



THE FINANCIAL INCLUSION
ADVOCACY CENTRE

“Pacesetters in Practice Based Trainings”

Financial Inclusion: Implications & Lessons Learnt For Regulators & Policy Makers

14th to 18th October, 2019 | Nairobi, Kenya

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The Financial Inclusion Advocacy Centre is an international action-oriented microfinance think-tank geared toward an exhaustive financial inclusion.

The Financial Inclusion Advocacy Centre's mission is to build the institutional strength and outreach of the microfinance sector, by providing a full range of high-quality, best-practice technical inputs and support to all industry stakeholders, in a sustainable and demand-driven manner. As an independent support centre, FIAC is committed to promoting innovations, transparency, and improved outreach to the poor and ever-improving performance in the microfinance industry the world over.

Course Objective

This one-week course aims to introduce the implications and lessons learnt from financial inclusion for regulators and policy makers. Participants will get a chance to comprehend and understand what mechanism across the globe have been used historically, as well as what are emerging processes to boost financial inclusion via financially affordable and socially acceptable processes to serves the ultimate purpose of inclusive growth and shared prosperity.

Course Outline

- **Session 1:** What & Why Financial inclusion?
- **Session 2:** Financial inclusion models
- **Session 3:** Recent developments and emerging issues influencing financial inclusion strategy.
- **Session 4:** Best practices, methodologies adopted by countries in using data and indicators to conduct financial inclusion assessment or diagnostics, including how data is collected, analysed and used to support policy formulation.
- **Session 5:** Approaches to measure impact of financial inclusion strategies.
- **Session 6:** Innovative Products in the Financial Inclusion Space.
- **Session 7:** Regulatory Frameworks.
- **Session 8:** The Way forward

Interactive

The teaching methodology is based on lectures, group work, case-studies, discussions and presentations

Profound

Sufficient time is allotted to each of these complex technical modules

Individual

Participants will be exposed to an array of technical and innovative developments in the microfinance and financial inclusion space and will get the time to network with each other.

Faculty

Hand-selected faculty with many years of exposure in the field share their experiences.

Target Audience

This programme is targeted at microfinance managers focused on taking their institutions to the next level, fund managers, commercial banks active in microfinance, supervisory & regulatory officers, academicians etc.

Tuition and Accommodation Expenses

- The total fee for the Financial Inclusion: Implications & Lessons Learnt For Regulators & Policy Makers is **\$2,500**. This fee includes the course fee, all training materials and five-night accommodation in single rooms for the time of training. Handouts, documentation and background literature will be assembled in a comprehensive participant handbook which will also be provided on USB device by the end of the training.
- Delegates will be picked from the airport to the hotel.
- The fees also include two guided City Tours of Nairobi on two evenings & a dinner.

Course Tutors

Dr. Zahoor Khan is IFC-World Bank certified master trainer. He is also serving Institute of Management Sciences (IMSciences), Pakistan as assistant professor of development economics. Dr. Khan has conducted national and international trainings as a facilitator. He has also presented his scholarly works at different international forums of high reputation across Malaysia, Indonesia, Qatar, Iran, United Kingdom, Thailand and Denmark. Dr. Khan has collaboratively worked with Asian Development Bank, UK-DFID and Central Bank of Pakistan (SBP).

Training Venue

Training activities will take place in a high-class hotel in the heart of Nairobi. Participants will be accommodated in the same high-class hotel.

Language

The language of instruction will be English. No translation will be provided.

Application

The application deadline for the course is 30th September, 2019. Please note that we do select applications on a first-come, first-served basis, nevertheless we will try to form a group of participants with complementary experiences and backgrounds. The number of participants is limited to 30.

Registration

Please fill the attached registration form and send to info@financialinclusionadvocacy.org

Deadline

All registration forms should be submitted by the 30th September, 2019, late applications will be considered subject to availability.

Cancellation Policy

You may make a substitution, without charge, at any time before the start of the course but all cancellations must be confirmed in writing. Cancellations received more than four weeks prior to the start of the course are not subject to any penalty. Cancellation received after that time incurs the following penalties: two to four weeks 50% of the course fee; less than two weeks 100% of the course fee. If written notification is not received and you do not attend, the full course fee will be retained as a cancellation charge.

Registration Form

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TITLE	
FIRST NAME	
LAST NAME	
ORGANISATION	
ADDRESS	
TELEPHONE	
EMAIL ADDRESS	
ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION	
EMPLOYMENT STATUS FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS	
CAREER OBJECTIVE AFTER COMPLETION OF COURSE	
DATE OF ARRIVAL	
PAYMENT MUST BE MADE BY BANK TRANSFERS. BANK DETAILS ARE PROVIDED AFTER SUCCESSFUL REGISTRATION AND INVOICE ISSUED	



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