

# 10th BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES FAIR 2019



## Public Management, Governance, and Finance

— Opportunities in the Pacific



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#### Regional Strategy



- Pacific Approach covers 11 smallest DMCs
  - Building resilience through strengthened public sector management
- CPS Fiji, PNG and Timor-Leste
- Areas of support:
  - Policy-based lending focused on PFM and SOE reform
  - Building Disaster Resilience
  - Sector focused governance reforms (health)
  - Capacity building in PFM
  - Scoping e-government activities



#### Lending Pipeline, 2019–2021



<b>Project Name</b>	Country	Value	Modality	Approval	Duration
Disaster Resilience	RMI, SOL, TON	\$18m	PBL	June 2019	3 years
Disaster Resilience	COO	\$10m	PBL	Dec 2019	5 years
Sustained Private Sector-	FIJ	\$55m	PBL (SP2)	Sep 2019	1 year
led Growth Reform		\$110m	PBL (SP3)	Aug 2020	1 year

Note: Projects are indicative and timelines subject to change



#### Lending Pipeline, 2019–2021



<b>Project Name</b>	Country	Value	Modality	Approval	Duration
Improved Management of Public Investment	NAU	\$5m	PBL	Sep 2019	1 year
Health SDP SP2 SP3	PNG	\$100m \$100m	SDP	Aug 2019 Aug 2020	1 year 1 year
Building Macroeconomic Resilience	TON	\$5m	PBL	Jun 2019	1 year
Public Investment Management Strengthening	TUV	\$4m	PBL	Sep 2019	1 year
PFM Program	VAN	\$5m	PBL	2020	

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#### Nonlending Pipeline, 2019–2021



Project Name	Country	Value	Modality	Approval Date	Duration
Pacific Economic Management	REG	\$1.5m	TA	Mar 2019	5 years
PFM reform	NAU, SOL, VAN	\$1.3m	TA	Jul 2019	3 years
Pacific Private Sector Development Initiative, Phase 4	REG	\$15m	TA	Oct 2019	5 years
Support for Niue	NIU	\$225k	TA	Apr 2019	2 years

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#### **Key Opportunities**



- There will be various intermittent (3–6 months)
  consulting opportunities across most of the Pacific
  DMCs in areas such as:
  - Public expenditure reviews
  - PEFA
  - budget management
  - asset registers
  - procurement
  - project monitoring
  - use of IFMIS
  - SOE reform



#### **Issues for Consideration**



- Bringing Pacific/Small Island Experience
- Understanding MDB processes
- Differentiated Approach for SIDS
- Responsive
- Building capacity





### Thank you!

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