

MACROECONOMICS OF CLIMATE CHANGE

PROPOSED DATES | March 3-7, 2025

TARGET GROUP | Mid-level to senior officials from central banks, ministries of finance, and other government agencies tasked with the design and execution of policies related to macroeconomics and climate change issues.

DESCRIPTION | The 5-day workshop, delivered by the IMF Institute for Capacity Development Department in cooperation with the Caucasus, Central Asia, and Mongolia Regional Capacity Development Center, will focus on providing an overview of the science and economic costs of climate change, a review of adaptation and mitigation policy options, and an introduction to data and analytical instruments to inform climate-related policy decisions. Upon completion, participants will be equipped with essential knowledge and information to assess climate-related macroeconomic issues, including greening the economy, investing in climate resilience, and analyzing challenges and opportunities related to transition to greener growth models. Participants are expected to actively contribute to classroom-exercises and presentations. Peer learning will be an essential element of the workshop.

OBJECTIVES | Upon completion of this workshop, participants should be able to:

- Assess the macroeconomic costs of climate change.
- Leverage analytical instruments for examining mitigation strategies and accounting for natural disaster risks on the sustainability of public debt; and
- Work with climate data to help analyze the macroeconomic impact of climate change issues.

LANGUAGE | The workshop will be delivered in English language, with simultaneous interpretation to Russian.