



RCI-POD Webinar #16

# COVID-19 Impacts on Gender Equality

19 November 2020 (Thursday), 3:00 - 4:30 pm (Manila time), MS Teams

## House Rules for Attendees

3:00 – 3:05pm **Opening Remarks:** Yasuyuki Sawada, Chief Economist and Director General, Economic Research and Regional Cooperation Department (ERCD), ADB

3:05 – 3:20pm **Presentation:** “COVID-19 is No Excuse to Regress on Gender Equality” (ADB-related [brief](#))  
Cyn-Young Park, Director, Regional Cooperation and Integration Division, ERCD, ADB

3:20 – 3:35pm **Responses from BISP, ILO, ICRW**

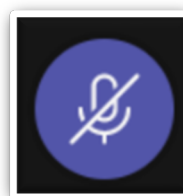
3:35 – 4:15pm **Panel Discussion:**

**Moderator:** Yasuyuki Sawada, Chief Economist and Director General, ERCD, ADB

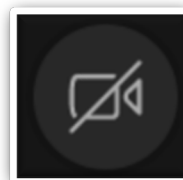
**Panelists:**

- **Noor Rehman Khan**, Director General (Cash Transfer), Benazir Income Support Program of the Government of Pakistan
- **Joni Simpson**, Senior Specialist in Gender, Equality and Non-Discrimination for East and South East Asia and the Pacific, ILO
- **Sharmishtha Nanda**, International Centre for Research on Women (ICRW) Asia
- **Cyn-Young Park**, Director, Regional Cooperation and Integration Division, ERCD, ADB

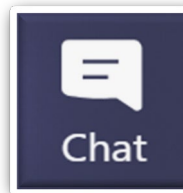
4:15 – 4:30pm **Q&A and Closing Remarks**



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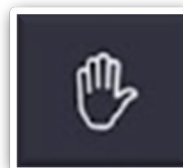


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