



Looking Bank on IADI Research Letters

Introduction

In June 2006, IADI initiated a program to provide for Research Letters to facilitate the sharing and exchange of expertise and information on deposit insurance issues. Several Research Letters have been issued and they are posted on IADI's web site (www.iadi.org).

This Research Letter summarizes what topics were dealt with in the series of Letters issued so far.

Volume 1 (2006)

A total of 13 Research Letters were issued with the topics shown in the table below.

No	Title	Date	Topic
1	What is the International Deposit Insurance Survey?	Jun 19	General DI Issues
2	FSF Working Group Guidance Paper	Jun 27	FSF Guidance Paper (General DI Issues)
3	Update on Islamic Deposit Insurance Issues	Jul 18	Regional DI Issues
4	International Financial Instability: Cross-Border Banking & National Regulation	Jul 28	IADI Event
5	Register Now for the Fifth Annual IADI Conference	Aug 3	IADI Event
6	Developments of the KDIC: A Summary of Presentations during its Open House	Aug 31	Country DI Issues
7	Key Considerations When Designing a Differential Premium System	Sep 22	IADI Guidance Paper (Premium Assessment)
8	Setting the Standard on Strategic Alliances : Malaysian Case	Oct 12	Country DI Issues
9	Sustaining the Credibility of Deposit Insurance Arrangements	Nov 8	IADI Guidance Paper (Funding)
10	Governance of Deposit Insurance Systems: Has the Bar Been Raised High Enough?	Nov 9	IADI Guidance Paper (Governance)
11	Hard Lessons on Getting Your Money Back	Nov 9	IADI Guidance Paper (Claims and Recoveries)
12	Measures to Improve the Deposit Insurance Systems	Nov 9	IADI Guidance Paper (Mandates)
13	Proceedings from an International Conference on Cross-Border Banking	Nov 10	IADI Event

Volume 2 (2007)

A total of 25 Research Letters were issued.

No	Title	Date	Topic
1	General Guidance for the Resolution of Bank Failures	Jan 10	IADI Guidance Paper (Failure Resolution)
2	How to build Efficient and Effective Asset Disposition Strategies?	Jan 12	General DI Issues
3	General Guidance to Promote Effective Inter-relationships among Financial Safety Net Players	Feb 6	IADI Guidance Paper (Failure Resolution)
4	A Special Edition of the JBR on Deposit Insurance	Feb 22	General DI Issues
5	Cross-Border Issues For Deposit Insurance Systems	Mar 27	IADI Event
6	IADI's New Research Business Plans	Mar 30	IADI Guidance Paper (Business Plans)
7	Training Program for Deposit Insurance Executives	April 25	IADI Event
8	Regional Update Series on Deposit Insurance (I): Africa	May 7	Regional DI Issues
9	Regional Update Series on Deposit Insurance (II): Asia	May 7	Regional DI Issues
10	Regional Update Series on Deposit Insurance (III): The Caribbean	May 8	Regional DI Issues
11	Regional Update Series on Deposit Insurance (IV): Eurasia	May 8	Regional DI Issues
12	Regional Update Series on Deposit Insurance (V): Europe	May 9	Regional DI Issues
13	Regional Update Series on Deposit Insurance (VI): Latin America	May 9	Regional DI Issues
14	Regional Update Series on Deposit Insurance (VII): Middle East and North Africa MENA	May 10	Regional DI Issues
15	Regional Update Series on Deposit Insurance (VIII): North America	May 10	Regional DI Issues
16	Participants Update Series: Observers	May 11	IADI Participants Updates
17	Participants Update Series: Partners	May 11	IADI Participants Updates
18	Symposium on Cross-Border Deposit Insurance Issues: A Summary of the Presentations	May 23	IADI Event
19	How to Manage Troubled Banks? A Practitioner's Approach	July 25	IADI Chairman's Speech



20	A Survey on Deposit Insurance Fund Investment Policies	Aug 24	General DI Issues
21	Fueling the Debate on Deposit Insurance	Sep 17	General DI Issues
22	IADI Research Bibliography	Sep 25	General DI Issues
23	Bank Resolutions and Differential Premium Systems: Proceedings from Africa Regional Committee Workshop	Oct 2	IADI Event
24	Public Awareness of Deposit Insurance System	Nov 6	IADI Guidance Paper (Failure Resolution)
25	Guidance of Deposit Insurance Systems : Governance	Nov 22	IADI Guidance Paper (Failure Resolution)

Deposit Insurance Question of the Month

Further to the topics mentioned above, we also initiated a process to provide up-to-date information on questions of interest to deposit insurers. As part of this initiative, some of the mini-survey results have been provided through Research Letter issues:

- Deposit insurance target fund level, premium assessment scheme and rates (Volume 1, Issue 9)
- How does each deposit insurer identify the correctness of a bank's deposit records before the bank goes into a trouble? (Volume 2, Issue 4)
- Participants who are engaged in the bank resolution process and the largest deposit payout experience of some deposit insurers (Volume 2, Issue 5)

We intend to continue to provide timely and interesting topics related to deposit insurance issues. Should you have any comments or ideas on future topics, please do not hesitate to contact the editor.

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