

The **MacroFiscal Facility** provides support to DG INTPA's interventions in the field of macroeconomic and fiscal analysis and enhance DG INTPA's staff knowledge and practical skills in these fields.

The Facility provides analytical products, technical and policy advice as well as training and mentoring activities to DG INTPA (HQ and EUDs) and specific technical expertise to partner countries.

The Facility's services can be requested when no other support is available from country envelopes.

#### Types of Support available to EU Delegations and Partner Countries:

- Short-term technical, training and policy support to partner countries on macroeconomic and fiscal issues and policy implementation that should be aligned with the EU's Global Gateway strategy. This support should be complementary to and not substitute existing capacity building at country level. This service will be provided through field (and in some cases remote) missions of indicatively 10 – 15 working days.
- Analysis and advisory support to EU Delegations to address specific macroeconomic and fiscal challenges, develop tailored policy solutions as well as macro-fiscal technical assistance in the design and implementation of EU interventions. This support will be provided remotely or through field missions of indicatively 10 – 15 working days and/or through longer-term remote mentoring sessions.

#### Thematic Areas:

Support to Partner Countries and EU Delegations should be aimed at ensuring stability, fiscal space, and effective public-private investment frameworks and more generally creating the enabling environment for Global Gateway interventions. The following is a non-exhaustive list of thematic areas in which expertise may be provided:

**Fiscal Sustainability and Debt Management**, so that partner countries can absorb and co-finance Gateway investments sustainably.

- **Debt Sustainability Frameworks:** To ensure alignment with IMF–World Bank DSA principles and integrate debt transparency clauses in EU-backed financing.
- **Technical Assistance for Debt Management Offices :** Strengthen capacity and provide training in risk analysis, contingent liabilities, and sovereign guarantees.
- **Fiscal Rules and Medium-Term Expenditure Frameworks (MTEFs):** Encourage credible, rule-based fiscal policies that maintain budget discipline while prioritizing infrastructure investments.
- **Support to the identification, analysis and reporting on fiscal risks.**

## Public Financial Management and Public Investment Management (PIM)

- Improve budgeting and other aspects of public financial management to support the sustainability of investment projects
- Public Investment management: improve prioritisation, project selection and implementation.

## Domestic Resource Mobilisation (DRM)

- **Tax System Reforms:** Broaden tax bases, reduce exemptions, improve the targeting of tax incentives, strengthen property, design carbon or digital taxation.
- **Improve fiscal revenues from natural resources.**
- **Customs and VAT Modernization:** Facilitate cross-border trade and increase compliance, design and implement VAT collection through digital platforms.
- **Support for Revenue Authorities:** for example to enhance digital tax systems (e.g., e-filing, e-tax payment, data analytics to strengthen audit capacity).

### How to apply for support:

Linpico SARL is the contractor for the MacroFiscal Facility. All requests for support (including those from Partner Countries) should be sent by the EU Delegation to the Project Manager: Paulina Toporek [ptoporek@linpico.com](mailto:ptoporek@linpico.com) and copied to the DG INTPA E.1 Task Managers : Elena Arjona Perez: [Elena.ARJONA-PEREZ@ec.europa.eu](mailto:Elena.ARJONA-PEREZ@ec.europa.eu) and Peter Kovacs [peter.kovacs1@ec.europa.eu](mailto:peter.kovacs1@ec.europa.eu)

Requests should be succinct and clearly describe the nature of the support required with an indication of timelines, deliverables and resource requirements (a simplified version of the TORs used for the SEA 2023 FWC).

The Linpico Team Leader and Project Management Team will undertake an initial screening of requests and if necessary obtain additional information from the EUD and coordinate with INTPA E.1 in the selection and approval of requests for services. The CV of the experts that will provide the services will be shared and agreed with the EUD. A succinct (one page) proposal for delivery of the services, including the CV of the proposed expert(s), the maximum number of working days (field based and remote), timeline and any associated incidental expenditures will be approved by the DG INTPA E.1 Task Manager prior to deployment. The EUD will be kept regularly informed regarding the approval process.