



Press  
Release

## **The Asset Triple A's honours MIFC as Malaysia is voted Best Islamic Finance Centre**

Hong Kong

The board of editors of The Asset magazine has once again voted Malaysia as the Best Islamic finance centre in The Asset Triple A Islamic Finance Awards 2013. As the country transitions into a leading international Islamic financial hub, it is committed to forge global linkages to facilitate the internationalization of the Islamic finance industry through its main vehicle, Malaysia International Islamic Financial Centre (MIFC).

Such linkages contribute to a more efficient allocation of Islamic finance resources from centres with surplus funds to regions with growth opportunities.

Malaysia's stature as an international Islamic financial hub is reflected in its large market share in global sukuk issuance. Additionally, more than 89% of the stocks listed on Bursa Malaysia are classified as Shariah-compliant by the Shariah Advisory Council of the Securities Commission of Malaysia.

### **About The Asset Triple A Awards**

The Asset Triple A Islamic Finance Awards are Asia's defining recognition for excellence in the industry. The awards process adopts a rigorous approach to the selection of the best issuers, banks and deals in each category. Point scores for both quantitative and qualitative factors are combined in the determination of the winners.

Whenever possible, The Asset's board of editors also conducts follow-up interviews and participates in the presentations organized with clients and their banks. The Asset's board of editors has more than three decades of experience in evaluating financial institutions in Asia.

### **About The Asset**

The Asset is the leading finance publication for Asian corporates and global investors active in the region, and is internationally recognized for providing analysis and insight into how Asia's leading companies raise and manage their capital. The Asset magazine, together with [www.TheAsset.com](http://www.TheAsset.com) and The Asset Newsletters is published by Asset Publishing and Research Ltd.

**For further information, please contact the editors on 852-2573-6078 or at [editors@theasset.com](mailto:editors@theasset.com)**