint Work Program 2011-2012 (as of 11 August 2011)

Thematic Area	Cooperation Area	Objective	Lead Staff
Statistics and Labor Market Information	Making Growth Inclusive: Challenges and Opportunities for Asia's Emerging Middle Income Countries (MICs)	The conference will take stock of the conceptual understandings and empirical evidence developed in recent years on inclusive growth and the middle income trap.	ADB: Armin Bauer ILO: Gyorgy Sziraczki/ Phu Huynh
	Seminar on "Towards Higher Quality of Employment in Asia"	The seminar will present and discuss the ADB's special thematic chapter of the 2011 ADB Key Indicators for Asia and the Pacific publication, with a presentation by ADB and panel discussion with ILO.	ADB: Douglas Brooks/ Dalisay Maligalig ILO: Gyorgy Sziraczki/ Phu Huynh
	Labor market assessment in ADB CSPs (tbd)	ILO technical staff participation in ADB CSP process by contributing with advice and a brief summary labor market assessment.	ADB: Armin Bauer ILO: Gyorgy Sziraczki/ Phu Huynh
	Urban labor markets and inclusive growth (tbd)	Study to address labor market inequality, labor supply, mobility and poverty by analyzing the urban labor market structure and segmentation which stress differences in labor status and in patterns of job access.	ADB: Armin Bauer ILO: Gyorgy Sziraczki/ Phu Huynh
	Study on Improving/Reforming Labor Markets in Asia (tbd)	Promote inclusive growth through better understanding and ultimately reform of labor markets in Asia, including labor market institutions.	ADB: Paul Vandenberg ILO: Gyorgy Sziraczki/ Phu Huynh/ Kee Beom Kim (DWT-Bangkok)/ Sher Verick (DWT-New Delhi)/ Kazutoshi Chatani (ILO-Jakarta)
	Country profiles on decent work and labour market indicators	ADB technical staff participation in the review of country profiles of decent work and labour market indicators developed under the ILO Project "Measuring and Assessing Progress on Decent Work MAP)"	ADB: Dalisay Maligalig ILO: Phu Huynh
	Promoting Gender Equality in the Labor Market for More Inclusive Growth	Identify potential labor market and social protection reforms that will promote decent and expanded employment opportunities for women, thereby contributing to more inclusive growth.	ADB: Imrana Jalal ILO: Sukti Dasgupta/ Sophorn Tun/ Seltik Heng (ILO-Cambodia), Jeff Johnson (ILO-Philippines), Talgat Umirzhanov (ILO-Kazakhstan)
	Employment and Social Policy Issues in the Post-crisis Context	Improved understanding among participating DMC officials of policy issues and solutions in selected focus areas.	ADB: John West ILO: Raymond Torres, International Institute for Labor Studies
Education and Skills Development	Skills for inclusive Growth and Green Jobs	Strengthen knowledge partnership in the area of skills. Combine technical knowledge and inputs to develop a coherent and jointly advocated approach to reforms in the area of skills in the context of moving up the value chain and for green jobs.	ADB: Shanti Jagannathan ILO: Carmela Torres/Vincent Jugault

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	Skills Development System	Increase Harmonization of TVET initiatives within ASEAN and GMS	ADB: David Ablett ILO: Carmella Torres
	Mid-level Skills Training	Introduce mid-level skills training for construction and auto-mechanical trades in Timor-Leste by strengthening selected public and private training providers to increase employment opportunities.	ADB: Sunhwa Lee ILO: TBD
Inclusive Job Creation Strategies / Green Jobs	Green Job with Green Work	Job intensive environmental programs in Philippines cities and towns adapting to climate change.	ADB: Armin Bauer ILO: Chris Donges
	Power for the Rural Poor (P4RP)	Increase sustainable energy access for the poor and job creation through deployment of renewable energy in off-grid areas.	ADB: Jiwan Acharya/ Shaanti Kapila (Energy for All) ILO: Ivanka Mamic, Wolfgang Schiefer
SPI, SPF, Social Protection Agenda and HIV/AIDS	Updating and Improving the Social Protection Index (SPI)	Improving and updating the SPI to measure and monitor social protection programs	ADB: Sri Wening Handayani ILO: Florence Bonnet OECD: Willem Adema
	Health and HIV/AIDS	To share evidence-based good practices and tools for health and HIV outcomes and impacts	ADB: Rikard Elfving/Patricia Moser ILO: Richard Howard