

## ACTIVITY REPORT

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### Activities

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#### Education:

1. **KFMA** organized a 3-days course on “*Local Equity Fund*” from 29-31 January 2006 at Gulf Investment Corporation. (30 persons attended for this course).
2. **KFMA** organized a 3-days course on “*Local Equity Fund*” from 6-8 February 3. 2006 at Gulf Investment Corporation. (32 persons attended for this course).
3. **KFMA** organized a 4-days course on “*Financial Analyss : Intermediate*” from 12-15March 2006 at Gulf Investment Corporation. (30 persons attended for this course).
4. **KFMA** organized a 4-days course on “*Financial Analysi : Intermediate*” from 19-22 March 2006 at Gulf Investment Corporation. (30 persons attended for this course).
5. **KFMA** organized a 3-days course on “*Financial Analysi : Advanced*” from 9-11 April 2006 at Gulf Investment Corporation. (30 persons attended for this course).
6. **KFMA** organized a 4-days course on “*Advanced Fixed Income Analysis*” from 16-19 April 2006 at Gulf Investment Corporation. (22 persons attended for this course).
7. **KFMA** organized a 4-days course on “*Financial Options*” from 28-31 May 2006 at Institute of Banking Studies. (24 persons attended for this course).
8. **KFMA** organized a 4-days course on “*Marketing Financial Services*” from 25-28 June 2006 at Gulf Investment Corporation. (25 persons attended for this course).
9. **KFMA** organized a 4-days course on “*Investment Portfolio & Fund Management*” from 29<sup>th</sup> October to 1<sup>st</sup> November 2006 at Gulf Investment Corporation. (30 persons attended for this course).
10. **KFMA** organized a 4-days course on “*Investment Portfolio & Fund Management*” from 13<sup>th</sup> November to 15<sup>th</sup> November 2006 at Gulf Investment Corporation. (25 persons attended for this course).

### **Seminars or meetings:**

1. **KFMA** organized a presentation on “*International Outlook : Energy and Emerging Markets*” on **7<sup>th</sup> March 2006** by Prof. Dr. Norbert Walter, Chief Economist, Deutsche Bank Group, Germany, at Sheraton Hotel, Kuwait. (75 persons attended).
2. **KFMA** organized a presentation in collaboration with HSBC and Reuters on “*RTFX System*” on **Tuesday, March 26, 2006** at Sheraton Hotel, Kuwait. (35 persons attended).

### **Social activities:**

**KFMA** organized a **Gabga Dinner** at Ruby Tuesday Restaurant on **8<sup>th</sup> October 2006**. The invitations were sent to all members and their families.

### **Other:**

- a. **Kuwait Financial Markets Association** participated in the 45<sup>th</sup> ACI World Congress from 25<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> May 2006 held in Manila, Philippines. KFMA was represented by Mr. Thunayan M. Al-Ghanim, President, Mr. Hussein Al-Aryan, Treasurer and Head of Educational Committee.
- b. Mr. Aqeel Habeeb, Kuwait Representative to ICA and Vice President of KFMA, attended the ICA Executive Committee held on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2006.
- c. **KFMA** conducted quarterly contests on FX rate forecasts, as of 31<sup>st</sup> March, 30<sup>th</sup> June and 30<sup>th</sup> September 2006. The winners were presented with cash rewards.
- d. **Kuwait Financial Markets Association** participated in the 32<sup>nd</sup> ICA Congress from 16<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> November 2006 held in Marrakesh, Morocco. KFMA was represented by Mr. Aqeel N. Habeeb, Vice President and Mr. Tareq M. Al-Bassam, Secretary General.