# **RBEC Regional Training Sessions:**

# **Results-Based Management (RBM) and Project and Programme Management (PPM)**

April 2021

As part of the RBEC Regional Learning Plan, a training block on **Programme and Project Management Refresher** will take place in April 2021, starting from 7 and 8 April 2021 with two regional and three sub-regional deep dive sessions. The sessions will be interactive and accompanied by MIRO canvas board and mentimeter quizzes.

The **overall aim** of the training sessions is to provde a practical overview of how the RBM and PPM linked and how both approaches are applied in the project/progamme management. With this aim in mind, the **specific objectives** of the trainings are:

* To refresh understanding of the basic concepts and approaches in results management, including main elements of the results cycle: planning, monitoring, evaluating, and communicating results (RBM and PPM refresher);
* Enhance common understanding and knowledge of the key programming elements such as theory of change and results framework;
* Inform and remind on the changes in Programme and Project Management (PPM) section in POPP and provide clarifications on sections relevant to the CO and Hub contexts;
* Discuss opportunities and challenges in improving relevant CO business processes in the GEF portfolio at country and regional level in particular as a follow up to [the GEF audit in UNDP (2020)](https://www.undp.org/gef-audit-transparency).

The **expected outcomes** of the workshop include: (i) improved understanding and familiarity among CO and IRH staff on RBM and PPM; and (ii) enhanced knowledge and application of results management in programmes and projects; iii) agreed next steps to sustain peer‐to‐peer learning within the COs on the above topics, towards improving their practice in COs’ programmes and projects.

The **participants** of the workshop are COs’ senior managers, programme and operations staff, project staff working on GEF portfolio of projects.

**Venue:** Zoom

**Dates: Two training sessions are planned for 7 and 8 April 2021**. It will be followed up by the sub-reigonal dive-in sessions in the consequent weeks.

**The trainings will be delivered by**: RBEC CO Solutions and Regional Programme Coordination Team.

***Background****: Following the global launch of the new* [*Programme and Project Management (PPM)*](https://popp.undp.org/SitePages/POPPBSUnit.aspx?TermID=1c019435-9793-447e-8959-0b32d23bf3d5&Menu=BusinessUnit) *content in 2018, RBEC had its* ***first regional webinar to roll out a new PPM[[1]](#footnote-2)****. About* ***14 training events took place in 2018*** *in the RBEC region, including tailor-made training workshops/webinars for all COs or individual COs based on the needs and topics of interest. In October 2018, IRH established the* ***RBEC PPM Reference Group*** *consisting of designated PPM champions (29 CO Staff) and serving as an effective community of practice on PPM related matters.* ***A Training of Trainers Workshop on PPM[[2]](#footnote-3)*** *took place on 24-26 June 2019 to provide an opportunity to take stock of the roll-out of the PPM throughout the RBEC COs, enhance practical knowledge of the new tools, share updates on the evolving corporate developments and develop recommendations for further revisions of the PPM based on the experience of the RBEC region.*

# **Agenda**

**7 April 2021 (11.30 am – 1 pm Istanbul Time) – Result Based Management**

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| **Time** | **Topic** |
| 11:30–11:40 | **Opening Session:**  Welcoming remarks by Gerd Trogemann, IRH Manager*, Istanbul Regional Hub for Europe and the CIS, RBEC* |
| 11:40-11:45 | **Introduction of the agenda** and [MIRO Board](https://miro.com/app/board/o9J_lM1-LTE=/) by Ekaterina Paniklova*, Chief, Country Office Solutions and Regional Programme Coordination, Istanbul Regional Hub for Europe and the CIS, RBEC* |
| 11:45-12:30 | **Result Based Management** presentation byAbusabeeb Elsadig, *Regional Programme Coordination, RBM and QA Specialist, Istanbul Regional Hub for Europe and the CIS, RBEC* |
| 12:30 –12:55 | **Q&A** by*Abusabeeb Elsadig* |
| 12:55-13:00 | Closing of RBM training by *Ekaterina Paniklova* |

**8 April 2021 (11.30 am – 1 pm Istanbul time) – Programme & Project Management (PPM)**

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| **Time** | **Topic** |
| 11:30–11:40 | **Opening and introduction of the agenda** and [MIRO Board](https://miro.com/app/board/o9J_lM1-LTE=/) by Ekaterina Paniklova*, Chief, Country Office Solutions and Regional Programme Coordination, Istanbul Regional Hub for Europe and the CIS, RBEC* |
| 11:40-12:30 | **Programme and Project Management** presentation byAbusabeeb Elsadig, *Regional Programme Coordination, RBM and QA Specialist, Istanbul Regional Hub for Europe and the CIS, RBEC* |
| 12:30 -12:55 | **Q&A** by*Abusabeeb Elsadig* |
| 12:55-13:00 | Closing of PPM training by *Ekaterina Paniklova* |

**Deep dive into RBM/PPM - subregional sessions:**

* **14 April 2021 (11.30 am – 12.30 pm Istanbul time) – Sub-regional coaching session: Central Asia**
* **21 April 2021 (11.30 am – 12.30 pm Istanbul time) – Sub-regional coaching session: South Caucasus and Western CIS**
* **28 April 2021 (11.30 am – 12.30 pm Istanbul time) – Sub-regional coaching session: Western Balkans and Turkey**

1. Link to the webinar: [First RBEC Webinar with Jessica Murray (record)](https://web.microsoftstream.com/video/0d9f9246-580c-408b-9682-b4a20e301e68?referrer=https:%2F%2Fwww.yammer.com%2F) [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
2. Link to the workshop documents: [ToT Workshop on PPM SharePoint space](https://undp.sharepoint.com/sites/RBECPPMReferenceGroup/Shared%20Documents/Forms/AllItems.aspx?viewid=d977e118%2Dac55%2D4e23%2D9b0b%2D0a24c6a1d0dd&id=%2Fsites%2FRBECPPMReferenceGroup%2FShared%20Documents%2FTOT%20Workshop%20June%202019)  [↑](#footnote-ref-3)