Fighting corruption and building trust in Asia and the Pacific
Corruption is one of the principal reasons for declining levels of trust in both public and private institutions. Cambodia will host the eighth ADB-OECD anti-corruption conference on 3-4 September where discussions will focus on the key levers for restoring trust in government and building trust by and in the private sector and civil society.

Problems in the international financial system
This article examines whether wide disparities in openness between the OECD and emerging market economies (EMEs) threaten financial stability in the world economy. It suggests that, given the increasing weight of EMEs in the world economy, this pattern of growth with disparity of openness is ultimately unsustainable.

2014 Latin American Competition Forum
Mario Bergara, Uruguay's Minister of Economy and Finance will welcome competition experts to the Latin American Competition Forum in Montevideo on 16-17 September to discuss electricity markets, competition law and policy in Costa Rica, and strategies for mainstreaming competition policy into overall economic policy and government actions.

Benchmarking the investment regime in South Africa
This self-assessment report provides an overview of South Africa's investment regime and analyses the extent to which it is consistent with the OECD Code of Liberalisation of Capital Movements and the principle of National Treatment articulated in the Declaration and Decisions on International Investment and Multinational Enterprises.

Improving corporate governance in India
Related party transactions are one of the most widely used ways that controlling shareholders exploit the rights of minority shareholders. This report presents the findings of an OECD policy dialogue with Indian stakeholders on policies to improve the monitoring and prevention of abusive related party transactions in India.

Roundtable on responsible sourcing in the textile and garment sector
This multi-stakeholder ILO-OECD roundtable in Paris on 29-30 September will focus on building responsible supply chains in the textile and garment sector in line with the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the principles of the ILO Tripartite Declaration concerning Multinational Enterprises and Social Policy.

Third international meeting on terrorism risk insurance
At the time of commemoration of the 2001 events, this OECD-US Treasury meeting in Washington DC on 10 September will bring together specialists in terrorism insurance to review the current status of international terrorism risk insurance programmes and markets and to discuss current and emerging challenges in this domain.