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# Financial Market Development in Australia and Asia: Opportunities and Challenges

With keynote speaker  
*David Bassanese*  
*Senior Finance Journalist*



With the dynamic financial market in Australia and Asia, we have invited David Bassanese, senior finance journalist and economics and financial markets commentator in Australian Financial Review, to share his views on the financial market development in Australia and Asia and comments on the opportunities and challenges that we are facing. Seats are limited! Please come and join us today!

**DATE AND TIME:** 6:00pm, Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> June 2014

**VENUE:** Level 5, Hong Kong House, 80 Druiett St, Sydney, NSW 2000

**PRICE:** Free Entry for members Non-Member: \$10.00

**RSVP:** Eventbrite Online: [Buy Tickets Here!](#)

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**Speaker Profile: Mr. David Bassanese**

David Bassanese is one of Australia's leading economics and financial market commentators.



David's regular "Bassanese" column appears in the Market Wrap section of the *Australian Financial Review*, and also in the monthly *Smart Investor Magazine*.

David's analysis and commentaries cover local and international economic trends, interest rates, the exchange rate, and share market analysis.

Prior to becoming a Fairfax business columnist in 2003, David spent several years in financial markets as a senior economist and interest rate strategist at Bankers Trust and Macquarie Bank. David started his career at the Federal Treasury in Canberra, after which he spent several years as a research economist at the Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development in Paris, France.

David is also runs his own economic and investment consultancy service, PennyWise Financial and has authored to e-books: *ETFs: Australia's Great Financial Secret* and *The Australian Guide to Asset Allocation*.

David has a first class honours degree in Economics from the University of Adelaide, and a Master in Public Policy from the J.F Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University.

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