

WORLD BANK SUPPORT TO MENA REGION MEMBERS AND PARTNER COUNTRIES DURING AND POST COVID-19

ARABOSAI - ENGAGING WITH PARTNERS TO RESPOND TO COVID-19 PANDEMIC WEBINAR

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How the World Bank is helping countries with COVID-19

Redeploying existing resources in World Bank financed project

up to \$160 billion in financing tailored to the health, economic and social shocks

flexible responses and access to fast-track facility

emergency support operations to help save lives, detect, prevent, and respond to coronavirus in developing countries

Providing laboratory equipment, improved surveillance systems, and training of front-line responders, PPEs, ventilators, refurbishing intensive care units and inpatient facilities in hospitals and preparing quarantine facilities, Building systems for real-time community-based disease surveillance, the development of vaccines, therapeutics, and other measures

[https://www.worldbank.org/en/news/factsheet/2020/02/11/
how-the-world-bank-group-is-helping-countries-with-covid-19-coronavirus](https://www.worldbank.org/en/news/factsheet/2020/02/11/how-the-world-bank-group-is-helping-countries-with-covid-19-coronavirus)

World Bank's Governance & Institutions Response papers to COVID-19

Series of policy notes on Governance & Institutions

Ensuring State Continuity

Agile Treasury Operations

Ensuring Integrity in Government's response

Role of SAs in Governments' response to COVID19

Domestic revenue mobilization for COVID19

Consistent narrative across all the papers: Communication beyond the Government is critical

<https://www.worldbank.org/en/topic/governance/brief/governance-institutions-covid-19-response-resources>

World Bank Note on Role of SAIs in Governments' Response to COVID-19

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COVID-19

**Role of Supreme Audit Institutions
(SAIs) in Governments' Response
to COVID-19:** Emergency and Post
Emergency Phases



01

**COVID19:
Impact on SAIs**

02

**How are SAIs
coping?**

03

**How are SAIs
adjusting?**

04

**How are audit
plans being adapted?**

05

**Safeguarding SAIs
independence**

06

**SAIs engagement
during recovery**

7

**SAIs engagement
beyond the crisis**

08

**SAIs preparedness
for “new normal”**

<http://documents.worldbank.org/curated/en/267801591908669145/pdf/COVID-19-Role-of-Supreme-Audit-Institutions-SAIs-in-Governments-Response-to-COVID-19-Emergency-and-Post-Emergency-Phases.pdf>

World Bank's Governance & Institutions Response papers to COVID19 - BLOGs



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Starting a conversation about the future of governments post coronavirus



<https://worldbankgroup.sharepoint.com/sites/Governance/Pages/Governance-Institutions-COVID19-Response-Resources-04152020-110549.aspx>

How the World Bank is supporting SAIs in MENA during COVID-19

Series of knowledge exchange: MENA SAI Chats, ADVANCE, etc. in cooperation with ARABOSAI and other professional organizations

Continue the cooperation projects with SAIs of MENA (currently through virtual meetings)

The image contains two rectangular promotional banners. The left banner is for a 'MENA SAI Chat' on 'Audit of COVID19 Preparedness & Response' held on Thursday, April 2, 2020, at 10:00 AM EST. It features a gold-colored traditional Arabic coffee pot and cup. The right banner is for an 'ADVANCE' webinar series titled 'ADVANCING Accountancy & Audit During Volatility, Ambiguity, National Crisis and Emergency' held on June 15, 2020, at 8:00 AM EST USA – 10:30 EST USA. It features a circular logo for 'MENA ADVANCE'.

MENA SAI Chat
Audit of COVID19 Preparedness & Response
Thursday, April 2, 2020
10:00 AM EST

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Mr. Seongjun Kim, Sr Public Sector Specialist, World Bank

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ADVANCING Accountancy & Audit During Volatility, Ambiguity, National Crisis and Emergency

EVENT SUMMARY REPORT
MENA Regional Webinar Series

Webinar#1 of 4: "Key Challenges Facing SOEs During & Post COVID-19: Accountants and Auditors' Perspective"

June 15, 2020 @ 8:00 AM EST USA – 10:30 EST USA

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Regional level

Global level

Country level

Project level –
Capacity building

Project level -
fiduciary assurance

Project/Portfolio level -
Other

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Thank you

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