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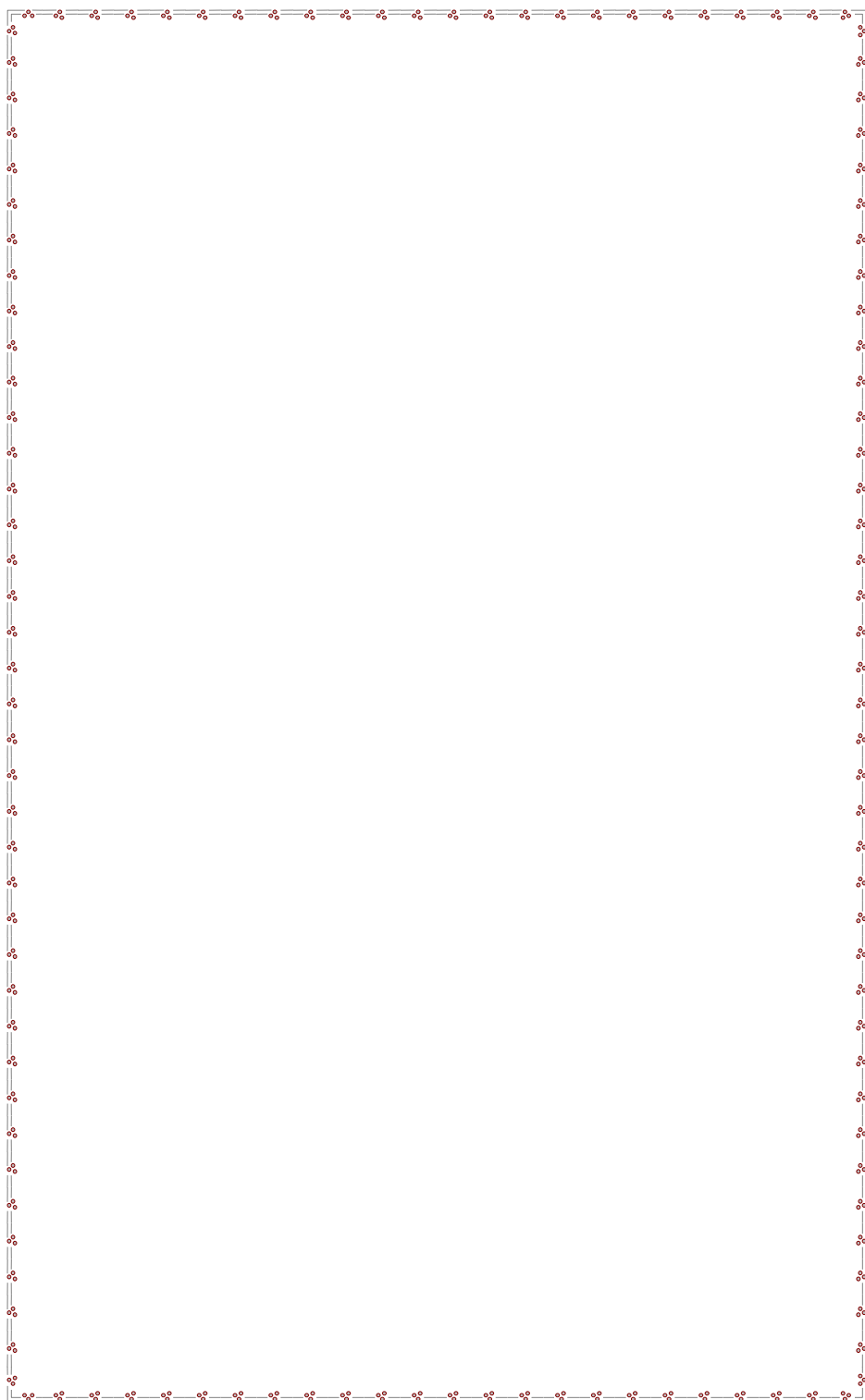
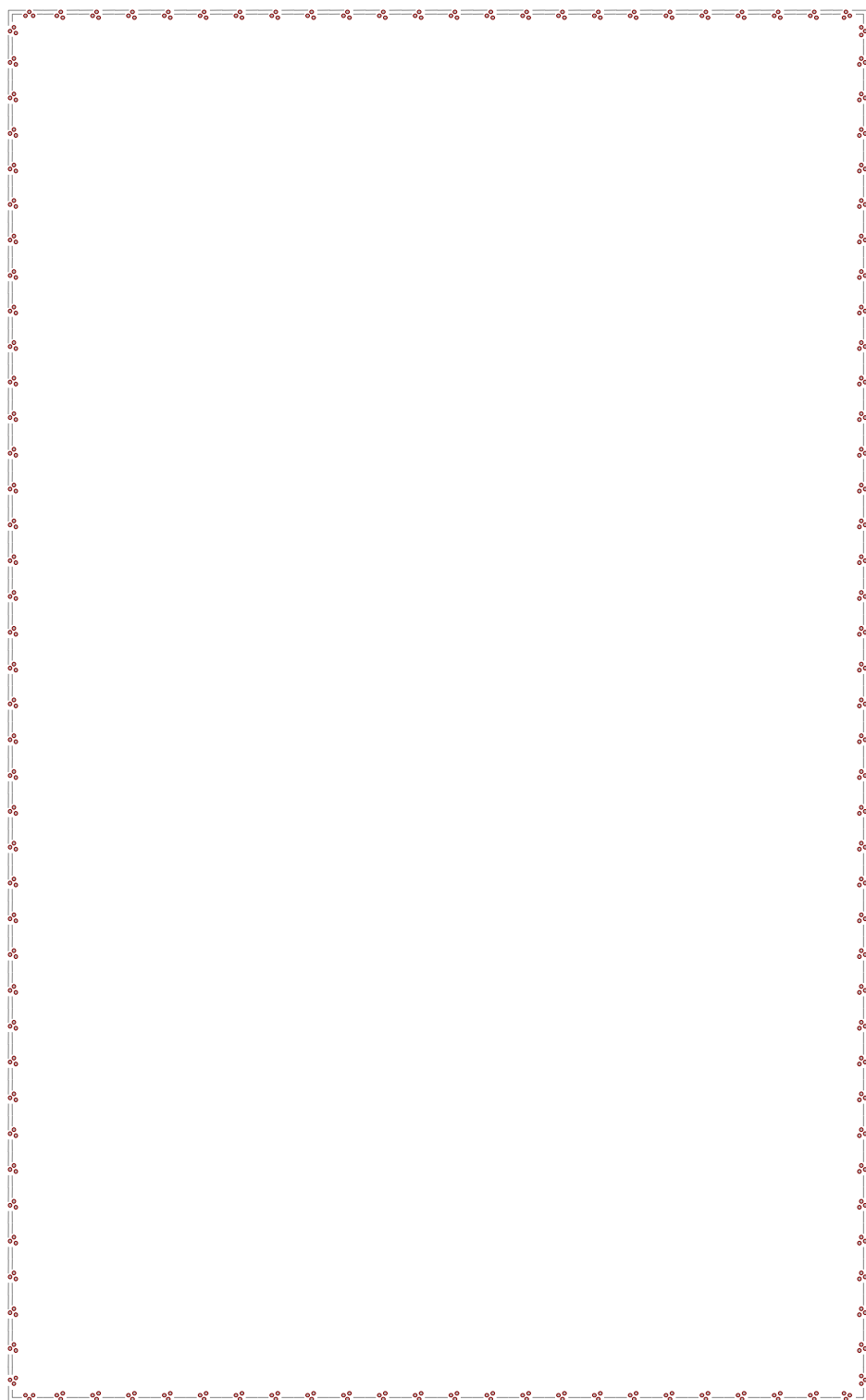


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Experience of assessing current status, needs, processes – develop priorities for changes, designing and implement future tools- 2001 – 2002 Analyzed and mapped the procurement system in Bosnia and Herzegovina. 2003 – 2005 Designed and coordinate reform in public procurement sector in BiH. 2006 Established state procurement Agency. 2006 – 2009 Designed manual tools and standard tender documents for all tender procedures in accordance with national rules and EU best practice. 2010 Designed a new procurement strategy covering an e-procurement system to track and collect all information of single procurements.

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He was part of the working group for the change of the entire legal framework in the field of Public Procurement in Kosovo. He has completed several trainings in Kosovo and abroad in the field of public procurement and he participated in a number of conferences of regional, European and international character in the field of public procurement, where he presented the achievements of the public procurement in Kosovo.

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Publications:

December 2008: Manual: “Successful Implementation of the Law on Public Procurement”

December 2008: Book: “Public Procurement in Kosovo “

September 2009: Brochure: “Public Procurement System in Kosovo “

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July 2012: Brochure: “Phases of Procurement Process”

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In 1992-1995 he worked as private entrepreneur. In 1995-1997 he was Manager of “Tokchuluk” farm in Kara-Buura district of Talas region. In 1997-1998 he was Director of “Kol kabysh LLC” in Kara-Buura district of Talas region. In 1998-2005 he was Chairman of “Kutman Ordo” farm association in Talas region. In 2005-2010 he worked as Head of the Amanbaev rural government.

In October 2010 he has been elected as Member of Jogorku Kenesh (Parliament) of the Kyrgyz Republic from “Respublika” political party. At present he is Chairman of the Committee of Jogorku Kenesh (Parliament) of the Kyrgyz Republic on legitimacy, legal order and the fight against crime.

Titles, awards and class rank:

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- “70 years of Armed Forces of USSR”;
- Diploma of the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet of the USSR “For soldier-internationalist of Armed Forces of the USSR for the fulfillment of international duty in the Republic of Afghanistan”;
- Medal “15 years of the withdrawal of Soviet troops from Afghanistan”;
- Order “For courage and heroism”;
- Medal “For courage”;
- Medal “From Afghan people”;

- Honorary Diploma “Russian Union of Afghan Veterans”
- Excellence in municipal service of the Kyrgyz Republic;
- Counselor of municipal service of the 1st class of the Kyrgyz Republic;
- Honorary Diploma of the State Registration Service of the Kyrgyz Republic;
- Honorary Diploma of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of the Kyrgyz Republic;
- Honorary Diploma of the Ministry of Culture of the Kyrgyz Republic;
- Honorary Diploma of the Ministry of Finance of the Kyrgyz Republic;
- Medal “80 years to Kyrgyz militia”;
- State Counselor of the State Service of the 3rd class;
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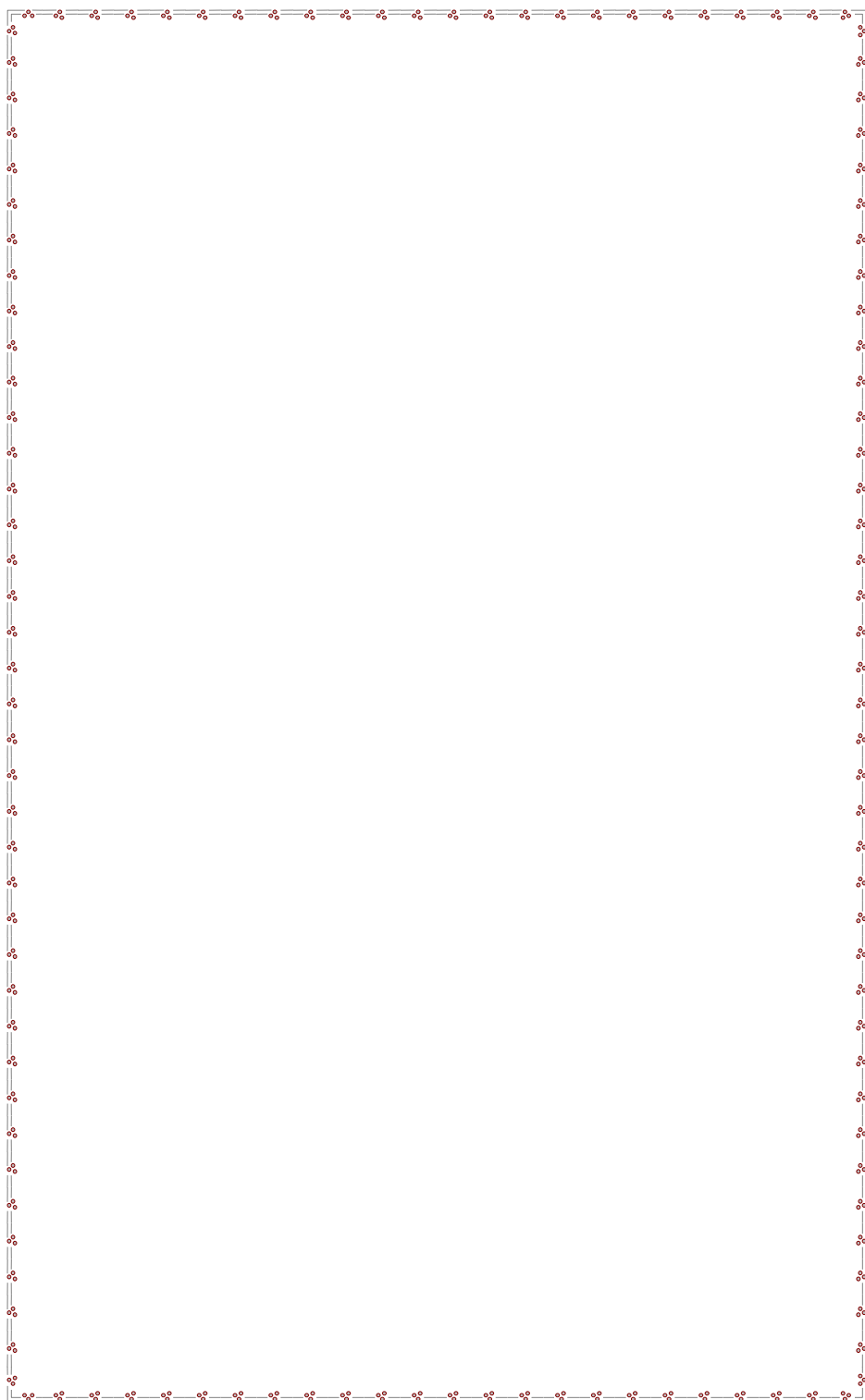
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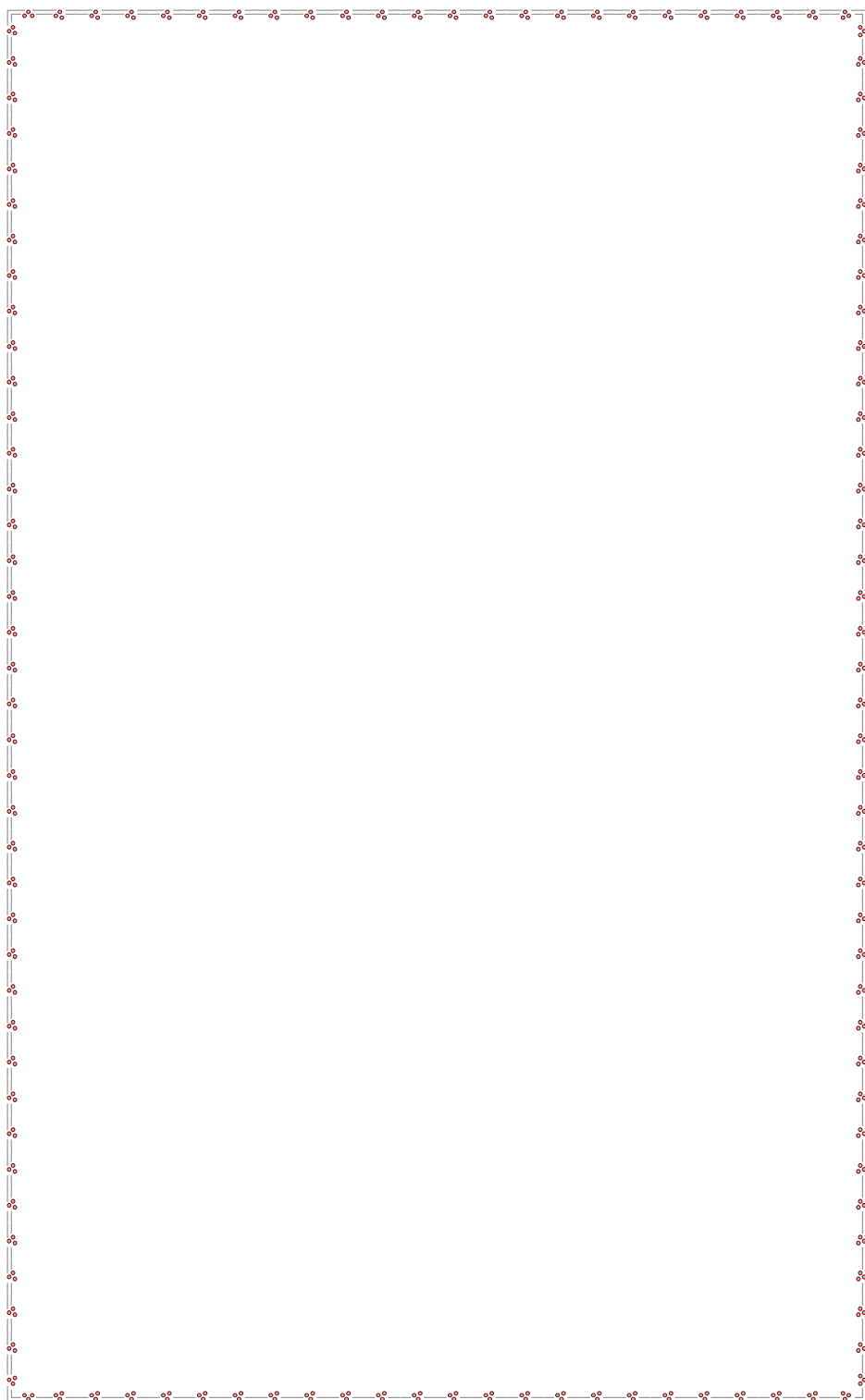
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Before joining the Bank, she spent 16 years in the accounting, auditing and business consulting areas, with assignments in Tunisia, Middle East and Europe. Over the last 30 years she worked extensively with public and private institutions and International Organizations, to enhance Public Financial Accountability and proper adherence to International standards of Accounting and Auditing including the global program for financial stability and International Financial Architecture.



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Ms. Tahboub has a Masters level degree in Water Resources from Engineering University of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, UK and Advanced post-graduate degree in Urban and Regional Planning from TU Delft-The Netherlands.



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His first assignment in the World Bank was as Energy Specialist and in the Industry and Energy Operations Division, Africa Region. In the following years, he was promoted to Senior Energy Specialist. In 1998 he moved to the procurement unit in the same Region and was promoted to Lead Procurement Specialist in the year 2000.

He was selected for the position as Regional Procurement Manager of the Middle East and North Africa Region from 2001 to 2008 and then of the South Asia Region starting May 2008. In these positions, he was responsible for the Management, the quality and the oversight of all procurement related activities under Bank financed projects and programs in these two Regions.

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He is involved in providing assistance to the RPM in procurement oversight and management. He has worked extensively on country public procurement reviews and public procurement reforms. He has provided several capacity buildings training on World Bank procurement procedures and contract management. He is involved in review of complex/large value procurement financed by the World Bank. He also worked as Sr. Operation Officer and Sr. Procurement Specialist on several countries in the Middle East and North Africa, Europe and Central Asia. He is the coordinator for the Public Procurement Knowledge Exchange Platform.

Before joining the World Bank in 1997, he was Director General of Research and Development at the Ministry of Housing in Palestine. He also taught hydraulic courses at the Islamic University in Gaza, worked as a civil engineering designer at the Municipality of Gaza, Palestine as well as worked as a water specialist with a private consulting office in Gaza.



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He joined ADB in 2001. His experiences in ADB include working on large contracts in the irrigation, transport and energy sectors, carrying out procurement capacity assessment of executing agencies and providing training on ADB's consulting services and procurement rules and procedures. Mr. Rustam Abdukayumov is a national of Uzbekistan. He obtained his Master's Degree in Oriental Studies in 1989 from Tashkent State University.



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He joined ADB in 2004. His experience in ADB includes working as a Project Manager for building projects, Central and West Operational Department and currently in Procurement. Mr. Sunil Mitra is a national of Singapore who obtained his degree in Civil Engineer from the National University of Singapore and a Masters in Construction Management from the University of New South Wales (Australia).



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Since joining the Bank in 2000 he worked with the Infrastructure Business Group of the Bank on numerous projects in many of the Bank's countries of operation, being responsible for developing project delivery strategies, advising and assisting clients in the procurement process and institutional development for transport, municipal and environmental projects, supervising the procurement and contract administration processes.

Before joining EBRD, since 1996 he worked as a procurement consultant on a number of the World Bank funded projects in Russia in transport, environmental, agricultural and health sectors, working closely with different Federal Ministries and Agencies of the Russian Federation. Since 1993 till 1995 he worked at the Ministry of Foreign Economic Affairs of the Russian Federation, first as an engineer and later as a project

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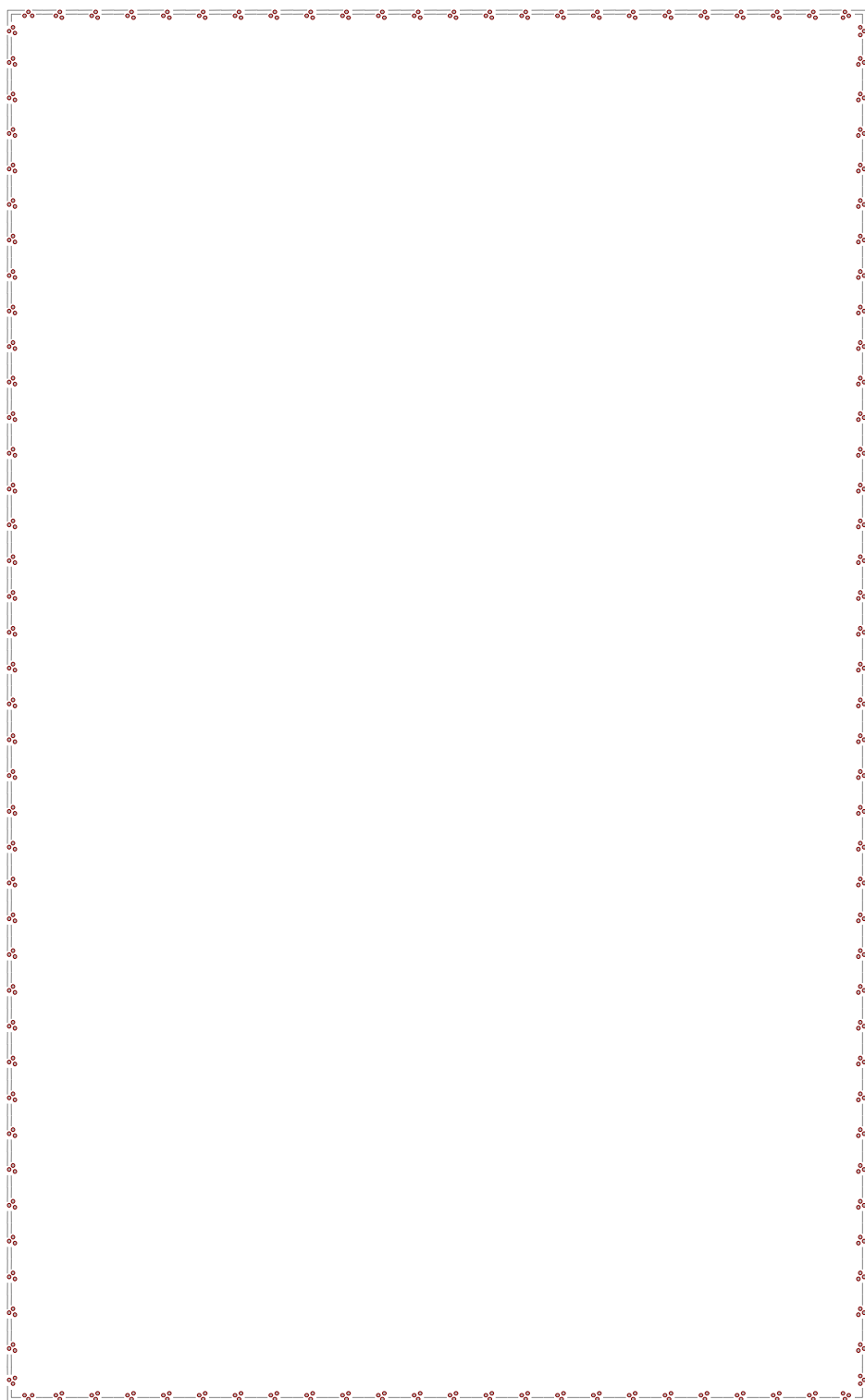
SIGMA, "Support for Improvement in Governance and Management", is a joint initiative of the OECD and the EU, principally financed by the EU. It provides assistance in the fields of public procurement, public administration and public finances to the countries that benefit from the EU's instruments for pre-accession and for European neighborhood policy (IPA and ENPI).



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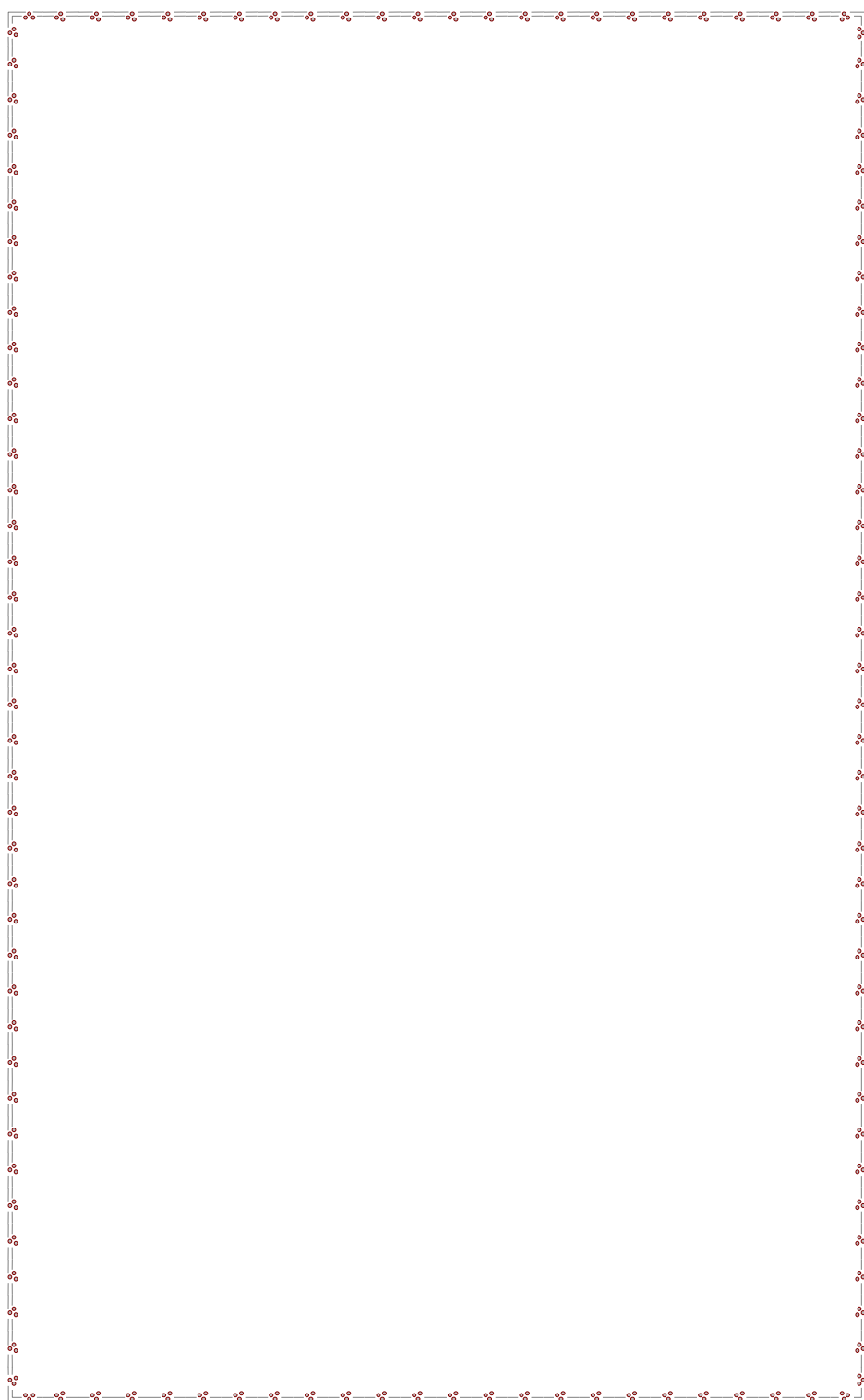
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Since 2004, Marcel Stuijts has been CEO of Bureau Inkoop en Aanbestedingen Zuidoost-Brabant. As such he has the assignment to develop and implement the successful cooperation model in Southeast-Brabant. Since 2008, he has also been consulted by several (junior) joint-procurement organisations for implementation or trouble-shooting. Marcel Stuijts started his career as Purchasing Manager in the international lighting industry. After four years he worked for public authorities as Head of Purchasing at the municipality Barendrecht. He was the founder of the municipal purchase and tendering model. From 2001 till mid-2004, he was Managing Director of Inkoopbureau West-Brabant. This is cooperation between the participating municipalities in West-Brabant, Zeeland and South-Holland. He is also founder of the collaboration model which has been put into practice there. In 2012 he was one of developers of the Model for National Procurement Policy for the municipalities in the Netherlands. He is also one of the authors of the Guideline Proportionality, which is an important document of the National Procurement Law 2013 in the Netherlands.

Marcel is a Doctor research student at the University of South Wales, on the topic 'Collaboration in public (procurement) organisations'.

Dutch Sourcing Awards; Marcel Stuijts has been awarded Public Procurement Executive 2014.

Marcel has been nominated for and awarded as the Public Procurement Executive 2014. This is an annual competition which is an initiative of the Foundation for the Forward Development of Procurement. With the Dutch Sourcing Awards, the foundation would like to stimulate the development of the procurement function by focusing on top performances in the field of sourcing. The nominated executives should have a proven track record and proven performances.

The Dutch Sourcing Awards are awarded to the sourcing and procurement teams that have realized impressive results. As teams function best with ambitious, professional and innovative leadership, the jury panel awards leaders of these teams. The jury panel is impressed by the way Marcel Stuijts leads the community of municipalities in the province of Brabant. His ability to work with teams and his strategic approach is extraordinary.



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In 2008/2009, she successfully completed the German bar training programme (Oberlandesgericht Düsseldorf) with seats in New York, USA (German Mission to the United Nations), London (Clifford Chance) and Frankfurt (Clifford Chance). She holds a Law Degree (Baden-Württemberg, Germany, 2004) and an LL.M. in Intellectual Property Law (Universität Düsseldorf, 2005) as well as a D.E.A. (Diplome d'Etudes Approfondies) in international relations from the Graduate Institute of International Studies, Geneva (2007). Her research is focused on international economic law with recent publications in the field of government procurement. She speaks German, English, French and Spanish.



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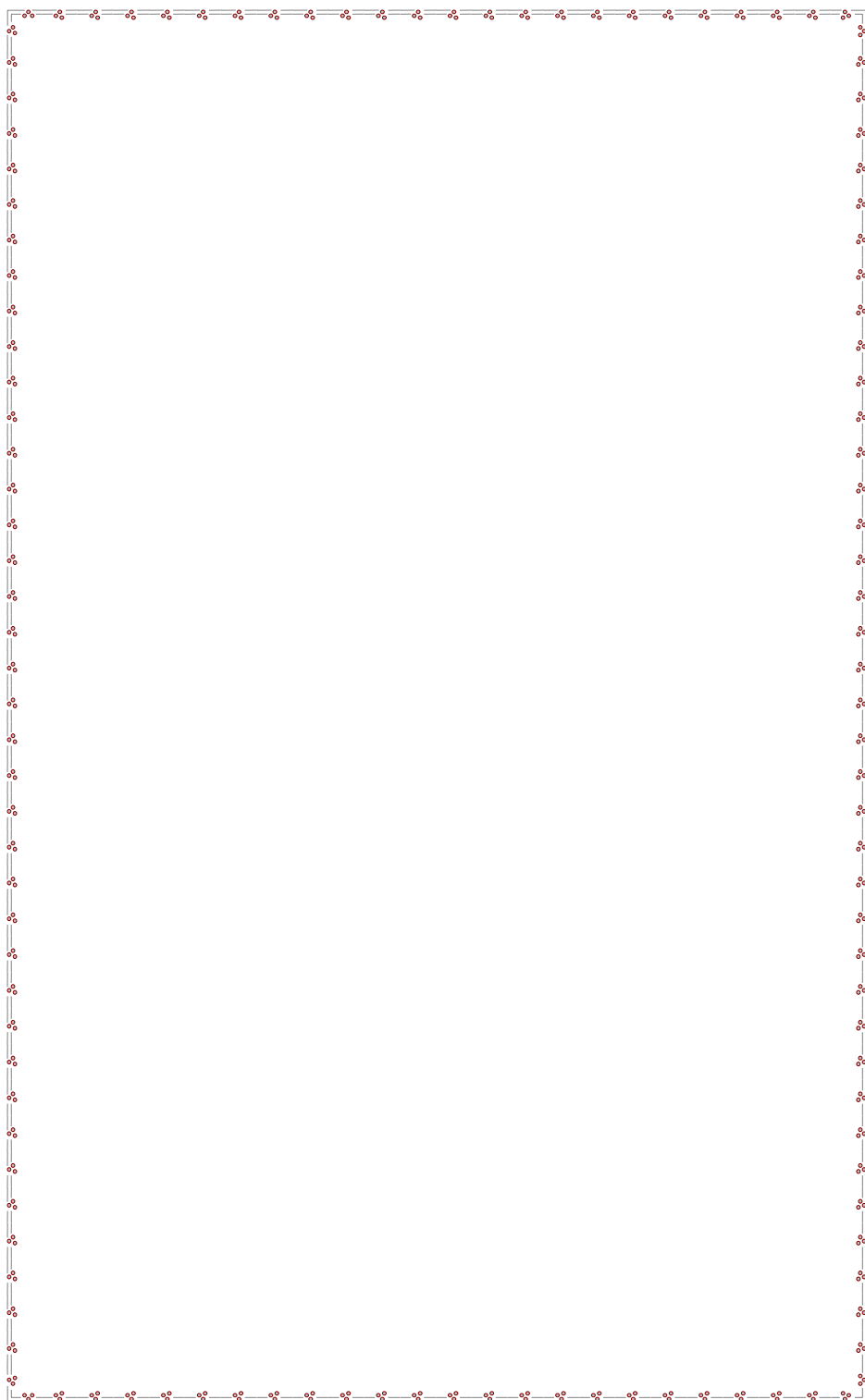
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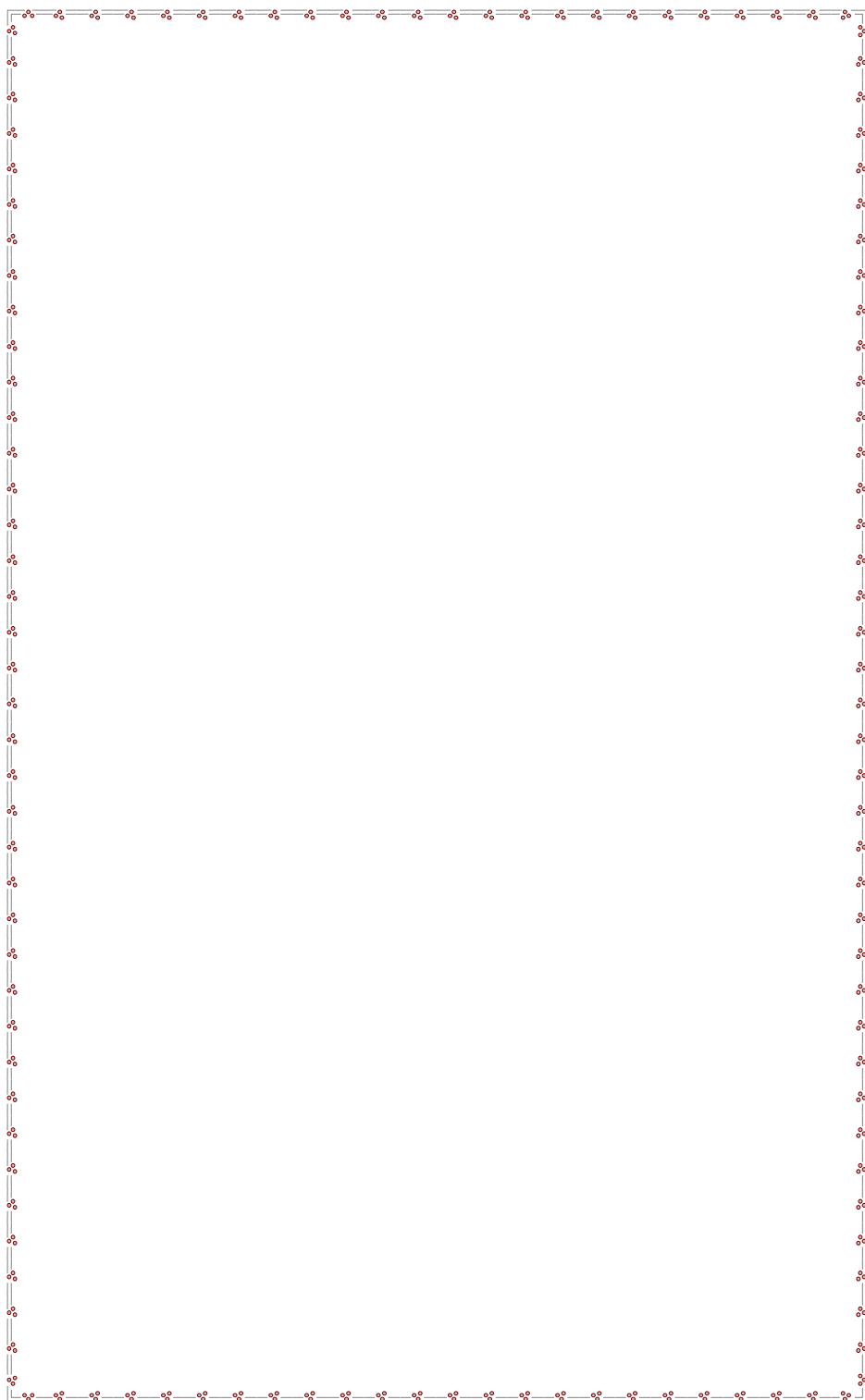
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Platform Program



AGENDA

10TH PUBLIC PROCUREMENT KNOWLEDGE EXCHANGE PLATFORM

MAY 27, TUESDAY (DAY 1)		
9:00 - 10:00 am	REGISTRATION	
OPENING: MRS. HIBA TAHBOUB, Regional Procurement Manager, ECA-WB		
10:00 - 10:45 am	Opening Session & Welcoming Remarks	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mr. Mahmut Gurses, President of Public Procurement Authority,• Mr. Martin Raiser, Country Director, Turkey, The World Bank• Mrs. Samia Msadek, Director, Operational Services and Quality, the World Bank• Mr. Gerard Sanders, Deputy General Counsel, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development• Mr. Sunil Mitra, Principal Procurement Specialist, ADB• Video clip of Mrs. Laura Tuck, ECARVP — The World Bank• H.E. Mehmet Şimşek, Republic of Turkey Minister of Finance, Republic of Turkey

10:45 - 11:15 am	Measuring Performance of Public Procurement in Turkey	Mr. Serdar GÜNBAY, Head of Registry Monitoring Department, Public Procurement Authority, Turkey Followed by a Question and Answer Session
11:15 - 11:45 am	Coffee Break	
FACILITATOR: MR. MAJED M. EL-BAYYA, LEAD PROCUREMENT SPECIALIST, WB		
11:45 am - 12:30 pm	Measuring Performance of the Procurement and Contracting Process	Mrs. Hiba Tabboub, Regional Procurement Manager, Europe and Central Asia, the World Bank Followed by Question and Answer Session
12:30 - 1:30 pm	Lunch Break	
1:30 - 2:00 pm	Principles of Public Procurement: The Basis for Good Performance	Mr. Daniel Ivarsson, Senior Advisor Public Procurement, SIGMA Followed by a Question and Answer Session
2:00-2:30 pm	Developing Procurement Performance Indicators	Mr. Paulo Magina, Senior Project Analyst Public Governance and Territorial Development Directorate, Public Sector Integrity, OECD Followed by a Question and Answer Session
2:30-3:00 pm	The 10 th Anniversary of the Public Procurement Knowledge Exchange Platform	Mr. Majed M. El-Bayya, Lead Procurement Specialist, WB Followed by a Question and Answer Session
3:00 - 3:15 pm	Coffee Break	

3:15– 5:00 pm	Country Panel Presentation and Discussion	(Countries to present: Kyrgyz Republic, Republic of Kazakhstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan and Uzbekistan) Followed by a Question and Answer Session
7:00 pm	Dinner-Hosted by the Cosponsors	
MAY 28, WEDNESDAY (DAY 2)		
FACILITATOR: Ms. Eliza Niewiadomska, Principal Counsel, Legal Transition Programme, EBRD		
9:00 - 9:30 am	Countries' Public Procurement Framework Assessment: New Approach	Ms. Eliza Niewiadomska, Principal Counsel Mr. Evgeny Smirnov, Senior Procurement Specialist EBRD Followed by a Question and Answer Session
9:30 - 10:00 am	The Reform of the EU Regulatory Framework – Towards Improved Performance	Mr. Jean-Yves Muylle, Head of the Unit International Dimension of Public Procurement DG Internal Market and Services European Commission Followed by a Question and Answer Session
10:00 - 10:30 pm	Benchmarking Public Procurement: a New World Bank Group Initiative	Mrs. Tania Ghossein, Investment Policy Officer Development Economics The World Bank Group Followed by a Question and Answer Session
10:30 - 11:00 am	Coffee Break	
11:00 – 11:45 am	The Measurement of Successes of Structural Collaboration in Public Procurement in the Netherlands	Mr. M.A.J. (Marcel) Stuifjes, Director Bureau Inkoop en Aanbestedingen Zuidoost-Brabant Netherlands Followed by a Question and Answer Session

11:45 am – 12:15 pm	Revised WTO Agreement on Government Procurement	Mr. Robert Anderson , Councilor Intellectual Property Division (Team Leader for Government Procurement and Competition Policy) World Trade Organization, Geneva Switzerland Followed by a Question and Answer Session
12:15 – 1:15 pm	<i>Lunch Break</i>	
1:15 - 3:00 pm	Country Panel Presentation and Discussion	(Countries to present: Georgia, Azerbaijan, Moldova, Albania) Followed by a Question and Answer Session
3:15 pm	Bosphorus Boat Tour and then Dinner hosted by the Public Procurement Authority, Republic of Turkey	
MAY 29, THURSDAY (DAY 3) FACILITATOR: MR. SUNIL MITRA, Principal Procurement Specialist, ADB		
9:00 – 9:30 am	ADB's Project Cycle- Managing Procurement Risk and Governance	Mr. SUNIL MITRA , Principal Procurement Specialist, ADB Followed by a Question and Answer Session
9:30 – 10:00 am	Performance Indicators for Centralized Public Procurement	Mr. Gian Luigi Albano , Head of R&D Consip S.p.A. / Consip Ltd (The National Central Purchasing Body) Rome, Italy Followed by a Question and Answer Session
10:00 – 10:30 am	Kosovo Public Procurement Performance and Compliance Monitoring	Mr. Ilias Duli , Board member Public Procurement Regulatory Commission Kosovo Followed by a Question and Answer Session

10:30 - 11:00 am	Coffee Break	
11:00 - 11:30 am	Efficient Public Procurement System – how to achieve it and measure the effects	<p>Ms. Maja Kokovic, Expert Public Procurement Systems Directorate for Public Procurement, Ministry of Finance Republic of Slovenia</p> <p>Followed by a Question and Answer Session</p>
11:30 am - 12:00 pm	Procurement Performance Measurement The Example of Croatia	<p>Ms. Ivančica Franjković, Head of Sector State Office for Central Public Procurement and</p> <p>Mr. Ivan Palčić, Expert Advisor Directorate General for Public Procurement System Ministry of Economy</p> <p>Zagreb – CROATIA</p> <p>Followed by a Question and Answer Session</p>
12:00 - 12:30 pm	Ensuring Rule of Law in Procurement	<p>Mrs. Tatiana Saakyan, Deputy Director of Department of Budget Methodology of the Ministry of Finance The Russian Federation</p> <p>Followed by a Question and Answer Session</p>
12:30 - 1:30 pm	Lunch Break	
1:30 - 3:00 pm	Country Panel Presentation and Discussion	<p>(Countries to present: Ukraine, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro, Armenia)</p> <p>Followed by a Question and Answer Session</p>
3:00 - 3:30 pm	Coffee Break	
3:30 - 5:00 pm	Country Panel Presentation and Discussion	<p>(Countries to present: FYR Macedonia, Belarus, Romania)</p> <p>Followed by a Question and Answer Session</p>

5:00 pm	Own Arrangement	
DAY 30, FRIDAY (DAY 4)		
FACILITATOR: MR. Majed M. El-Bayya , Lead Procurement Specialist, WB		
9:00 – 9:30 am	Next Steps on Measuring Public Procurement Performance	All Participating Countries, Speakers and International Organizations Moderated by Mr. Nadhib Sefla , Special Advisor, WB
9:30 – 11:00 am	Discussion of Country Working Plans—Plenary	All Participating Countries Countries discuss and report their action plan for next 12 months and report on their achievement for the last 12 month
11:00 - 11:30 am	Coffee Break	
11:30 – 12:00 am	How The Public Procurement Knowledge Exchange Platform can be developed to a higher bar?	ADB, EBRD, EIB, OECD, EU, WB Moderated by Mr. Nadhib Sefla , Special Advisor, WB
12:00 – 12:30 pm	Conclusion and Next Steps	Announcement of location, date, host and sponsors of next Platform Host and the co-sponsors close the Platform.
12:30 – 2:00 pm	Lunch	
2:30 – 5:00 pm	Tour to Topkapi museum	

If you have any comment you may contact the Event coordinator Mr. ~~Majed M. El-Bayya~~, Lead Procurement Specialist, The World Bank, Europe and Central Asia Region at "mbayya@worldbank.org"



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