## RESERVE BANK OF FIJI MEDIA NOTE

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## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU) RESERVE BANK OF FIJI AND ASIA-PACIFIC APPLIED ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION (APAEA) RESEARCH COLLABORATION

In its continued efforts to enhance the research culture and environment within the institution, the RBF recently signed an MOU with APAEA President, Professor Paresh Kumar Narayan.

In signing the MOU, the Governor stated the research collaboration with APAEA will go a long way in developing capacity for research and policy formulation. It is consistent with the vision of APAEA to provide a forum and resource base for developing the research capacity of researchers in the Asia-Pacific region, with a particular focus on applied econometrics, economic growth & stability, financial market performance and energy markets.

Professor Paresh Narayan responded that APAEA is pleased to collaborate with the Reserve Bank of Fiji (RBF) and build on its network of collaborations with central banks in the region.



APAEA hopes that the success of the collaboration in 2022 will pave the way for future collaborations on a sustainable and mutually beneficial basis.

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