

Hellenic American Union and H&F Analysis announces
New preparation Courses for the

**MiFID Compliant
Regulatory Paper**

FSA Approved

UK's Securities & Investment Institute

Certificate in Investment Management CertIM

Equivalent to HCMC certificate: (γ') – Διαχείριση Χαρτοφυλακίου Πελατών

Venue:
Hellenic American Union,
Athens
Dates:
20/10/09 – 26/1/10



**CertIM has been approved
by the Hellenic Republic
Capital Market Commission**

The Certificate covers the following functions:

- Managing investments
- Advising on and/or dealing in securities and derivatives
- Managing investments in relation to venture capital investments
- Advising on investments in the course of corporate finance business
- Overseeing administration functions in relation to managing investments
- Undertaking activities as a broker fund adviser



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SII's Level 3 Certificate in Investment Management – CertIM

CertIM is recognized by the FSA (UK's Financial Services Authority) and by the FSSC (UK's Financial Services Skills Council) as an appropriate examination for those who are managing and/or advising on investments. It is widely recognized and respected as a leading qualification, meeting the highest quality standards in the European market.

CertIM was among the first foreign European certifications that was approved by the Hellenic Capital Market Commission

Who should attend:

- Investment directors, managers and analysts
- Senior Corporate Management
- Finance directors, financial officers
- Bank employees, brokers, traders
- Professionals engaging in fund management, corporate finance, venture capital, asset management, financial planning
- Financial Consultants
- Business school graduates

How the Certificate benefits you:

- Candidates gain a certificate approved by the UK Regulator, Financial Services Authority (FSA), recognized by the No. 1 European financial market
- It is the most complete certificate in investment management offered in Greece
- Success qualifies candidates to join SII as Associate members who enjoy unparalleled networking and social events within SII
- It combines practical and analytical skills with an international perspective
- Candidates expand their skills in all related industry sectors
- Candidates gain recognition and acceptance as career professionals within the European market

How the Certificate benefits your organization:

- Expand company's Know-How and demonstrates commitment in investing on human capital
- Certified executives provide a competitive edge against competition and show to clients the importance the organization places on investment management
- Recognized from all major financial institutions worldwide
- Facilitates international business
- Enhances organization's potential for new business development

Requirements:

- No entry requirements. However candidates are expected to have some professional or academic exposure to business or investment related matters.
- Candidates are required to pass both modules (Module 1- Investment Management and Module 2-Regulation) in order to acquire the SII Level 3 Certificate in Investments (Investment Management).

However separate certificates are issued when passing one of the separate modules.

About Securities & Investment Institute (SII):

Established in February 1992 with the endorsement of the FSA (formerly the Securities & Investment Board), the bank of England, the London Stock Exchange and the London International Financial Futures and Options Exchange (LIFFE). Securities & Investment Institute is the largest and most widely respected professional body, representing over 40,000 members and affiliates working in UK securities and investment industry.

Through membership SII offers practitioners professional recognition and the confidence of employers, peers and clients that they have attained the highest possible standard within their industry sector.

Some of the major firms using it:

- Bank of America
- Gartmore Investment Management
- Brewin Dolphin
- Goldman Sachs
- Brown Shipley & Co
- JP Morgan
- Bell Lawrie White
- Liberty Ermitage UK
- Close Wealth Management
- Royal Bank of Scotland
- Collins Stewart (CI) Ltd
- Smith & Williamson Investment
- Credit Suisse Asset Management
- Deutsche Bank
- UBS Global Asset Management

H&F Analysis through continuous training development and cooperation with Securities & Investment Institute has acquired the SII's Accredited Training Provider status in Greece.

H&F Analysis' instructors are trained and approved from Securities & Investment Institute. They are chosen to be highly qualified, market oriented practitioners with hands-on experience, well acquainted with SII's culture and methods.

Only SII's approved instructors present preparation courses for the Certificate in Investment Management and use strictly SII's copyrighted training material. H&F Analysis follows interactive teaching methods with the support of high-tech infrastructure and has so far achieved well above average passing rates for attending candidates.

How to have this program conducted on-site at your location:

On-site training for own company employees can be offered according to present schedule or we can tailor a more intense and compressed training course (minimum 5-day crash course) to meet your company's requirements in less time.

SII's CertIM Preparation Course 2009

Attending the preparation courses designed by SII approved professionals, candidates maximize chances to pass the rigorous exam and gain this supreme professional distinction.

The modular teaching and examination approach enables candidates to concentrate separately on regulation and technical material, expand their skills, strengthen weaknesses and thus increase their success potential.

Module 1, Investment Management, covers 46hrs of training on:

- Economics, financial mathematics and broad industry regulation
- Asset classes and financial markets
- Investment analysis, accounting and taxation
- Portfolio management and measurement

Module 2, Regulation, presented in 14hrs, covers:

- Regulatory environment and infrastructure
- Regulatory activities and market abuses
- EU directives and FSA handbook
- Conduct of business – rule and expectations

Methodology

The combination of carefully prepared workbooks by industry professionals and the large data base of practice questions and mock exams in a stimulating learning environment, results in an across-the-board well above average pass-rate.

Membership

Acquiring an SII certificate you gain eligibility to become an SII member and have the Institute's support to remain informed and competent throughout your career. Becoming an SII member entitles you to:

- Attend free Continuous Professional Development (CPD) events and have access to online archives.
- Use designatory letters.
- Receive for free website updates on latest news and the bi-monthly magazine "Securities and Investment Review".
- Network with fellow professionals through social events and access to the Member's Directory.
- Free telephone legal advice via Law Express.
- Receive discounts on hotel rates, tickets and a diverse range of retail products and services.

For more information check www.sii.org.uk or e-mail: memberservices@sii.org.uk

SII's CertIM fees:

Financial Regulation Unit Test	105 GBP
Investment Management Unit Test	155 GBP

Examination fees are paid directly to SII. The Prep course is optional however thoroughly prepares candidates to pass this rigorous examination. Training fees are paid to the Hellenic American Union.

Examination Logistics

Examinations are prometric and are given at Fulbright's testing centers in Athens and in Thessaloniki (www.fullbright.gr)

Syllabus

Investment Management

Chapter 1 - Economics

- Microeconomics Theory
- Macroeconomic Theory

Chapter 2 - Financial Mathematics & Statistics

- Financial Mathematics
- Statistics

Chapter 3 – Industry Regulation

- Corporate Governance

Chapter 4 – Asset Classes

- Equities
- Fixed Interest
- Cash
- Derivatives
- Property

Chapter 5 – Financial Markets

- Stock Exchanges
- Dealing and Settlement
- International Markets
- Foreign Exchange

Chapter 6 – Accounting

- Basic Principles
- Balance Sheet
- Profit and Loss Account
- Cash-flow Statement
- Consolidated Company Reports
- Accounting Developments

Course Dates & hrs

October 20 – December 8, 2009

Tue & Thu 18:00-21:00

Sat 7/11 & 14/11 9:00-14:00

Chapter 7 – Investment Analysis

- Fundamental and Technical
- Ration Analysis
- Yields and Ratios
- Valuation

Chapter 8 – Taxation and Trusts

- Corporation Tax
- Personal Taxes
- Overseas Taxation
- Trusts

Chapter 9 – Portfolio Management

- Risk and Return
- Role of the Portfolio Manager
- Fund Characteristics

Chapter 10 – Performance Measurement

- Performance Benchmarks
- Performance Attribution
- Performance Measurement

Regulation

Chapter 1 – Regulatory Environment

Chapter 2 – Financial Services and Markets Act 2000

Chapter 3 – Associated Legislation and Regulation

Chapter 4 – European Union Legislation

Chapter 5 – Contact of Business Sourcebook / Client Assets

Chapter 6 – Complaints and Redress

Course Dates & hrs

January 12 – 26, 2010

Mon & Thu 18:00-21:00

Equivalent to Hellenic Capital Market Commission's Certificate:

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To register for the SII's Certificate in Investments Preparation Course, please contact:

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Registration Form



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I wish to register for the SII's Certificate in Investment Management Preparation Courses:

Module I - Investment Management 46 hrs Course Fee: €1650
Dates: October 20 – December 8, 2009

Module II - Regulation 14 hrs Course Fee: €550
Dates: January 12 – 26, 2010

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Module I & II (Investment Management & Regulation) 60 hrs Course Fee: €1950

In order to guarantee a place on the course, delegates are kindly requested to register at **least 10 working days before the course**. Course fees include tuition documentation, course material, lunch and refreshments. An invoice will be sent upon receipt of registration form. Please note that payment must be received prior to the course start.

Discounts are available for group bookings. For more information, please call the Hellenic American Union.

Personal Details (Please print clearly)

First Name:.....
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Payment Details

Payments are made to the Hellenic American Union: by credit card by filling out the form below, by cheque made payable to Hellenic American Union or bank deposit: For bank deposit/transfer information please contact the Hellenic American Union. Please always quote the invoice number which you will receive once you have registered, or alternatively please quote your company's name or the delegates name in the transfer instructions.

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- Visa Mastercard Diners

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Signature..... Date.....

I/We understand and accept the registration and cancellation policies and procedures, and the protection of personal and credit card data policy.

Signature/company seal..... Date

Cancellation Policy

A full refund will be given for cancellation requests received up to 10 working days before the event. Cancellations must be made in writing (letter or fax) and reach this office before the 10 working days deadline. Delegates who cancel less than 10 working days before the event, or who don't attend, are liable to pay the full course fee and no refunds can be given. A replacement is always welcome.

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