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The CAREC Institute publishes books, research reports, policy briefs, and papers to share research findings and policy recommendations. The CAREC Institute is the knowledge arm of the CAREC Program, which is a sub-regional development initiative led by ADB and supported by AIIB, EBRD, IMF, IsDB, UNDP and WB. Publications of the CAREC Institute cover a wide range of topics across the five CAREC clusters to promote regional cooperation and integration: (i) economic and financial stability; (ii) trade, tourism, and economic corridors; (iii) infrastructure and economic connectivity; (iv) agriculture and water; and (v) human development. This Catalog provides information on major CAREC Institute publications which policymakers and researchers in the CAREC region find useful in their work.

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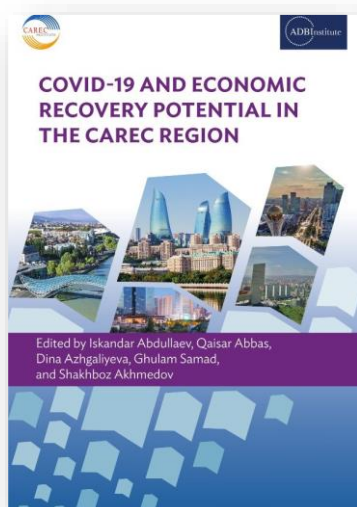
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FIRST ANNUAL BOOK

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The first CAREC Institute Annual Book is published in partnership with the Asian Development Bank Institute. The book reveals how recovery and response measures to crisis might look like across different sectors of CAREC economies.

The Annual Book comprises an array of analytical works with policy recommendations on recovery through digital transformation, e-taxation, strengthened financial inclusion, and crisis strategies for small businesses and households. Its chapters are developed by researchers from the CAREC Institute, the Asian Development Bank Institute, the Asian Development Bank, academic partners, and think tanks.

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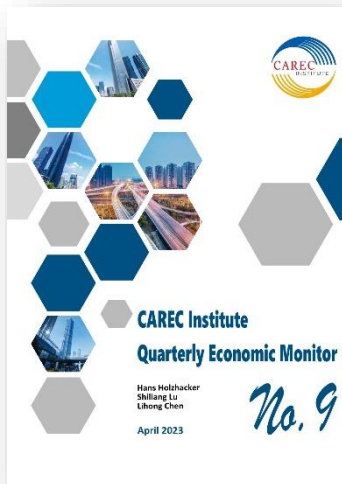
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The Quarterly Economic Monitors look at economic developments in the CAREC region based on latest available GDP, fiscal, monetary, and external economy data, along with some high-frequency data and discusses several aspects of current and potential future developments.

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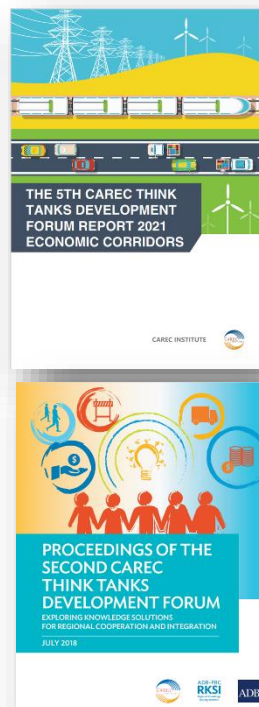
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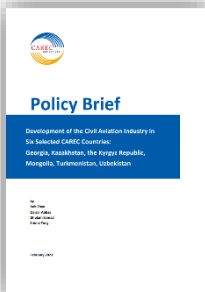


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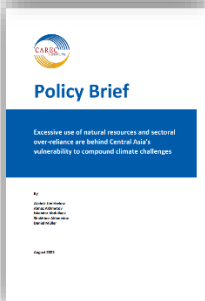
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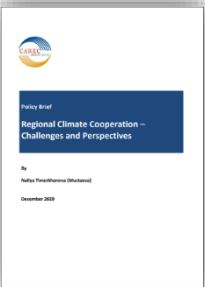
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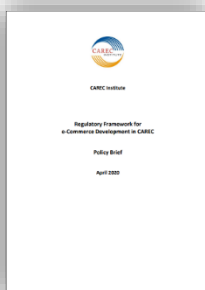
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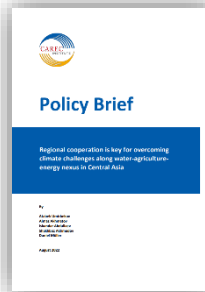
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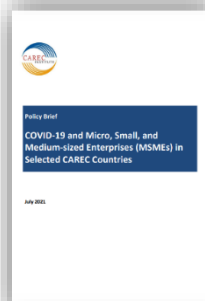
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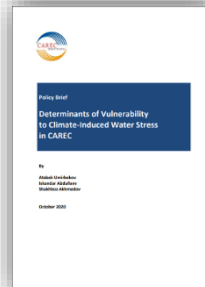
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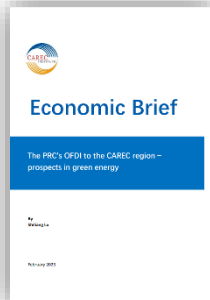


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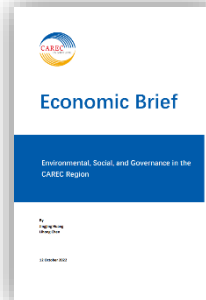
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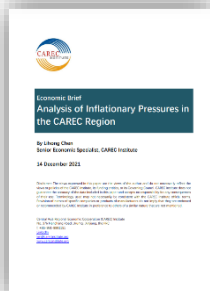
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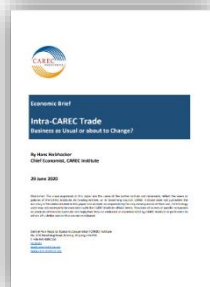
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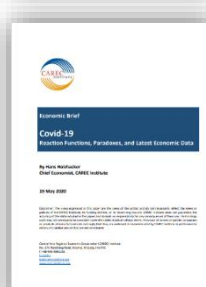
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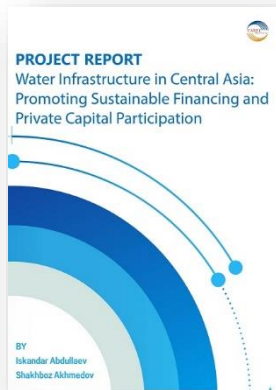
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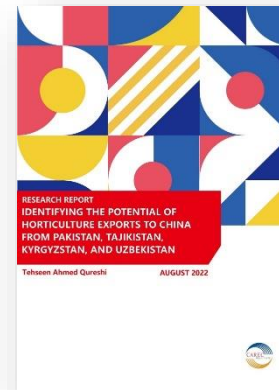
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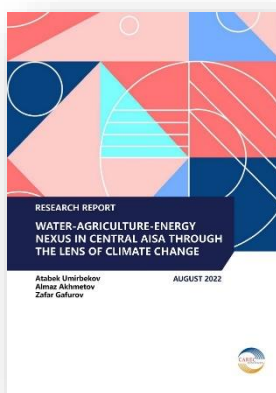
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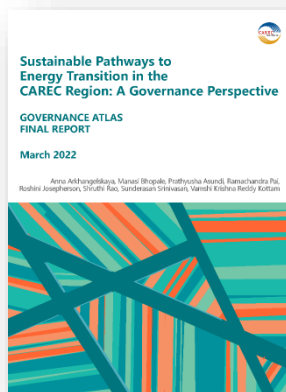
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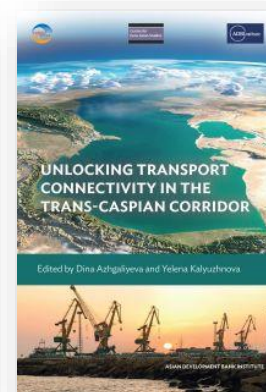
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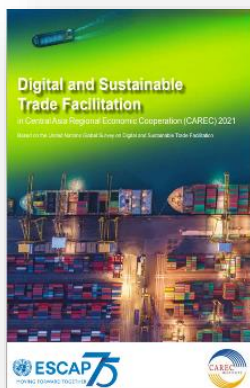
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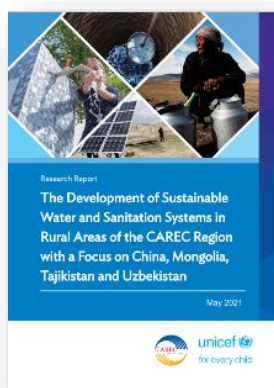
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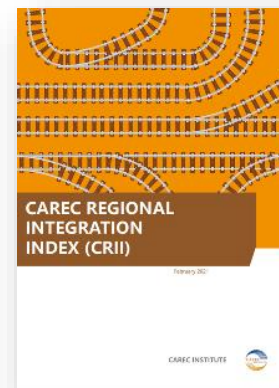
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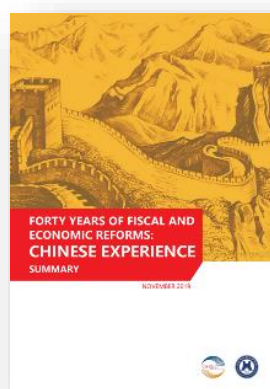
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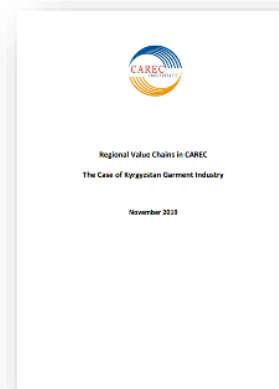
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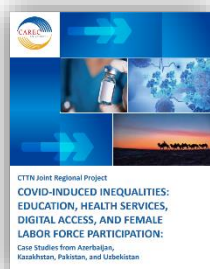


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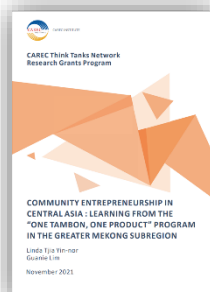
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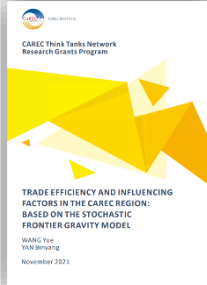
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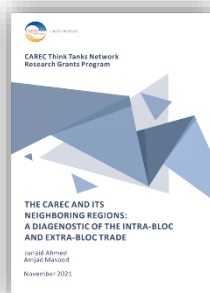
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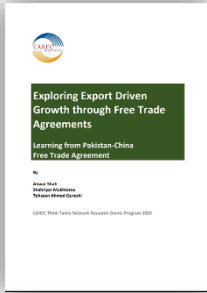
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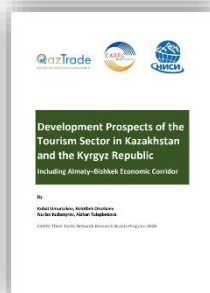
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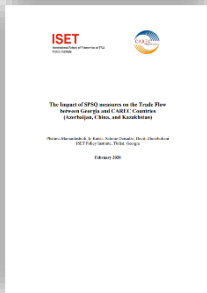
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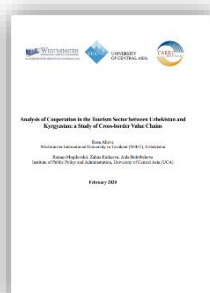
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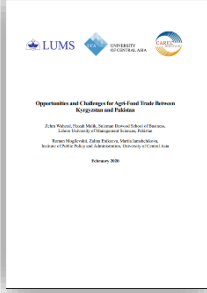
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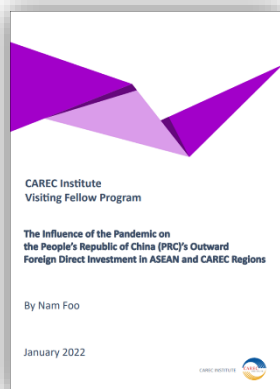


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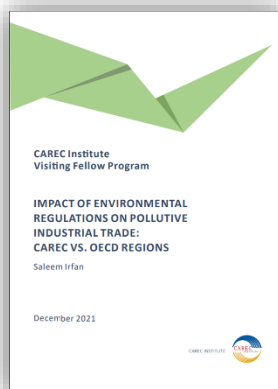
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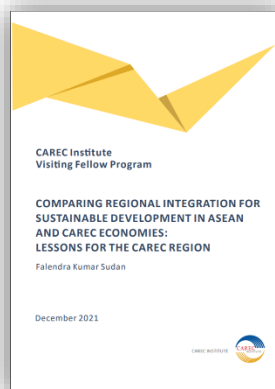
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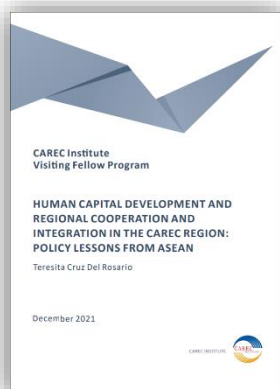
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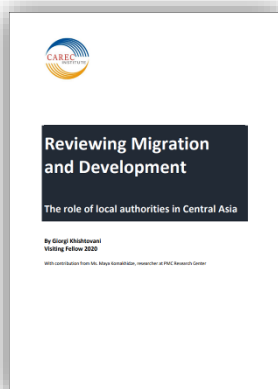
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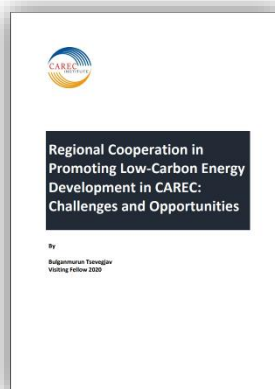
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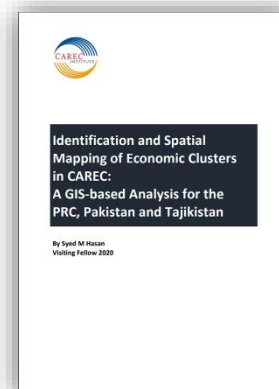
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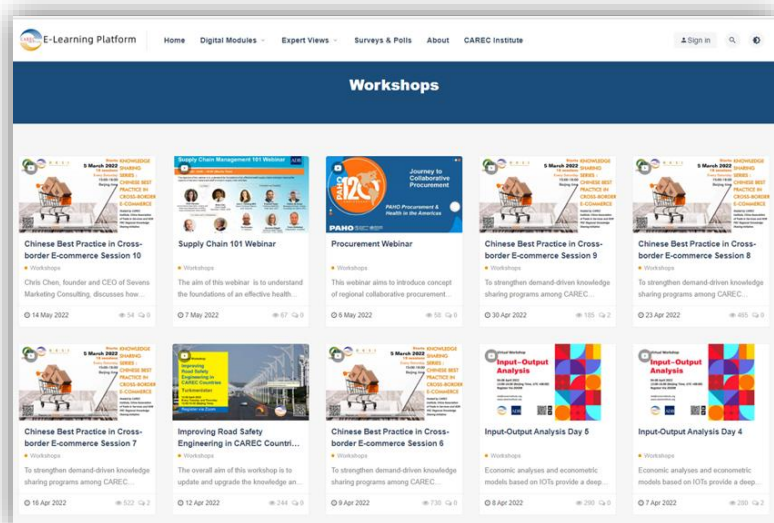


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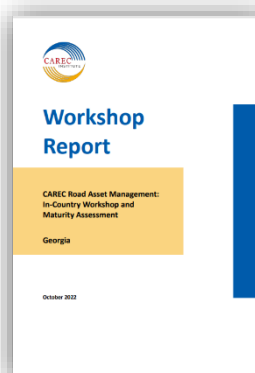
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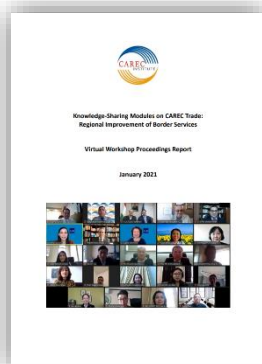
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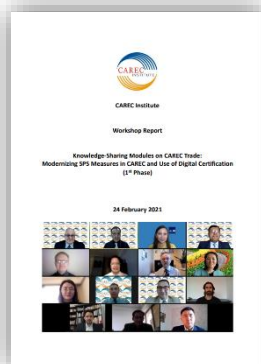
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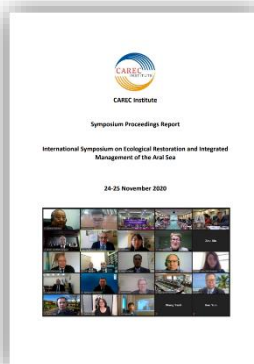
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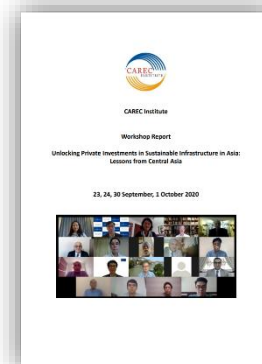
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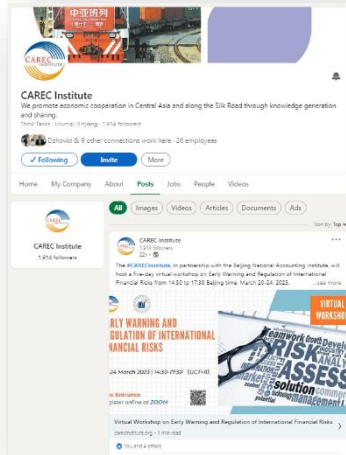
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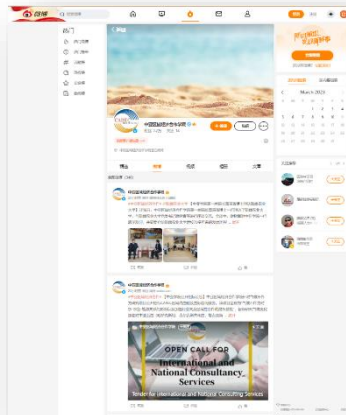
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