

CALL FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST: INDIVIDUAL CONSULTANTS TO JOIN MEFMI POOL OF RESOURCE PERSONS

1. BACKGROUND

The Macroeconomic and Financial Management Institute of Eastern and Southern Africa (MEFMI) is a regionally owned Institute launched in 1994, currently with 15 member countries: Angola, Burundi, Botswana, Eswatini, Kenya, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Namibia, Rwanda, Tanzania, South Sudan, Uganda, Zambia, and Zimbabwe. Its mandate is to build sustainable human and institutional capacity in identified key areas in Central Banks, Ministries of Finance and Planning; Revenue Authorities, Statistical Offices, and related institutions in the spheres of macroeconomic, sovereign debt and financial sector management. The Institute also aims to foster best practices in these institutions and bring emerging risks and opportunities to the fore among executive-level officials.

Since its inception, MEFMI has been implementing its capacity-building activities using a phased approach, each comprising a period of 5 years. Currently, MEFMI is implementing the Phase VI Strategy which commenced in 2022 and runs up to 2026. The Phase VI Strategy is intended to guide MEFMI deliver on its mandate of building the capacity of its client institutions (mainly comprising ministries of finance, planning, economic development, and central banks) in the member countries with a particular focus on macroeconomic, sovereign debt, and financial sector management.

In line with its mandate to build sustainable human and institutional capacity in key areas within Central Banks, Ministries of Finance and Planning, Revenue Authorities, Statistical Offices, and related institutions in the fields of macroeconomic, sovereign debt, and financial sector management, MEFMI invites qualified and suitable individual consultants to submit Expressions of Interest to join its pool of Resource Persons.



2. THE OBJECTIVE OF THE CALL

The objective is to identify experienced professionals and subject matter specialists who can contribute to the delivery of MEFMI's capacity development programmes in areas highlighted in the following section.

3. SCOPE OF WORK

Resource Persons will be expected to support the delivery of capacity development activities in one or more of the following areas:

a) SOVEREIGN DEBT MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME

1. Debt Sustainability Analysis, Debt Management Strategies, & Planning
2. Debt Legal & Institutional Frameworks
3. Risk & Contingent Liabilities Management
4. Loan Negotiation & Restructuring
5. Public Debt Instruments & Markets
6. Debt Recording & Management Systems
7. Cash & Liquidity Management
8. Sustainable & Innovative Financing Tools
9. Debt Statistics, Dissemination & Credit Ratings
10. Quantitative Techniques for Debt Analysis and Methodologies for Interest and Exchange Rate Projections

b) MACROECONOMIC MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME

1. Macroeconomic Modelling and Forecasting, focusing on Dynamic Stochastic General Equilibrium (DSGE) Models and the Quarterly Projection Model (QPM), Including Incorporating Climate Change and Artificial Intelligence (AI) in Macroeconomic Modelling;
2. Public Financial Management (PFM);
3. Gender Responsive Macroeconomic Policy Management;
4. Fiscal Policy, Monetary and Exchange Rate Policy Analysis;
5. Taxation of Natural Resource Revenues;



6. Data Science in Macroeconomic Management;
7. Artificial Intelligence (AI) in Macroeconomic Management;
8. Government Finance Statistics (GFS);
9. Financial Programming and Policy (FPP); and
10. Monetary and Financial Statistics (MFS).

c) FINANCIAL SECTOR MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME

1. Risk-Based Supervision & Stress Testing;
2. Digitalisation in the financial system and its regulation
3. Prudential Supervision;
4. Fintech Regulation & Market Conduct;
5. Cross-Border & Consolidated Supervision;
6. Deposit Insurance, Bank Resolution, & Crisis Management;
7. Sovereign Asset Management;
8. Credit Risk & Financial Analysis Tools;
9. Enterprise Risk Management & Internal Controls;
10. Portfolio & Performance Management; and
11. Operational Support & Governance.

4. REQUIREMENTS FOR THE CALL

Interested individuals should submit:

- A detailed Expression of Interest (max. 3 pages), highlighting relevant experience, competence and capabilities, including key capacity development assignments undertaken in the selected area/s.
- An updated CV.
- A cover letter addressed to the Executive Director, MEFMI.
- Any supporting documents (e.g. sample reports, publications).

5. SUBMISSION

Expressions of Interest should be submitted by email as separate attachment accompanied by a cover letter addressed to the Executive Director as stated below.



Please send your submission to capacity@mefmi.org on or before THURSDAY, 31 JULY 2025 at 16.30 hours, Local Harare time:

The cover letter should be addressed to

The Executive Director

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