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Introduction

The course Islamic Banking Products, Risks, and Effective Consumer Protection is a comprehensive training program designed to provide participants with a structured and practical understanding of Islamic banking principles, products, and the unique risk landscape associated with Shariah-compliant finance. In addition, the course places strong emphasis on consumer protection, governance, and regulatory frameworks to ensure fairness, transparency, and sustainability within Islamic financial institutions.

This program combines solid theoretical foundations with practical applications, enabling participants to analyze Islamic banking products, assess associated risks, and implement effective consumer protection mechanisms. Through real-world case studies, regulatory insights, and interactive discussions, participants will gain practical experience in managing Islamic banking operations responsibly and ethically.

Course Objectives

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:

- Understand the fundamental principles and objectives of Islamic finance and banking.
- Identify and differentiate key Islamic banking products and structures.
- Analyze the unique risks associated with Islamic banking operations.
- Apply Shariah governance principles and risk management frameworks.
- Evaluate consumer protection requirements in Islamic banking environments.
- Strengthen transparency, disclosure, and ethical practices in Islamic financial services.

Course Outlines

Day 1: Foundations of Islamic Banking and Finance

- Core principles of Islamic finance and the objectives of Shariah Maqasid al-Shariah.
- Prohibition of Riba, Gharar, and Maysir and their implications.
- Key differences between Islamic and conventional banking.
- Role of Islamic banks in economic and social development.
- Overview of the global Islamic banking industry and market trends.



Day 2: Islamic Banking Products and Structures

- Deposit products: Wadiah, Qard Hasan, and Mudarabah.
- Financing products: Murabaha, Ijara, Salam, and Istisna.
- Partnership-based products: Mudarabah and Musharakah.
- Trade-based and asset-backed financing structures.
- Practical case studies on Islamic banking products.

Day 3: Risk Management in Islamic Banking

- Types of risks in Islamic banking: credit, market, liquidity, and operational risks.
- Shariah compliance risk and fiduciary risk.
- Risks associated with profit-and-loss sharing arrangements.
- Risk mitigation tools and Shariah-compliant hedging techniques.
- Role of risk management frameworks and regulatory standards.

Day 4: Shariah Governance and Regulatory Frameworks

- Shariah governance structures and oversight mechanisms.
- Roles and responsibilities of Shariah boards and senior management.
- Regulatory standards, including AAOIFI, IFSB, and central bank guidelines.
- Internal controls, audit, and compliance functions in Islamic banks.
- Managing and responding to Shariah non-compliance events.

Day 5: Consumer Protection and Ethical Practices in Islamic Banking

- Principles of consumer protection in Islamic finance.
- Transparency, disclosure, and fair treatment of customers.
- Complaint handling and dispute resolution mechanisms.
- Ethical sales practices and risks of mis-selling.
- Building trust and confidence in Islamic banking institutions.

Why Attend This Course: Wins & Losses!

Attending this course provides participants with valuable professional and organizational benefits, including:

- Building strong foundations in Islamic banking principles and products.
- Enhancing risk awareness specific to Shariah-compliant financial operations.
- Strengthening consumer protection frameworks aligned with Islamic values.
- Improving governance and compliance with global Islamic finance standards.
- Applying practical knowledge through real-life case studies and best practices.



Conclusion

Islamic Banking Products, Risks, and Effective Consumer Protection offers a balanced and practical perspective on Islamic banking operations, risk management, and ethical responsibility. The course equips professionals with the knowledge and tools needed to support sustainable growth, protect consumers, and uphold Shariah principles within Islamic financial institutions—strengthening trust, transparency, and long-term stability in the Islamic finance sector.

