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PULSAR Work program and next steps

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#	Topic
1	Legislation and regulation of PSA: good practices
2	Similarities and differences between GFSM and IPSAS , including training and updates on IPSAS/GFS2014
3	PSA benchmarking amongst PULSAR countries
4	IPSAS implementation sequencing (horizontal vs. vertical)
5	PSA reforms approaches and practices in subnational governments
6	Institutional arrangements for the accounting function, e.g. outsourced, co-sourced, centralized, shared services, etc.
7	Accrual accounting: impact on budget reporting, including templates
8	Accrual budgeting: advantages and disadvantages
9	How to develop financial and budget literacy programs
LO	Information systems: integration of PSA into IFMIS
1	Unified Chart of Accounts for financial, budgeting, and fiscal reporting
. 2	Consolidation at different levels of government
13	Identification, classification, measurement of fixed assets
L 4	Revenue recognition from exchange and non-exchange transactions
.5	The role of internal and external auditors to support PSA reforms
16	The implications of Sustainability Reporting on PSA
. 7	Accounting for SOE
. 8	The role of SAI in implementación of PSA reforms

Format

KP2/W3

KP6/SIT14

KP1/W2

SIT1

SIT2

W5

KP3/W4

KP8/SIT4/W6

KP4/W5/SIT8

SIT9

Work program ideas 2023 (FinCoP)

- 1. 7th workshop
- 2. Knowledge products
- 3. PULSE pilot: countries nominations
- 4. Confirmation of FinCoP country representatives
- 5. Renovation of the FinCoP core team



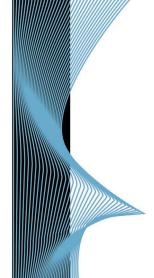
Knowledge products

- 1. IFMIS and PSA
- 2. Revenue accounting
- Provisions and Contingent Liabilities
- 4. Private Public Partnerships
- 5. Sustainability Reporting

Next workshop topics

- I. Legislation and regulation of PSA
- 2. PSA reforms and practices in subnational governments
- 3. Institutional arrangements for the accounting function
- 4. Accrual accounting: impact on budget reporting
- 5. Accrual budgeting: advantages and disadvantages
- 6. Revenue recognition from exchange and nonexchange transactions
- 7. The role of internal auditors in implementation of PSA reforms
- 8. The role of SAI in implementation of PSA reforms
- 9. Accounting for Provisions and Contingent Liabilities (IPSAS 19)
- 10. Accounting treatment for PPPs (IPSAS 32)
- 11. The link between Public Investment Management (PIM) and PSA
- 12. Analysis and interpretation of financial statements
- 13. Reconciliation between budget and financial information
- 14. The implications of Sustainability Reporting on PSA
- 15. Accounting for SOE





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Next workshop

- 1. Dates/frequency
- 2. Venue: Vienna or other PULSAR country
- 3. Topics
- 4. Format/Duration

Work Program ideas for 2023 (EduCoP)

- » Conducting events:
 - » Webinars
 - » F2F events

- » Written Guidance
- » Simple example of learning outcomes
- » Case studies



- Continuous support of IESs implementation:
 - Aligning of curricula/exams/training programs etc. with updated IES
 - Updating training programs to implement requirements relating to ICT and professional skepticism
 - Case studies/good practice/ experience sharing
- Conducting events (including joint with FinCoP) on selected topics:
 - a. Accrual accounting: impact on budget reporting
 - b. Accrual budgeting: advantages and disadvantages
 - c. Revenue recognition from exchange and non-exchange transactions
 - d. Accounting treatment for PPPs (IPSAS 32)
 - e. The link between Public Investment Management (PIM) and PSA
 - f. Analysis and interpretation of financial statements
 - g. Reconciliation between budget and financial information
 - h. The implications of Sustainability Reporting on PSA

Guidance/Knowledge products

- » 1. PSA education models
- » 2. Sample curricula
- » 3. Integration of ICT and professional skepticism related issues into PSA education programs.
- » 4. sustainability reporting issues into PSA education programs
- » 5. other ideas (let's discuss)?

Thank you!