International Adviser - Singapore Expert Investor Forum 2013

Seminars

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Steve Corrin,
Head of wholesale retail channels,
Emirates NBD Asset Management

Spending their way to economic recovery; how can investors participate in the Middle East markets?

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Consistently high energy prices have given Middle East nations the financial firepower to embark on huge spending for projects such as FIFA World Cup 2022 in Qatar and UAE's bid for World Expo 2020. Find out how investors can benefit from this economic activity as the region opens up to global investors.

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Lydia So,
Portfolio manager,
Matthews Asia

The attraction of Asia's small companies

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Rising entrepreneurship and a deepening of Asia's capital markets have broadened the investment universe of small companies across the region. In her session, Lydia will explain how she identifies the most attractive fast-growing companies in Asia and the types of businesses that are most attractive for investors.

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Neal Armstrong,
CEO,
Standard Life

Investing for retirement

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An overview of what factors to consider when investing for a secure retirement in today's increasingly complex economic climate. The firsthand experience on the hard truths of today's retirement realities and the common pitfalls investors can avoid. Standard Life will share findings from their latest UK expatriate study on retirement planning and investment attitudes while living in Singapore.

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James Austin,
Chief Financial Officer,
Firstmac

Intro of Firstmac & Firstmac First LIVEZ

James will delve further into the Australian RMBS market, highlighting dynamic opportunities to profit from this sector of the residential property market. Using real world examples, he will demonstrate how RMBS may be successfully included in investors' portfolios.

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Garth Taljard,
Product manager,
Schroder Investment Management

**Investing for income in a low yield world, in depth**

Garth will use the seminar session to further explore appropriate methods used to select assets with sustainable and stable income globally using real world examples.

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John Greenwood,
CEO,
Creechurch Capital

**Property - understanding pockets of opportunity**

With an in-depth assessment of the property market dynamics, John considers the opportunities and pitfalls investors are presented with in this leverage diminished world. John will drill down further into this asset class.

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James Allen,  
Director,  
Croesus Capital  

Accessing alternative investments  

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James will use the seminar session to look at different alternative strategies and highlight their positive and negatives. Using real world examples, he will provide a working framework for superior alternatives investments.  

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Oscar Alvarez,  
Chairman & CEO,  
fLAB Luxembourg  

The search for alpha, continued  

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Oscar will provide more in-depth analysis of real world asset allocation research strategies that aim to produce consistent alpha returns.  

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John Peta,  
Head of global emerging markets fixed income strategies,  
Threadneedle Investments  

Translating process into performance - Emerging market debt  

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John will argue that we are likely to continue to see volatile markets, but that this will create a raft of opportunities for active managers. John discusses that need for a robust investment process that provides attractive, risk-adjusted returns from emerging markets short duration and corporate debt. He will examine vital credit quality criteria for any investors.

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