





SHARIAH-COMPLIANT CORPORATE FINANCING: A JOINT LEARNING INITIATIVE OF ICAP AND MEEZAN BANK

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ICAP, in collaboration with Meezan Bank, proudly presents a one-day intensive workshop designed to empower professionals with practical knowledge and insights into Shariah-compliant modes of financing. This inaugural initiative marks a milestone in capacity building for the financial sector, bridging theory with real-world application. This Workshop will also help the participants in applying these modes for converting their existing conventional financing into Islamic financing modes.



9 AM TO 5 PM



WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2025



ICAP HOUSE, KARACHI



Register at

https://member.icap.org.pk/online -registration-for-seminar-workshop/

















Key Learning Outcomes

Participants will:



Identify and Understand Prohibitions in Islamic financial transactions, such as Riba (interest), Gharar (uncertainty), and Maysir (speculation).



Explore Islamic Financing Modes including Murabaha, Istisna, Tijarah and Musharakah, with real-world scenarios to determine the best fit for diverse corporate and business needs.



Gain Insights into Islamic Capital Markets & Sukuk, understanding their role in mobilizing funds and fostering ethical investment opportunities.



Why Attend?

This workshop offers an exceptional opportunity to learn directly from industry leaders and Shariah experts. Participants will leave equipped with tools to align practices with Shariah principles while enhancing financial decision-making.



Who Should Attend



Professional Accountants & Finance Professionals: individuals involved in financial reporting, auditing, compliance, and advisory roles.



Corporate Treasury & Risk Managers: specialists managing liquidity, investments, and financing strategies within organizations.



Business decision-makers **Entrepreneurs** & **Owners:** seeking Shariah-compliant solutions for growth, trade, and investment.

















Program Schedule

S. No.	Topic	Time	Speaker
1	Tilawat	09:00 - 09:05	
2	Introductory Session by ICAP	09:05 – 09:20	
3	Introduction to Islamic Banking – Transitioning of financial sector to Islamic modes	09:20 - 10:20	Mr. Ahmed Ali Siddiqui (Group Head, Consumer Finance – Meezan Bank)
4	Murabaha Product – Application and Discussion on scenarios & cases	10:20 – 11:20	Mufti Naveed Alam (Resident Shariah Board Member, Meezan Bank)
5	Tea Break	11:20 - 11:40	
6	Istisna/Tijarah Product - Application and Discussion on scenarios & cases	11:40 – 01:00	Mr. Shayan Baig (Acting Head, Shariah Compliance – Meezan Bank)
7	Lunch & Prayer Break	01:00 - 02:00	
8	Running Musharakah Product - Application and Discussion on scenarios & cases	02:00 - 03:30	Mr. Shayan Baig (Acting Head, Shariah Compliance – Meezan Bank)
9	Tea Break	03:30 - 03:45	
10	Islamic Capital Market & Sukuk	03:45 - 05:00	Mr. Farhan Usmani (Head, Shariah Audit – Meezan Bank)
11	Closing & Certificate Distribution	05:00 - 05:15	















Profile of Speakers



Mr. Ahmed Ali Siddiqui SEVP & Group Head - Consumer Finance, Meezan Bank Limited

Mr. Ahmed Ali Siddiqui is a distinguished Islamic finance professional with over 22 years of pioneering experience in the field. His expertise spans Shariah-compliant product development, sovereign Sukuk structuring, corporate, consumer and retail banking solutions, Shariah audit, and financial advisory services.

He is the Founding Director of IBA Centre for Excellence in Islamic Finance (IBA-CEIF). At Meezan Bank, he serves as SEVP & Group Head of Consumer Finance. He previously also held the position of Group Head, Shariah Compliance at Meezan Bank and led one of the largest Islamic banking research teams globally.

Mr. Siddiqui has advised the Government of Pakistan on local currency Sovereign Sukuk and Islamic financing, and contributed to multiple State Bank task forces on product innovation, governance, and adoption of AAOIFI standards. An acclaimed international speaker and trainer, he has conducted sessions across Pakistan, the Middle East, Europe, and Australia, making a significant impact on the growth of Islamic finance.



Mr. Shayan Ahmed Baig EVP & Acting Head - Shariah Compliance, Meezan Bank Limited

Mr. Baig holds a Bachelors & Masters degree in Business Administration from Institute of Business Administration (IBA), Karachi.

He has around 20 years of rich Islamic banking experience and has been involved in pioneering work in the field of Islamic finance in Pakistan. His major areas of interest are Shariah Compliant product development, Sovereign Sukuk & deal structuring, development of innovative solutions for corporate banking, formulation of policy guidelines, Islamic banking training, applicative research & Islamic financial advisory services. Mr. Baig is also part of the Joint Financial Advisors team to the Government of Pakistan for Issuance of Local currency Sovereign Sukuk & Islamic financing transactions.

He holds the post of Executive Vice President & Acting Head Shariah Compliance at Meezan Bank. As a professional trainer he has given trainings at Center for Excellence in Islamic Finance, Institute of Business Administration Karachi (CEIF-IBA) and SBP-NIBAF.















Mufti Muhammad Naveed Alam

Resident Shariah Board Member, Meezan Bank Limited

Mufti Muhammad Naveed Alam holds advanced qualifications in Islamic jurisprudence and finance, including a Master's in Islamic Banking & Finance (University of Karachi), Shahadat ul Alamiyah and Takhassus from Jamia Darul Uloom, Karachi, and the prestigious CSAA certification from AAOIFI.

He joined Meezan Bank in 2013 and has been serving as a Resident Shariah Board Member since 2018. Previously, he contributed as Shariah Advisor for Premier Window Takaful Operations and Shariah Coordinator at the Indus Hospital & Health Network.

Alongside his professional role, Mufti Naveed is a dedicated academic and trainer, associated with CEIF-IBA, the Center for Islamic Economics at Jamia Darul Uloom, and other leading universities. He also serves as a Shariah Board Member of NBP Funds, reflecting his wide-ranging impact on Islamic finance and education.



Muhammad Farhan Ul Haq Usmani

EVP & Head - Shariah Audit, Meezan Bank Limited

Muhammad Farhan UI Hag Usmani is a seasoned Islamic finance professional and PhD research scholar in Economics with expertise in Islamic Capital Markets, Shariah-compliant funds, asset management, and financial advisory. At Meezan Bank, he leads the Shariah Audit function.

With prior experience in advisory and consulting firms in accounting, auditing, taxation, and ERP implementation, Mr. Usmani brings a strong multidisciplinary perspective. He is an active voice in Islamic finance as a frequent national and international speaker, as well as visiting faculty at leading institutions.

He has played a pioneering role in shaping Pakistan's Islamic finance landscape, including being a founding member of the KMI-30 Index Committee at the Karachi Stock Exchange — Pakistan's first Shariah-compliant index. He also contributes to regulatory and academic bodies.

PROGRAM FEE (EXCLUSIVE OF TAXES)

• Students: **PKR 20.000**

Members: PKR 25,000

Non-Members: PKR 30,000

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- Last Date for Registration: October 1, 2025













