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Summary

Ceyla Pazarbasioglu is Vice President for Equitable Growth, Finance and Institutions (EFI) at the World Bank Group (WBG) since October 1, 2018.

In this role, Ceyla provides strategic leadership to the best expertise from around the World Bank and International Finance Corporation (IFC) to help low- and middle-income countries build the foundations for inclusive and sustainable growth. She oversees a portfolio of nearly \$30 billion of operational and policy work and advisory engagements in the WBG Global Practices of Finance, Competitiveness and Innovation; Macroeconomics, Trade and Investment; Governance; and Poverty and Equity.

Prior to her assignment as Vice President, Ceyla was Senior Director of the Finance, Competitiveness and Innovation Global Practice. In this capacity, she provided leadership for advancing the WBG's development goals, with a focus on firm capabilities and innovation, private-sector led growth, creating markets, financial sector stability, financial inclusion, and long-term finance and risk management.

Ceyla joined the WBG in July 2015 from the International Monetary Fund (IMF), where she was Deputy Director in the Monetary and Capital Markets Department, in charge of the work on financial sector regulation and supervision and crisis management. Before joining the IMF, she was Vice President of the Banking Regulation and Supervision Agency of Turkey, a post she was appointed to after Turkey's major banking crisis of February 2001. Prior to that, she worked as Chief Economist of Emerging European Markets at ABN AMRO Investment Bank in London.

Ceyla sits on the board of several multinational institutions, including the Financial Stability Board (FSB) where she is also a member of the standing committees on Assessment of Vulnerabilities and

Standards Implementation, and the Toronto Centre. She holds a PhD in economics from Georgetown University, USA.

Experience

World Bank Group

World Bank Vice President for Equitable Growth, Finance and Institutions

October 2018 - Present (1 year 11 months)

Washington DC

In my current role as EFI Vice President, I oversee the World Bank Group's advisory engagements, operational work and policy in the following Global Practices: Finance, Competitiveness and Innovation (FCI), Governance (GOV), Macroeconomics, Trade and Investment (MTI) and Poverty and Equity (POV).

The World Bank Group

Senior Director of the Finance, Competitiveness and Innovation Global Practice

October 2017 - September 2018 (1 year)

International Monetary Fund

Deputy Director at the Monetary and Capital Markets Department of the International Monetary Fund

2010 - 2012 (2 years)

Education

Georgetown University

PhD, Economics

Princeton University

Visiting Scholar, Economics