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CARTAC (<u>www.cartac.org</u>) is part of the IMF's <u>global network</u> of Regional Capacity Development Centers". This quarterly bulletin covers highlights of the work executed in each of the capacity development workstreams over the period **January – March 2021**.

**ST VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES** – Before reporting on our activity, we would like to express our support to our island neighbours in St. Vincent and the Grenadines who at this time continue to deal with the aftermath of the recent eruptions of the La Soufrière volcano. As the international and regional disaster emergency response systems kick into gear, CARTAC staff are committed to doing our individual parts to assist the people of St. Vincent and the Grenadines. Please visit <u>https://mrasvg.org/volcano-relief</u> to learn more about how you can support the relief efforts. CARTAC stands ready to support the government with the emerging capacity development needs when that time comes

## EXECUTION OF THE FY21 CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT WORK PROGRAMME

- o <u>Macroeconomics Programming and Analysis</u>
- o <u>Real Sector Statistics</u>
- o <u>External Sector Statistics</u>
- o Public Financial Management
- o <u>Customs Administration</u>
- o <u>Tax Administration</u>
- o <u>Financial Stability</u>
- o Financial Sector Supervision and Regulation
- <u>Debt Management</u>
  <u>Anti-Money Laundering / Counter Financing of Terrorism</u>

**SAVE-THE-DATE** – CARTAC's Virtual Annual Steering Committee Meeting, <u>Thursday June 3,</u> <u>2021 from 9 to noon EST.</u>

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