

Practical Approach for Optimum Understanding of Shariah Review,
Audit and Governance for Islamic Banking and Finance

2-Day Workshop on

SHARIAH AUDIT FOR ISLAMIC FINANCE

An Integrated Approach and Practical
Course on Shariah Review, Audit and
Governance for Islamic Finance

7 – 8 July 2010 ♦ Hotel Istana Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

Key Speakers Include

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TOPICS TO BE DISCUSSED

- Shariah Framework for Shariah Compliance Review, Audit & Governance
- Development of Shariah Compliance Review, Audit and Governance: Current State Analysis
- Determinants of Shariah Review, Auditing and Governance Framework and Activities
- Islamic Finance Transaction: Analysis of Shariah Compliance Objective
- Shariah Review & Auditing Structure, Process (ICS) and Reporting
- Regulation and Governance : Role of Shariah Board
- Shariah Compliance and Internal Control System
- Shariah Audit Program: Key Consideration
- Typical Pitfalls in Shariah Governance: A Practitioners Experience
- Case Studies

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ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

The workshop is exclusively designed to provide comprehensive and practical knowledge on Shariah compliance review, audit and governance for Islamic financial institutions. It will also highlight and discuss relevant scope, scale and procedures related to the Shariah compliance review process and methodology. The distinguished course trainers who are widely recognised in Islamic finance, accounting and Shariah, will provide delegates an opportunity to discuss and explore the issues in Shariah audit of Islamic financial institutions in Malaysia as well as world wide. What is the Shariah compliance review? What are the current developments and trends ahead for the success of Shariah audit? What are the scope, criteria and methodology of Shariah audit? What are the Shariah governing standards in Malaysia and around the globe? All these issues will be covered in this premier workshop.

OBJECTIVES

- To provide an overview of Shariah compliance review framework for Islamic financial Institution
- To introduce Shariah audit and governance techniques, strategies and methods
- To provide platform for discussion on issues relating to Shariah audit based on AAOIFI standards
- To examine risks exposures and Shariah compliance audit
- To identify the scope, scale and procedures that govern the Shariah compliance review process
- To review what are the issues and challenges of the implementation and development of Shariah compliance review, audit and governance in Islamic financial institutions.

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DAY ONE : 7 July 2010 (Wed)

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| 0830 | Morning Coffee and Registration |
| 0850 | Welcome Remarks from the Chair |
| 0900 | SHARIAH FRAMEWORK FOR SHARIAH COMPLIANCE REVIEW, AUDIT AND GOVERNANCE <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Shariah principles, concept and framework■ The do's and don'ts in Islamic finance■ Shariah review■ Importance of Shariah in formulating Shariah audit framework and policy■ Shariah rulings and governance■ Governance issues for Shariah advisory board |
| 1030 | Tea Break |
| 1100 | DEVELOPMENT OF SHARIAH COMPLIANCE REVIEW, AUDIT AND GOVERNANCE: CURRENT STATE ANALYSIS <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Multi-disciplinary perspectives on role of Shariah compliance audit■ Shariah goals, opinions & rulings propounded by shariah scholars■ Prudential guidelines & standards promulgated by IFSB to ensure risk management & disclosure framework related to capital adequacy, corporate governance & market discipline■ Regulatory requirements by central banks, monetary authorities or supervisory agencies |
| 1230 | Lunch |
| 1400 | ISLAMIC FINANCE TRANSACTION: ANALYSIS OF SHARIAH COMPLIANCE OBJECTIVE <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Islamic financial products: contracts & customer requirements■ Product implementation phases |

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THE PROGRAMME

- Transforming Shariah requirements to compliant objectives
- Determination of compliance procedure
- Testing for Shariah compliance
- Reporting of Shariah compliance

1530 Tea Break

1600 SHARIAH REVIEW & AUDITING: STRUCTURE, PROCESS (ICS) & REPORTING

- Shariah Review Framework of IFI
- Shariah review requirements
- Internal control system
- Internal Shari'a review
- Scope & role of internal Shariah reviewer
- Duties & responsibilities of Shariah committee
- Shariah compliance manual & documents
- Auditor & SSB relationship
- Auditing Framework of IFI
- Auditing requirements & process
- Audit Report of IFI
- Shariah Report of IFI
- Shariah governance assurance framework

1730 END OF DAY ONE

- Impact of Regulation and Governance on compliance behaviour

Tea Break

SHARIAH COMPLIANCE & INTERNAL CONTROL SYSTEM

- Principles of operational risk
- Shariah compliance : By Whom? For Whom?
- Level of Shariah compliance behaviour
- Product Structuring considerations
- Stress Test: Islamic financial products
- Areas of concern in Shariah compliance role
- Role and functions of external auditors
- IFSB – guiding principles on Shariah governance system

Lunch

SHARIAH AUDIT PROGRAM: KEY CONSIDERATION

- Planning Phase
- Audit objectives, program and techniques
- Examination phase & the reporting phase
- The Shariah requirement standards

1530 Tea Break

1600 TYPICAL PITFALLS IN SHARIAH GOVERNANCE: A PRACTITIONERS EXPERIENCE

- Disclosure to Shariah board
- Disclosure to clients on specific Shariah solutions
- Understanding the building blocks in structuring products
- Due diligence on corporate
- Integrity in product development procedures
- Integration between people, product and system

CASE STUDIES

1730 END OF WORKSHOP

DAY TWO : 8 July 2010 (Thu)

0830 Morning Coffee

0900 REGULATION & GOVERNANCE: ROLE OF SHARIAH BOARD

- Islamic finance, Islamic financial institutions (IFI) and Islamic financial Services Industry (IFISI)
- Essential considerations for Regulation and Governance
- Comparative Regulation of IFSI
- Regulatory Framework for Shariah Supervision
- Governance Framework for Shariah Supervision

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ABOUT THE KEY TRAINERS



DR. ABDUL RAHIM is currently Professor at the Kulliyah of Economics and Management Sciences, International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM). He obtained his Bachelor degree in Finance and Accounting from University of East London, UK. Later, he obtained his Master of Science in Accounting and Management Sciences and PhD in Accounting in Islamic Institutions from University of Southampton, UK. Dr. Abdul Rahim is the former founding Director of the IIUM Institute of Islamic Banking and Finance (IIBF). He is also the former Head of Department of Accounting, and Deputy Dean of the Kulliyah of Economics and Management Sciences, IIUM. Dr. Abdul Rahim is actively involved in teaching, research, training and consultancy. His main areas of specialization and interests include: accounting for Islamic financial institutions; Shari'ah audit; Islamic microfinance; Zakat accounting and management; and corporate governance. He has published more than 20 papers in academic journals and professional magazine. His forthcoming edited book entitled "New Developments in Islamic Finance" will be published by Edward Elgar Publishing, UK at the end of 2009.



DR. ASYRAF WAJDI is currently a Head, Research Affairs, International Shari'ah Research Academy for Islamic Finance (ISRA). He obtained his Bachelor of Accounting (Hons) International Islamic University Malaysia, 2000. In 2002, he successfully completed his Master of Science with Distinction (Islamic Economics, Banking and Finance) Loughborough, United Kingdom. He was conferred with PhD (Islamic Banking and Finance) Loughborough, United Kingdom in 2005. Currently, he is a Chairman, Shariah Advisory Committee, Affin Islamic Bank. He is also a Shariah Committee in Singapore-based IFIS Business Advisory Pte Ltd., member of Shariah Advisory Board, Chain Mender Limited (Mortgage Company), United Kingdom, a member of Board of Directors, AFTAAS Shariah Advisory Sdn. Bhd. also in Dinarus-Dirham Global Sdn. Bhd. He was formerly an Assistant Professor Islamic Banking and Finance in Kulliyah of Economics and Management Sciences, International Islamic University Malaysia and an Academic Coordinator, IIUM Institute Islamic Banking and Finance from 2000 until 2008. He is instrumental in developing Islamic banking and finance, Islamic Microfinance, Fiqh Muamalat, Islamic Accounting, Islamic Business Ethics, and Accounting for Islamic financial institutions as well as corporate and governmental entities in Malaysia.



DR RUSNI is currently an Asst Prof at the Ahmad Ibrahim Kulliyah of Laws (AIKOL), International Islamic University Malaysia (IIUM). She graduated with LLB (Honours) and LLB (Shariah) (First Class Honours) from IIUM. She also holds a Master of Comparative Laws from IIUM. She was later, completed her PhD in Law with specialization in Islamic Commercial Law. Dr Rusni teaches both Islamic Banking and Finance for both undergraduate and post graduate levels. Her area of specialization includes Islamic Banking and Finance, Islamic Capital Market, Takaful, Islamic Law of Transactions and Islamic Jurisprudence. Besides teaching she was a Coordinator for Research and Publication for Islamic Law Department at AIKOL, Working Committee and PhD Selection Committee at the IIUM Institute of Islamic Banking and Finance. In addition to that, she was involved as a Research Committee for Review of Islamic Banking Laws, Bank Negara Malaysia and an examiner for Financial Planner Association of Malaysia. She is a member of Shariah Committee for HSBC Amanah, HSBC Amanah Takaful and a registered Shariah Unit Trust Advisor with the Securities Commission Malaysia. She presented papers for several international conference and seminars locally and abroad. She has spoken extensively in seminars, workshops, conferences and trainings on various Islamic Banking and Finance issues. Her publication includes articles of journals, Shariah Law Reports and other publications.

Who Should Attend

- Central bankers
- Regulators and supervisory authorities
- Chairman, members of board of directors
- Chief financial officers
- Senior managers of Islamic banking
- Takaful, retakaful or unit-linked Investment
- Asset and fund managers
- Corporate treasury
- Trustees & remisers
- Investment advisers
- Accountants and auditors
- Compliance officers
- Islamic financial consultant
- Shariah advisor
- Corporate lawyers
- Academicians and researchers
- Other interested parties

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METHODOLOGY

The workshop is structured for maximum learning with combination of lectures, group discussions and exercises

TIMING

Registration is at 8.30 a.m. on day one only. Course proper starts at 9.00 a.m. and finishes at 5.30 p.m. on both days.

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- RM2,200 / USD700 per person

Regular Fee : (Payment after 28 June 2010)
- RM2,500 / USD800 per person

The fee includes lunch, refreshments, workshop documentation and certificate of attendance

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We reserve the right to reschedule the workshop due to circumstances beyond our control

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

Hotel is not included in the workshop fee. To reserve accommodation at the event venue, please contact hotel address below:

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