

A WEBINAR BY LABUAN IBFC

Navigating DeFi, Tokenisation and Cross-Border Capital via Labuan IBFC, Malaysia

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2.50 PM **Guest admission to the webinar room**

3.00 PM **Welcome Remarks** by Ben Quah, CEO, Labuan IBFC Inc.

3.10 PM **Presentation - Expanding Across Asia: A Strategic Overview of Labuan IBFC's Digital Financial Ecosystem and Cross-Border Structuring Framework**

- Overview of regulatory framework for digital assets and security tokens in Labuan IBFC
- Labuan IBFC's digital financial services ecosystem, including fund structures, Islamic Digital Asset Centre (IDAC), and digital asset-related solutions
- Role of Labuan IBFC in enabling real-world asset tokenisation within a regulated international financial centre

by Ja'afar Rihan, Head of Islamic Market Development, Labuan FSA

3.25 PM **Panel Discussion: Navigating DeFi, Tokenisation and Cross-Border Capital via Labuan IBFC**

This panel will explore the practical application of Labuan IBFC as a platform for tokenisation and next-generation capital flows. Bringing together industry experts, investors, and advisers from the Labuan IBFC and UAE markets, the discussion will provide comparative and practical perspectives on evolving digital finance ecosystems.

Discussions will include:

- Real-world applications of tokenisation in cross-border investment structures
- Market-driven use cases of Labuan IBFC frameworks in capital raising
- Key regulatory and tax considerations shaping digital asset transactions

- Structuring considerations for HNWIs, family offices, and institutional capital flows
- Comparative insights on digital assets and fund structures across Labuan IBFC and the UAE

Moderator:

Dr. Farrukh Habib, Founder & CEO of Azka Advisors (UK) and Co-founder of Alif Technologies (Dubai)

Panellists:

- Ja'afar Rihan, Head of Islamic Market Development, Labuan FSA
- Harpreet Singh Maan, Founding Member, Malaysia Digital Consortium and CEO & Co Founder of TEIZA
- Hillay Janebdar, Partner and Head of Virtual Assets Practice, KARM Legal, UAE

4.25 PM **Ends**