



INDIAN INSTITUTE OF BANKING & FINANCE (IIBF)

Invites Micro Research papers for the year 2012

Indian Institute of Banking & Finance (formerly The Indian Institute of Bankers) was established in 1928 and is working with a mission “to develop professionally qualified competent bankers and finance professionals primarily through a process of education, training, examination, consultancy/ counselling and continuing professional development programme”. One of the objectives of the Institute is to promote and undertake research relating to operation, products, instruments, processes, etc. in banking and finance and to encourage innovation and creativity among finance professionals. Encouraged by the overwhelming response to the first initiative made in 2004-05 and subsequent years, IIBF now invites research papers for the year 2012.

The competition is open to life members of IIBF, who are presently working in banks and financial institutions.

Members of the Institute are free to submit papers on original ideas on **any topic** in any of the areas of banking or finance. Some of the indicative areas in which papers may be contributed are: BASEL-III, Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR), Ethical Issues in Banking Business, Euro Crisis, Financial Inclusion, Financial Literacy, CDR, RTGs, IT Security, Cyber Crimes, Banking Technology, HR Innovations and Rural Banking.

The papers will be judged on their content/relevance and originality. The authors of the accepted papers will be rewarded with a citation and cash prize ranging from Rs. 3,000/- to Rs. 10,000/- depending on the merit of the paper.

All the interested members of the Institute are requested to submit micro research papers in English with the word limit of 5000 words or 10 – 12 pages (A4/ Times New Roman / Font size 12).

The last date for submission of the paper is 15th October 2012. Submissions should include the Membership number, bank address, mobile no. /landline no. and email ID of the member submitting the paper. Applications without membership numbers will not be considered. The papers, along with a soft copy in a floppy/CD, may be sent by courier or post to:

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