

## مصرف الإمارات العربية المتحدة المركزي CENTRAL BANK OF THE U.A.E.

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The Central Bank of the United Arab Emirates is fully committed to government's initiatives and efforts towards economic and financial growth of the country. There is enormous potential to develop and expand debt securities market, which includes bonds, sukuks, interest based products, foreign exchange, and other financial products.

We support the 9<sup>th</sup> Global Financial Markets Forum (GFMF 2018) event and the First Abu Dhabi Bank's initiative in promoting UAE, more specifically Abu Dhabi's role as a regional financial services centre, which is aligned with the Abu Dhabi Economic Vision 2020. This event shall discuss current global economic events, debate the region's current environment for Capital Markets, and showcase United Arab Emirates' leading entities to regional and international investors. The event targets to host over 1600 regional and international delegates representing conventional and Islamic institutions over two days and provide the participants with the warm hospitality of Abu Dhabi.

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