



Spotlight Feature: Pakistan's Capacity Development Resource Center

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Capacity Development Resource Center (CDRC)

In 2023, Pakistan Resident Mission (PRM) has, under the capacity development resource center (CDRC) initiative, initiated capacity building of its executing and implementing agencies (EAs/IAs).

Objectives:

- **Demand-driven** (need-based, timely, annually calendar program)
- **Sustainability** (collaboration with local institutions/resources, HQ stakeholders, development partners)
- **Implementation problem solving function:** Facilitate availability of experts for timely advice to EAs/IAs on contractual issues arising during implementation.

In 2023, CDRC concept developed, training needs analysis done, a series of Trainings and Business Opportunity Seminars Conducted, Annual Report prepared.



CDRC 2023 Calander of Events

Capacity Development Resource Center - Training Database (FY - 2023)									
Sr.	Training	Date	City	Participants		Thematic Area			Total
				Male	Female	Proc	FM & LD	SG	
1	Integrated Capacity Development Training	10-11 May 2023	Islamabad	47	20	26	22	19	67
2	Integrated Capacity Development Training	1-3 August 2023	Lahore	101	32	54	35	49	133
3	Training on FIDIC Red Book 2017	28 Aug - 1 Sept 2023	Islamabad	49	4	53	-	-	53
4	Training on FIDIC Gold Book 2008 - DBO	23-25 Oct 2023	Islamabad	60	4	64	-	-	64
5	Webinar on Loan Financing Options for Borrowers	05-Oct-23	Islamabad	79	35	-	114	-	114
6	Half day Training of MCMC Sindh Officials	8th Nov 2023	Islamabad	30	3	-	-	-	33
7	Integrated Capacity Development Training	20 - 22 Nov 2023	Karachi	101	11	39	36	37	112
8	Worksop on PPP for MCMC Sindh	24-Nov-23	Karachi	29	2	-	-	-	31
9	Training Session on Public Private Partnership for MCMC	05-Dec-23	Lahore	7	5				12
10	Agriculture Policy and Regulations to Prepare Draft Laws for Corporate Farming, Corporatize Smallholder Farming, and Contact Farming	23 December 2023*	Islamabad	23	7				30
Total Participant Trained				526	123	236	207	105	649

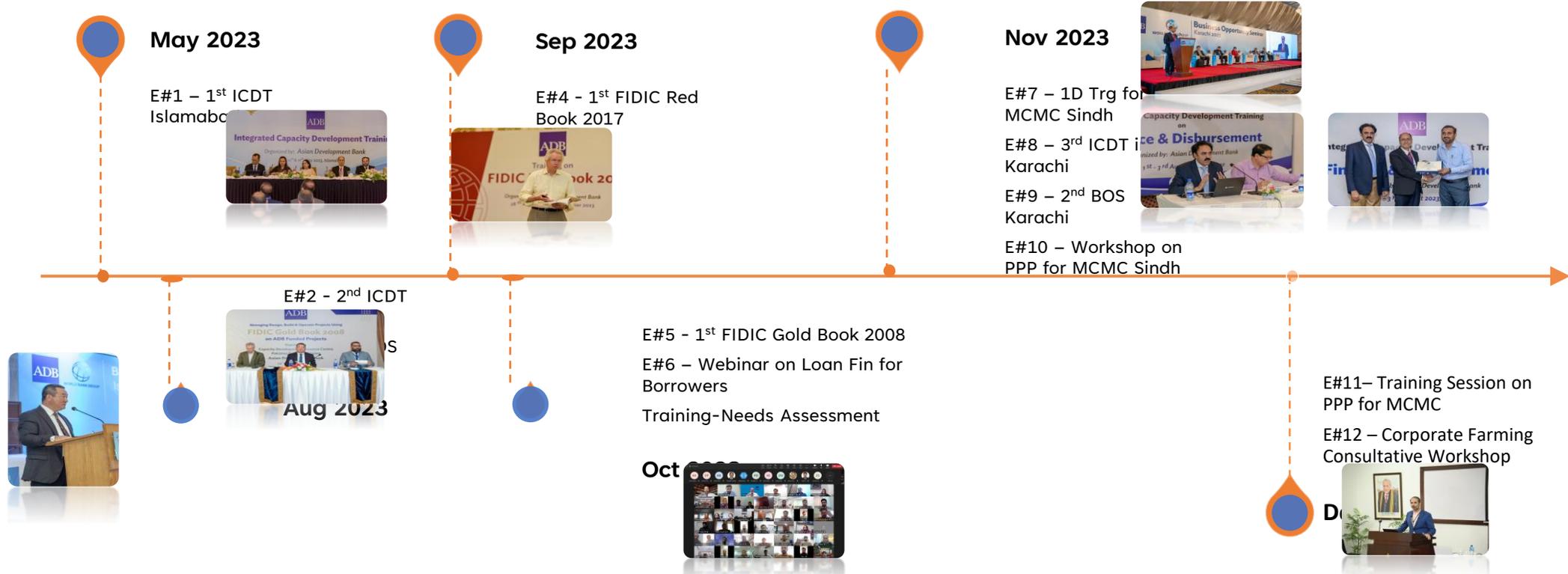
CDRC 2023 Calander of Events: Business Opportunity Seminars in Jointly with WB

Capacity Development Resource Center - Seminars (FY - 2023)

Sr.	Seminar	Date	City	Participants		Provincial Segregation					Total
				Male	Female	Isb	Punjab	Sindh	Balochistan	KP	
1	Business Opportunity Seminar	23-Aug-23	Islamabad	153	6	100	31	11		17	159
2	Business Opportunity Seminar	23-Nov-23	Karachi	211	18	19	9	181	20		229
			Total	364	24	119	40	192	20	17	-
										Total Participant Trained	388



CDRC Timeline

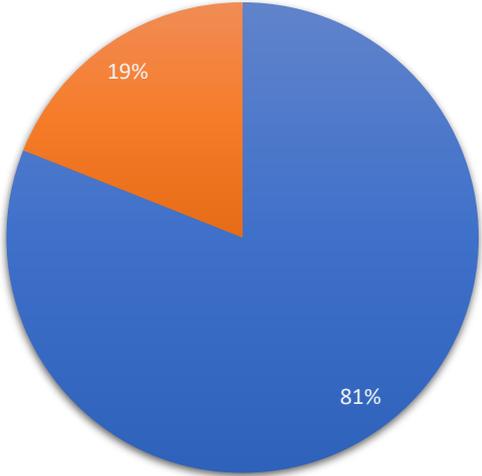


Training Statistics

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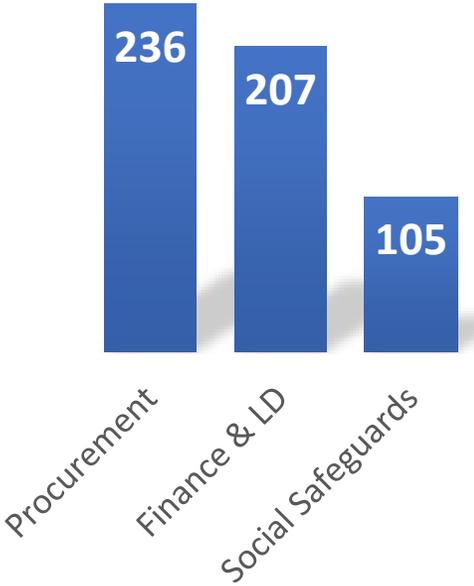
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Female: **123**

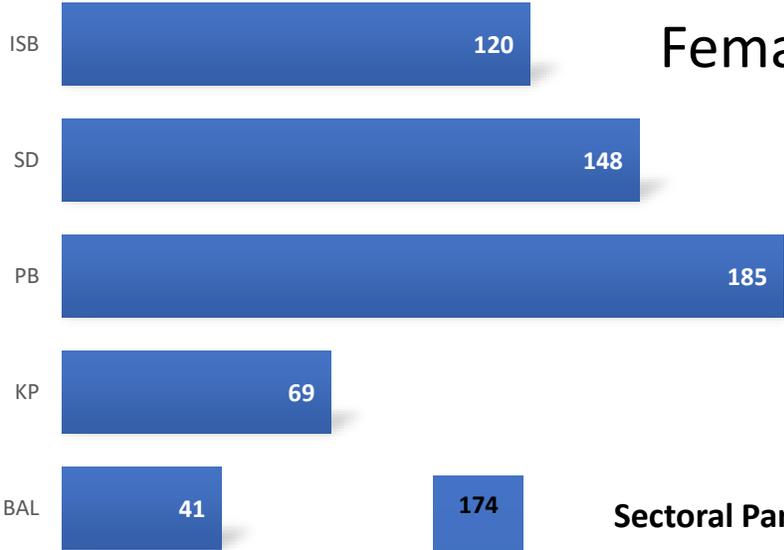


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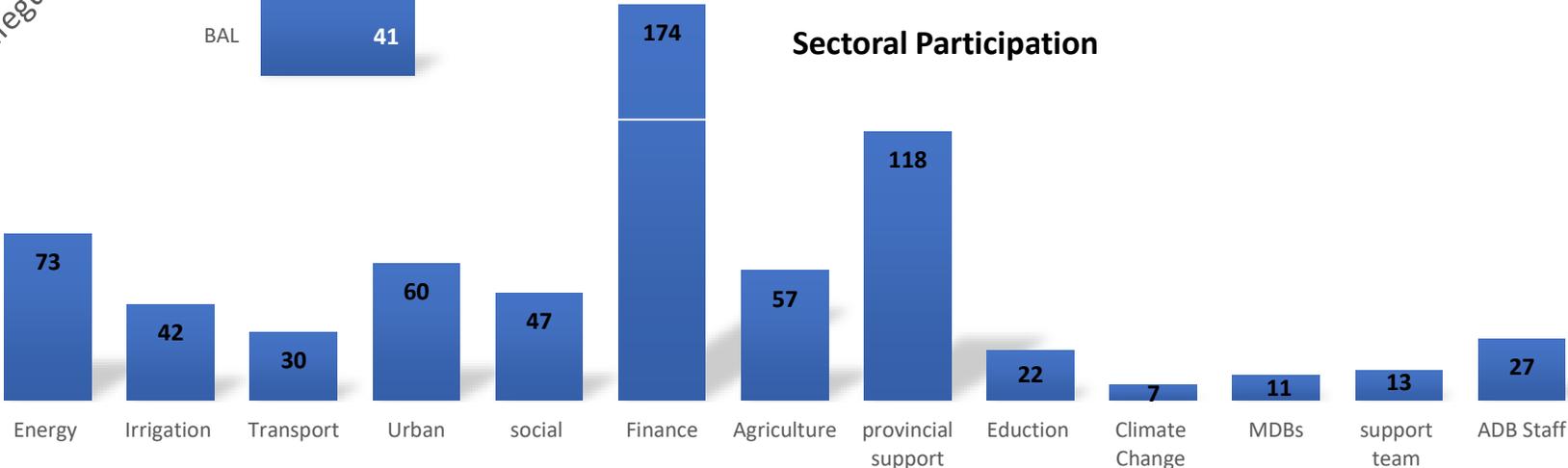
Thematic Area Participation



Provincial Participation

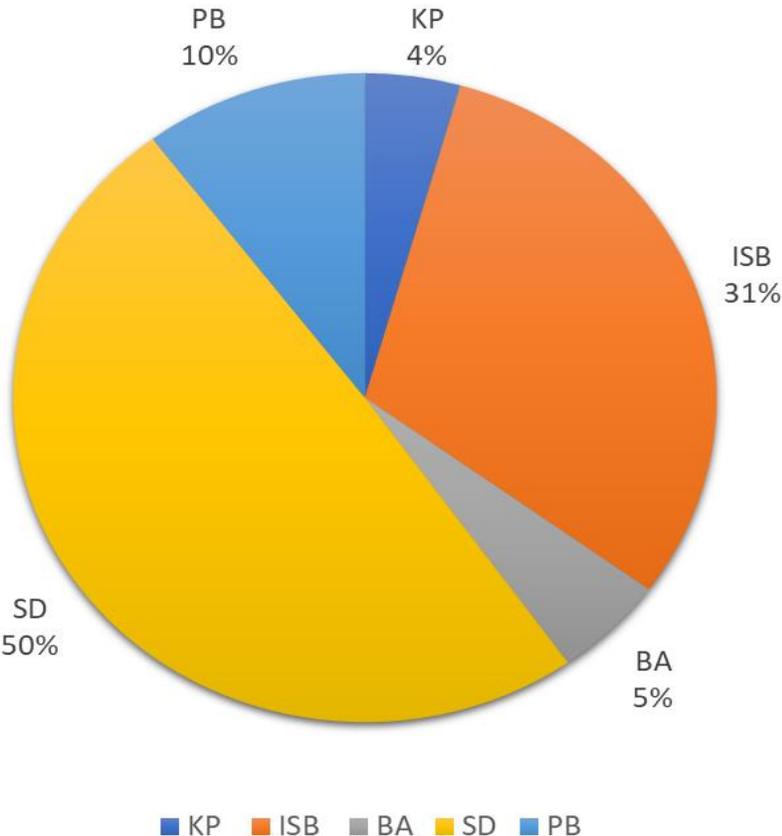


Sectoral Participation

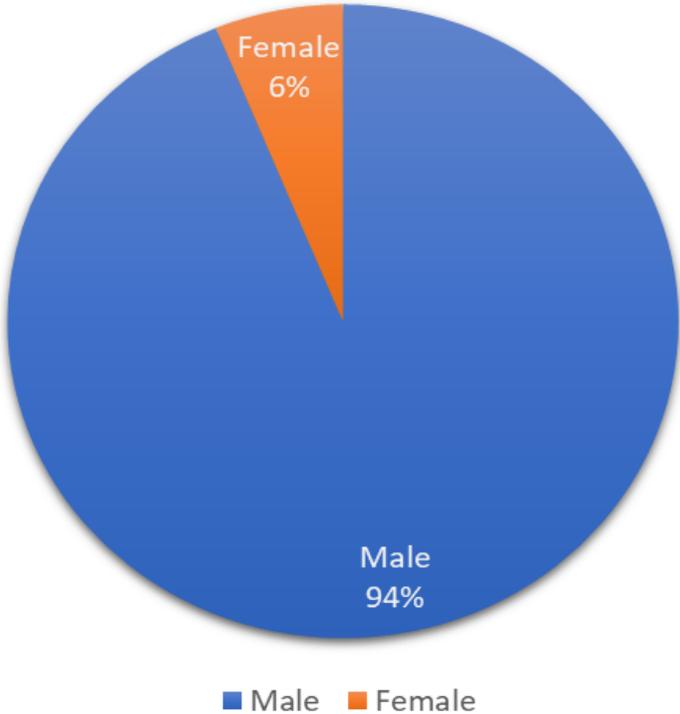


Participation in BOS

Provincial Participation



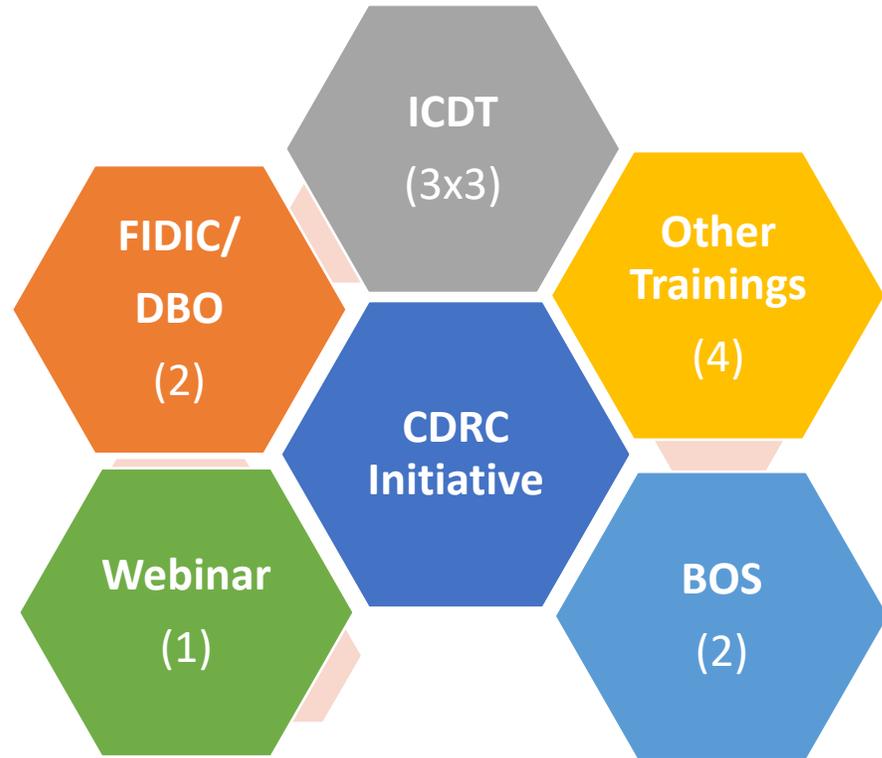
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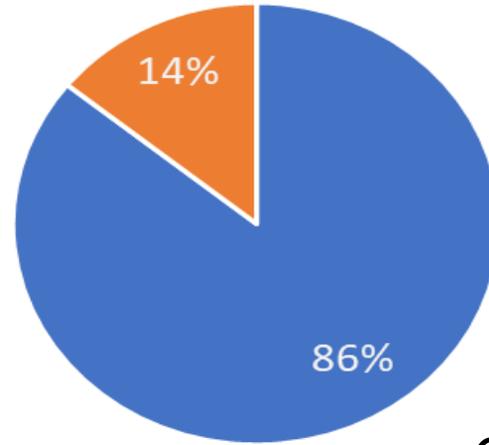
Feedback Word Cloud



CDRC Outreach 2023



Total Events: 12 +6

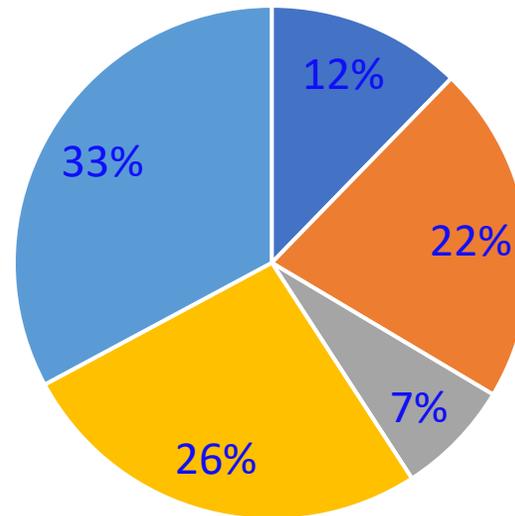


■ Male ■ Female

CDRC Total outreach: **1037**

Male : **890**

Female: **147**



■ KP ■ ISB ■ BA ■ SD ■ PB



CDRC's Impact

- ✎ Enhanced Professional Networking
- ✎ Understanding of EA/IA Roles and Responsibilities
- ✎ Establishment of a Trained Professional Pool among EAs
- ✎ Enhanced participation of business entity
- ✎ Knowledge repository developed
- ✎ Inclusive, integrated and holistic approach to capacity development
- ✎ **Enhanced focus on Client**



Future Plans

👑 Focused Trainings Covering Specific Topics—including for Contractors/Consultants

👑 Sustainability of CDRC

- 👑 Collaborate with academic / training institutes (e.g. LUMS/IBA/PPMI/NUST) to sustain the training function.
- 👑 Support to Develop MDB (and specifically ADB) focused curriculum
- 👑 Utilize local experts, when available
- 👑 Help develop and maintain CDRC website and maintain full Database
- 👑 Make CDRC a permanent feature in PRM—including creation of dedicated staff position

👑 Problem Solving Function & Studies

- 👑 Hire experts to advise EAs/IAs on resolution of contractual issues during project implementation
- 👑 Conduct studies to identify gaps and proposals to resolve them

👑 FIDIC Trainings: Help Create FIDIC Accredited Adjudicators

- 👑 FIDIC Adjudicator Training Module 1 and Module 2 to develop a National List of FIDIC Accredited Adjudicators
- 👑 Training of specific contract management issues by local expert
- 👑 Training on other FIDIC Books (Silver / Yellow), if such demand exists.

👑 Developing Connections with the Private Sector

- 👑 Business opportunity seminars for the Constructors / Consultants—jointly with World Bank.
- 👑 Possible partnering with FIDIC, DRBF, CIArb etc.



Snapshots of 2023 Activities



1st ICDT Islamabad May 2023

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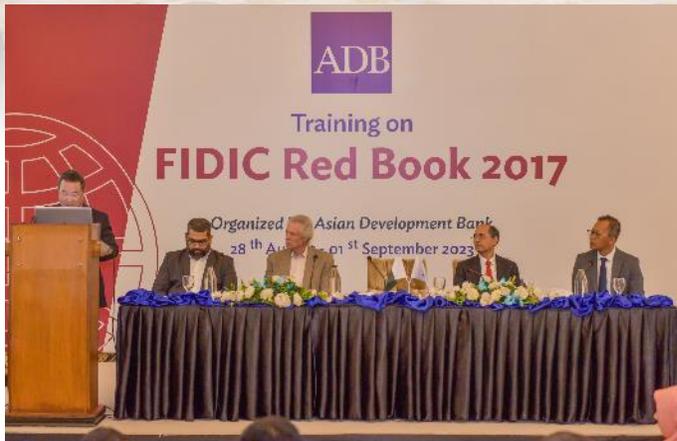
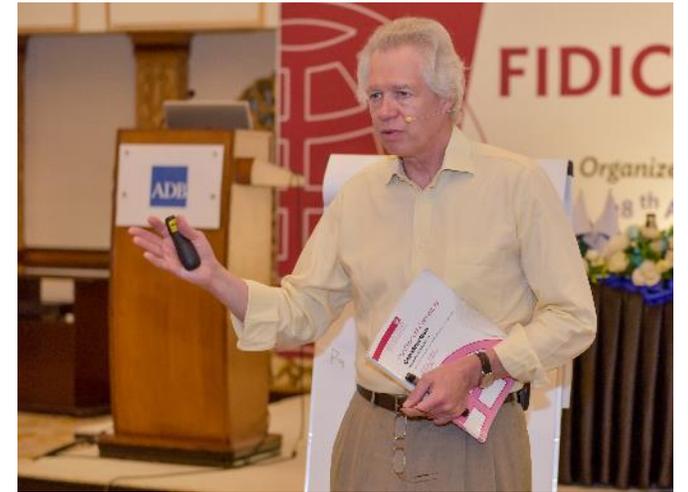


2nd ICDT Lahore August 2023

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Snapshots of 2023 Activities: FIDIC 2017 Training



FIDIC RED BOOK 2017 TRAINING ISLAMABAD

28th Aug - 01 Sep 2023



Snapshots of 2023 Activities: BOS Karachi



Any Questions & Comments at
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Thank You

