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Somaiya Vidyavihar University  
Mumbai, India

12<sup>th</sup> International Finance Conference (Offline)  
**SIFICO 2023**

**Theme: Emerging Trends in Finance**

on  
January 21, 2023

**Organizers**

Centre of Excellence in Capital Markets | Finance and Law Department

**Knowledge Partner**



**Publication Partner**



## About the Conference

The International Finance Conference (SIFICO) has been organized by Centre of Excellence in Capital Markets along with Finance and Law Department of the K J Somaiya Institute of Management for last eleven years.

The Conference is currently in its 12<sup>th</sup> edition and the theme is 'Emerging Trends in Finance'. It aims at bringing together academicians, doctoral students, industry practitioners and researchers from academic, research and regulatory organizations to deliberate on theoretical work, empirical findings and policy implications related to the emerging trends in banking, financial markets and services.

The Conference will provide the participants an excellent opportunity to receive quality feedback on their research and networking and publishing.

This conference aims at focusing on the developing drifts in the global financial sector. The last two years of Covid 19 has changed many things and taught us to adapt quickly and prepare for new realities. These unprecedented disruptions also created unique opportunities for global markets including financial sector. Re- defining the concept of money, ongoing digital transformation, emergence of Fintech companies in banking and big tech companies in payments, the increasing role of Artificial Intelligence and robotics, Green Finance, Sustainable Finance are the few examples of emerging areas in finance. SIFICO 2023 aims to cover these issues and concerns that need insightful deliberations by the researchers.

## Call for Extended Abstract

We invite abstract of research papers, conceptual papers, technical papers from academicians, research scholars, consultants, practitioners from the industry, members of professional bodies and students, across the world to contribute in the following areas. The list is indicative but not exhaustive.

- Emerging trends in Banking and Financial Markets
- Corporate Finance
- Personal Finance and Investment
- Public Finance and Policy
- Behavioral Finance
- International Finance
- Financial Inclusion
- Financial Institutions
- FinTech
- Blockchain and Cryptocurrency
- Insurance Management
- Fraud identification and Forensic accounting
- Market Micro Structures and Asset pricing
- Risk management
- Taxation
- Corporate Governance
- Financial Econometrics and Modelling
- Quantitative Finance
- Bankruptcy and Insolvency
- Microfinance and Venture Capital
- Green Finance
- Project Finance
- Sustainable Financial practices



## Extended Abstract/Paper Submission Guidelines

1. Extended abstract should be submitted in word document, latest by **7th November 2022** to [sifico.kjsim@somaiya.edu](mailto:sifico.kjsim@somaiya.edu)
2. Authors must send extended abstract (Minimum 1000 words) using following guidelines:
  - Title
  - Purpose of the study
  - Research Objective
  - Research Design
  - Findings
  - Implications
  - Limitation
  - Keywords
3. Extended abstract should be in word document format, Times New Roman,12-point font size with single line spacing, 1 inch margins and APA style of referencing the citations.
4. Authors are requested to adhere to the guidelines of the extended abstract on submission.
5. **Please note that the Institute has a strict anti-plagiarism policy so originality of the work should be ensured by the authors.**
6. All the selected extended abstract will be published as Conference Proceedings with ISBN number.
7. Upon acceptance of the abstract the author(s) agree to release the copyright to the 12th SIFICO
8. All abstracts will be double blind peer reviewed.
9. Subsequent to the conference presentation, authors can submit full paper on the publication partner portal

## Publication Opportunities

**SIFICO 2023 is having a tie up with journals as follows:**

1. FIIB Business Review, Scopus Indexed and UGC care list, SAGE publication
2. Management Decisions, ABDC- B Category, ABS and Scopus indexed, Emerald Group Publishing.
3. Business Perspectives and Research, ABDC- C Category, ABS and Scopus indexed, SAGE publication.

Authors who want to submit their research work must be adhere to the guidelines of the respective journal available on their website. Please note that publication of papers presented and submitted by delegates is subject to review by reviewers of the journal and the final decision for publication is with the editor of the journal.

## Pre-Conference Workshop

There will be a Free Pre-conference workshop on 20th January 2023 for all the participants who register for SIFICO 2023.

**Prof. (Dr.) Paresh Shah**

**Principal**

Rai School of Management Studies,  
Rai University



The pre-conference workshop on 'Case Study in Finance' will be conducted by Prof. (Dr.) Paresh Shah, Principal, Rai School of Management Studies, Rai University, Ahmedabad.

Prof. (Dr) Paresh Shah is well known researcher and author of 21 books on various financial topics.

## Best Paper Award

Two selected papers shall receive the **Best Paper Awards** nominated by the jury after carefully scrutinizing all aspects of the paper.

## Important Dates



## Registration Fee (Non-Refundable)

Delegate Type	Fees
Research Scholar/ Academic Delegate / Industry Delegate	INR 3000 plus GST @ 18%
International Delegate	USD 75

### Registration fees includes:

- Opportunity to present research work at the conference
- Publication opportunity
- Networking opportunity
- Pre Conference workshop
- A compendium of conference proceedings with ISBN number
- Conference kit, Breakfast, and lunch during the conference
- Delegates have to make their own arrangements for travel and stay

### Registration Details

The payment link will be sent with the acceptance of abstract email

### Registration Guidelines

- There cannot be more than three authors per paper.
- Each additional co-author attending the conference needs to register separately by paying INR 1000 plus 18% GST or USD 50.
- Author(s) submitting more than one abstract need to pay registration fees for each abstract separately.

## Somaiya Vidyavihar University

A new milestone in a glorious ongoing journey established in 2019, Somaiya Vidyavihar University, Mumbai, is a self-financed autonomous university recognised by the University Grants Commission (UGC). Somaiya Vidyavihar, with over six decades of rich experience in building and managing educational institutes of great repute, is the sponsoring body. Operational from 26th August 2019, Somaiya Vidyavihar University is a place where you can explore new possibilities, pursue your passion and above all, find yourself.

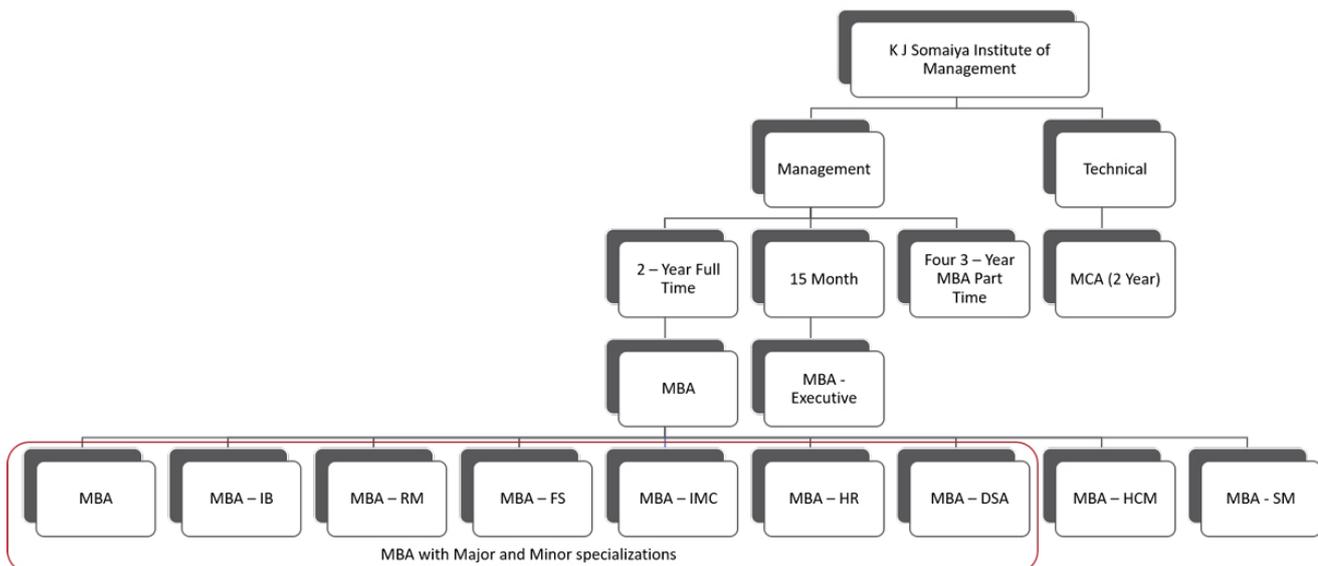
Somaiya Vidyavihar University is located in the heart of Mumbai and boasts of a sprawling green campus. The university is equipped with excellent educational, recreational, community, health, and sports facilities. Somaiya Vidyavihar offers students the flexibility to simultaneously earn degrees and certifications in multiple disciplines offered by our constituent colleges.



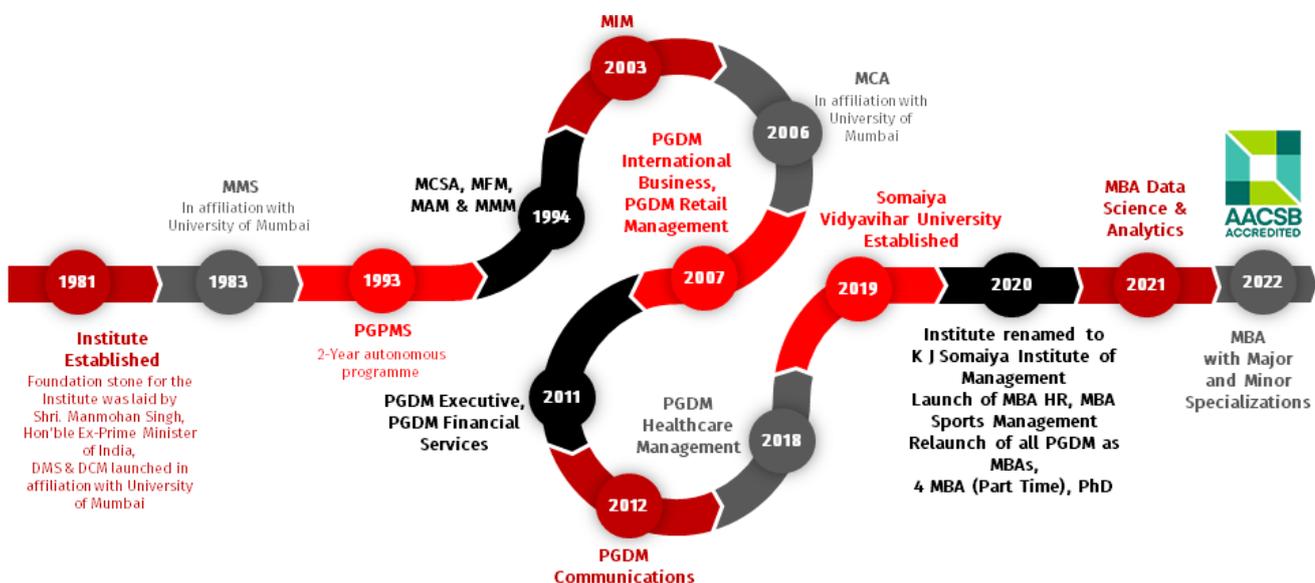
# K J Somaiya Institute of Management

K J Somaiya Institute of Management was established in 1981 as a part of Somaiya Vidyavihar (now affiliated to the Somaiya Vidyavihar University since August 2019) with the objective of providing state of the art education in management and allied areas. The institute is consistently ranked among the Top 25 management institutes and Top 10 private sector B-schools in India. The institute offers Doctoral Programmes, full time, part time and executive programmes in Business Management with specializations in International Business, Retail Management, Financial Services, Integrated Marketing Communications, Healthcare Management, Sports Management, Data Science & Analytics, Finance, Human Resources, Operations, Marketing and Executive MBA programmes along with a Masters in Computer Applications. Apart from the regular programmes, the Institute offers customized and industry specific certificate and executive development programmes for government bodies, companies, defense personnel and NGOs.

## Programmes offered:



## Important Milestones & Beyond



## Organising Committee

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