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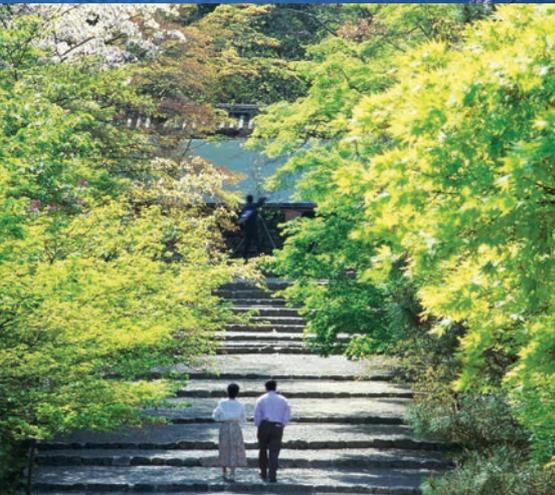


Utilizing Japan's Knowledge  
and Experience

by Policy Research Institute

# International Cooperation 2024





## Policy Research Institute



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### Preface

The Policy Research Institute (PRI), as the think-tank of the Ministry of Finance of Japan, is responsible for fundamental and comprehensive research and studies on fiscal and economic matters, the compilation of the History of Fiscal Policies in Japan and performance statistics of the Ministry of Finance, management of the Ministry Library, statistical research, and training for officials. The Office of International Research and Cooperation was established in July 1992 for the purpose of enhancing the PRI's international cooperation activities, and renamed the International Cooperation Division through the organizational restructuring in May 2015.

The PRI's international cooperation activities include intellectual support for developing countries (e.g., the acceptance of trainees and dispatch of experts to support reforms in fields such as fiscal policy, tax policy and policy-based finance) and research exchanges with foreign research institutes (e.g., holding joint workshops and accepting foreign researchers who study Japan's fiscal and economic affairs). The PRI will contribute to further economic development in developing countries through these international cooperation activities.

We hope that you will find this brochure useful to better understand our international cooperation activities.

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# COOPERATION



## Technical Cooperation

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# Intellectual Support

## Seminar on Economic Policies

## Intellectual Support

This annual seminar is aimed at helping participating countries develop their human resources, through the dissemination of knowledge and experiences regarding Japanese public finance and its economy to young executive candidates from finance ministries of developing countries, mainly those in Southeast Asia, Central Asian, Caucasus and Pacific Islands. The seminar is also expected to contribute to the development of a network among fiscal authorities. Furthermore since 2024, the seminar has been integrated with the Seminar for Central Asian and Caucasian Countries to form a larger framework with approximately 20 countries participating.



### The Seminar on Economic Policies 2024

Dates: August 22 to September 13, 2024

Number of participants: 25 Venue: Japan (Tokyo)

#### Policy Lectures

In order to pass on Japan's policies and experiences in economic activities across a wide range of fields, such as the economy, tax policy, and finances to the participants, lectures were delivered by scholars and experts.

##### Lecture topics

- The Japanese Economy: An Overview
- Public Expenditure Management
- Recent Developments of Japan's International Taxation
- Japan's Monetary and Fiscal Policy and others.



#### General Lectures

With the aim of deepening participants' understanding of Japan, lectures on the Japanese language, culture, history, and society were delivered by scholars and experts in each field.

##### Lecture topics

- Japanese Life and Society
- Japanese Language and others.



#### Group Work

The participants formed several groups according to the topics they chose in light of their respective national policy issues. Each group identified common issues within group members, discussed policy recommendations for their own countries under the guidance of a scholar or expert, and presented their group policy papers as the outcome.

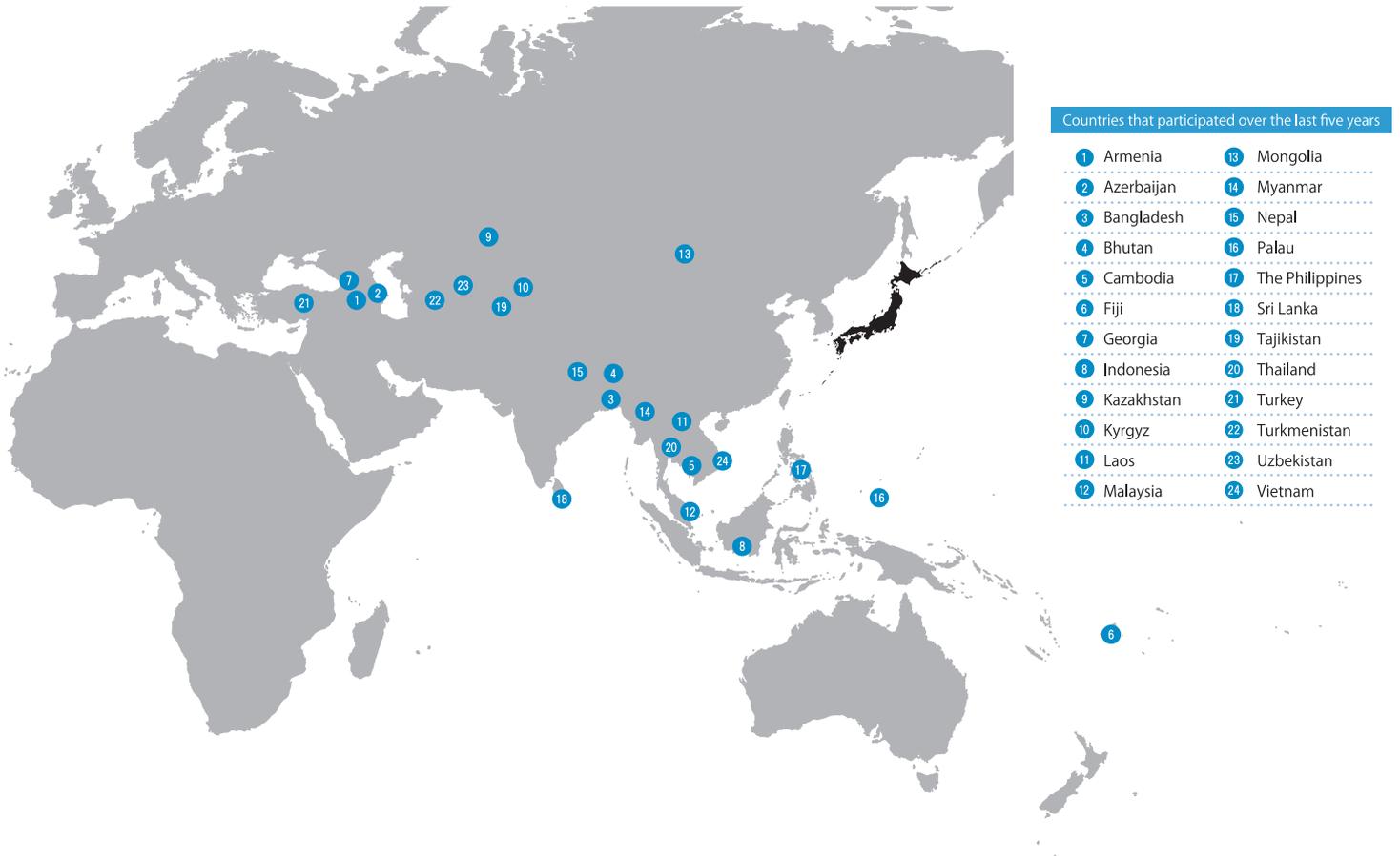


## Field Trips

The participants visited major relevant institutions around Tokyo and the Kansai Region to understand Japan's economic and social circumstances.

Places visited

■ National Diet ■ Bank of Japan ■ Japan Mint and others.



## Support for the Banking and Finance Academy of the Republic of Uzbekistan

Intellectual Support

Upon request by the Government of the Republic of Uzbekistan, the PRI has been providing the Banking and Finance Academy (BFA) with various forms of assistance since the BFA's establishment in 1996, as a part of intellectual support for human resource development in Uzbekistan. This has included accepting BFA students for seminars held in Japan, as well as dispatching the Honorable First Vice-Rector of the BFA (part-time).

### 1. Support in Japan

The PRI accepted eight students to the 26th Seminar for Central Asian and Caucasian Countries 2023.

\* Seminars for Central Asian and Caucasian Countries in 2021 and 2022 were held online due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

### 2. Support in Uzbekistan

**Dates:** March 27 to 30, 2024    **Venue:** Uzbekistan (Tashkent)

Mr. Suzuki, the Vice President of PRI visited Uzbekistan to meet the senior executive of the BFA, the Ministry of Economy and Finance of the Republic of Uzbekistan (UMOEF), and other institutes to exchange views on the further development of cooperation with them. On this occasion, the PRI held a joint seminar with the UMOEF and the BFA.



## Support for SME Finance in ASEAN countries

## Intellectual Support

The PRI has conducted a technical cooperation project on SME Finance for ASEAN countries, in conjunction with the Japan Finance Corporation, Micro Business and Individual Unit (JFC-Micro). We support SME Finance, which is tailored to their needs, and conduct follow-up activities through exchanges of views to understand the current situation of SMEs in each country and to maintain the accumulated know-how and network.

### The Second Seminar for the SME Bank of Cambodia on SME Finance

**Dates:** May 20 to 24, 2024 **Venue:** Japan (Tokyo)

As part of this technical cooperation project, the PRI, in conjunction with JFC-Micro, held a seminar in Japan for the SME Bank of Cambodia. During this period, ten participants attended lectures on credit analysis methods, risk management, and other topics, provided by JFC-Micro. They also visited the JFC's branch and its related organizations.



# Research Exchange

## Research exchange with think tanks in Korea

## Research Exchange

The PRI has been promoting research exchange with leading think tanks in Korea, including the Korea Institute of Public Finance (KIPF), the Korea Center for International Finance (KCIF), and the Korea Institute for International Economic Policy (KIEP).

### 1. The Memorandum of Intent (MOI) with the KIPF was concluded

Date: June 20, 2024 Venue: Korea (Sejong)

The PRI and the KIPF signed the MOI to promote their joint research activities and mutual cooperation.

On June 25, at the Ninth Japan-Korea Finance Ministerial Dialogue was held. This dialogue was attended by Mr. Shunichi Suzuki, Japan's Minister of Finance, and Mr. Sangmok Choi, Korea's Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Economy and Finance. The Ministers welcomed the signing of the MOI between PRI and KIPF.



### 2. Attending an international conference hosted by the KCIF

Date: June 4, 2024 Venue: Korea (Sejong)

The PRI dispatched Dr. Kawamoto, Director of the Management Division, as a panelist to the international conference commemorating the 25th anniversary of KCIF's founding.



## Trilateral Workshop of PRI- CASS- KIEP

## Research Exchange

The PRI has been holding the Trilateral Workshop with the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (CASS) and the Korea Institute for International Economic Policy (KIEP) in order to study Asia's common economic and fiscal issues.

### The 16th Trilateral Workshop

Date: December 7, 2023 Venue: Japan (Tokyo)

- Session 1 Economic outlook after the COVID-19 pandemic
- Session 2 Policy Responses to Low Fertility
- Session 3 Interregional disparities in population and policy responses



The PRI has been promoting research exchange with leading think tanks in China, including the Chinese Academy of Fiscal Sciences (CAFS), the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (CASS), the Development Research Center of the State Council (DRC) and the China Center for International Economic Exchanges (CCIEE).

### 1. Meeting with former research fellow of the DRC

Date: August 23, 2023 Venue: Japan (Tokyo)

Former research fellow of the DRC visited the PRI to learn the financial crisis response and the resolution system in Japan.



### 2. Meeting with the CCIEE

Date: October 19, 2023 Venue: Japan (Tokyo)

The CCIEE visited the PRI to discuss the economic outlook of Japan and China and the financial cooperation between the two countries.



## China Workshop

## Research Exchange

Since 1993, the PRI has held the China Workshop to conduct a survey and research on China's political/economic situations and its fiscal and monetary policy, etc.

### Workshops held during FY2023

September 28, 2023 (29th term/year • First)

- China's Reform and Opening – Up Era through the 30 Years of the China Workshop
- The Xi Jinping Administration in its Third Term: Focusing on Institutional Reforms
- Changes in China's Internal Politics under Xi Jinping's Third Term

December 14, 2023 (29th term/year • Second)

- China's Current Economic Situation and Economic Policy Trends
- Foreign Economic Policy
- Financial risks in China – including current real estate risks
- China's Economy and China's Foreign Policy

January 25, 2024 (29th term/year • Third)

- Global Economic Issues and China – Is there a "Japanization" of China?

March 14, 2024 (29th term/year • Forth)

- Prospects for China's Medium – and Long – Term Development and Its Constraining Factors
- China's Fiscal Situation and Policies – Fiscal Risk Considerations
- Considering China's Industrial Policy: An Econometric Framework and Empirical Assessment
- External Relations during the Xi Jinping Administration: Focusing on U.S. – China Relations and the Taiwan Issue



## Research exchange with think tanks in India

## Research Exchange

The PRI has been promoting research exchange with leading think tanks in India, including the Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations (ICRIER) and the National Council of Applied Economic Research (NCAER).

### PRI-NCAER Joint Workshop

Date: April 17, 2024 Method: Online

The PRI held the PRI-NCAER joint Workshop as a joint event with the Indian workshop held by the PRI. Distinguished speakers from NCAER gave presentations on "Logistics Cost in India" and "Socio-Economic Impact of Platform Workers."

## India Workshop

## Research Exchange

Since 2011, the PRI has held the India Workshop to deepen understanding on India's political/economic situation and its related policies, etc.

### Workshops held during FY2023

December 1, 2023 (13th term/year • First)

- High-Level IT Workers in India and Possibility of India-Japan Collaboration
- India's Foreign Policies

April 17, 2024 (13th term/year • Second)\* as a joint event with the PRI-NCAER Joint Workshop

- Logistics Cost in India: Assessment and Long-term Framework
- Socio-Economic Impact Assessment of Food Delivery Platform Workers

June 14, 2024 (13th term/year • Third)

- India's Macro Economy and Current Trend of FDI
- Current Trend of Startups in India

## ASEAN Workshop

## Research Exchange

Since 2016, the PRI has held the ASEAN Workshop to deepen understanding on the political/economic situations in ASEAN countries and their related policies, etc.

### Workshops held during FY2023

November 2, 2023 (Eighth term/year • First)

- Transformation of Regional Order and ASEAN
- Southeast Asian Development and Elites in the Digital Age

March 6, 2024 (Eighth term/year • Second)

- Human Resources Development in ASEAN and JICA's Efforts
- Decarbonization Trends in ASEAN and Japan's Position and Required Role

June 7, 2024 (Eighth term/year • Third)

- Startup Situation in ASEAN
- Demographic Status and Prospects in ASEAN



## Research exchanges with think tank in Vietnam

Research Exchange

The PRI has been conducting research exchange activities with National Institute for Finance (NIF), Ministry of Finance, Vietnam.

In November 2024, Mr. Suzuki, Vice President of the PRI attended an international conference hosted by the NIF and delivered a keynote speech. In the same month, Vice President of the NIF and her delegates visited the PRI to learn Japanese experience on the digitalization of tax administration. We are making a close relationship with the NIF based on the Memorandum of Intent (MOI).



## International Conferences and Symposia

Research Exchange

As part of its research and study activities, the PRI holds symposia and conferences usually once or twice a year in order to exchange views with Japanese scholars and economists as well as those from overseas.

Since FY2015, the PRI has been organizing an international conference ( "Tokyo Fiscal Forum" ) in partnership with the IMF and ADBI. The 9th Tokyo Fiscal Forum ( Strengthening Public Finance by Collecting and Spending Transparently and Efficiently ) was held in June 2024.

In addition, in FY2023, the ASEAN+3 Financial Think-tank Network ( AFTN ) was established with the aim of contributing to the regional macroeconomic and financial resilience and stability of the ASEAN+3 region, and the PRI is also participating.



# Research Exchanges

## Visiting Scholar Program

## Research Exchange

The objective of the Visiting Scholar Program is to provide an opportunity for government officials or researchers mainly from developing countries to study fiscal and financial issues as part of Japan's ODA program.

The PRI invites researchers from developing countries with specialized knowledge of the current economic conditions in developing countries, or who wish to study Japanese fiscal and economic policies.

Furthermore, the PRI invites officials from ministries of finance and central banks in developing countries, or those from developed countries with specialized knowledge of the current economic conditions of developing countries. The visiting scholars are required to submit a research paper and give a presentation at a workshop. Their research papers have been utilized as important resources for the PRI projects.

### Recent Visiting Scholars for FY2023

\*Our program resumed in FY2023, following the temporary suspension from FY2020 to FY2022 due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Mr. Enkhbat Baasandorj

Senior national consultant, Ministry of Finance of Mongolia

**Theme:** Analysis of the current state of international taxation issues in Mongolia and Japan

Ms. Tran Thu Thuy

Researcher, National Institute for Finance, Ministry of Finance of Vietnam

**Theme:** Growth and Inequality: The Role of Public Investment in Vietnam



# The PRI's Recent International Cooperation Activities

This table summarizes our international cooperation activities in recent years, including those mentioned on previous pages.

2023/7 – 2024/6

Date(s)	Activity	Countries
2023.8.17-9.8	The 26th Seminar for Central Asian and Caucasian Countries 2023	Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kyrgyz, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan
9.15	Research exchange with KCIF	Korea
9.28	China Workshop	China
10.19	Research exchange with CCIEE	China
11.2	ASEAN Workshop	ASEAN
11.9	Research exchange with NIF	Vietnam
11.14	The Seminar on Supporting Start-up for SME Bank of Cambodia	Cambodia
11.14	Research exchange with MOEF, Cambodia	Cambodia
11.14	Research exchange with JICA Cambodia	Cambodia
11.28	Research exchange with JICA Vietnam	Vietnam
11.30	Vietnam Finance Forum 2023 with NIF	Vietnam
12.1	Research exchange with MOF, MOFA, Vietnam	Vietnam
12.7	The 16th Trilateral Workshop with CASS, KIEP	China, Korea
12.14	China Workshop	China
2024.1.25	China Workshop	China
3.5	Research exchange with KCIF	Korea
3.6	Research exchange with KIEP	Korea
3.6	ASEAN Workshop	ASEAN
3.7	Research exchange with KIPF	Korea
3.14	China Workshop	China
3.28-29	The PRI-Ministry of Economy and Finance of the Republic of Uzbekistan -BFA Joint Seminar	Uzbekistan
5.20-24	The Second Seminar for the SME Bank of Cambodia on SME Finance	Cambodia
6.3	Research exchange with KIPF	Korea
6.4	KCIF 2024 International Conference	Korea
6.7	PRI Seminar with KIPF	Korea
6.7	ASEAN Workshop	ASEAN
6.20	Research exchange and MOI signing ceremony with KIPF	Korea

# Other Intellectual Support provided by Ministry of Finance

## MOF: International Bureau

### Intellectual Support

The International Bureau has been carrying out technical cooperation activities for the development of the local currency bond markets in Asia for mainly Cambodia, Laos, and Vietnam via Japanese consulting companies based on the request from the recipient countries, through the Japan-ASEAN Financial Technical Assistance Fund in the ASEAN Secretariat to which Japan has contributed.

With the purpose of developing financial and legal systems for the development of the bond market in each country, to date, Japan has conducted assistance to the officials of the Ministry of Finance and the Central Bank, etc. of each country with regard to the development of a roadmap for the issuance system of long-term government bonds and the draft regulations on government or corporate bond trading, etc.

## MOF: Customs and Tariff Bureau

### Intellectual Support

Japan Customs organizes and implements the Capacity Building Program in conformity with the needs from Customs administrations of developing countries, in cooperation with the World Customs Organization (WCO), the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) and other agencies. The Program includes the acceptance of customs officers from developing countries and the dispatch of experts of Japan Customs, some of whom are Accredited Customs Experts of the WCO.

These efforts, to improve the capacity of customs in developing countries, contribute to the facilitation of international trade, and the implementation of appropriate customs procedures as well as the strengthening of the relationship between Japan and developing countries.

#### Main recent activities

September 2021 to June 2024

JICA/WCO Joint Project Master Trainer Program for the Pacific Islands

November 2023

JICA Knowledge Co-Creation Program on Customs Administration (A)

May 2024

Workshop on HS Classification for Malaysian Customs

## National Tax Agency

### Intellectual Support

The National Tax Agency (NTA) has been providing training courses as technical cooperation for the tax officials of developing countries under the framework of Japan's Official Development Assistance. The aims of the training are to improve tax administration of developing countries and to foster foreign tax officials who understand Japan's tax administration.

The NTA has also played a core role in the operation of the OECD Asia-Pacific Academy for Tax and Financial Crime Investigation. The purposes of the academy are to promote international cooperation and to strengthen investigators' capacity for international tax and financial crimes. The first program was held in May 2019 at Wako Campus of the National Tax College.

#### Main recent activities

October 2023 to June 2024

Practicum at the NTA

September 2023

International Seminar on Taxation (General)

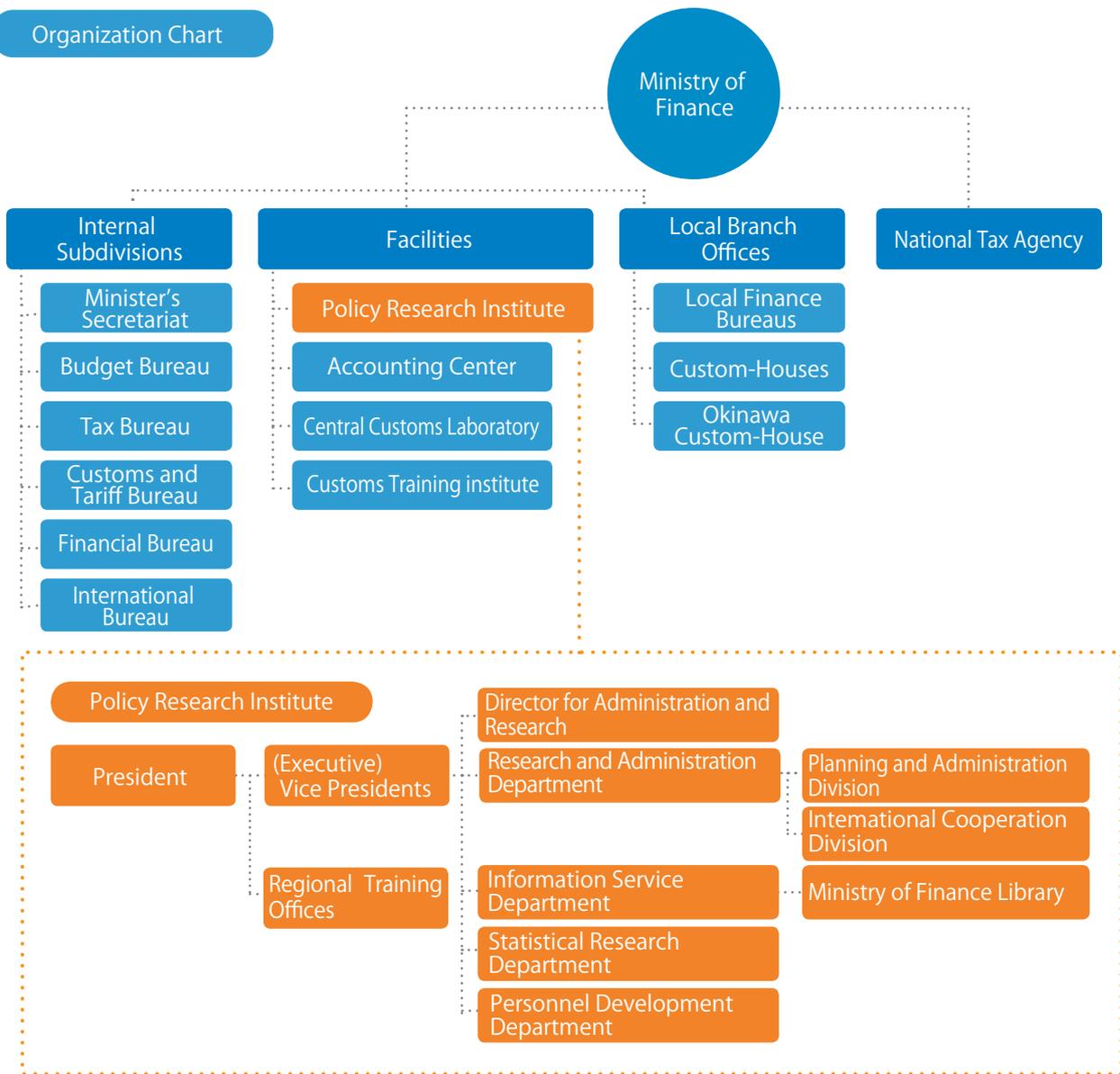
November 2023 and May 2024

OECD Asia-Pacific Academy for Tax and Financial Crime Investigation

# Outline of the Policy Research Institute

財務総合政策研究所  
Policy Research Institute  
Ministry of Finance

Organization Chart



## History of Policy Research Institute

## History

- July 1979 : Office of Fiscal and Monetary Policy was established within Research and Planning Division of the Minister's Secretariat.
- May 1985 : Institute of Fiscal and Monetary Policy (IFMP) was established.
- July 1990 : Statistical Research Department was established within IFMP.
- July 1992 : Office of International Research and Cooperation was established within Research Department.
- July 2000 : IFMP was reorganized as Policy Research Institute.
- May 2015 : Policy Research Institute implemented an organization restructure.
  - Research and Administration Department was established.
  - The name was changed from Office of International Research and Cooperation to International Cooperation Division.

# Research and Studies (Research and Administration Department: RAD)

The RAD is engaged in fundamental and comprehensive research and studies on domestic and international issues in fiscal and economic fields, including policy matters under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Finance.

## (1) Research and Studies from a Medium to Long Term Perspective

With regard to various fiscal and economic issues, the RAD conducts fundamental research and studies from a medium to long term perspective and holds research conferences or workshops.

In particular, the RAD not only develops economic models for medium to long term economic and fiscal forecasts and policy analysis, but also engages in the establishment and improvement of analytical methods for fiscal sustainability making use of such models.

In FY2023, the RAD held research conferences on “Japanese Economy and Structural Change in the Flow of Funds.”



## (2) Research and Studies in Collaboration with the Internal Subdivisions of the MOF

The RAD conducts research and studies in collaboration with the internal subdivisions of the MOF. For example, the RAD has conducted research on social security, local finance systems, international trade, and international finance.

## (3) Lunch Meetings

The RAD holds lunch meetings for MOF officials during lunch breaks, inviting experts or knowledgeable people in various fields from within and outside MOF as lecturers, in order to provide such officials with opportunities to obtain useful information for their future study or work (during FY2023, 37 lunch meetings were held).

Themes of lunch meetings vary, and these include fiscal, financial and international economic issues. These meetings are good opportunities for MOF officials to obtain high-level expertise as well as broaden their views.



#### (4) Editing and Issuance of Academic Journals and Other Publications

The academic journal “Financial Review” has been edited and published four times a year since its founding in 1986, and the current issue is No. 156. We also publish the English journal “Public Policy Review.” Between FY2023 and FY2024, we published “Empirical Analysis of Local Government Actions—Verification of Fiscal Management by Local Governments” (Vol. 19 No. 2), “Sustainable Economy: Theoretical Conditions and Future Outlook” (Vol. 19 No. 3), “Economic Analysis of Taxes and Transfers” (Vol. 19 No. 4), “Role of Tax Law in the Legal System I: Functions of Tax Law” (Vol. 20 No. 1), “The International Monetary System in the 21st Century” (Vol. 20 No. 2), and “Exploring Economic and Fiscal Risks and Uncertainty from a Global Perspective” (Vol. 20 No. 3).

Additionally, the results of research and studies have also been made publicly available as discussion papers, which have been issued since 1998, with the current paper being No. 372. Since 2020, we have also published research papers (currently reaching No. 16) and staff reports (No. 29).



# Compilation of the History of Fiscal Policies in Japan, and Management of the Library, etc. (Information Service Department: ISD)

The ISD is responsible for collecting, maintaining, compiling and providing materials, information and books regarding policies under the jurisdiction of the MOF, including the compilation of History of Fiscal Policies in Japan, the publication of a statistical data book and management of the Ministry of Finance Library.



## (1) Compilation of History of Fiscal Policies in Japan

### Series on the History of Fiscal Policies in Japan

The ISD compiles and publishes the History of Fiscal Policies in Japan (HFPJ), which covers activities of the MOF by policy field and by period. So far, from “HFPJ during the Meiji Era (1868-1902)” to “HFPJ during the early period of the Heisei Era: From FY1989 to FY2000,” have been published. Currently, the ISD is editing “HFPJ during the late Heisei Era: From FY2001 to FY2019,” which is the 8th series.



## (2) Publication of Statistical Information, etc.

### Compilation and Publication of Ministry of Finance Statistics Monthly

The ISD edits and publishes Ministry of Finance Statistics Monthly, which consists of a statistical data book mainly containing the MOF's business statistics, with additional comments as appropriate (it has been issued since 1949 and is on its 862th issue as of June 2024).



## (3) Ministry of Finance Library

The Ministry of Finance Library houses approximately 170,000 books, primarily concerning the fields of fiscal and economic affairs, for the use of MOF officials and so on for their jobs, as well as for their individual research and study.

Also, the Ministry of Finance Library, being a branch of the National Diet Library (NDL), supplies books to the NDL and works as a contact for the mutual use of books between ministries and agencies.



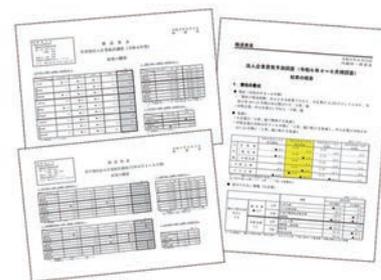
# Implementation of Statistical Research (Statistical Research Department : SRD)



## Implementation of Statistical Research

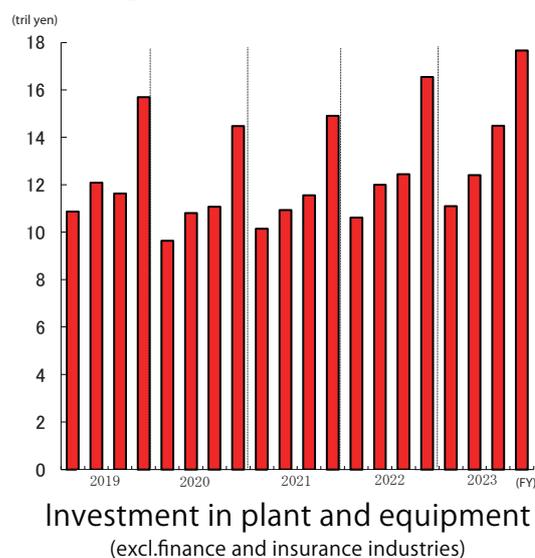
The SRD implements Financial Statements Statistics of Corporations by Industry, which aims to assess the current status of business activities of profit-making corporations that have their headquarters in Japan on the basis of their financial statements, and the Business Outlook Survey, which aims to keep track of business leaders' assessments of and forecasts for the economy through Local Finance Bureaus, and other means. The collection of questionnaires can be done online.

Results of the statistical research are used as basic data for the Preliminary Quarterly Estimates of GDP, the Monthly Economic Report, and other publications. They are also widely used by private economists for their economic analyses.



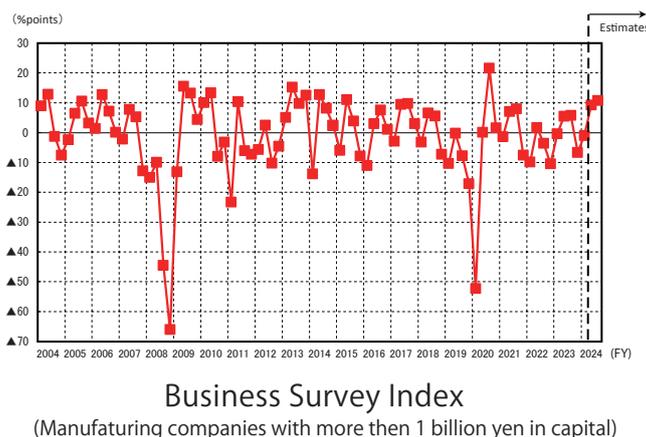
### (1) Implementation of Financial Statements Statistics of Corporations by Industry.

- Survey items include corporations' assets, liabilities, sales, profit and loss, etc.
- The survey covers profit-making corporations with capital of JPY10 million or more. Approximately, 33,000 of those corporations are sampled and surveyed, and results obtained are then published quarterly (in addition to this, annual statistics are published in September every year, which survey about 40,000 corporations sampled from all profit-making corporations).
- The results are used as basic data for publications such as the 2nd Preliminary Quarterly Estimates of GDP (Private Non-Residential Investment, Change in Private Inventories, etc.) and the Monthly Economic Report.



### (2) Implementation of the Business Outlook Survey

- Survey items include qualitative items including business conditions and levels of employment and capacity, as well as quantitative items such as actual and estimated ordinary profits, plant and equipment investment, and others.
- The survey covers corporations with a capital of JPY10 million (JPY100 million for corporations in electricity, gas, and water supply industries as well as finance and insurance industries) or more. Approximately 14,400 of these corporations are sampled and surveyed, and results obtained are then published quarterly.
- The results are used as basic data for the Monthly Economic Report and other publications.



# Training (Personnel Development Department: PDD)

The PDD assists in improving the administration of the MOF and Local Finance Bureaus through a substantial staff training system.



## Comprehensive training institute for MOF officials

The PDD is responsible for training officials of the main organs of the MOF and Local Finance Bureaus with skills necessary for the administration of finance. As a comprehensive training institute for MOF officials, the PDD conducts training for all staff according to their level, except for Customs and the National Tax Agency.

Given changing internal and external trends, the PDD is endeavoring to strengthen its training functions and content in order to equip officials with a broad education and common sense, as well as to maintain and improve officials' capacity to perform their duties.

The training consists of Central Training Courses that are implemented by the PDD, Local Training Courses that are conducted by Local Finance Bureaus, and Correspondence Training Courses that are self-study. These three types of training have been systematically combined into the overall training system to suit the career paths of officials.

### Main Central Training Courses

#### Basic Training for Officials

This training is for officials newly employed by the main organs of the MOF or Local Finance Bureaus. Participants are equipped with technical and practical capabilities and skills specific to their assignments, as well as basic knowledge and education as MOF officials, with business practice, law, and theory relevant to their duties.

#### Practical Training Courses

These courses aim to equip officials with technical and practical knowledge and theory necessary for their work, and cover almost all the work of Local Finance Bureaus including economic survey work, budgetary work, and national property management.

#### Special Theoretical Training

"Advanced Theoretical Training," "Selected training for Future Core Personnel," and "International Financial Theoretical Training to respond to Globalization" are courses targeting Section Chief level officials selected from applicants to equip them with high-level expertise and theory.

#### Seminar for Executive Officials

The PDD holds seminars for those such as executive officials of the main organs of the MOF, in order to develop their attributes as leaders of their organizations and contribute to administrative management, to suit the changes in domestic and international circumstances.



# Access to Policy Research Institute



## Policy Research Institute: Access Map



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**What is PRI?**  
The Policy Research Institute (PRI) is an organization to be inaugurated by the Ministry of Finance and conduct comprehensive surveys and studies with a greater policy oriented focus, amid the big socio-economic changes underway in Japan. >> [more](#)



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## About the Policy Research Institute Logo

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The logo's blue block expresses the basis of our high-quality research about finance and economy. The characters symbolize human, which express the activities by our staff with wide national and international view through studies and international cooperation.

PRI stands for Policy Research Institute, small letters, pri, also express friendly feeling.

Our staff designed the logo.