

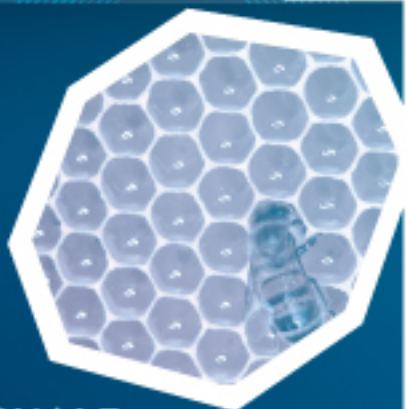


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FOREWORD



This Operating Year of OY 2010/11 sees The SEACEN Centre reaching a milestone as it enters into its fifth and final year of its first Medium-term Strategic Plan to become a training centre of choice in the Asia-Pacific region. I am very pleased indeed to report that we have implemented all of the initiatives slated in the first Five-Year Plan under our new strategic direction, ascertaining that The SEACEN Centre is on the right path to achieving its vision of becoming a premier regional training centre. Indeed, this is no small feat and I would like to take this opportunity to thank the SEACEN Board of Governors, Executive Committee, Board of Directors, as well as Directors of Research, Training, Supervision and Payment Systems, for their unwavering support and cooperation. I also thank our strategic collaborators for their continuing support and the SEACEN staff for their dedication and commitment.

As The SEACEN Centre looks into the future, it is committed to pursue its objectives and its vision and mission in the face of many challenges from within the SEACEN region as well as from outside in order to become the premier training provider for central banks and a promoter of cooperation among central banks in the Asia-Pacific region. As the Centre readies itself to forge ahead with the next Medium-term Plan, we will take the opportunity at this juncture to take stock of our successes and challenges in our journey thus far. I am confident, however, that with the cooperation and strong support of our member central banks and strategic partners, The SEACEN Centre will be able to move forward to greater heights and aspirations in the coming years.

This Edition of the SEACEN Profile, tenth in the series, puts together the institutional information concerning SEACEN membership, organisation and governance, activities, strategic initiatives, budget, SEACEN scholarships and also historical development of The SEACEN Centre. The Profile, first published in 2001, has served its purpose well as a comprehensive guide on institutional matters based on the feedback of the SEACEN member central banks and monetary authorities as well as strategic partners. Lastly, I hope that the Centre's Profile for 2010 will be able to provide valuable information which has been systematically documented for easy reference.

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