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### **FASSET request for information on Hard to Fill Vacancies, Skills Gaps and Skills Changes**

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The IRBA would like to bring employers attention to the short study that FASSET (Finance and Accounting Services Sector Education and Training Authority) is currently undertaking within the sector, on Hard to Fill Vacancies and Skills Gaps, as well as skills changes emanating from the outbreak of the Coronavirus (COVID-19).

Employers are kindly requested to contribute to the study by responding to FASSET's survey via the following link: [https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DHET-Fasset\\_Company\\_Survey](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DHET-Fasset_Company_Survey)

For your reference, please see attached the **SETA interview report on skills development**, following the survey conducted in 2020.

Should you have any further queries, please contact FASSET directly.

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