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Position Title	Senior Research Officer
Position Level	PS2
Function	The Senior Research Officer will lead formulation, analysis, implementation and communication of Monetary Policy. This includes conducting macroeconomic research and forecasting, developing policy model and data driven policy advice to support Royal Monetary Authority's policy objectives.
Location	RMA Main Office, Thimphu
Department	Department of Macroeconomic Research & Statistics
Employment type	Regular

Key Roles & Responsibility

1. Formulate and implement monetary policy and liquidity management;
2. Conduct stress test for macro-level liquidity forecasting;
3. Initiate and coordinate any new projects or activities related to monetary policy and liquidity management;
4. Evaluate the effectiveness of monetary policy measures, develop innovative approaches to enhance monetary policy tools and potential impact of new financial products and developments on the monetary sector;
5. Conduct a diagnostic study employing macroeconomic models and frameworks. The SRO will also undertake research assignments and make presentations to the Department Head and the Management;
6. Represent as the monetary sector team to external agencies and Government agencies, IMF, World Bank, and other institutions.
7. The SRO shall also ensure that the Monetary file is prepared in line with the Manuals and update the CRO for any changes & amendments in the methodology;
8. Oversee research projects, any projects undertaken by the Department including Technical Assistance;
9. Prepare policies and guidelines for any task assigned by the Management and Department Head;
10. Undertake ad-hoc assignments given by the Department Head;

Qualification, experience, knowledge, Skills and Abilities	<p>Qualification Master's degree in any of the following disciplines: Economics, Statistics, Finance, or Business Studies.</p> <p>Professional Experience Minimum of 10 years of relevant professional experience in the fields of Economics or Finance.</p> <p>Knowledge and Skills and Abilities:</p>
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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Proven ability to work independently as well as work collaboratively with diverse teams;• Good command of research undertakings with strong analytical skills, critical thinking, presentation skills, interpersonal skills, adaptability, awareness of current economic issues, quantitative modelling, familiarity with data (databases, collection method, and management) and• Proficiency in using statistical software (MS Excel and any of the specialized econometric s software(s) or programming languages in R or Python and Stata would be an important advantage); |
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