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Tapping into the Syndicated Loan Market

OUTLINE FOR TAPPING INTO THE SYNDICATED LOAN MARKET PROGRAM, A 2-Day Program

Overview of the Loan Syndication Market

- Major players in the market
 - o Lenders, Borrowers
 - o Types of roles banks play in the syndication market
 - Market Segmentation
- League Tables
- Major syndication markets
- How to obtain market information on the syndication market

> Understanding the Borrower's Objectives in Entering the Syndication Market

➤ Additional Credit Issues in Syndicated Loans

➤ General Structure of Syndicated Loans

- Discussion on the various aspects of the term sheet
- Types of commitment to the borrower
- Types of fees payable / market practice
- Cost analysis for the borrower

> Step by Step Walk Through of the Transaction Cycle for a Syndicated Loan

- Introduction to the principal phases
- The syndication time schedule

> Phases of the Transaction Cycle

- Pre-mandate phase
 - How mandates are obtained
 - o Key information required before bidding for the mandate
 - O Likely strategies used by the borrower in awarding the mandate
 - o Considerations for pricing the transaction
 - How the arranger can attract potential lenders through various syndication strategies?
 - Ways to allocate fees
 - Balancing between fees and margins
 - Calculating effective yield to lenders
- Post-mandate Phase
 - o Preparation of information memorandum
 - Content of a typical Info Memo

> Understanding the Documents Relating to the Information Memorandum

- Letter of consent to release information
- Confidentiality letter
- Disclaimer

Legal Issues

- Documentation Process
- Understanding the key features of the facility agreement
- How to check the loan agreement

➤ Roles of the Arranger in Running the Books

- Preparing for the signing ceremony
- After the syndication process
 - o Secondary market transfer
 - o Defaults, enforcements and workouts
 - Remedies
 - Restructuring

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Adam is a very experienced trainer who has a gift of making complicated subjects simple. He has conducted numerous workshops for banks in Singapore, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Taiwan, Bahrain, Sri Lanka, Vietnam, Indonesia, Malaysia, and Pakistan with consistently good appraisals. He is one of the few successful developers of training programmes accredited under the Institute of Banking and Finance Standards

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