

WOMEN IN INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT

Effecting Change, Making a Difference

The CFA Institute Women in Investment Management initiative is focused on improving investor outcomes by encouraging diversity in the investment management profession.

Sound investing mandates diversification, yet it is remarkably absent from team construction across all spectrums of the profession.

As the largest global association of investment professionals, CFA Institute is in a unique position to raise awareness and drive change.

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WHAT YOU CAN DO NOW

Be confident in your abilities! Choose a career that offers challenges and fulfillment. The investment management profession is very rewarding.

Pursue a career in investment management where you can participate in the economic growth of your country or your economy. It is a great opportunity to work in international markets and develop leadership capabilities.

Connect with your local CFA Institute member society to explore networking and mentorship opportunities with professionals in the industry.

Participate in the CFA Institute Research Challenge. Check with your local CFA Institute member society to see if your university can get involved.

Find a sponsor or mentor to help you achieve your educational and professional goals.

Pursue the CFA® charter. The CFA Program curriculum covers concepts and skills you will use at all stages of your career. The self-paced, online format makes it easier for you to continue working while you complete the program. Earning the CFA charter shows employers and clients you have mastered a broad range of practical portfolio management and advanced investment analysis skills.

Learn more about the Women's Scholarship Program offered by CFA Institute and how to apply. Send an email to scholarshipsforwomen@cfainstitute.org.

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