Data to Policy Initiative

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Using Online Job Vacancy Data for More Evidence-Informed Labour Policies in Vietnam

Labour Market Statistics

28.2 Million Vietnamese people ages 15 years and older lost their jobs, experienced loss of income or changes in work hours as a result of the Covid-19 pandemic (2021).

3 Workstreams

- Improving the overall data ecosystem in the ministry by enhancing data sharing and governance.
- Development of a blueprint for how to access a new data source (such as online job vacancy data from a private partner).
- Strengthening of policymakers' capacity to effectively interpret and use conventional and new data in decision-making processes.

SDG 8: Decent work

The combination of new data sources with existing administrative and census data allows for a more comprehensive picture of current labour market dynamics leading to more targeted policies in Vietnam.
Our Solution

**Navigator**
Guiding policymakers in their journey to integrate data into their policy- and decision-making processes. Covering topics such as data access, data governance, and data visualization.

**Network**
Providing policymakers with an opportunity to:
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Data to Policy Projects
*working with policymakers on integrating data into their policy design.*
LEVERAGING DATA FOR BETTER POLICIES

Data-informed policies are more effective, inclusive and sustainable. They enable governments and societies to be more agile and better prepared for different crises.

The Data to Policy Navigator is designed to assist government executives and policymakers in grasping the fundamentals of data-driven decision-making. It provides a step-by-step guide and a range of practical examples from across the globe on how to integrate data into policy and programme development.

ABOUT THE NAVIGATOR

A JOINT COLLABORATION BETWEEN:
We will provide a repository of knowledge articles, curated frameworks for various topics of data-driven policy making, and useful tools developed by reputable organizations to help policymakers better integrate data in their everyday work.

With hundreds of data to policy experts within the Friends of the Network, we will facilitate experts’ input when specific questions come up from policymakers.

We will engage with sub-groups of policymakers to discuss, unpack, and brainstorm about the practical aspects of the use of data for decision and policies.

We are creating learning sessions, from Data to Policy 101, to Deep Dives on Data Ethics. Additionally, we will hold exchange sessions for use case teams to present their success stories in data to policy implementation.
Data to Policy Network
Learning Sessions & Workshops
Data to Policy Training

A series of interactive training sessions designed to improve policymakers’ understanding on the concept of data-informed policymaking.

A quick rundown:

Who is this for:
- Mid-level / senior officials, with decision-making responsibility, from any government entity

Format (configurable):
- 3-day (4 hours per day) in-person workshop and 1-hour pre-training call
- Maximum 30 participants with 2 trainers

Topics covered (configurable):
- Framing a policy problem
- Mapping a data ecosystem
- Communicating with data experts
- Understanding data governance concepts
- ... and much more
Join us on this journey

Data to Policy Navigator

Sign up for the Data to Policy Network

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You are invited to our next virtual learning session

Gender Data
July 10th, 9 PM Bangkok (on Zoom)

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