

Review of the RBA: Lessons for Pacific Policymakers

Date: 22 June 2023

Time: 1:00-2:30 pm (AEST)

Virtual: Link will be provided later

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Agenda:

Session starts: 1:00pm

Live Q&A: 2:00pm

Session ends: 2:30pm

The March 2023 [review](#) of the Reserve Bank of Australia (RBA) made several recommendations to make "RBA Fit for the Future", covering "governance, monetary policy framework, culture, and systems of the RBA". It was a major review of the "central piece of Australia's economic architecture" in decades. **Professor Renée Fry-McKibbin**, one of the three review panellists, will make a presentation to policymakers, including central banks, on lessons for the Pacific. This presentation will dovetail into discussions at the 28-29 June 2023 Pacific Research Conference and Leader's [Forum](#) in Koror, Palau.

About the speaker



Professor Renée Fry-McKibbin

Renée Fry-McKibbin is a leading Australian academic on macro econometrics and a Professor of Economics at Australian National University. She is also the co-director of the Finance and the Macroeconomy research program and the Commodities and the Macroeconomy research program within the Centre for Applied Macroeconomic Analysis (CAMA). Renée also holds positions as a research associate in the H.O. Stekler Research Project on Forecasting at George Washington University, and the Centre for Applied Macro- and Petroleum Analysis at the B.I. Norwegian Business School. She is a Fellow of the Academy of Social Sciences in Australia where she is Chair of the disciplines in Panel B: Business and Economics. She is a board member of the Australasian Macroeconomics Society, Editor of the Economic Record, and an Associate Editor for Finance Research Letters. Renée publishes in the area of financial market and macro econometrics, mainly focusing on developing frameworks to model the transmission of international economic and financial market shocks to small open economies. Her principal publications appear in the Journal of Business and Economic Statistics, the Journal of Economic Literature, the Journal of Banking and Finance, and Quantitative Finance. <https://rbareview.gov.au/panel-members>