

Business Partnerships Platform Regional Call for Partnerships Form Preview

Business Partnerships Platform (BPP) COVID-19 Regional Application Form

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The BPP is supported by the Australian Government ([DFAT](#)) and implemented by [Palladium](#) (BPP Fund Manager). If you have any issues or queries regarding this form, please contact the BPP team at applications@thebpp.com.au.

Before you commence your application, you must read the [Guidelines for Applicants](#). You can also view the [BPP website](#) for more information.

Confidentiality

All application data will be kept in the strictest confidence. All DFAT officers and the BPP Fund Manager personnel that review applications are bound by confidentiality/non-disclosure arrangements.

Application Number

This field is read only.

The identification number or code for this submission.

Initiative Title *

Proposed Initiative Start Date *

Must be a date.

The proposed date should be between 01/04/2021 and 30/06/2021.

Proposed Initiative End Date *

Must be a date.

End date should be 1-3 years after the initiative start date.

Concept Note

The [BPP Concept Note](#) should be filled out and submitted below. You can also review the [How to Complete the Concept Note Guidance](#) for more information.

The BPP Regional Call for Partnerships will support COVID-19 recovery and the Australian Government's development policy [Partnerships for Recovery – Australia's COVID-19 Development Response](#) through partnerships which support the following overarching themes:

- **Digitalisation**
- **Skills development for workers and MSMEs**
- **Economic opportunities for women**

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- **Green recovery**

Partnerships should also propose to work in one of the following sectors in their country of activity:

Bangladesh

- Agriculture and agricultural technology (crops and livestock, sustainable agricultural practices, mechanisation and modernisation)
- Financial inclusion (mobile financial services, e-commerce, payment delivery mechanisms)
- Renewable energy and energy efficiency
- Textiles and manufacturing (ready-made garment, jute, leather, plastic industries)

Nepal

- Agriculture
- ICT and financial inclusion
- MSME development
- Tourism

Philippines

- Cyber Security and critical infrastructure for SMEs
- Digital mental health services
- ICT, banking and telecommunications
- Digital skills, big data, AI and data analytics

Timor-Leste

- Agriculture, food security and nutrition
- Financial inclusion
- Tourism

Tonga

- Agriculture
- Financial inclusion
- Skills development in construction
- Tourism

Please attach your filled out concept note here: *

Attach a file:

Which of the above themes does your concept address? *

- Digitalisation
- Skills development for workers and MSMEs
- Economic opportunities for women
- Green recovery

At least 1 choice must be selected.

You may select more than one theme

What country are you proposing to work in? *

- Bangladesh

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- Nepal
- Philippines
- Timor-Leste
- Tonga

At least 1 choice must be selected.

Bangladesh Sectors

What sector most closely aligns with your concept? *

- Agriculture and agricultural technology (crops and livestock, sustainable agricultural practices, mechanisation and modernisation)
- Financial inclusion (mobile financial services, e-commerce, payment delivery mechanisms)
- Renewable energy and energy efficiency
- Textiles and manufacturing (ready-made garment, jute, leather, plastic industries)

At least 1 choice must be selected.

Nepal Sectors

What sector most closely aligns with your concept? *

- Tourism
- Agriculture
- MSME development
- ICT and financial inclusion

At least 1 choice must be selected.

Philippines Sectors

What sector most closely aligns with your concept? *

- Cyber Security and critical infrastructure for SMEs
- Digital mental health services
- ICT, banking and telecommunications
- Digital skills, big data, AI and data analytics

At least 1 choice must be selected.

Timor-Leste Sectors

What sector most closely aligns with your concept? *

- Financial Inclusion
- Tourism
- Agriculture, food security and nutrition

At least 1 choice must be selected.

Tonga Sectors

What sector most closely aligns with your concept? *

- Tourism
- Agriculture
- Skills development in construction
- Financial inclusion

At least 1 choice must be selected.

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Investment Details

Amount Requested from BPP/DFAT *

\$

Must be a dollar amount.

Partner Co-Contribution - Cash *

\$

Must be a dollar amount.

% Partner Contribution

This number/amount is calculated.

Partner Co-Contribution - In-kind *

\$

Must be a dollar amount.

Total initiative cost

\$

This number/amount is calculated.

Total Partner Co-Contribution

\$

This number/amount is calculated.

Organisation Details

Organisation Legal Name *

Organisation Name

Organisation Representative *

Title First Name Last Name

Representative Position/Title *

Organisation Address *

Address

Address Line 1, Suburb/Town, State/Province, Postcode, and Country are required.

Organisation Phone Number *

Organisation Email *

Must be an email address.

Organisation Website

Must be a URL.

Are any other partners (aside from DFAT) involved in this initiative? *

Yes

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No

No more than 1 choice may be selected.

Other Partners

Please insert the legal name and key contacts from other partners involved in the partnership. Please provide information on the gender breakdown of the board and senior executives of the business.

Organisation Legal Name

Organisation Name

Organisation Representative

Title First Name Last Name

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Representative Position/Title

Organisation Address

Address

Organisation Phone Number

Organisation Email

Must be an email address.

Organisation Website

Must be a URL.

Type of Business and Gender Balance

The BPP is collecting statistics on the types of businesses that apply to the BPP, and the gender balance of these businesses. This is part of the BPP's gender and social inclusion strategy.

The following questions relate to the collection of these statistics. Businesses will **not** be excluded or disadvantaged in selection on the basis of information provided in this section.

What type of businesses are involved in the implementation of this partnership? *

Sole trader/partnership

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Publicly or privately owned company

Other:

At least 1 choice must be selected.

Is the sole trader/partnership woman-owned or led?

Yes

No

Businesses will not be excluded on this basis, the BPP is tracking this data as part of its gender and social inclusion strategy.

Please provide information on the gender breakdown of the board and senior executives of the businesses involved in this initiative.

Click 'Add More' in the bottom left of this section if you have more than one business involved.

Business Name

How many senior executive staff do you have?

Must be a number.
e.g. CEO, CFO

How many board members do you have?

Must be a number.

Of which male?

Must be a number.

Of which male?

Must be a number.

Of which female?

Must be a number.

Of which female?

Must be a number.

Of which non-specified?

Must be a number.

Of which non-specified?

Must be a number.

Screening Questions

Please provide brief responses to the following questions.

Brief responses are sufficient for this stage. Please focus on key issues that are relevant for the partnership. There will be an opportunity to provide more detailed information at later stages in the selection process should your application be progressed.

You may include policy documents or diagrams in support of your response as an attachment. Relevant links can be added as text.

Have any of the partners received prior funding from the Australian Government in any capacity, or funding from other donors? *

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Word count:

Must be no more than 100 words.

Please describe the proposed governance arrangements of the partnership. *

Word count:

Must be no more than 100 words.

How will the partners ensure that people at risk of vulnerability in their organisation, business or supply chain are protected from harm (e.g protection of children, prevention of abuse, harassment, prevention of exploitation)? *

Word count:

Must be no more than 100 words.

Please insert names of key staff members in each organisation who will be involved in the implementation or governance of this initiative. *

Word count:

Must be no more than 100 words.

Please upload any supporting documentation here

Attach a file:

This is not compulsory

Acknowledgements

In relation to Australia's aid program, DFAT undertakes a range of risk management measures, including: fraud control and the application of safeguards. BPP initiatives will need to comply with related policies in order to be eligible. For more information about DFAT's risk management policy click [here](#).

I acknowledge that this BPP initiative complies with the relevant policies and guidelines. *

Acknowledged

I acknowledge that, in the event that our BPP initiative is shortlisted, the main partners may be subject to a due diligence assessment. *

Acknowledged

I acknowledge that representatives from the partnership must be available for a facilitated scoping discussion with DFAT and the BPP Fund Manager at some point in November, either in person or via video/conference call. *

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Acknowledged

I acknowledge that the partners must pay any tax liability arising from the initiative. Taxes cannot be paid for with BPP grant funding or from the partner cash or in-kind contributions. If, during the BPP funding period, a new tax is introduced or an existing tax is changed in relation to the initiative, the lead partner is responsible for payment. *

Acknowledged

Agreement and Declaration

• I certify that the statements in this application are true. • I acknowledge DFAT and BPP may vary the overall funding provided through the program at its sole discretion. • I acknowledge that DFAT cannot guarantee funding for every application received, and cannot guarantee funding to the full amount requested by any applicant. • I have been authorised to submit this application on behalf of the applicant organisation.

Organisation Name *

Organisation Name

Applicant Name *

Title First Name Last Name

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Applicant Position/Title *

Applicant Primary Email *

Must be an email address.

Signature of Authorised Representative *

Typing the full name into this field is deemed to be a signature.

Date of Signature *

Must be a date.

Join Our Mailing List

How did you hear about the BPP? *

Do you accept to receive future communications from the BPP about further funding opportunities, upcoming events or other opportunities to get involved

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with the BPP? You can withdraw your permission at any time by using the unsubscribe link at the bottom of every email you receive from us. *

Yes No