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CFA Society of Sydney creates Careers Director role to support CFA charterholders

Sydney, Australia, January 14, 2010 – [CFA Society of Sydney](#) (CFAS) has announced it has appointed Denise Glavincevski, CFA to the newly created role of Careers Director for the local member society of CFA Institute.

The Careers Director will work with major employers within the local investment community to develop a greater understanding of the CFA designation, whilst also working with CFA charterholders and graduates to develop essential professional soft skills, such as networking and resume building.

Ms Glavincevski will continue to develop the [CFA Society of Sydney Jobline](#), an online service which links employers and jobseekers within the local investment industry.

President of the CFAS, Brindha Gunasingham, CFA said, "The creation of the Careers Director role will allow us to continue to develop our ongoing support services for CFA charterholders, whilst strengthening networks for current candidates."

"The Global Financial Crisis has introduced the opportunity for many investment professionals to consider their career direction and aspirations. I will be working with both employers and employees to achieve greater awareness of the CFA designation within the industry," said Ms Glavincevski.

CFAS is the local member society of the [CFA Institute](#), the global association of investment professionals, with more than 98,000 members in 135 countries. CFA Institute aims to promote the highest ethical and professional standards within the investment industry.

CFA Institute administers the CFA Charter, an international graduate-level investment qualification widely recognised as the gold-standard among investment analysis designations. To earn the designation, candidates must pass three sequential exams, each requiring an average of 250 hours of study.

Ms Glavincevski earned her CFA Charter in 1995 and is a founding member of the CFA Society of Sydney. She has around 20 years of experience in the investment industry, including senior roles within AMP Capital Investors and Asahi Mutual Life Insurance Company. Ms Glavincevski currently works as a Senior Consultant with Investit.

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About CFA Institute

CFA Institute is the global association for investment professionals. It administers the CFA and CIPM curriculum and exam programs worldwide; publishes research; conducts professional development programs; and sets voluntary, ethics-based professional and performance-reporting standards for the investment industry. CFA Institute has 98,950 members, who include the world's 87,277 CFA charterholders, in 135 countries and territories, as well as 136 affiliated professional societies in 57 countries and territories. More information may be found at www.cfainstitute.org.

About CFA Society of Sydney

CFA Society of Sydney (CFAS) is a member society of CFA Institute. It was established in 1996 and has more than 900 members, of whom 90 percent hold the CFA designation. CFAS is a member-focused organisation, run by a group of dedicated volunteers elected by the members. The society is an association of local investment professionals engaged in a wide variety of roles, including portfolio management, security analysis, corporate finance, and investment advice. CFAS aims to promote the highest ethical and professional standards within the investment industry. It encourages professional development through the CFA program and continuing education; it facilitates the exchange of information and ideas within the local investment community and beyond; and it works to further the recognition of the CFA designation and what it stands for. As one of 135 CFA Institute member societies, it also connects members with a global network of investment professionals. [Visit www.cfas.org.au](http://www.cfas.org.au) for further information.