



Webinar on the Economic Impact of Exclusion Based on SOGIESC (Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity, Gender Expression and Sex Characteristics) and the Promotion of Inclusion

7 June 2023

10:00 – 12:00 (Tokyo time, GMT+9)

Agenda	
10:00 – 10:05 (Tokyo time)	Welcome Remarks Tetsushi Sonobe, Dean and CEO, Asian Development Bank Institute (ADBI)
10:05 – 10:40	Keynote Presentation Lee Badgett, Professor of Economics and Co-Director of the Center for Employment Equity, University of Massachusetts Amherst Q&A
10:40 – 11:20	Country Case Studies Sunil Babu Pant, Founding Member of Blue Diamond Society and former Congressman, Nepal Representative from the Philippines (TBC) Q&A
11:20 – 12:00	Panel Discussion: Policy Recommendations for Building SOGIESC Inclusive Societies Moderator: Agnes Surry, Senior Capacity Building and Training Economist, ADBI Panelists: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Francesco Tornieri, Principal Social Development Specialist, Asian Development Bank• Kathy Teo, Founder and CEO of Xpointo Media, Co-Founder of Q Chamber (Singapore's LGBTQ+ and Allied Chamber of Commerce, and Board Co-Chair of Outright International)• Naosuke Fujita, Co-President and Co-Founder, Lawyers for LGBT and Allies Network (LLAN)• Ugyen Tshomo, Officiating Director General, The National Commission for Women and Children, Bhutan• Sonam Chuki, Program Analyst, The National Commission for Women and Children, Bhutan Q&A
12:00	Closing Remarks Chantale Wong, United States Executive Director, ADB