



SAMARKAND
59th ANNUAL MEETING OF
THE ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK
3-6 MAY 2026



59th ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF ADB

Samarkand, the Republic of Uzbekistan

Future Annual Meeting Host Country Event (Samarkand 2026)

Tuesday, 7 may 2025

Venue: Brown Room 1&2, South Wing, Level 2

Time: 15:45-17:00

15:45-16:20	Welcome Reception (<i>Uzbek tea and sweet traditional snacks are served</i>) Uzbek Music plays
16:20-16:25	Opening performance by Uzbek traditional dances (<i>Khorezm Lazgi — a UNESCO-recognized dance</i>)
16:25-16:30	Welcoming remarks by the Head of Uzbek delegation, ADB Governor
16:30-16:35	Congratulatory remarks by ADB President
16:35-16:38	Photo Shoot
16:38-16:43	Presentation of Promotional Video
16:43-17:00	“Discovering Samarkand” presented by the Governor of Samarkand city (<i>F. Umarov</i>)
	Cultural performance by Traditional Folk Music Ensemble (<i>Instruments: Dutar, rubab, chang, doira, and surnay</i>)
	Presentation of Samarkand Plov
	end of the event



MILAN
58TH ADB ANNUAL MEETING
4-7 MAY 2025



57th ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF ADB
Tbilisi, Georgia

Italy cordially invites you to the
Future Host Country Event

See you in Milan 2025!

May 5, 4:00 – 5:30 PM
Ballroom 1-3
Radisson Blu Iveria Hotel
Tbilisi

Giacomo Puccini
(1858-1924)
Italian Opera Maestro



Program

- Official Presentation of Italy as the Future Host Country of the 58th ADB Annual Meeting
- “Tribute to Maestro Giacomo Puccini”: opera concert by Iano Tamar (Soprano) and Konstantine Kipiani (Tenor) with piano accompaniment by Nika Nikvashvili
- “The Art of the Aperitivo”: flair show with a selection of Italian specialties and drinks (alcoholic and non-alcoholic)

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TBILISI
57th ADB ANNUAL MEETING
2-5 MAY 2024



**56th ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF ADB
Incheon, Republic of Korea**

Future Annual Meeting Host Country Event (Tbilisi 2024)
Friday, 5 May 2023

Venue: Premier Ballroom A and B
Time: 5:15 – 6:30pm
Host: Hon. Lasha Khutsishvili, ADB Governor of Georgia
Guests: All Participants

5:15 pm	Welcome Reception (Georgian wine and sweet traditional snacks are served) Georgian Music plays
5:25 pm	Opening performance by Georgian Folk Song State Ensemble “Basiani” – Mravalzhamier
5:29 pm	Master of Ceremony (MC) Datuna Aladashvili Opening Speech
5:30 pm	Welcome remarks by GEO Governor Lasha Khutsishvili
5:33 pm	Congratulatory remarks by ADB President Masatsugu Asakawa
5:36 pm	Photo Shoot
5:42 pm	Presentation of Promotional Video
5:45 pm	MC Introduces Georgian National Ballet “Sukhishvili”
5:46 pm	Georgian National Ballet “Sukhishvili” – Lazuri
5:50 pm	MC Introduces Georgian Folk Song State Ensemble “Bassiani”
5:51 pm	State Ensemble of Georgian Folk Song “Basiani” – Chakrulo
5:57 pm	Georgian National Ballet “Sukhishvili” – Tsdo
6:03 pm	Georgian Folk Song State Ensemble “Basiani” – Guruli
6:07 pm	Georgian National Ballet “Sukhishvili” – Ilouri

6:12 pm	Georgian Folk Song State Ensemble “Basiani” – Odoia
6:17 pm	Georgian National Ballet “Sukhishvili” – Juta
6:22 pm	Final remarks of gratitude from the MC
6:23 pm	Georgian Folk Song State Ensemble “Basiani” – Tbilisi
6:30 pm	End of the event



Future Host Country Event (Incheon 2023)
Thursday, 29 September, 5:30-6:30pm
Auditorium (1st part) → Staff Hub (2nd part)

Proposed Program (to be confirmed):

Time	Activity	Location
5:30 – 5:31 pm	Master of Ceremonies (MC) announces the beginning of 1 st part of the program	Auditorium
5:31 – 5:34 pm	Promotional Video: ADB Annual Meeting 2023 in Incheon	Auditorium
5:34 – 5:37 pm	Welcome remarks by Hon. Kyungho Choo, Governor of the Asian Development Bank, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Economy and Finance(3min)	Auditorium
5:37 – 5:40 pm	Congratulatory Remarks by ADB President Masatsugu Asakawa(3min)	Auditorium
5:40 – 5:41 pm	MC guide audiences to move from Auditorium to the Staff Hub by announcing the 2 nd part of program will be held in the Staff Hub	Auditorium
5:41 – 5:44 pm	Walk to the Staff Hub with Samulnori (Traditional Korean percussion quartet team) performance.	Auditorium → the Staff Hub
5:44 – 5:45 pm	Samulnori (Traditional Korean percussion quartet team) will finish the performance in the Staff Hub	the Staff Hub
5:45 – 5:46 pm	MC starts 2 nd part of the program by welcoming participants	the Staff Hub
5:46 – 5:58 pm	Cultural performance - B-boying with Gayageum (Korea traditional stringed instrument) playing	the Staff Hub
5:58 – 6:00 pm	Toast led Deputy Prime Minister of Korea and ADB president	the Staff Hub
6:00 – 6:02 pm	Photo Shoot	the Staff Hub
6:02 – 6:30 pm	Cocktail Reception and lucky draw event	the Staff Hub



51st ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF ADB Manila, Philippines

Future Annual Meeting Host Country Event (Fiji 2019) Friday 4, May 2018

Venue: Gymnasium
 Time: 4:00 – 5:00pm
 Host: Hon. Ayiaz Sayed Khaiyum, ADB Governor for Fiji
 Guests: All Participants

4:00 pm	Beating of the lali (drum) to signal the commencement of the program
4.03pm	Entrance of Hon. Aiyaz Sayed Khaiyum, ADB Governor for Fiji escorted by 2 Fijian Warriors
4:05 pm	Master of Ceremony (MC) starts the program by welcoming ADB Vice President Stephen Groff and Participants MC invites ADB Vice President to say a few words
4:10 pm	MC invites ADB Governor for Fiji to deliver his presentation and launch Future Host Country video presentation, encapsulating the theme “Prosperity through Unity” The 52 nd Annual Meeting logo is unveiled
4:20 pm	Traditional meke (Fijian dance)
4:25 pm	MC invites participants to sample Fijian delicacies End of formalities
5:00 pm	End of the event



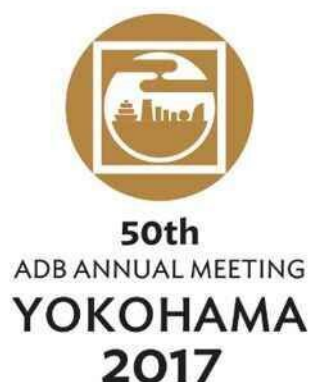
PROGRAM OF EVENTS

Launch Event for Philippine Hosting of ADB AM 2018

7 May 2017 || 1:30-2:30pm (JST)

Room 502, Conference Center, Pacifico Yokohama, Yokohama, Japan

Time	Activity
1:30 PM – 1:32 PM	Welcome Remarks (voice over only)
1:32 PM – 1:37PM	Audio-Visual Presentation (AVP): The Philippines Story
1:37 PM – 1:42 PM	Address: Linking People and Economies for Inclusive Development Sec. Benjamin Diokno Secretary of Budget and Management
1:42 PM – 1:47 PM	Investor Testimonial 1 TERESITA SY-COSON Vice-Chairperson, SM Investments Corporation
1:47 PM – 1:52 PM	Investor Testimonial 2 SATORU SUZUKI President, Toyota Philippines
1:52 PM – 1:57 PM	Speech TAKEHIKO NAKAO President, Asian Development Bank
1:57 PM – 2:02 PM	Closing Remarks CARLOS G. DOMINGUEZ Secretary, Department of Finance
2:02 PM – 2:05 PM	AVP: Teaser on ADB Manila 2018
2:05 PM – 2:30 PM	Cocktails



**50TH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF ADB
Yokohama, Japan**

SCENARIO

**Future Annual Meeting Host Country Event (Yokohama 2017)
Wednesday, 5 May**

Venue: Congress Center, Harmonie Hall B1/2
Time: 1:30 – 2:30 pm
Host: Ms. Fumiko Hayashi, Mayor of City of Yokohama
Guests: All Participants

1:30 pm	Announcement of the “AUN J Classic Orchestra” (6 musicians of Japanese Traditional Instruments) Music plays
1:35 pm	Master of Ceremony (MC) starts the program by welcoming participants and inviting
1:37 pm	Governor Fuchtel takes over a baton to Host Country(TBD) Mr. Monma & Ms. Hayashi will receive a baton(TBD) Mr. Monma, MOF Japan to say a few words(TBD) President Nakao to show 2017 Logo and say a few words(TBD) Ms. Hayashi to deliver her speech and explain the meaning of logo and theme
1:52 pm	Kagamibiraki Performance and toast Drinks are served
1:55 pm	Opening of a flying buffet of Japanese specialties Film: ADB Annual Meeting 2017 in Yokohama
2:05 pm	AUN J Classic Orchestra music plays
2:30 pm	End of the event Providing small gifts



48TH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF ADB Baku, Azerbaijan

SCENARIO

Future Annual Meeting Host Country Event (Frankfurt 2016) Tuesday, 5 May

Venue: HAC Building 2, Frankfurt Booth and Room A8
Time: 1:30 – 2:30 pm
Host: Hon. Hans Joachim Fuchtel, Governor for Germany in ADB
Guests: All Participants

1:30 pm	Announcement of the “German Welcome Band” (15 musicians of a brass band) Drinks and snacks are served Goethe performance Music plays
1:50 pm	Governor Fuchtel welcomes President Nakao in Room A8 Master of Ceremony (MC) starts the program by welcoming participants and inviting President Nakao to say a few words
1:58 pm	President Nakao hands a wooden baton over to Governor Fuchtel, shake hands, photo opportunity
2:00 pm	MC invites Governor Fuchtel to deliver his keynote speech on Introduction of the German claim “cooperating for sustainability” Governor Fuchtel announces the launching of the website (on screen)
2:05 pm	President Nakao leaves for his press conference Film: ADB Annual Meeting 2016 in Frankfurt
2:15 pm	Opening of a buffet of German specialties German Welcome Band music plays
2:30 pm	End of the event