**Budget Community of Practice**

**Budget Literacy Working Group**

**VC AGENDA**

**September 14, 2015**

**(14.30-16.10 Moscow time)**

**Moderator: Maya Gusarova, BCOP Resource Team Coordinator, Public Sector Specialist, World Bank**

**14:30 – 14:45 Opening**

*Welcoming Remarks:*

***Anna Belenchuk – BCOP Deputy Chairperson, Ministry of Finance of the Russian Federation***

***Announcement of the Agenda:***

***Maya Gusarova, BCOP Resource Team Coordinator, Public Sector Specialist, World Bank***

*Introduction of the Participants*

**14:45 – 15:25 Review of international practice on budget literacy based on a survey of more than 30 countries - presentation by Harika Masud, World Bank**

**15:25 – 15:40** *Q&A*

**15:40 – 16:10 Other Matters**

**Preparation for a study tour to Croatia**

*Suggestions for participating countries, presentation topics on Citizens’ Budget and Budget Literacy, and on speakers*

*Organizational Matters*

**Working Group meeting in Belorussia (Minsk) in the context of the PEMPAL COP Plenary Meeting**

*Organizational matters, meeting format, key topics for discussion, and speakers*