



Webinar on Islamic finance - challenges and opportunities for accountants



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Competency* Business Finance / General Accounting and Related Knowledge

Rating* Foundation level

Admission Fee HK\$200 for HKICPA member or student; and CIMA member or student; and

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CPD Hours 2 hours

Language English

Register by 18 May 2011

ABOUT THE WEBINAR

The Islamic financial industry has been developing steadily since its contemporary inception in the early 1970's, with growth exploding phenomenally in the 2000's. Even through the debacle years of 2008-2009, Islamic financial sector has grown at an exceptional rate of 15% to 20% per annum over the past decade.

This webinar will cover:

- Evolution of Islamic finance
- Differences between Islamic finance and conventional finance
- Growth potential and opportunities of Islamic finance in Asia
- Introduction of different kinds of Islamic financial products
- Implications for Islamic finance on accountants and the required skills to work in the industry

REGISTRATION

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ABOUT THE SPEAKER

Dr. Syed is a fellow consultant with International Institute of Islamic Finance and Amanie Business Solutions in providing advisory, research and training services to the Islamic financial industry. He is also a member of Malaysian Accounting Standards Board Working Committee of Islamic Financial Reporting Standards. As a technical consultant with Centennial Group International, he was involved in developing Islamic Financial Services Board Prudential Standards. He has also served as a member of Accounting, Auditing and Governance Standards Board of Accounting Auditing Organization for Islamic Financial Institutions.

Dr. Syed has conducted training in the area of Islamic accounting, finance and banking in both public seminars and in-house training programs for various financial, audits, supervisory and rating institutions in several countries. In advisory services he has been involved in product design and development, accounting treatment and policy, governance and Shariah review as well as risk analysis and solutions for Islamic Financial Services Board. He has also completed both national and international research for Islamic financial services industry that provides policy direction on the future development of the industry.

Dr. Syed is also an Associate Professor and the Deputy Dean of the Graduate School of Business, University Tun Abdul Raza. In University Tun Abdul Raza, he had served as Dean, Faculty of Business Administration and Head of Center for Graduate Studies. He taught accounting and finance courses for both academic and professional programs, including Master and Doctoral degree courses in accounting theory and policy, Islamic accounting and finance, accounting for Islamic financial institutions and financial management, in both public and private universities.

Dr. Syed obtained Doctor of Business Administration (1994) (Accounting and Finance) from Strathclyde University, UK.

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