Our Lecturers
to help you FOCUS & PASS the exams!

Hua Chia Yee
FCCA, CFA
(FRA, Ethics & Revision (local and expat CFA level I class))

Hua is a CFA Charterholder and a Fellow Member of the Chartered Association of Certified Accountants (FCCA). He is presently the Managing Director of Phoenix Capital Corporation, a private equity firm specializing in investment banking and asset management based in Vietnam. Prior to joining Phoenix, he was the General Manager, Corporate Planning of KBB Resources Berhad, a vermicelli manufacturer listed on the Main Board of Bursa Malaysia for 5 years. He also has 7 years of experience in merchant banking specialising in corporate finance with RHB Sakura Merchant Bankers Berhad. He also consults in mergers and acquisitions for companies in Asia and the Middle East since 2003.

Prior to taking up the above appointments, Mr. Hua has 7 years of experience in merchant banking specialising in corporate finance with RHB Sakura Merchant Bankers Berhad. As a merchant banker, Mr. Hua has provided corporate advisory services and formulated fund raising proposals.

A summary of major corporate transactions that he has advised on is as follows:

- Debt and corporate restructuring for the Lion Group involving 6 public listed companies listed on the Bursa Malaysia
- Acquisition of Sime Bank and restructuring of the enlarged RHB Banking Group.
- Valuation of various technology related companies for a government owned entity
- Structuring and valuation of Allianz Assurance Berhad
- Business restructuring of Cold Storage (Malaysia) Berhad
- Initial Public Offerings of:
  - KBB Resources Berhad (vermicelli and rice flour manufacturer)
  - YSPSAH Holdings Berhad (pharmaceuticals manufacturer)
  - Nikko Electronics Bhd (radio-controlled cars manufacturer)
  - Hup Seng Industries Berhad (biscuits manufacturer)

Hua was a CFA programme Lecturer in Hong Kong, Vietnam and Malaysia since 2003, specialising in Financial Statements Analysis, Equities and Portfolio Management. He is also a Trainer for Permodalan Nasional Berhad for the CFA programme and various finance related subjects. He is a Facilitator of the CFP...
programme for KDU Management Development Centre Sdn Bhd since 2003, specialising in Investment Planning and Financial Plan Construction.

**Hua is one of the preferred CFA lecturers by Vietnamese students. His lecturing skills, lecture structures and real life examples help students not only pass the exams but also apply the knowledge and skills at work.**

**Hoang Thi Thai Ha**  
M.Com (Applied Finance)  
(Derivatives)

Thai Ha is the holder of Master of Commerce in Applied Finance of the University of Queensland, Australia. She has intensive experience in banking industry in different departments in ANZ Bank. She also has more than five years experience in general management.

She passed CFA level 1 and level 2 exams at the first attempt. Derivatives are the topics that she achieved high marks in her CFA Level 1 and Level 2 exams.

Students enjoy her classes because of simple approach, diagrams and summaries that she uses in her lecture. These help students easily remember the topic and apply them into solving questions quickly.

*She usually explains difficult topics in simple ways. She also shares with students study strategies to prepare well for the exams given the heavy workload.*

**Dang Quoc Hiep**  
Passed CFA Level 3 exam in Jun 09 & Master of Applied Finance  
(Equity, Fixed Income, Portfolio Management)

Quoc Hiep is presently working in Corporate Finance, BNP Paribas Vietnam. Previously, Hiep was a member of the investment team of BIDV-Vietnam Partner Investment Management Company (BVIM), being responsible for industry studies and company valuation. During the time at BVIM, Hiep made various investments & monitored investees in real estate, manufacturing, gas distribution and IT industries. Before joining BVIM, he worked in the investment department of BIDV, at which he was in charge of monitoring investee companies & investing in various projects.

Prior to entering the investment profession, Hiep worked in the communications industry, distributing international copyrights to local TV stations & acted as MC for Vietnam Television. During his studies at Hanoi Foreign Trade University, Mr. Hiep achieved several awards, i.e. Golden Prize in the Lighting Business Contest (Vietnam Business Association), Second Prize in the Students’ Start-up Business Contest (VCCI & Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Second Prize in the Scientific Research Contest (Ministry of Education and Training), and First Prize in the Scientific Research Contest (Hanoi Foreign Trade University). After graduating from Hanoi Foreign Trade University as the best graduate of his year, Mr. Hiep got a full scholarship from Australian government & finished his Master of Applied Finance in
University of Melbourne. Hiep also finished CFA level 3 in 2009 and is currently a pending CFA Charter Holder.

Given Hiep’s strong background in investment, intensive experience at work & in preparing for CFA exams and strong communication skills, students will definitely enjoy studying his CFA preparation class.

Nguyen Thi Hong Van, CFA
Master in Finance from ESCP-EAP Paris, France (2005)
MBA in Asian Institute of Technology, Thailand (2004).
(Alternative Investment)

Ms. Van has been a member of the investment team of BIDV-Vietnam Partners Investment Management JVC (BVIM) since December 2006 in charge of studying and following investment opportunities primarily in banking, insurance, rubber and consumer goods & franchising. She is now also an active member in the business development and fund raising team.

Prior to this position, she has four years of professional experience in banking and accounting in Vietnam and Thailand. She worked for the Finance Department of the Asian Institute of Technology in Thailand for two years as senior finance officer (2005-2006). She directly assisted the Chief Financial Officer in financial reporting and dealt with senior management of the Institute on finance issues. Before that, Van was International Banking Officer at the BIDV International Banking Department.


Nguyen Diep Ha, MSc
MSc in International Banking and Financial Studies,
Passed CFA level 3
(Quantitative Analysis, and Ethics (local lecturer class))

Ms Ha is currently a lecturer at the Faculty of Banking and Finance, Foreign Trade University specialising on but not limited to International Financial Management. She passed the CFA level 3 in June2012.

In 2011, she graduated at top 5 students of the MSc in International Banking and Financial Studies program from University of Southampton, one of the top 15 universities in the UK. She has also achieved numerous scholarships and awards during her school time. Her keys to success on academic career include right attitude, good strategy and lots of practice. Students taking her class will certainly benefit from her sharing this valuable experience.

Ms Ha is well appraised for her acute critical and analytical thinking and strong quantitative skills in finance area. With a good sense of humor and excellent presentation skills, she can explain complicated concepts in an amazingly simple way and create an inspiring study
environment for students. Applying an exam-focused approach to this course, she will provide students with not only a wide range of knowledge beyond exam’s curriculum but also useful advices on strategies, tactics, time management, self control… etc.

**Nguyen Tra My**  
*Master of Financial Analysis, Latrobe university*  
*Passed CFA level III (Economics)*

Ms. Nguyen Tra My passed CFA Level 3 in 2012. She graduated from the MFA program (Master of Financial Analysis) of Latrobe University, Melbourne, Australia. She was top–five- student who achieved Dean’s commendation for academic excellent. She has also achieved numerous scholarships and awards during her school time.

Tra My is working at Bao Viet Fund Management Company. She has more than 4 years of working experiences as portfolio manager and investment analyst. She also participated in various activities of the company such as member of macro research group and product development group. Experience in various positions gave her many chances to apply CFA theories into practice.

Tra My is teaching CFA level 1–where she got all topics over 70% threshold. Tra My shared that she always had very little time to prepare for each of the CFA exam but her study method constantly helped her to make the best out of it and she will be very happy to share it with students.

**Ly Lam Duy**  
*MBA, Finance, Vanderbilt University, USA*  
*CFA chartered holder (FRA, local lecturer class)*

Ly Lam Duy has over six years of experience in finance and investment consulting. He is currently working at Investment Banking Department of Viet Capital Securities Corporation specializing in merger and acquisition consulting activities. His M&A sectors are focused on cement, commercials, university, banking and card payment. Previously, he was Head of Research and Analysis at Viet Star Securities. In 2009, Dzuy achieved Fulbright scholarship by US Department of State and earned an MBA degree at Vanderbilt University. He is also a CFA and member of CFA Society of Thailand.