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Members of the 5th PPP Experts' Advisory Panel highlighted the importance of consistency and transparency for project development. Preparing a robust pipeline of bankable projects is a challenging task that requires expertise, especially in the public sector.

Currently, the development of PPP projects is not limited by the amount of private funds but by the lack of viable PPP projects. In fact, the difference between a project 'wish list' and a structured and prioritized pipeline is adequate project preparation. In that regard, the Asian Development Bank (ADB) suggests PPP centers to have adequate and comprehensive project preparation capacity and resources.

Multilateral Development Banks (MDB) like the ADB and the World Bank, as well as initiatives like the Global Infrastructure Hub and the International Infrastructure Support System (IISS), are well positioned to provide assistance to PPP Centers in the Asia Pacific region in establishing information sharing and project preparation support mechanisms.