

# Second APEC Public- Private Sector Forum on Bond Market Development

July 2008  
Cusco, Peru

## Background

- ✦ Private sector proposals to develop and integrate local currency bond markets in the region – since 1999
- ✦ Hanoi 2006 – APEC Finance Ministers approved ABAC proposal to hold regular public-private sector bond market forum
- ✦ Melbourne 2007 – First forum launched: focus on Indonesia, Philippines, Vietnam

## 2008 Forum: Overview

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- ✦ Venue: Cusco, Peru
- ✦ Date: July 2008 (to be announced)
- ✦ Focus: Chile, Mexico, Peru
- ✦ Organizers: Advisory Group + ABAC in cooperation with the Peru Ministry of Finance
- ✦ Participants: Finance ministries, financial regulatory agencies, IFIs, financial industry market players, experts,

## 2008 Forum: Program

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- ✦ Session 1
  - ◆ Overview of Latin American bond markets
  - ◆ Regional cooperation: the Asian experience
  - ◆ Latin American corporate bond markets
  - ◆ Financial industry perspectives
- ✦ Session 2: Peru bond market
- ✦ Session 3: Chile bond market
- ✦ Session 4: Mexico bond market

## 2008 Forum: Format

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- ✦ Official/regulator to make a presentation:
  - ◆ Current situation of the market
  - ◆ Measures being planned/undertaken
  - ◆ Challenges
  - ◆ Possible areas of cooperation with financial industry
- ✦ Comments from 2 financial industry representatives
- ✦ Open discussion and summary

## 2008 Forum: Program

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- ✦ Session 5: Concluding panel discussion, to include following topics:
  - ◆ Public-private sector cooperation
  - ◆ Capacity-building challenges, opportunities
  - ◆ Role of developed economies
  - ◆ Role of APEC Finance Ministers Process

