

Up-close and personal with MPP Alumni: Insights into Asian Development Bank

Are you ready for the job market?

Panel: Insights into Asian Development Bank

- Bianca-Martina (Tina) Rohner, Investment Specialist, Asian Development Bank, MPP Alumni
- Ian Teo, Investment Specialist, Investment Funds and Special Initiatives Division, Private Sector Operations Department, Asian Development Bank
- Liu Man, Master in Public Policy (MPP) 2016/2018
- Radtasiri (Bes) Wachirapunyanont, Master in Public Policy (MPP) 2016/2018

Synopsis: This lunchtime talk will provide a multifaceted perspective on what working in ADB may be like. The session will kick-start with a panel of two industry professionals who are currently working in the Asian Development Bank (ADB), one of whom is our MPP alumni who graduated in 2009. They will share on their career journeys and how the opportunity to work in ADB came about, each having gained a foothold into ADB through different routes. Tina will share on her entry into ADB through the Young Professional Programme (YPP) and what public policy students should know about the vigorous YPP process. Ian will speak on his switch as a mid-careerist from GIC Private Limited into ADB and the learning curve he experienced during his first 90 days assimilating into the ADB culture. The panel will be joined by two MPP students, Liu Man and Bes, who recently did their internship at ADB during the summer vacation in 2017. They will share about their ADB experience from their interview preparation process to the eventual onboarding and completion of their internship.

Our Industry Panelists



Bianca-Martina (Tina) Rohner, Investment Specialist, Asian Development Bank, MPP Alumni

Tina is an Investment Specialist with the Asian Development Bank (ADB) based in Manila, Philippines. She is part of the Private Sector Financial Institutions Division which provides development impact capital to banks and microfinance institutions in developing Asia. Tina is currently particularly focused on providing funding for farmers and micro entrepreneurs in Central and West Asia through innovative financing structures. Prior to joining ADB, Tina worked for Goldman Sachs in both Singapore and San Francisco focusing on equity capital markets in Asia and principal investments in the technology sector.



Ian Teo, Investment Specialist, Asian Development Bank

Ian Teo joined the Asian Development Bank (ADB) as an Investment Specialist in 2015. As part of the Private Sector Operations Department, he is responsible for sourcing and executing private equity (PE) fund investments for ADB. Additionally, Mr. Teo is also responsible for monitoring ADB's existing portfolio of PE fund investments, as well as evaluating potential co-investment opportunities. Prior to joining ADB, Mr. Teo spent more than 10 years at GIC Private Limited and Temasek International Private Limited, where he evaluated private equity, real estate and infrastructure deals as part of the risk management team.

WHEN

Wednesday
2 August 2017
12:15pm to 2.00pm

WHERE

Seminar Room 2-1,
Manasseh Meyer
Building, Lee Kuan
Yew School of
Public Policy,
National University
of Singapore 469C
Bukit Timah Road,
Singapore 259772

PROGRAMME

12.00 pm: Registration to
commence.
12.15pm: Panel Discussion
Q&A
Networking lunch
2.00pm: End of event

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LKY School alumni, students
and staff. Please note that
seats are limited.
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Note:

Buffet lunch and light
refreshments will be served.
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for this event and do not turn
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noon on 1 August 2017
will also be subjected to the
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