

# 3<sup>rd</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE 'SAILING THROUGH TURBULENCE'



NOVEMBER 24 & 25, 2016 SHERATON GRAND DOHA RESORT & CONVENTION HOTEL, QATAR



Doha Chapter of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India is pleased to invite you to its 3rd International Conference – 'Sailing Through Turbulence' to be held on 24th November 2016 (4 pm to 9 pm) & 25th November 2016 (9 am to 5 pm) at Sheraton Grand Doha Resort & Convention Hotel, Qatar.

The international conference is organized against the backdrop of the financial markets turbulence that marked the beginning of 2016 and continued through subsequent events such as Brexit. In this environment of economic uncertainty and upheaval, there is a pressing need for finance and accounting professionals to understand how best organizations can not only navigate and survive, but more importantly, discover opportunities and succeed in such turbulent times. To this end, the Conference seeks to bring together leading industry and financial sector experts to share their insights with the participants, with particular focus on the role finance professionals can play to ensure such success.

The event will be attended by the host of dignitaries including President of ICAI. With a membership in excess of 230,000 Chartered Accountants worldwide, ICAI is positioned as the world's second largest accounting body.

Dignitaries who will inaugurate and attend this mega event are:

Chief Guest His Excellency Mr. P Kumaran, Ambassador of India to Qatar

Guests of Honour Mr Kamal Nagi, Chief Strategy and Business Development officer, Qatar Financial Centre





## **Our Panel of Expert Speakers**

**CA T.N. Manoharan** Non Executive Chairman - Canara Bank, Past President – ICAI

**CA Sundaram Sivaramakrishnan** Partner and Chief Financial Officer of Baring Private Equity Partners India

> **Jennifer O'Sullivan** Director, Ernst & Young Qatar

**CA R. Vittal Raj** Member of Global Finance Committee of ISACA International

**CFA Raghu** Head of Research at Kuwait Financial Center (Markaz)

DTM Aditya Maheswaran 1st Runner-up at Toastmasters International World Championship 2015

**Rahul Kapoor** Official Host for Royal Challengers Bangalore in DLF IPL 3, 4 & 5

Panel discussion on 'Transiting through turbulent times'

## **Distinguished Panelists**

Mr. Kamal Nagi - Chief Strategy & Business Development Officer, QFC

Mr. Ashraf Abuissa - Chairman & CEO, Abuissa Holding

Moderator - CA Rajeswar Sundresan



## AGENDA

24 -Nov-	24 -Nov- 16							
Date	Time	Session Details	Speaker	Торіс				
3:00 PM	3:45 PM	Registration & Network						
3:45 PM	4:45 PM	1st Technical Session	CA T N Manoharan	India's resilience through turbulence				
4:45 PM	5:45 PM	2nd Technical Session	CA S M Sundaram	Emerging Markets- Attractive or Avoidable				
5:45 PM	6:15 PM	Networking Break						
6:15 PM	7:30 PM	Inaugural Session	Inauguration					
	9:00 PM	Panel Discussion	Moderator - CA Rajeswar Sundaresan	Transiting through Turbulent times				
7:30 PM			Mr. Kamal Nagi					
			Mr. Ashraf Abuissa					
9:00 PM	9:30PM	Gala Dinner						

### 25-Nov-16

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	7:00 AM	8:00 AM	Registration & Networking				
	8:00 AM	9:00 AM	3rd Technical Session	Mr. M R Raghu	Currency: No longer a fringe risk for managers		
	9:00 AM	10:00 AM	4th Technical Session	Ms. Jennifer O Sullivan	VAT Implementation and its implication for Qatar businesses		
	10:00 AM	11:00 AM	5th Technical Session	Mr. Aditya Maheswaran	Turbulent leadership to leadership in turbulence		
	11:00 AM	12:30 PM	Prayer & Lunch Break				
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### **About ICAI**

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ICAI now is the second largest accounting body in the world with a membership base of over 230,000 chartered accountants. ICAI offers regularly, valuable inputs to various regulators in India – Reserve Bank of India, Securities & Exchange board of India and Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority apart from Comptroller & Auditor General of India, Central Board of Direct Taxes, Ministry of Corporate Affairs & various departments of the State and Central Government of India.

#### About Doha Chapter Of ICAI

The Doha Chapter was established in the year 1981 and is oldest among the 27 overseas Chapters of ICAI. The membership of the Chapter has grown steadily since its founding days and presently the Chapter has over 300 members who hold key positions in various private & public companies. The Chapter is actively involved in enhancing and updating the professional knowledge of its members and to meet this objective, periodically organizes professional lectures and seminars. The Chapter is the first professional body in Qatar to get officially registered with the Qatar Financial Centre (QFC).

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Other Delegates	QAR 600

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