

## Financial Services Commission Mauritius

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## FSC Policy Research Group (PRG) Programme

The Financial Services Commission, Mauritius announces the launching of the FSC Policy Research Group (PRG) programme 2015-2016.

The programme aims to provide an opportunity to policy researchers and academics to conduct research studies in the areas of non-bank financial markets and services in Mauritius.

The Commission is inviting expressions of interest to the programme to conduct research on any of the following topics:

- i. A study on the development of Mauritius as a mid-shore financial jurisdiction for the future.
- ii. A survey analysis for the scopes of securitisation in Mauritius.
- iii. A feasibility study for a social investment market in Mauritius.
- iv. An assessment of the scopes for innovative and 'peer-to-peer' financing in Mauritius.
- v. A study on the scopes and potentials of wealth management for private banking and investment banking in Mauritius.
- vi. A feasibility study of a regional passport system for either raising of capital or for investment funds in Africa.
- vii. An econometric study of an aggregate financial stability index for Mauritius.
- viii. A quantitative study of systemic risks and stability of the insurance sector in Mauritius.
- ix. A study on the development and application of 'credible deterrent' enforcement policies by a competent financial regulator/authority in Mauritius.
- x. A stakeholders' study for the revamp of the Protected Cell Companies' legislation in Mauritius

The applications shall be submitted online, on or before **Friday 15**<sup>th</sup> **January 2016**. For further information and assistance, please visit  $\underline{www.fscmauritius.org/prg}$  or email us at  $\underline{prg@fscmauritius.org}$ .

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