



NATIONAL VIRTUAL SEMINAR

Harnessing the Potential of Socio-Economic Empowerment in India Through Protected, Safe and Sustainable Investments

Savers in Focus: Youth, Women and Senior Citizens

Monday, 10th October 2022

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11:00am – 1:00pm

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New Delhi, India

There is an increasing focus on implementation of plans and policies towards achieving UNSDGs and economic empowerment of individuals in the society. The growth and development-oriented initiatives which are under the supervision of regulatory institutions are astounding. However, the beneficiaries are prone to face stiff interface with the disruptive world of schemes, technologies and market manipulators.

The vulnerability of individuals with context to their savings and investments are irrespective to demographic factors; but, this is higher amongst youth, women, and senior citizens. Some of the reasons are including- lack of financial knowledge and awareness, plethora of information, proliferation to numerous BFSI Sector products, greed to grow faster, digital financial illiteracy etc. Such adversities lead the actions and outcomes of project implementing agencies deflated and hence it calls an advance preparation and awareness for counter actions to resolve for growth. In this regard, Financial Stability and Development Council (FSDC), a Standing Committee headed by Hon'ble Union Finance Minister has inter alia recognised the importance of financial education and investor awareness and has adopted a policy document "National Strategy for Financial Education". It has been desired that all national financial regulators such as RBI, SEBI, IRDA and PFRDA, IEPFA and their stakeholders should make concerted efforts for financially empowered India through financial education and investor awareness.


In this background and keeping in mind its mandate for protecting interests of stakeholder during the World Investors Week (WIW)-2022, ASSOCHAM along with IOSCO and AMFI are organising an Interactive Virtual Seminar on "Harnessing the Potential of Socio-Economic Empowerment in India @Protected, Safe and Sustainable Investments" from 11.00am to 1.00pm on Monday, 10th October 2022.

We are pleased to inform that Mr. Suryakant Sharma, Former DGM, SEBI (Investor Awareness Division), Chartered Associate-IIBF, and Sr. Consultant, AMFI has kindly consented to address the participants as keynote speaker and will cover broadly the aspects of savings, investments, investor protection, do's and don'ts as well as brief about the regulators' and their grievance redressal mechanism in India for benefit of participants.

Eminent Guests and Speakers

- ▶ **Ms. Anita Shah Akella**, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Corporate Affairs; & Chief Executive Officer, Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (IEPFA)
- ▶ **Mr. Girraj Prasad Garg**, Executive Director, Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI)
- ▶ **Mr. Surya Kant Sharma**, Senior Consultant, Association of Mutual in India (AMFI); & Chartered Associate of Indian Institute of Banking and Finance (IIBF)
- ▶ **Mr. Gaurav Gupta**, Deputy General Manager, Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (IEPFA)
- ▶ **Prof. (Dr.) Saurabh Agarwal**, Professor of Accounting and Finance, Indian Institute of Finance & Associate Editor, Finance India – The Quarterly Journal of Finance & Member, Managing Committee, ASSOCHAM
- ▶ **Mr. Gurdeep Singh**, ASSOCHAM Taskforce Chair for Social Inclusion & Affirmative Action; & Managing Director, Simran Holidays Pvt. Ltd.
- ▶ **Mr. Basudev Mukherjee**, Assistant Secretary General, ASSOCHAM
- ▶ **Mr. Santosh Parashar**, Additional Director & Head, Department of Corporate Affairs, ASSOCHAM

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