

Statistician

POSITION TITLE Statistician
POSITION LEVEL : IS4
RECRUITMENT TYPE : International
POSITION LOCATION : HQ
TYPE OF APPOINTMENT: FT-REN (Fixed term appointment with option to renew)

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Are you ready to make a lasting impact on the future of Asia and be a catalyst for positive change? We are thrilled to offer a unique opportunity to become an important part of the prestigious Asian Development Bank (ADB). At ADB, our mission is simple yet powerful: to alleviate poverty and promote sustainable development in the Asia-Pacific region.

Organizational Setting and Reporting Relationship

The position of Statistician is assigned to the Statistics and Data Innovation Unit (EROD-SDI) within the Economic Research and Development Impact Department. You will be based at our Headquarters in Manila, Philippines.

You will report to Advisor, ERDI and Head, Statistics and Data Innovation Unit and will be expected to work collaboratively with team members for the achievement of assigned work outcomes.

Your Role

As a statistician, you will: Participate in the overall coordination for the Mongolia Official Development Assistance (ODA) and technical assistance (TA) in which ADB and Statistics Korea (KOSTAT) have been engaged since 2024. In coordination with ADB, establish new joint project plans and proceedings in countries other than Mongolia to strengthen statistical capabilities in the Asia-Pacific region. You will also support the improvement of statistical development in the Asia-Pacific region to enhance technical and methodological innovations in statistics and assist in the planning and implementation of conferences, workshops, and seminars for the development of statistics in the Asia-Pacific region, hosted by ADB and KOSTAT, thereby supporting cooperation in the field of data and statistics between the Korean government and ADB.

You will:

- Under the direction of the project officer, and in consultation with key stakeholders including National Statistics Office of Mongolia (NSOM), lead the assessment of the technical gaps in the national statistical system of Mongolia that impede the compilation of quality economic and environmental statistics.
- Comprehensively assess the current level of implementation of system of national accounts (SNA) SNA2008 and system of environmental and economic accounts (SEEA) SEEA2012 in Mongolia and provide recommendations for advancing to the implementation of SNA2025 and SEEA2021 within the project's timeframe.
- Work closely with the ADB, national statistics offices (NSOs) in select Asia and the Pacific economies and KOSTAT project teams to bridge critical analytical gaps in the statistical system of select Asia and the Pacific economies through the implementation of key SNA and SEEA recommendations.
- Guide NSOs in select Asia and the Pacific economies to expand the use of administrative data, and introduce the use of innovative data, in the compilation of economic and environmental statistics; and develop frameworks, processes and procedures for the integration of new and innovative data sources in production of official statistics.
- Guide NSOs in select Asia and the Pacific economies in agile adaptation of best practices, efficient processes, professional standards, and modern technologies so that the organization is prepared to serve current and emerging statistical and analytical needs.
- Work closely with ADB, NSOs in select Asia and the Pacific economies and KOSTAT to ensure that the respective TA projects are implemented in a seamlessly coordinated manner, leveraging organization specific advantages to create synergy, developing complementarity among project activities, and avoiding duplication of effort.
- Develop the technical capacity of officials in the statistical system of NSOs in select Asia and the Pacific economies through training, mentoring and guidance.

You will need:

- Master's degree in quantitative discipline such as statistics, economics, or mathematics or relevant fields; University degree combined with specialized experience in similar organization/s may be considered in lieu of a Master's degree
- At least 8 years of relevant work experience; international experience working in several countries
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills in English is required
- Extensive knowledge and deep expertise in SNA and SEEA
- Working knowledge in Balance of Payments (BOP) and Government Financial Statistics (GFS)
- Extensive experience working with multisource data, especially administrative data
- Experience working with innovative and non-traditional data is highly desirable
- At least 3 years of supervisory or managerial experience in a national statistical office
- Proficiency in English
- Demonstrable experience in diverse stakeholder engagement
- Proven ability in effective leadership and management
- Please refer to the [link](#) for ADB Competency Framework for IS4.

Benefits

ADB offers competitive compensation and a comprehensive [benefits package](#). The salary will be based on ADB's standards and comparator markets, taking into account your qualifications and experience.

- Paid leave (including parental)
- Medical and health benefits
- Life and other insurance plans
- Staff development
- Retirement plan
- Housing and education allowance (if applicable)
- Expatriate benefits (for international staff)

Additional Information

This position is funded by a temporary funding source (e.g., a trust fund, financing facility, or capital expenditure budget) and therefore, the renewal of the appointment and its duration are subject to the availability of the funding source.

This is a fixed term appointment with option to renew for an initial period of 2 years following Section 3.1 (b) of Administrative Order No. 2.01 ("Recruitment and Appointment"). This appointment is not convertible to a regular appointment. It may be extended for 1 year on an exceptional basis at the option of ADB.

About Us

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