

Videos addressing good public financial management

We have commenced the publishing of videos about aspects of our work associated with supporting good public financial management.

We list below the videos available to-date:

Small island developing states need improvements in their digital communication infrastructure to help them recover from COVID-19. We have set out four collaboration approaches for SIDS and their stakeholders to consider actioning in our [“Small Island Developing States, COVID-19 and Digital Technology”](#) video based on our recent blog. [Petit États insulaires en développement, COVID-19 et technologie numérique](#). [Pequeno Estados em Desenvolvimento insular, COVID-19 e Tecnologia Digital](#). [Pequeña Estados Insulares en Desarrollo, COVID-19 y Tecnología Digital](#).

[Improving PFM digital transparency in SIDS finance ministries](#) (<http://blog-pfmconnect.com/wp-content/uploads/Videos/Improving-PFM-digital-transparency-in-SIDS-finance-ministries.mp4>) examines recent trends in the use of public financial management (PFM) digital platforms by the finance ministries of small island developing states (SIDS) and potential opportunities. A shorter version of this video examines **SIDS finance ministries** use of [Facebook](#) to promote PFM digital transparency in small island developing states

[COVID-19, Brexit and the English Regions](#) (<http://blog-pfmconnect.com/wp-content/uploads/Videos/COVID-19-Brexit-and-the-English-Regions.mp4>) discusses the UK Government's levelling-up policy for the English regions and the impacts of COVID-19 on the implementation of this policy.

[Virtual Schooling in the UK](#)

(<http://blog-pfmconnect.com/wp-content/uploads/Videos/Virtual-Schooling-in-the-UK.mp4>) examines the development of **virtual schooling** in the **United Kingdom** to support home education resulting from the Covid-19 lockdown.

[Digital government in developing countries](#), based on our recent [blog](#), recommends developing countries should employ an evolutionary approach to digitally-enabled reform and outlines a detailed implementation strategy for them to adopt in such projects. [Gobierno digital en países en desarrollo. Le gouvernement numérique dans les pays en développement. Governo digital nos países em desenvolvimento.](#)

[Local government revenue systems corruption](#) outlines the different parts of local government revenue systems and presents strategies for combatting associated corruption. [Corrupción de los sistemas de ingresos del gobierno local. Corrupção dos sistemas de receita do governo local. Corruption des systèmes de revenus des administrations locales.](#)

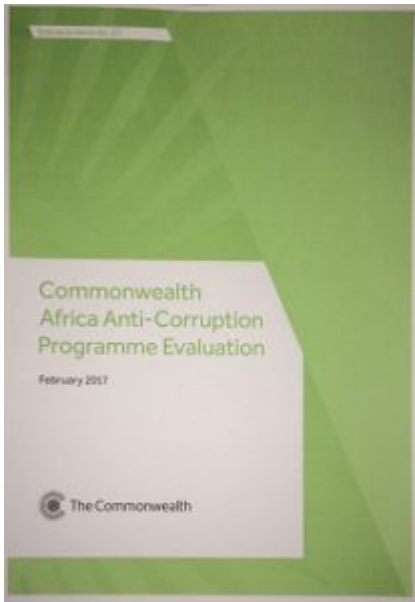
[Supporting good public financial management](#) provides images of some of the countries where we have supported the development of good public financial management (PFM). You can view all the countries and places where we have worked [here](#).

[Evaluating public private partnerships](#) highlights a number of questions to be addressed by public sector organisations when considering the merits of a public private partnership (PPP)

Commonwealth Africa Anti-

Corruption Evaluation

Programme



Background

Last year the Commonwealth Secretariat commissioned PFMConnect Ltd to undertake an independent evaluation of its Africa Anti-Corruption Programme.

Stakeholders consulted

Views were obtained through discussions with officials from Commonwealth Africa countries, the Commonwealth Africa Anti-Corruption Centre in Botswana (<http://www.thecaacc.org/>) and at the Secretariat in London (<http://thecommonwealth.org/>). Online interviews were held with others that there was not time to visit. In addition, past participants of the Africa Anti-Corruption Centre capacity-building programmes were asked to complete an online survey giving their impressions of the training they had received, including its subsequent effectiveness back in the workplace.

Future programme development

Those interviewed produced an array of interesting ideas for the future development of the Commonwealth's Africa Anti-Corruption Programme and attested to the value of the training offered. The evaluation report can be obtained [here](#).

Amongst other things, the evaluation report suggests that anti-corruption agencies in Commonwealth Africa could be even more effective in their work if they formed a broader alliance with other national governance units possibly including auditors, procurement authorities, competition agencies and financial system administrators. Greater use of digital technology is advocated in support of regional collaboration and training. Proposals are also made for extending such support elsewhere within the Commonwealth with priority being given to smaller states.

The Commonwealth Secretariat is now considering the report with its various stakeholders before decisions are taken about the best way to develop the Commonwealth's anti-corruption agenda.

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