

The Asia Financial Markets Foundation Certificate (AFMFC) aims to **provide the essential foundational knowledge required to become a successful professional in Asian financial markets.**

With input from financial services L&D leaders across APAC, ASIFMA has designed an **introductory-level course** providing an overview of **all facets of the major Asian financial markets.**

It is ideal training **for early career staff** of Asian financial market firms or for **professionals** looking to **broaden knowledge** or **transition** into Asian financial markets.

This **flexible course** allows participants to learn at their own pace across **13 weeks**. The **Certificate** is awarded upon passing a **Final Exam**.

Asia Financial Markets Foundation Certificate

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Education & Training

WHO IS IT FOR?

ASIFMA Education & Training has designed this course with one primary goal:

To assist our member firms in Asia with their training needs.

This introductory-level course provides an overview of all facets of major Asian financial markets, and is suitable for:

- **Early career staff** in Asian financial market firms as an internal training program or complimentary training
- **Professionals** looking to broaden their knowledge of businesses they closely work with
- **Graduates or career changers** looking to enhance their career prospects by achieving a Certificate that recognises learning

KEY COURSE DETAILS

Prerequisite: Graduate degree*

Duration: 13 weeks

Final Expiry: 6 months

Location: Online + Zoom

Language: English

Components:

- Weekly online learning
- Zoom training sessions
- Final Exam

Fees:

USD 1,125 Regular Fee

USD 900 ASIFMA Members

USD 810 Member Bulk

*Recommended

SYLLABUS

Wk 1: Financial Markets Overview

Wk 2: Equities Markets

Wk 3: Fixed Income Markets

Wk 4: The Foreign Exchange Market

Wk 5: Derivatives

Wk 6: Commodities

Wk 7: Financial Markets Operations

Wk 8: Risk Management

Wk 9: Regulatory Framework in Asia

Wk 10: Compliance and Legal

Wk 11: Ethics, Standards and Conduct

Wk 12: Emerging issues in Asian
Financial Markets

Wk 13: Final Exam

Asia Financial Markets

Foundation Certificate (AFMFC)

ASIFMA, **with industry input**, has designed a syllabus which focuses on **all facets of the major Asian financial markets** within a learning design which is not only **efficient**, but also **flexible** for each registrant. The Final Exam proves that the knowledge has been acquired.

BY THE INDUSTRY, FOR THE INDUSTRY

BLENDED and FLEXIBLE LEARNING FORMAT

Our **structured** learning journey is **efficient, flexible** and **effective**.

Learn at your own pace over **13-week periods** starting in either March, June, September, or December.

Each week contains:

- **Pre-test** for prior knowledge
- **Multiple 15-minute "bite-size" lessons** of learning videos, knowledge checks and application tests

Supported by **3 Zoom sessions** with senior market practitioner

Final Exam to prove knowledge and gain the **Certificate**

CPT ACCREDITATION

Suitable for:

- **SFC** CPT hours
- **HKMA** ECF CPD Activity

ONLINE TRAINING PARTNER

ASIFMA Education & Training is pleased to be partnering with **Alpha Development**, our online training provider partner for this course. Operating out of 4 global hubs in **London, New York, Singapore and Abu Dhabi**, Alpha was founded by experienced banking professionals with the aim of creating **effective training solutions that accelerate the growth of early careers talent** and generate high-performing teams and success in the **financial markets**.

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MORE INFORMATION

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